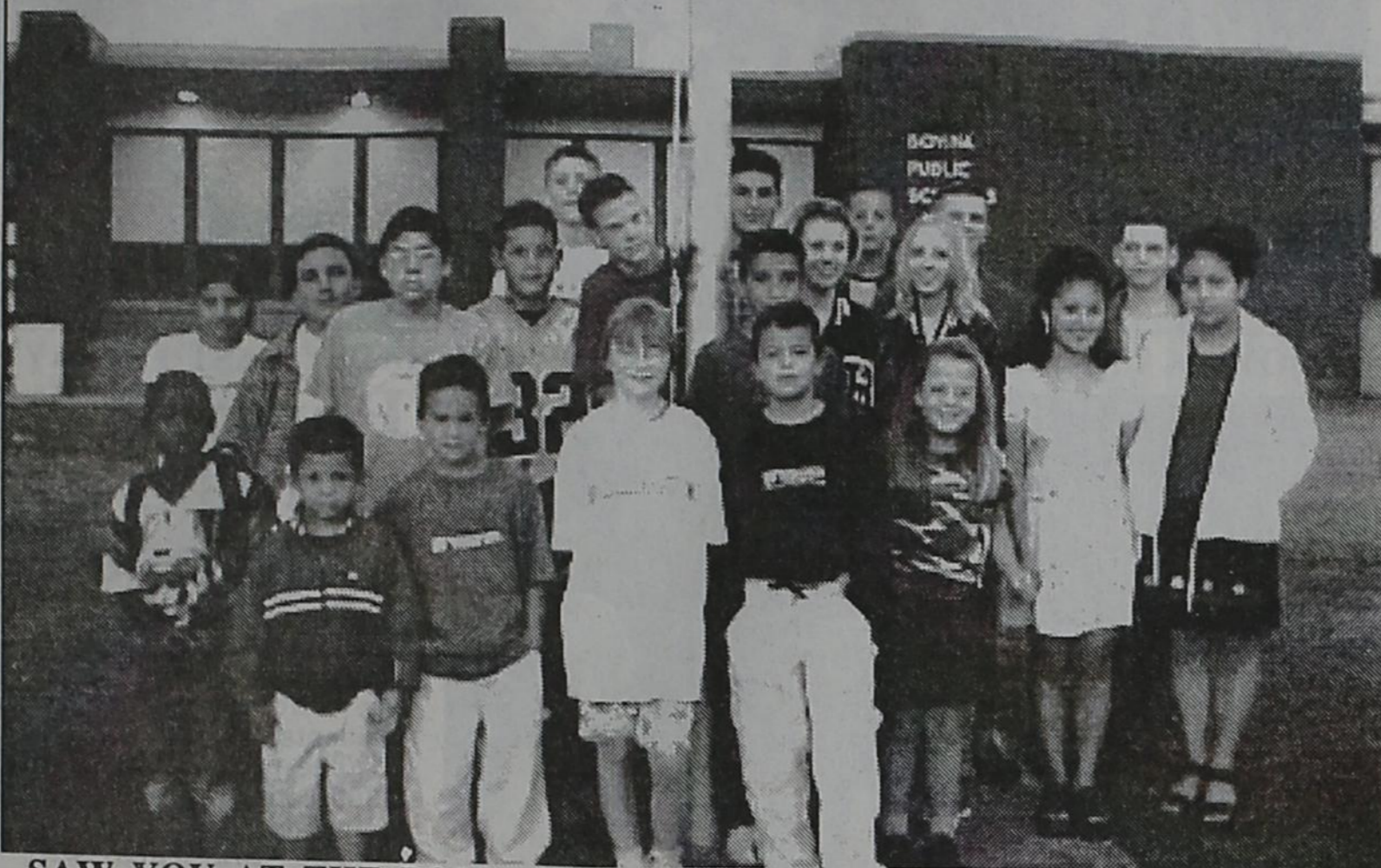
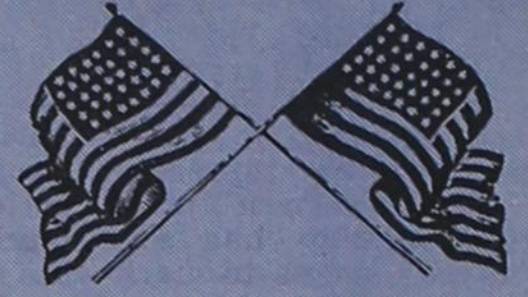


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TWELVE PAGES



SAW YOU AT THE POLE....Forty students and adults met Wednesday at 7 a.m. for the annual "See you at the Pole" in Bovina. Prayers were said for students and faculty at BISD, our city and country.

Olton Tops Bovina In Mustang Battle

In a battle of Mustangs, the AA variety, in the form of Olton, prevailed over the class A Bovina hybrid, 26-0 in a game at Olton last Friday.

Olton ran its season record to 2-0, and Bovina, fresh from a 26-0 win over Lorenzo the previous week.

Turnovers plagued Bovina, whose record dropped to 1-2.

Olton's Sawyer Perry capped a drive with a nine-yard run in the first quarter, and that was all of the first-half scoring, as Olton led 6-0 at halftime.

Perry repeated with a touchdown in the third

quarter, a six-yard run, and Justin Griffin hauled in a 23-yard pass from Trey Johnson in the same period. The Olton Mustangs got a two-pointer after their first score of the period, to go up, 20-0.

Before it was over, Olton's Michael Villanueva got into the end zone on a 16-yard run for the final margin.

Bovina managed 140 yards rushing, 85 by Johnathan Chisom, and added 30 yards passing, on a pass from David DeLaRosa to B.J. Shepard, but couldn't get into the end zone.

Bovina committed five turnovers, which will almost

always get you beat. The 'Stangs did manage to create three turnovers, so it could've been worse.

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| 6 | First Downs | 11 |
| 140 | Net Yds Rush | 247 |
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| 1 | Pass Had Int | 2 |
| 5-2 | Fumb. Lost | 1 |
| 1-5 | Penalties | 3-20 |

Bovina Company Set Up An Early WTC Disaster Website

Mike McCallum of Bovina heads up a webservices company, CompuTeK Data Consultants (www.computekdc.com) which is a confederation of about 90 freelance graphic artists, webmasters and marketing people. Most are from the U.S., with a few located overseas.

On the evening of the World Trade Center disaster, this group of web-tecks were complaining about the difficulty in locating good information in cyberspace. So Mike put together a nice website titled "We Will Prevail." This quote was taken from the first speech by President Bush after the bombing of the towers. Mike was aided in this project by

some of the others in his company verifying information for the links on the website and the marketers sent out press releases in the New England area.

Mike told the *Bovina Blade* that they just wanted to do something to help out and thought of this idea.

"We're just a bunch of computer geeks who would rather program into the wee hours of the morning than go to bed, anyway," Mike noted. "This was just a way of doing something positive for the relief effort."

The URL for the "We Will Prevail" website is: www.wewillprevail.org. It features a smokey photo of the site of the WTC destruction in New

York City and it provides links and addresses to a lot of other places where a person can find information on where to donate money, goods, or services for the aid of the victims' families, the rescue workers, Red Cross, etc.

Mike said they had expected to get no more than a couple of hundred viewers each day, but once the website went up, they got over 21,000 viewers in one hour. This was well before there were very many websites giving out this sort of information, and the website crashed one evening from the overload. They got it back up and running right away, of course.

"We knew we wouldn't reach as many people as the big corporate websites can, but we probably reached a few hundred thousand in those first few days after the tragedy," Mike told the *Blade*.

Now that large firms such as Microsoft and Amazon are putting up similar websites, Mike expects their viewership to drop considerably. He plans to eventually give the website to an organization that can do more with it.

"Some of the thanks we got made it well worth the effort," Mike said.

Mike McCallum can be reached by phone in Bovina at 251-1167 or 251-1862, or by e-mail at mikem@amaonline.com. His company website is located at www.computekdc.com. There is also a long distance toll-free number at 888-438-1167

BHS Powder Puff Game Is Friday

A Powder Puff flag football game will be held Friday, September 21 at 7 p.m. at Mustang field. Tickets are \$1 to see the high school girls play ball and the boys cheering.

A tail gate party, sponsored by the Student Council, will kick off the evening with hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks. Tickets are: adults, \$4; students and children, \$3; and high school students, \$1. The price of the meal includes entry to the game.

At half-time a "Powder Puff Princess" will be crowned. Those vying for the honor are Jose Amaya, senior; B.J. Shepard, junior; Alfredo Martinez, sophomore; and Israel Escobar, freshman.

Cheerleaders for the big game are seniors David Garcia and John Paul Guzman; juniors Jake Steelman and J.C. Contreras; sophomores Martin Carillo and Mitch Fletcher; and freshmen Jose Valdez and Josh Shelby.

The Powder Puff game kicks off next week's homecoming activities which include Pajama Day, Monday; Cowboys and Indians Day, Tuesday; Celebrity Day, Wednesday; Sports Day, Thursday and Maroon and White Day, Friday.

Setting Tax Rate Heads City Agenda

Approval of the City of Bovina's new tax rate was a main item on the agenda at the regular session at the Board of Aldermen on September 6.

The new rate, which has been published is 56.88. The motion by Alderman Hughes to approve the change passed unanimously.

In other business, the board passed a motion by to adopt a revised personal policies code. This also passed unanimously.

Also, the board approved a motion by Hughes to purchase a wireless internet for the Bovina Police Department.

A motion by Alderman Stone to purchase Xpediter Report Software program for the city was also passed.

After discussing the city budget, a motion was passed

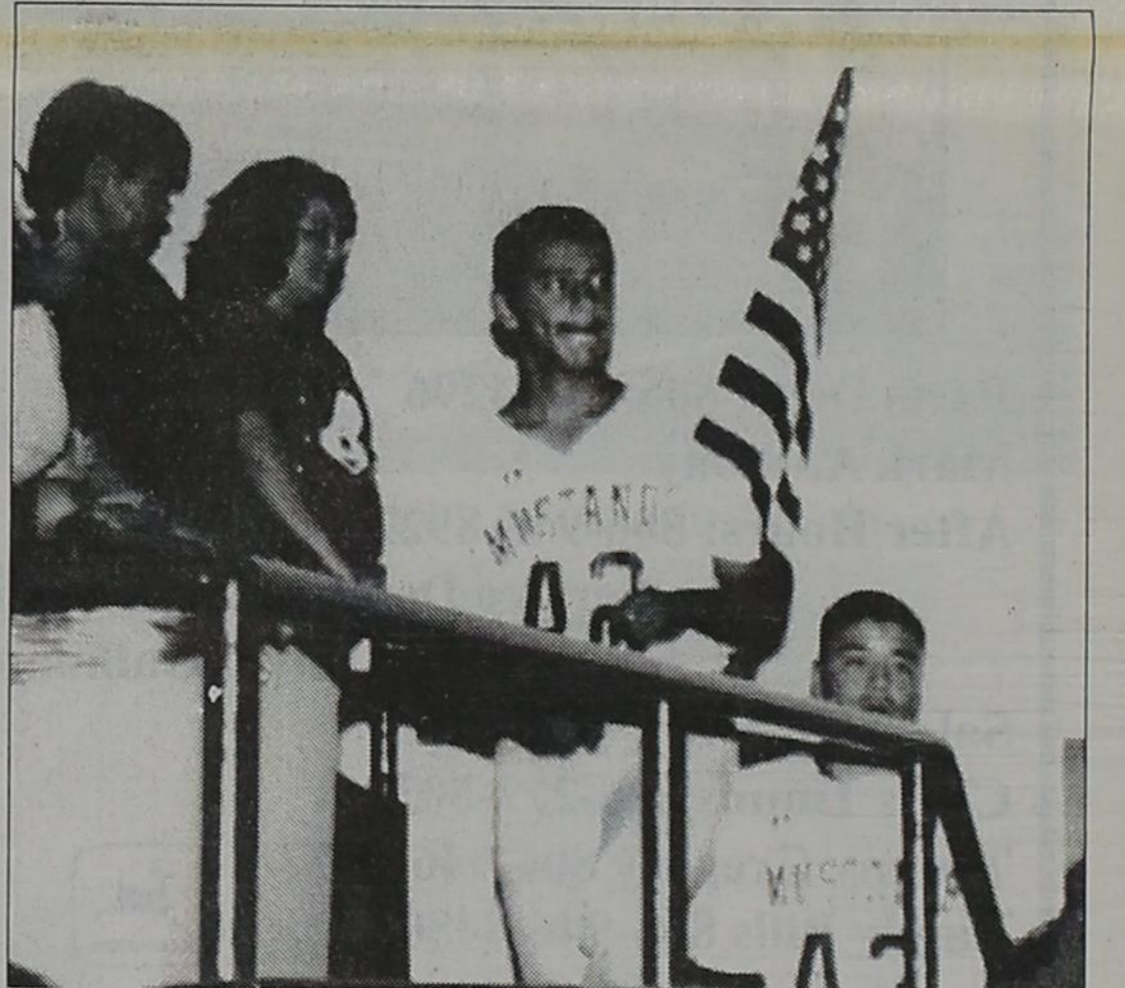
to table the matter.

Those present for the meeting were Mayor Galen Hromas, Aldermen Kevin Hughes, Jessie Stone, Linda Marshall and Kenneth Waters, along with City Manager Ernest Terry and City Secretary Bonnie Scaff.

Blood Drive Set For Tuesday

Coffee Memorial Blood Center in Amarillo will hold a blood drive in Bovina at the Ambulance Building Tuesday, September 25 from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m.

Everyone is encouraged to come out and give blood especially during this critical time in our nation.



PEP RALLY...Nemecio Rodriguez led the Mustang team members into the gym with the American flag at last week's patriotic pep rally.

MY TURN Why Don't "They" Just Play Football?

By Carol Ellis

OUR GUYS vs THEIR GUYS. It has always been so! Aggression is at the core of the human personality. Regrettably, it is our species' dubious distinction to be the only creature on earth that engages in the wholesale slaughter of its own kind.

In the earliest eons, most fighting was for the purpose of establishing territorial rights over a particular piece of land. But in modern-day civilized society, we channel our aggressive tendencies into organized sports. Take the game of football, for instance. . . each team defends its territory and victory can be won without the shedding of blood. Well, maybe a torn ligament here or a broken arm there, but basically, the death of your enemy does not enter into the outcome.

Even some of the private schools are now playing football. I was listening to a round-up of high school football scores last Friday night after the ball game, and heard the commentator make a light-hearted remark about "Holy Wars" while giving the score of a game between Bible Baptist and Plainview Christian. I chuckled.

Then all at once it hit me! Our country is involved in a Holy War right now. . . a Holy War with someone, some religion or other, some faction of whom we are not exactly certain. Whomever these folks may be, one fact shines forth.... they hate us. They want to demoralize and destroy us.

I'm taking the devastation of the World Trade Center very personally, despite the fact that I've never been to New York, never seen the WTC towers, and don't know any of those who lost their lives in the attack. These are my countrymen and when you mess with them, I am affected. I'm dehydrated from a week of crying for all of the families who have lost their loved ones. The individual stories of tragedy and heroism are so heartbreaking. Even old veteran newscasters like Dan Rather have broken down while on the air.

I want to know what did we do to those nut cakes to get them so mad at us. Best I've been able to figure out, it has something to do with religious differences. What! Don't all religions of the world teach peace, kindness, and tolerance to one's fellow man? You mean to tell me, these weirdos are killing off thousands of my fellow American citizens because we don't believe in the same religion, we don't worship in the same kind of church, we don't get down on the ground and stick our butts up in the air and pray to the same God or whatever it is they pray to?

I think everyone should have the right to believe what they want to believe; whatever lifts their spirit and gives them comfort. We are all here on this earth for such a short time; we should spend that time propping each other up instead of tearing each other down.

So terrorism is now a religion? I don't think so. It appears that they are disguising their obsessive, fanatical, soul-consuming hatred of America under a cloak of religious fervor. It is hard for me to understand why so many people of Middle-Eastern descent hate our democracy, our freedom of thought, our religious tolerance. We are collectively known to them as "the Great Satan." Well, there are a few real scumbags in our society, but by and large, we are pretty nice folks when you get to know us.

Here's my message to the Islamic radicals, Muslims, Serbs, PLOs, Taliban, Afghanies, Iraqies, or any others who may be behind all of this turmoil:

"You can never extinguish America's beacon of light and hope for the rest of the world, no matter how many evil deranged idiots you persuade to kill themselves in the attempt. America only grows stronger. God bless America."



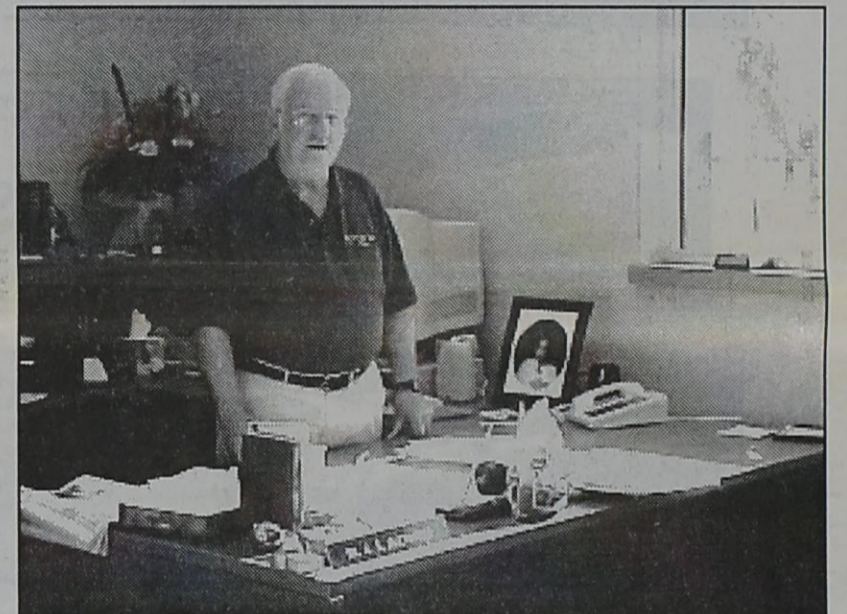
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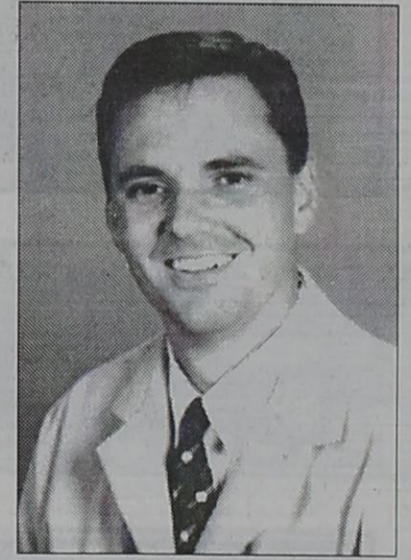
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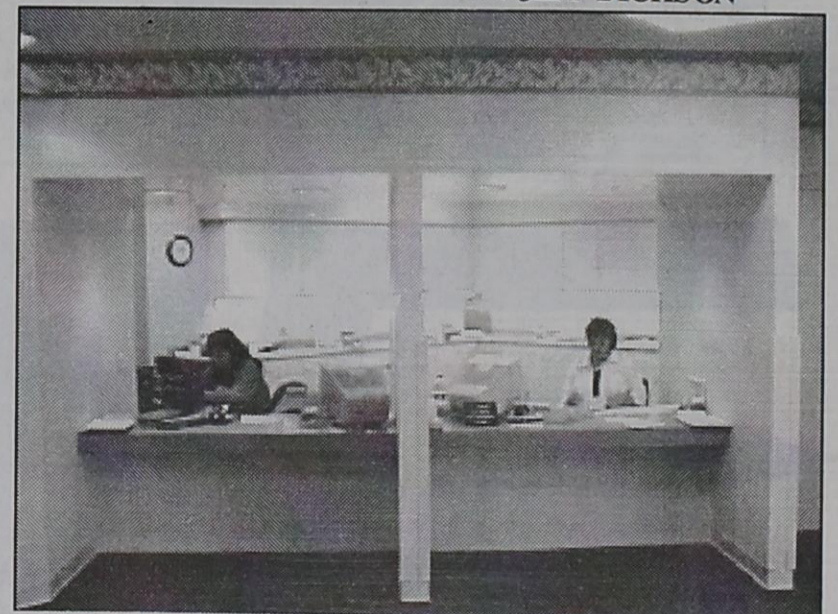
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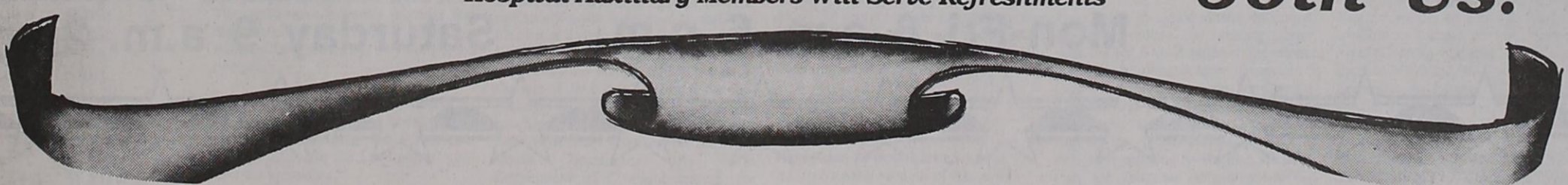
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BOVINA REFLECTIONS

...from the files of The Bovina Blade

45 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 3, 1956
Otis Huggins, representative of Southwestern Public Service Company has announced that stakes to mark the location of Bovina's street lights were driven Thursday of last week.

A tractor belonging to Fred O'Hair caught fire Saturday morning near a butane tank on his farm 5 and one half miles south and one mile east of Bovina, Coach Bob Will's junior high Mustangs ran rough-shod over Lazbuddie juniors Tuesday night at Mustangs Field 45-6.

40 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 4, 1961
Bill Burnam escaped serious injury Wednesday of last week when a train struck his truck while crossing west in Bovina. Burnam had started to cross the tracks from the south when the truck was struck by an east-bound freight. He has been receiving treatment in

Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona since the accident. Damage to the truck was slight considering the nature of the accident.

Burl Spears was winner of \$5 first place money in last week's Bovina Business Cotton Bowl Football Contest. He picked nine of 10 winners missing only a tie game.

35 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 5, 1966
Total deposits at the First State Bank of Bovina at the close of business on September 20, was 1,668,008.82, or almost \$11,000 over the report made last year a month later on October 13.

Over 100 memberships have been sold for the Mustang Booster Club in the drive that began last week.

30 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 6, 1971
Faced with a down market and a bumper crop, area farmers are on the brink of the 1971 milo harvest.

The harvest season has already been delayed two or three weeks by recent rains that have caused the crop not to mature as early as it normally would.

Donnie Grissom was one of eight contestants to pick nine out of 10 games correctly in last week's football contest. Grissom won first place money in his tie-breaker prediction which was closest to the actual score of 17-8.

25 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 6, 1976
Five girls, all seniors, have been chosen to compete for football queen honors. They are Lezli Williams, Susan Heflin, Tamra Rogers, Pam McCormick and Tammy Christian.

Five boys from the Varsity Mustangs team have been chosen to compete for Football Hero honors. Seniors are Tommy Serna, Robert Olvera and Danny Harris. Sophomores are Ruben Salazar and Ronnie Cary.

20 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 7, 1981
The Bovina Mustangs whacked the Lazbuddie Longhorns in last Friday night's routing, 59-0.

Police Chief John Detten termed the St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon a success, after its conclusion on Saturday. With near-perfect weather, 37 riders showed up for the charity ride. Jerry Stone rode the most miles, totaling 36.

Stuart McMeans, son of Mrs. June McMeans of Amarillo and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney of Bovina, received his captains bars in ceremonies held recently in Hawaii. He was also honored by receiving a Bronze Star for his meritorious conduct which avoided a flight disaster last August.

15 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 1, 1986
The Parmer County Commissioners set a lower tax rate Monday. The new county rate is .22452 cents and the new road and bridge fund rate is .07045 cents. Thus, the new overall rate is .29497 cents per \$100 valuation.

Lori Bales was the winner in the fourth week's football contest. She picked fifteen games correctly. Jimmie Cockerham is leading in the overall standing with 52 correct games.

10 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 1, 1991
Mayor Keith Knight signed a proclamation promoting Red Ribbon Week which will be later in October.

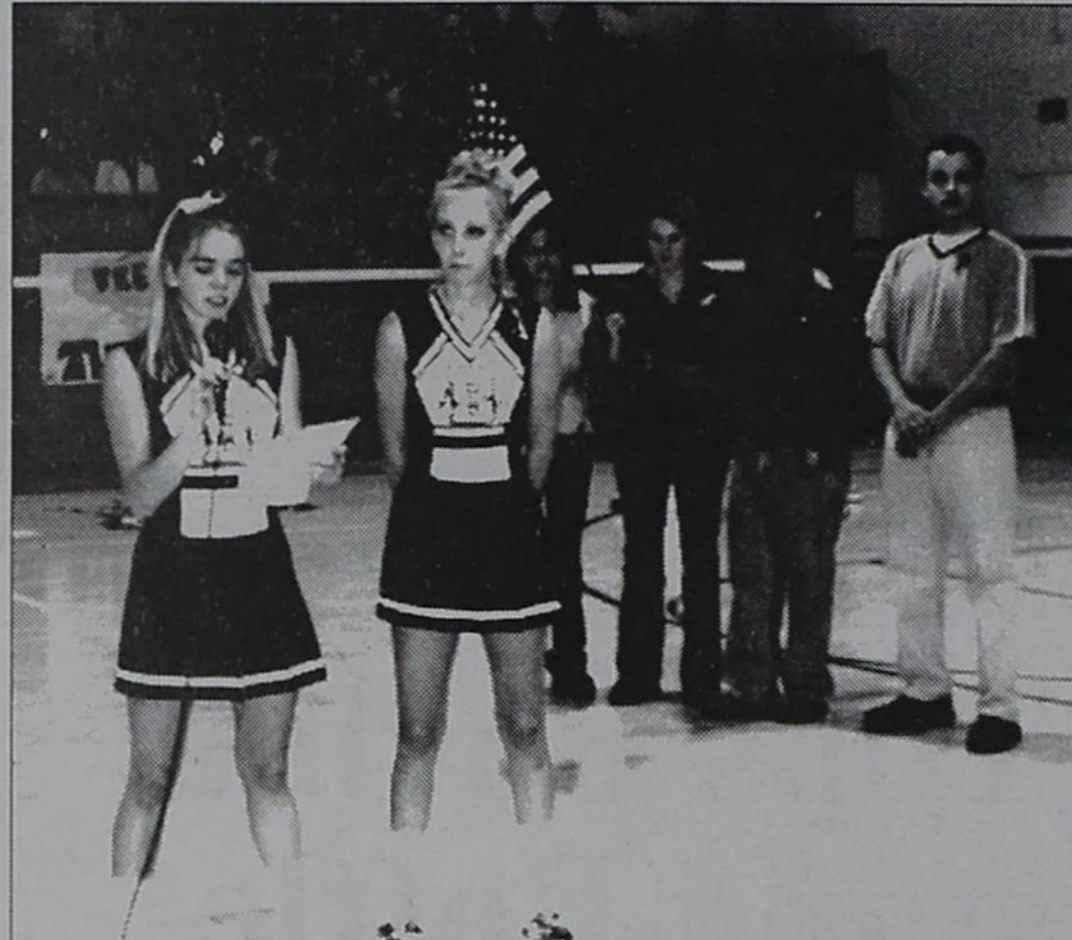
Matt Hromas was the week's winner in the Bovina Blade football contest. Virginia Steele is leading the overall contest standing with 43 total correct games.

5 Yrs. Ago-Oct. 5, 1996
Selected by their peers and crowned during homecoming ceremonies last Friday night were Nora Uriegas and Robert Perez, Queen and King at BHS.

The Smyer Bobcats were no match for the well-oiled Mustangs at last Friday's homecoming game. The Mustangs beat the Bobcats 35-6.



BOVINA PARTICIPATED IN A PATRIOTIC PEP RALLY LAST FRIDAY



PEP RALLY...Cheerleaders Christen Stowers and Kelcey Scroggins, backed up by Student Council members Yuri Vela, Courtney Jamerson, Joaquin Marin, and Danny Martinez.

Homecoming Activities Planned Sept. 21-29

Bovina High School students will take advantage of a September 21 open date to kick off homecoming week activities.

The student council and the Bovina Booster Club will host a tailgate party on Friday, September 21, in the parking lot behind the school.

Hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks and all the fixings will be served. The cost for adults is \$4, children \$3 and high school students \$1.

The tailgate party begins at 5:30 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. It will be followed by a Powder Puff football game hosted by the junior class. The price of the meal includes admission to the game.

The game begins at 7 p.m. and the cost to attend the game only without the meal, is \$1 per person.

Girls will be playing flag football and boys will be the cheerleaders. Each high school class has chosen a Powder Puff Princess candidate who will be taking donations to win the crown.

Other homecoming week

activities include:
MONDAY: Pajama Day, Wear your favorite or most comfortable pajamas.

TUESDAY: Cowboy and Indian Day, Find a partner and let the mustang cowboy rope an Indian.

WEDNESDAY: Celebrity Day, Choose a famous TV/movie celebrity and dress like them.

THURSDAY: Sports/College Game Day, Pick your favorite pro or college sports team and wear clothing representing them.

FRIDAY: Maroon and White Day, Go all out and support the Mustangs by wearing maroon and white. Cheerleaders and student council members will sell press on tattoos in school colors.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to support the kids and boosters for a successful homecoming week, September 21-29.

The Mustangs take on the Sundown Roughnecks in the homecoming game Friday, September 29, at 7:30 p.m. at Mustang Field.

Parmer Co. Plans Tax Increase

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday voted to propose a 3 percent tax increase for county residents.

The proposed rate will be .4309 cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

The tax rate will be adopted and the budget for 2002 will be set at 1:30 p.m. September 24 at the County Courthouse in Farwell.

In other business, the commissioners received one bid for the sale of 2 barns in Friona, in commissioner Kirk Frye's precinct.

David Grimsley bid \$9,280. The bid was rejected as too low.

The Commissioners received a bid from Donald Copley to buy a John Deere bucket and a truck bed. He bid \$25.10 and \$251.77, respectively. His bids were accepted. Both items were from Frye's precinct.

Discussions began on dealing with jail improvements. Money will be set aside in the new budget. A major decision will be whether to expand the jail, or make the necessary federally-mandated changes within the current facility.

The exact site for foreclosure sales was changed from the Courthouse's west door to the south door. The west door is no longer used due to elevator being built.

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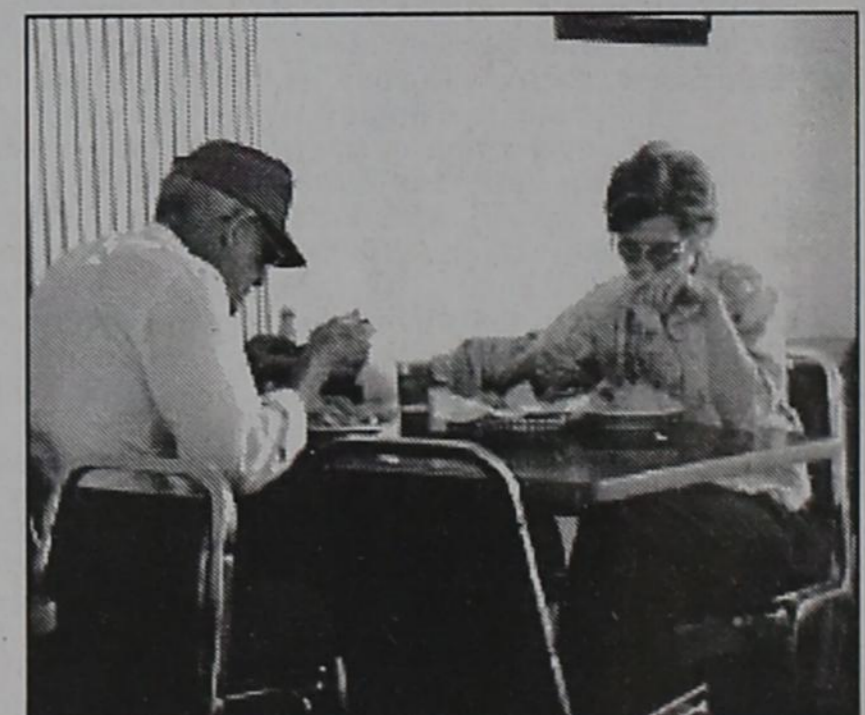
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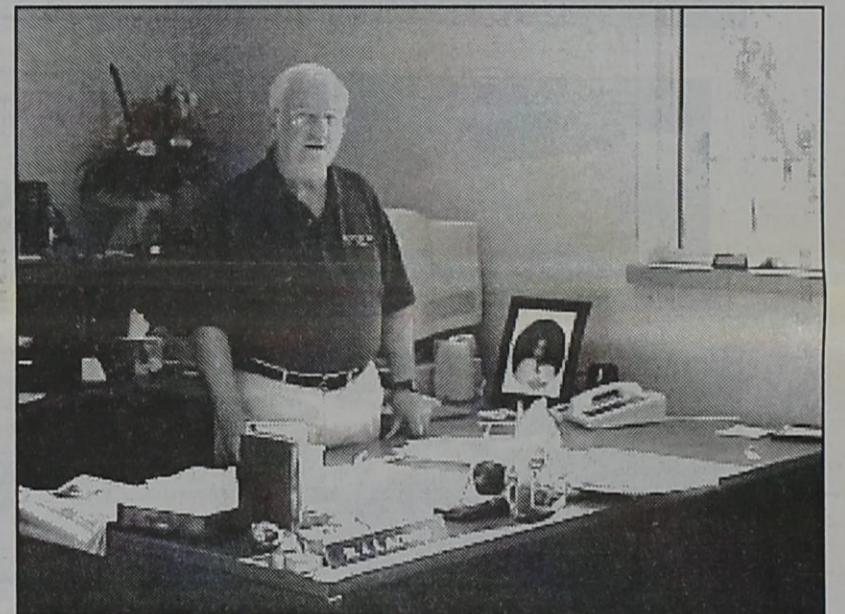
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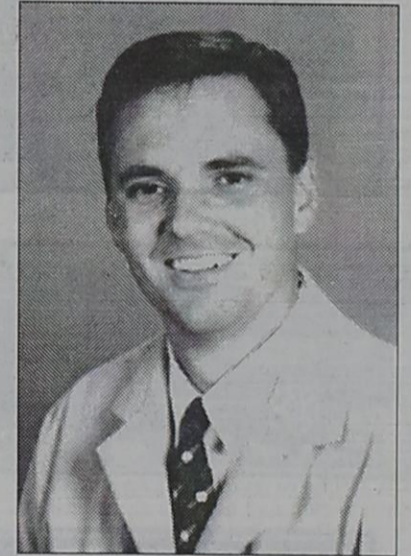
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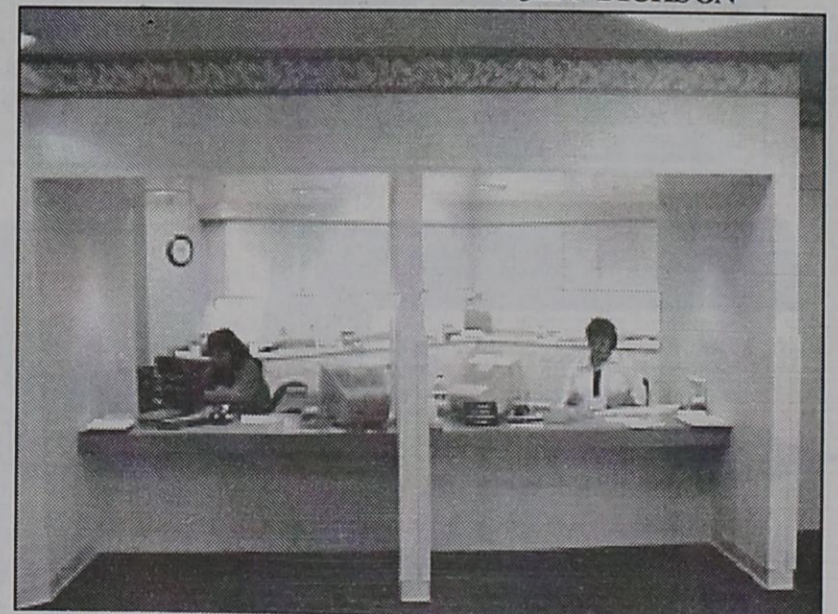
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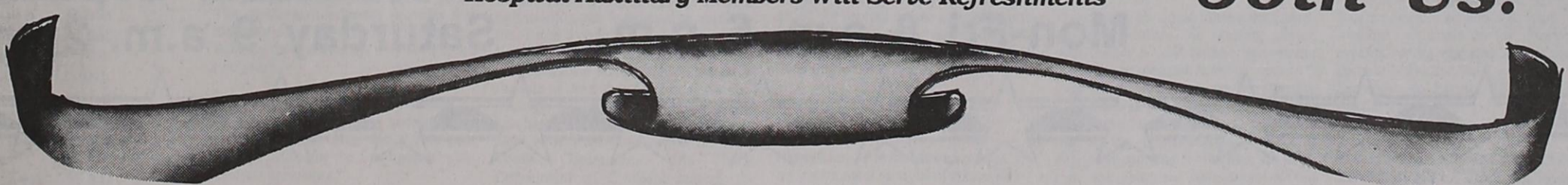
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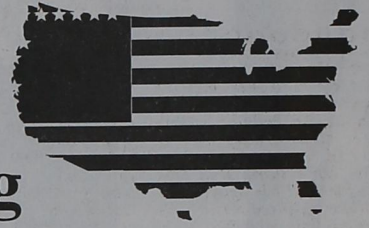




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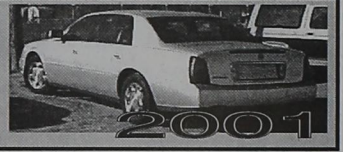


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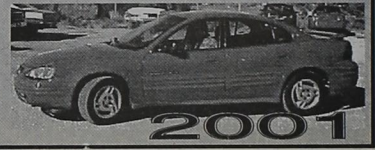


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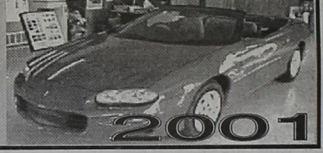


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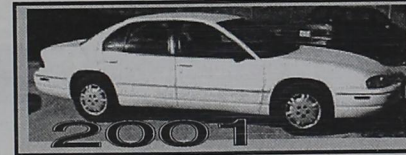
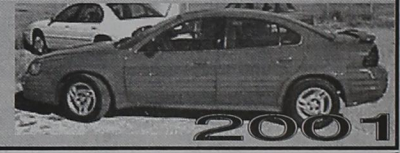


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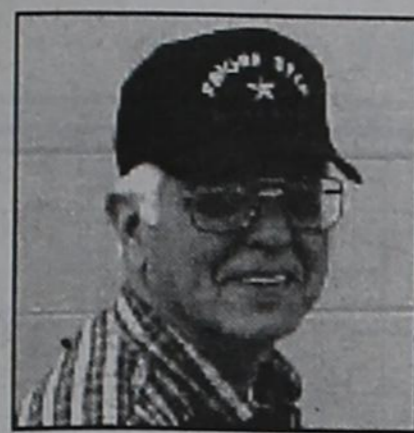


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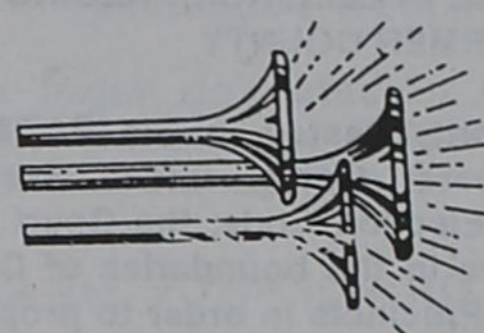
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Out Here

by Ron Carr

From Ground Zero: Day 1



Ron Carr is away this week. He and his mother Hannah Lookingbill are in Lufkin at the bedside of his younger sister Kathy who is gravely ill.

We don't think Ron will mind if we fill his space with the following piece written by a young fellow who is a 1996 graduate of West Point Military Academy. He is a friend of one of Bill's many cousins. He gave permission to reprint his article about his day of volunteer work following the bombing of the World Trade Center Towers in NYC.

Pete Engle: A Volunteer at Ground Zero

I was at work in midtown Manhattan (I'm a trader at a hedge fund) watching the events unfold on CNBC. Upon hearing that trading was to be suspended for the day, my firm emptied out. I decided to head downtown to see if I could volunteer my help.

A huge plume of smoke loomed in the distance as hordes of people briskly made their way past me, away from the demolished financial district and toward home. On the way, many individuals were crowded around windows showing the news, and many bodegas were handing out free water to anyone walking or running past.

At Canal Street, I asked a few police officers where the volunteer point was. I was directed to #1 Lafayette Square, in front of the downtown courthouse. The few blocks between Canal and the designated volunteer site, were absolutely filled with cops, firemen, National Guardsmen, ATF, NTSB and other personnel, as well as hundreds of police cruisers, ambulances, tow trucks, fire vehicles, Humvees, etc.

At this distance, the plume of smoke was huge, black and terrifying, blowing toward the southwest of Manhattan. By now (about 12 noon) drenched with sweat, I arrived at the volunteer site where about 200-300 people were already standing. The organizers asked us to divide into blood donors, ex-military, and medical groups.

I joined the ex-military crowd whose job, "search team," would ostensibly be to locate the survivors and the dead in the blocks around the WTC -- not in the actual building debris. We were given dust masks, designated t-shirts, gloves, tourniquet cords, and bottles of water for the trip into "ground zero" as they had begun calling it. While waiting, the masses of us, except for the blood donors, were given down-and-dirty first aid lessons.

We wound up standing in our groups for several hours, as Air Force jets flew overhead, protecting NYC airspace. It became a little frustrating, as all many of us could think of was that we were losing our windows of opportunity to rescue some of the critically injured in small pockets.

At one point as we waited for transportation into ground zero, the wind shifted and a strong gust of the smoke plume came through #2 Lafayette Square. Everyone, myself included, was wearing their mask around their necks. Far more than a plume of brown cigarette-style smoke or even the nasty stench of an oil fire, this smoke was noxious. My eyes welled up with tears and clamped shut. After that, even though the smoke thankfully didn't come through the volunteer area again, everyone kept their masks on.

The ex-military group, 100+ of us by my hasty count, got on the buses to go into the devastated financial district, at about 3:00 p.m. The leaders of our group, among whom were some police, etc., laid down some ground rules. "If you can't take it, get back on the bus. It's not a test or competition. Do not tell any survivors of the details or casualty estimates. Do not photograph the dead, etc."

I've worked on Wall

Street in the financial district and for a period of time on Broad Street, two blocks from the WTC, since 1996, and so I was almost paralyzed with shock at seeing the alien landscape. In fact, I'd come through the WTC on my way uptown in switching from the PATH train to the 1/9 Uptown subway at 7:00 a.m. that very morning.

Now, the street, sidewalks and vehicles were covered with pulverized concrete, ash, and papers, Excel spreadsheets, brokerage research reports, hand-scribbled Post-It notes, and most heart-rending to me, the occasional photo of wives, husbands, or children that had been taped to someone's computer monitor or sat on their desk for weeks, months, maybe even years.

The ash, dust, and concrete ranged from about one inch deep, four or five blocks away, to what must have been over two feet deep in places. There were bits of office furniture, wheels to rolling chairs, paper catches from printers, etc., scattered around the streets. Flattened vehicles, all four tires flat and with windows devoid of any glass whatsoever, lined the

streets.

Large chunks of concrete, steel, and shards of glass were also scattered throughout what I can only describe as now an entirely unfamiliar, unidentifiable landscape.

We came to stop at the corner of Greenwich and Jay Street, where we were relegated to a courtyard and told to prepare both mentally and physically. We were hydrating and resting in the shade as firefighters, cops, U.S. Marshals, FBI, ATF, National Guard, Marine Corps, etc., were feverishly preparing for renewed attempts to search the rubble for survivors, herding the occasional stunned or hiding straggler into the Red Cross area, and towing destroyed vehicles out of the area.

Just as we were starting the grisly task, at about 5:12 p.m., we heard a loud crunch two or three blocks away from us, as Seven World Trade Center (the building across the street from the towers) collapsed as a result of the heavy damage it had sustained earlier in the day. Because it was a stout, fortress-like building, it fell sideways and several streets

were blocked. Huge clouds of dust kicked up and immediately engineers sought to re-open several routes to the WTC area.

We were sent back to the courtyard, and waited for several more hours until word was passed down that, with the structural integrity of many other local buildings in question, and with the long night of opening blocked streets ahead, we'd be best off returning tomorrow.

I returned the next morning, but was turned back by the NYPD. They'd had thousands of more volunteers come during the night, more than they could use, and were turning folks back to keep the streets clear.

I personally know two people who worked in the WTC; one e-mailed me late Wednesday night to say that he was alright, and the other is, at last I heard, still missing. But I also saw total strangers selflessly loaning cell phones to one another to contact their families; some literally giving the shirts off their backs to workers for bandages; and others of all ages, teenagers and the elderly, bringing personally-owned shovels, flashlights,

canned food, and other items downtown for whoever might need them.

Also the deli owners opened up their bottled water inventories for pedestrians fleeing the city on foot, and so many blood donors that the wait to give was over five hours.

Chalk a few up there for

the brotherhood of mankind, the resilience of America, and reasons why I'm damned proud to be an American and specifically a New Yorker.

God bless America and freedom loving people everywhere.

Peter C. Earle
USMA '96
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Is Number Eleven Unlucky?

We usually think of the number 13 as being unlucky. Perhaps we were wrong, and number 11 was the one. Someone with too much time on their hands put together this work-up on the number 11 and sent it around the internet via e-mail.

The date of the attack on the WTC: 9/11. Of course, you know that 911 is our "distress call" number. 9 + 1 + 1 = 11.

September 11th is the 254th day of the year: 2 + 5 + 4 = 11. After September 11th, there are 111 days left to the end of the year.

119 is the area code to Iraq/Iran: 1 + 1 + 9 = 11. The Twin Towers, standing side by side, looked like the number 11.

The first plane to hit the towers was Flight 11.

There's more...

The state of New York was the 11th state added to the Union.

New York City has 11 letters. Afghanistan has 11 letters. The Pentagon has 11 letters. Ramzi Yousef has 11 letters. (He was the one convicted of orchestrating the attack on the WTC in 1993.)

Flight 11 had 92 people on board: 9 + 2 = 11.

Flight 77 had 65 on board: 6 + 5 = 11.

A note added by Carol:
Guess what! Osama bin Laden has 13 letters.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
Special Election
NOVEMBER 6, 2001

PROPOSITION 1 (HJR 52)

Proposition 1 would amend the constitution to relinquish the state's claim to certain disputed land in Bastrop County. The amendment would confirm legal title to that land, excluding any mineral interests, to the individuals who hold a disputed title to the land. The amendment would prevent a loss of title by people who bought and paid for property that was never transferred by the state because of faulty surveys.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the clearing of land titles by the release of a state claim of its interest to the owners of certain land in Bastrop County."

PROPOSITION 2 (SJR 37)

Proposition 2 would amend the constitution to establish the process for issuing up to \$175 million of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide aid to counties for access road projects to serve border colonias. Generally, a colonia is an economically distressed geographic area with inadequate public services (such as water supplies, sewer services, or paved roads) in a county without adequate resources to provide such services. These projects could include the construction of access roads, the acquisition of materials used in maintaining those roads, and projects related to the construction of those roads, such as road drainage. The Texas Transportation Commission, in consultation with the Governor, would be authorized to determine what constitutes a border colonia for purposes of selecting the counties and projects that would receive assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of state general obligation bonds and notes to provide financial assistance to counties for roadway projects to serve border colonias."

PROPOSITION 3 (SJR 47)

Proposition 3 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt green coffee and raw cocoa held in Harris County from property taxes in order to qualify Harris County as an exchange port for coffee by the New York Board of Trade. The authorization of exemption would not apply to any other county.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation raw cocoa and green coffee that is held in Harris County."

PROPOSITION 4 (HJR 1)

Proposition 4 would amend the constitution by setting the term of the fire fighters' pension commissioner at four years. The constitution currently provides that the duration of all offices not otherwise fixed by the constitution may not exceed two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for a four-year term of office for the fire fighters' pension commissioner."

PROPOSITION 5 (SJR 32)

Proposition 5 would amend the constitution to allow a municipality to donate outdated or surplus equipment, supplies, or other materials used in fighting fires to an underdeveloped country. Current state law does not allow anything of value belonging to the state or its political subdivisions to be donated to another nation.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing municipalities to donate outdated or surplus firefighting equipment or supplies to underdeveloped countries."

PROPOSITION 6 (HJR 45)

Proposition 6 would amend the constitution to require the governor to call a special session of the legislature so that the legislature can appoint presidential electors when the governor determines that it is reasonably likely that the outcome of the election for a presidential candidate's electors will not be clearly determined in time for the appropriate electors to meet before the federal deadline to cast their votes. Under current law, when the people vote for a particular candidate for president, in reality they are voting for that candidate's electors who will meet to cast their votes for president. If the electors are not determined by the certification date, no electoral votes may be cast for the state. The proposed amendment ensures that the state's electoral votes will be cast.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment requiring the governor to call a special session for the appointment of presidential electors under certain circumstances."

PROPOSITION 7 (HJR 82)

Proposition 7 would amend the constitution to authorize the Veterans' Land Board to issue and sell up to \$500 million of additional general obligation bonds to finance additional home mortgage loans to veterans. Additionally, the proposed amendment would authorize the Veterans' Land Board to use assets from the land and housing assistance funds to create, operate, and improve veterans' cemeteries.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Veterans' Land Board to issue up to \$500 million in general obligation bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for veterans' housing assistance and to use assets in certain veterans' land and veterans' housing assistance funds to provide for veterans cemeteries."

PROPOSITION 8 (HJR 97)

Proposition 8 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize the Texas Public Finance Authority to issue and sell up to \$850 million of general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds would pay for construction and repair projects or for the purchase of needed equipment by the General Services Commission, the Texas Youth Commission, the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the

Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, the Parks and Wildlife Department, the adjutant general's department, the Texas School for the Deaf, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Safety, the State Preservation Board, the Texas Department of Health, the Texas Historical Commission, or the Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$850 million in bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for construction and repair projects and for the purchase of needed equipment."

PROPOSITION 9 (HJR 47)

Proposition 9 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to provide for filling vacancies in the legislature without an election if only one person is a qualified candidate in the election to fill the vacancy. Under current law, a special election must be held to fill a vacancy in the legislature even if there is only one qualified candidate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the filling of a vacancy in the legislature without an election if a candidate is running unopposed in an election to fill a vacancy."

PROPOSITION 10 (SJR 6)

Proposition 10 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to exempt certain items of personal property from property taxation by political subdivisions of the state if the property is warehoused temporarily in a location in Texas to be assembled, stored, manufactured, processed, fabricated, or repaired and then forwarded to another location inside or outside Texas. The proposed amendment would authorize a political subdivision that imposes ad valorem taxes, at its option, to tax this type of property after a local public hearing on the matter.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote equal tax treatment for products produced, acquired, and distributed in the State of Texas by authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation tangible personal property held at certain locations only temporarily for assembling, manufacturing, processing, or other commercial purposes."

PROPOSITION 11 (HJR 85)

Proposition 11 would amend the constitution to allow a schoolteacher, a retired schoolteacher, or a retired school administrator who serves as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district, including a water district, to receive compensation for serving on such a governing body. Currently, state employees or other individuals who are compensated directly or indirectly from state funds are barred from receiving a salary for such service.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to allow current and retired public school teachers and retired public school administrators to receive compensation for serving on the governing bodies of school districts, cities, towns, or other local governmental districts, including water districts."

PROPOSITION 12 (HJR 75)

Proposition 12 would amend, repeal, or relocate several sections of the current

constitution to improve the clarity, organization, and consistency of the constitution.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate obsolete, archaic, redundant, and unnecessary provisions and to clarify, update, and harmonize certain provisions of the Texas Constitution."

PROPOSITION 13 (SJR 2)

Proposition 13 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a board of trustees of an independent school district to donate real property and improvements formerly used as a school campus in order to preserve that property. The board may make the donation if the board determines that the property has historical significance, that the donation will help to preserve the property, and that the school district no longer needs the property for educational purposes.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to authorize the board of trustees of an independent school district to donate certain surplus district property of historical significance in order to preserve the property."

PROPOSITION 14 (HJR 44)

Proposition 14 would amend the constitution to allow the legislature to authorize a taxing unit, other than a school district, to exempt travel trailers from property taxation as long as the travel trailers are lawfully registered with the state and are not held or used for the production of income.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to authorize taxing units other than school districts to exempt from ad valorem taxation travel trailers that are not held or used for the production of income."

PROPOSITION 15 (SJR 16)

Proposition 15 would amend the constitution to create the Texas Mobility Fund, which would be administered by the Texas Transportation Commission. The Fund would finance the construction, acquisition, and expansion of state highways and would pay a portion of the costs of public toll roads and other public transportation projects. The legislature may reserve specific sources of state revenue for the Fund and may authorize the Commission to guarantee the payment of any obligations or credit agreements with the full faith and credit of the state. The attorney general shall determine the legality of any such obligations or credit agreements.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment creating the Texas Mobility Fund and authorizing grants and loans of money and issuance of obligations for financing the construction, reconstruction, acquisition, operation, and expansion of state highways, turnpikes, toll roads, toll bridges, and other mobility projects."

PROPOSITION 16 (HJR 5)

Proposition 16 would amend the constitution to reduce the waiting period required for a valid home improvement lien on a homestead from 12 days to 5 days. Currently, a lien may not attach to a homestead for a home improvement loan if the homeowner executed a contract for the improvements less than 12 days after applying for the loan. In addition, the proposed amendment would

authorize the conversion and refinancing of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on a homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment prescribing requirements for imposing a lien for work and material used in the construction, repair, or renovation of improvements on residential homestead property and including the conversion and refinancing of a personal property lien secured by a manufactured home to a lien on real property as a debt on homestead property protected from a forced sale."

PROPOSITION 17 (HJR 53)

Proposition 17 would amend the constitution to allow the state to relinquish claim to certain state land and to clear title defects for persons who claim title to those lands. The proposed amendment would apply to land whose owners have disputed title to the land, but for which no patent from the state, giving clear title to the land, was ever issued. Among other requirements, all of the taxes due on the land must have been paid. Under current law, there is no procedure allowing the state to settle title disputes without a constitutional amendment for each piece of land in dispute.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to settle land title disputes between the state and a private party."

PROPOSITION 18 (SJR 49)

Proposition 18 would amend the constitution to authorize the legislature to create a program to consolidate and standardize the collection, deposit, reporting, and payment of criminal and civil court fees. If the legislature creates such a program, any new fees imposed by the legislature will not take effect before January 1 of the following year, unless an earlier effective date is approved by a vote of two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to promote uniformity in the collection, deposit, reporting, and remitting of civil and criminal fees."

PROPOSITION 19 (HJR 81)

Proposition 19 would amend the constitution to allow the Texas Water Development Board to issue up to \$2 billion of additional general obligation bonds. The Board issues bonds to pay for water supply projects, water quality enhancement projects, flood control projects, state participation in water and wastewater facilities, and projects for economically distressed areas. Current law limits the amount of bonds that the Board can issue.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board in an amount not to exceed \$2 billion."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 6 de noviembre de 2001. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 or por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, TX 78711.

PUBLISHED BY SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY CUELLAR, Ph.D.

**NOTICE OF CHANGE IN ELECTION PRECINCTS
IN PARMER COUNTY**

Pursuant to authority vested in the PARMER County Commissioners' Court, under Section 42.035 of the Texas Election Code, the Court has made certain changes in the boundaries of Commissioners' Election Precincts in order to properly perfect a new redistricting plan for the County.

The new redistricting plan and the changes in the Election Precinct Boundaries were adopted at a Special meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the 29th day of August, 2001.

Therefore, pursuant to the mandatory duty imposed upon the Commissioners' Court, pursuant to the Texas Election Code, to-wit:

(1) In future elections, there will be 9 Election Precincts plus the early voting box.

(2) These Election Precincts will be defined as shown by Exhibit A and the polling boxes in each precinct will be as follows:

VOTING BOX NO. 101

This polling place remains at the Calvary Baptist Church, 1500 Cleveland, Friona, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 201

The polling place remains at the Bovina EMS Building, 109 3rd Street, Bovina, Texas

VOTING BOX NO. 202

The polling place remains at the Friona Community Center, 601 W. 15th Street, Friona, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 203

The polling place remains at Rhea Community Center, 307 FM 2013, Rhea, Parmer County, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 301

The polling place remains at Farwell Community Center, 207 9th Street, Farwell, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 302

This polling place remains at the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church, 645 FM 1731, Parmer County, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 303

This polling place remains at Bovina Ridgelea School, 1000 Hwy. 86, Bovina, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 401

This polling place remains at the Lazbuddie School, 673 FM 1172, Lazbuddie, Texas.

VOTING BOX NO. 402

This polling place remains at the Friona Fire Station, 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas.

(3) These Election Precinct Boundaries will become effective upon approval by the United States Department of Justice, pursuant to Section Five (5) of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended in 1975.

Anyone desiring to read the resolution adopting these Election Precinct changes or the specific census block descriptions may do so by contacting the County Judge's Office during regular business hours of the Court at the PARMER County Courthouse, Farwell, Texas, First Floor, 806-481-3383.

CERTIFICATION

I, Bonnie Clayton, County Judge, PARMER County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the notice of Change in Election Precincts adopted by the Commissioners' Court on the 29th day of August, 2001, at 4:00 p.m.

**NOTIFICACION DE CAMBIOS EN LOS
DISTRITOS ELECTORALES DEL
CONDADO DE PARMER**

Segun la autoridad conferida a la Corte del Comisionado del Condado de PARMER y bajo la Seccion 42.035 delCodigo Electoral de Texas, la Corte procedio a realizar algunos cambios relacionados con los limites de los Distritos Electorales del Comisionado, con el fin de perfeccionar apropiadamente un plan nuevo de reestructuracion de los distritos del Condado.

El plan nuevo de re-estructuracion y los cambios relacionados con los limites de los Distritos Electorales fueron aprobados durante una reunion Especial del Comisionado de la Corte llevada a cabo el 29 de Agosto, 2001.

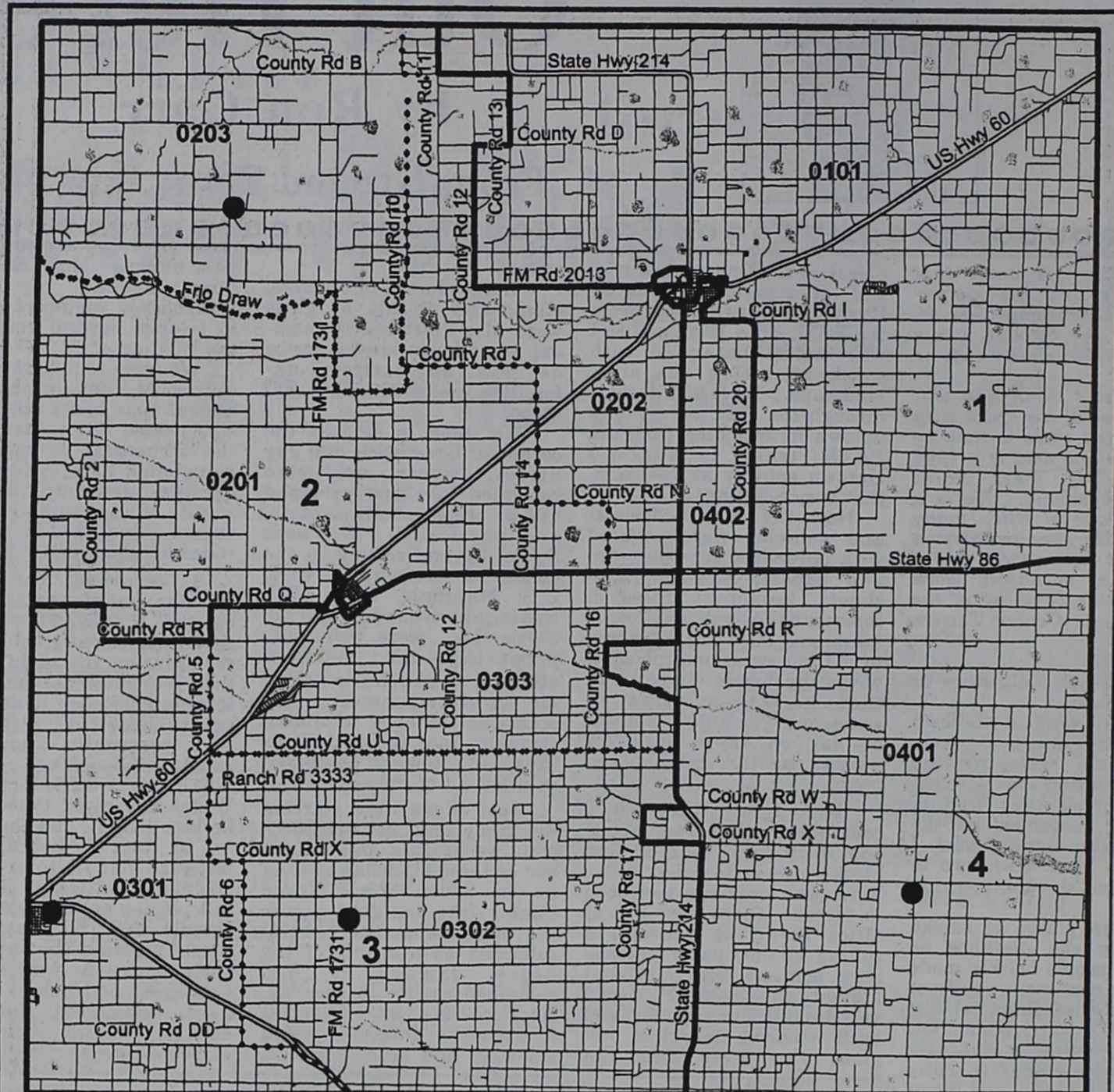
Por lo tanto, segun el deber obligatorio impuesto sobre la Corte del Comisionado y segun lo establecido en elCodigo de Elecciones de Texas, a saber:

- (1) En las elecciones futuras, habre 9 Distritos Electorales mas una estacion de votacion para botar temprano.
- (2) Esos Distritos Electorales seran definidos como esta senalado en la Exhibicion A y las cajas de votacion en cada uno de los Distritos Electorales seran de la siguiente manera:

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 101

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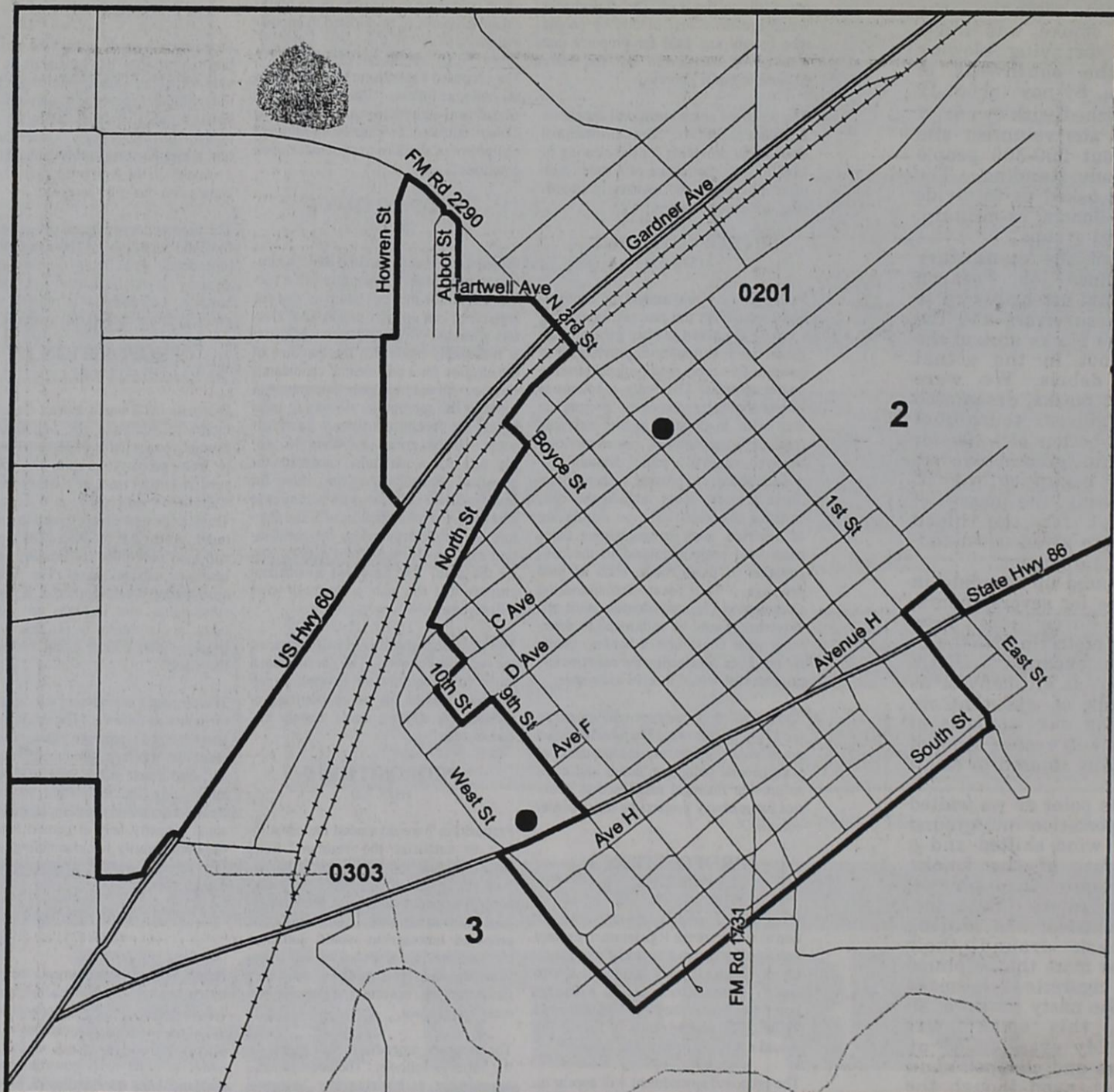
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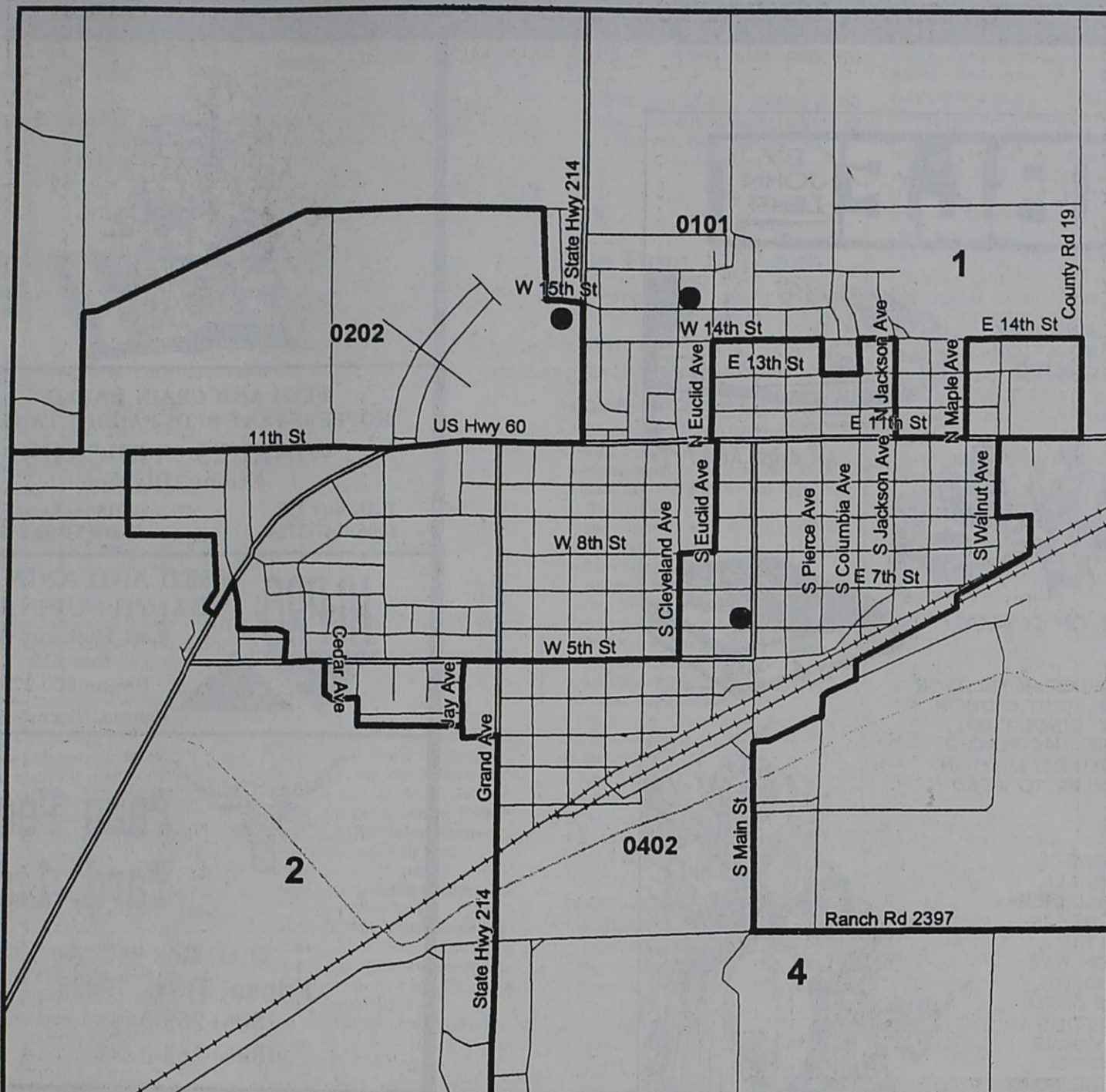


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NOTIFICACION.....

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Este lugar de votacion permanece en la Iglesia Batista del Calvario, ubicada en el 1500 Cleveland, Friona, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 201

Este lugar de votacion permanece en el Edificio de EMS Bovina, ubicado en el 109 3er. Street, Bovina, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 202

Este lugar de votacion permanece en el Centro de la Comunidad de Friona, ubicado en el 601 West 15th, Friona, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 203

Este lugar de votacion permanece en el Centro de la Comunidad de Rhea, ubicado en el 307 FM 2013, Rhea, Condado de Parmer, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 301

Este lugar de votacion permanece en el Centro de la Comunidad de Farwell, ubicado en el 207, 9th Street, Farwell, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 302

Este lugar de votacion permanece en La Iglesia Metodista Oklahoma Lane, ubicado en el 645 FM 1731, Condado de Parmer, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 303

Este lugar de votacion permanece en la Escuela de Bovina Ridgelea, ubicado en el 1000 Hwy. 86, Bovina, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 401

Este lugar de votacion permanece en la Escuela de Lazbuddie, ubicada en el 673 FM 1172, Lazbuddie, Texas.

CAJA DE VOTACION NO. 402

Este lugar de votacion permanece en la Estacion de Bomberos de Friona, ubicada en el 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas.

(3) Esos limites de los Distritos Electorales comenzaran a ser efectivos una ves que hayan sido aprobados por el Departamento de Justicia De los estados

Unidos, segun lo establecido en la Seccion Cinco (5) de la Ley de Derechos al Voto del ano 1965 y modificados o enmendados en el ano 1975.

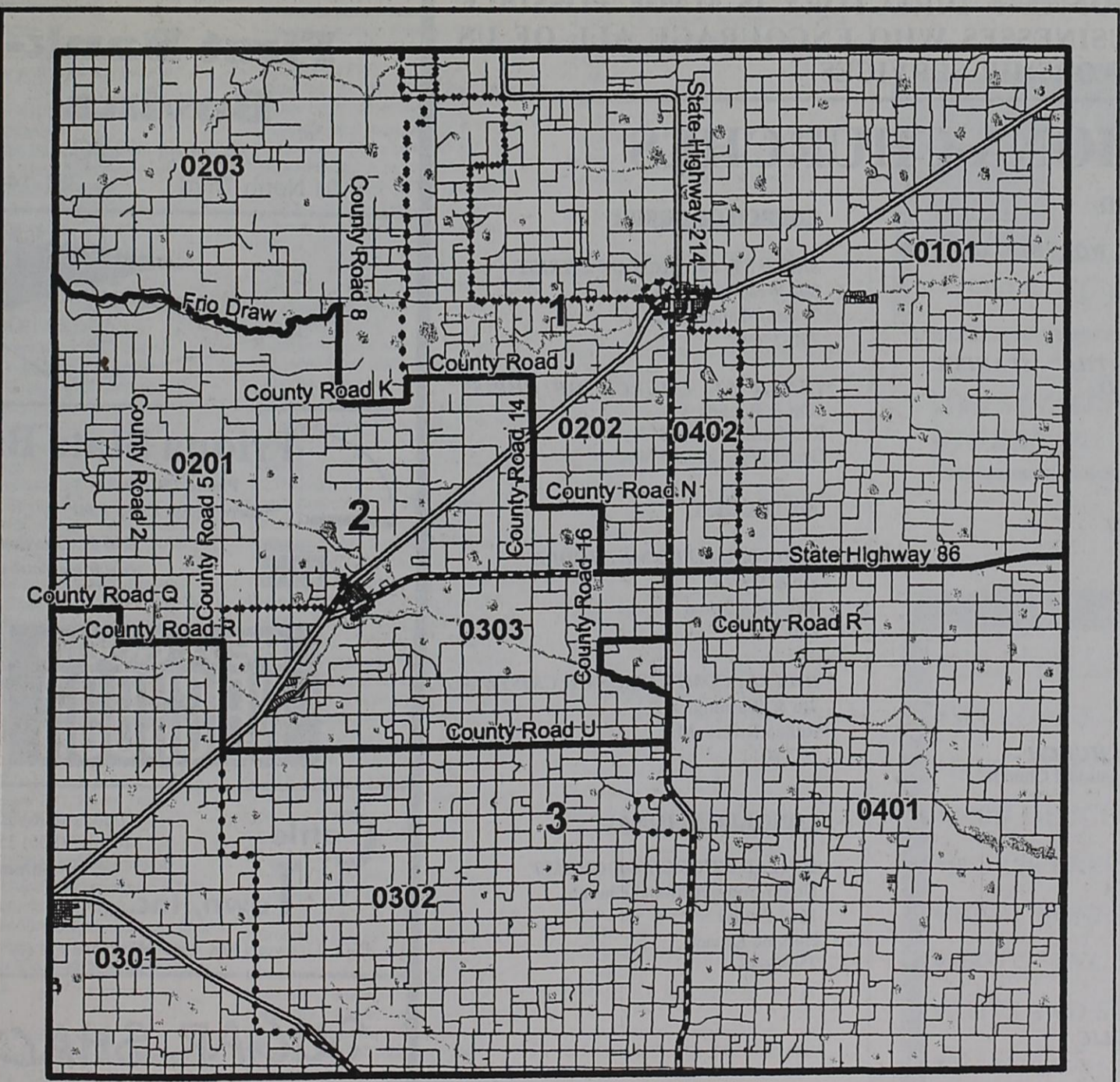
Cualquier persona que desee leer el texto de la resolucion en el cual se aprobaron esos cambios en los limites de los Distritos Electorales o de las descripciones especificas de los bl oques del censo, puede hacerlo siempre y cuando se ponga en contacto con la Oficina del Juez del Condado, durante las horas regulares de trabajo de la Corte ubicado en el Primer Piso, del Palacio de Justicia del Condado de Parmer, Farwell, Texas. Telefono (806) 481-3383.

CERTIFICACION

Yo, Bonnie Clayton, Juez del Condado, Condado de PARMER, Texas, por la presente certifico que la informacion previamente mencionada es correcta y es copia fiel de la notificacion de Cambios en los Distritos Electorales aprobada por la Corte del Comisionado el dia 29 de Agosto, 2001 a las 00 A.M.

Juez del Condado, Bonnie Clayton

Condado de Parmer, Texas




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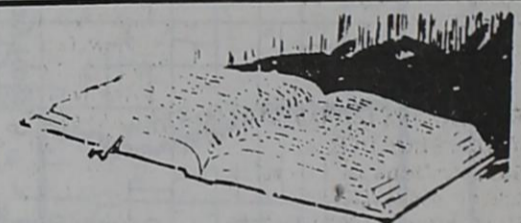
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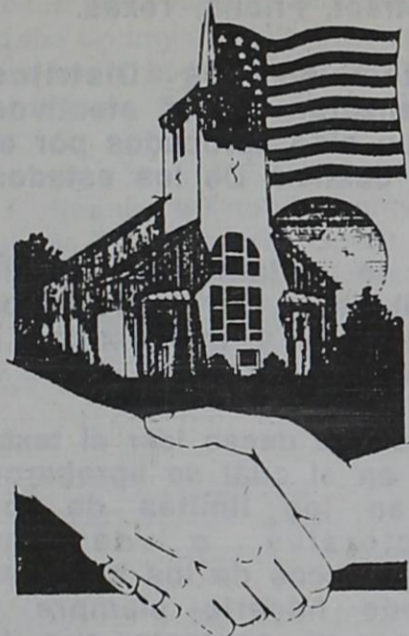
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Afghani-American Gives Different Perspective

The following was written by Tamim Ansary, an Afghani-American writer, who gives his "take" on the mess we are in.

I've been hearing a lot of talk about "bombing

Afghanistan back to the Stone Age."

Ronn Owens, on KGO Talk Radio, today allowed that this would mean killing innocent people, people who had nothing to do with this

atrocities, but "we're at war, we have to accept collateral damage. What else can we do?"

Minutes later I heard some TV pundit discussing whether we "have the belly to do

what must be done."

And I thought about the issues being raised especially hard because I am from Afghanistan, and even though I've lived here for 35 years I've never lost track of what's going on there. So I want to tell anyone who will listen how it looks from where I'm standing.

I speak as one who hates the Taliban and Osama Bin Laden. There is no doubt in my mind that these people were responsible for the atrocity in New York. I agree that something must be done about those monsters.

But the Taliban and Ben Laden are not Afghani. They're not even the government of Afghanistan. The Taliban are a cult of ignorant psychotics who took over Afghanistan in 1997.

Bin Laden is a political criminal with a plan. When you think Taliban, think Nazis. When you think Bin Laden, think Hitler. And when you think "the people of Afghanistan" think "the Jews in the concentration camps."

It's not only that the Afghan people had nothing to do with this atrocity. They were the first victims of the perpetrators. They would exult if someone would come in there, take out the Taliban and clear out the rats nest of international thugs holed up in their country.

Some say, why don't the Afghans rise up and overthrow the Taliban? The answer is, they've starved, exhausted, hurt, incapacitated, suffering.

A few years ago, the United Nations estimated that there are 500,000 disabled orphans in Afghanistan—a country with no economy, no food. There are millions of widows. And the Taliban has been burying these widows alive in mass graves.

The soil is littered with land mines, the farms were all destroyed by the Soviets.

These are a few of the reasons why the Afghan people have not overthrown the Taliban.

We come now to the question of "bombing Afghanistan back to the Stone Age." Trouble is, that's been done. The Soviets took care if it already.

Make the Afghans suffer? They're already suffering. Level their houses? Done. Turn their schools into piles of rubble? Done. Eradicate their hospitals? Done. Destroy their infrastructure? Cut them off from medicine and health care? Too late. Someone already did all that.

New bombs would only stir the rubble of earlier bombs. Would they at least get the Taliban? Not likely. In today's Afghanistan, only the Taliban eat, only they have the means to move around. They'd slip away and hide.

Maybe the bombs would get some of those disabled orphans, they don't move too fast, they don't even have wheelchairs.

But flying over Kabul and dropping bombs wouldn't really be a strike against the criminals who did this horrific thing. Actually, it would only be making common cause with the Taliban—by raping once again the people they've been rapist all this time.

So what else is there? What can be done, then? Let me now speak with true fear and trembling. The only way to get Bin Laden is to go in there with ground troops. When people speak of "having the belly to do what needs to be done," they're thinking in terms of having the belly to kill as many as needed.

Having the belly to overcome any moral qualms about killing innocent people. Let's pull our heads out of the sand.

What's on the table is Americans dying. And not just because some Americans would die fighting their way through Afghanistan to Bin Laden's hideout. It's much bigger than that, folks.

Because to get any troops to Afghanistan, we'd have to go through Pakistan. Would they let us? Not likely. The conquest of Pakistan

would have to be first. Will other Muslim nations just stand by? You see where I'm going. We're flirting with a world war between Islam and the West.

And guess what: that's Bin Laden's program. That's exactly what he wants. That's why he did this. Read his speeches and statements. It's all right there. He really believes Islam would beat the West.

It might seem ridiculous, but he figures if he can polarize the world into Islam and the West, he's got a billion soldiers. If the West wrecks a holocaust in those lands, that's a billion people with nothing left to lose, that's even better from Bin Laden's point of view.

He's probably wrong--In the end, the West would win, whatever that would mean, but the war would last for years, and millions would die, not just theirs, but ours.

Who has the belly for that? Bin Laden does. Anyone else?

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Sixth St. Church of Christ is collecting clothes for Medina Children's Home. If you have clothes that you would like to discard, regardless of size or condition, please bring them to Sixth St. Church of Christ.
 F-tfnc-8/3

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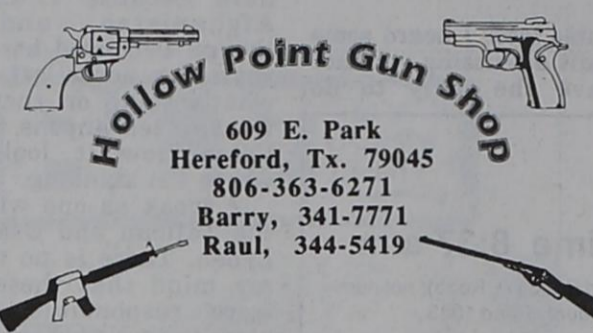
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 Now accepting applications for production positions at Hi-Pro Feeds. Company insurance, 401k, paid holidays. Must pass drug screening. Apply in person at Hi-Pro Feeds. F&B-tfnc-8/10

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Lois Weatherly, Deceased, were issued on September 18, 2001, in Cause No. 2490, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: William Weatherly.

The residence of the Independent Executrix is Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas; the post office address is:
 c/o: Byron J. Boyd
 Attorney at Law
 P.O. Box 398
 Friona, Texas 79035

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 18th day of September, 2001.
 BYRON J. BOYD, P.C.
 ATTORNEY AT LAW
 P.O. BOX 398
 FRIONA, TEXAS 79035
 TELEPHONE: 806/250-2716
 FAX: 806/250-3695

By:
 Byron J. Boyd
 Attorney for the Estate
 State Bar No.: 02763900
 F-1tc-9/21

OPENING IN Parmer County for a Title 5 position. We can train you for your position. Green Thumb organization pays the wages. Must be 55 years old or older, and have limited income. Call Fay Martin at 505 763-6603. F&B-tfnc

Sitter needed to care for elderly lady occasionally. Light housekeeping required and some transportation. Good pay. Call 251-1229 and leave references and phone number. B-4tc-9/7-9/14-9/21-9/28

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 NEW LISTING--3 bdr., 2-1/2 bath, fireplace, lg. lot on corner.....\$85,000
 NEW LISTING--MUST SEE 4 bdr./2-1/2 bath, remodeled kitchen & baths, sprinkler, patio, fireplace, lots of extras.....\$92,000
PRICE REDUCED--3 bdr./1-1/2 baths, corner lot, very nice.....\$55,000
 NEW LISTING--3 bdr., 2 bath brick, central heat and air.....\$60,000
 NEW LISTING--House w/2 apts. Great for rent property.....\$45,000
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 4 BR, 3 baths, large lot, beautiful landscape.....\$200,000

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 Bovina ISD is accepting bids for the purchase of a school bus. For specifications contact Charles Teague, Director of Transportation, at (806) 251-1199. The last day to submit bids is October 3, 2001. Bids should be submitted to:
 Michael Downes, Supt.
 Bovina ISD
 P.O. Box 70
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Bovina ISD reserves the right to accept or reject all bids in part or as a whole.
 B-2tc-9/21-9/28

Card of Thanks
 I would like to thank everyone for their 'phone calls, cards and prayers during my hospital stay recently.
 I appreciate every act of kindness and thoughts on my behalf.
 Hugh Moseley

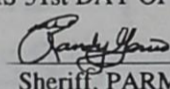
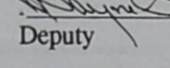
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
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 COUNTY OF PARMER

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of PARMER County in the following cases on the 29th day of August, 2001, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:30 A.M. on the 2ND DAY OF OCTOBER, 2001, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said PARMER County, in the City of FARWELL, Texas, the following described property located in PARMER County, to-wit:

Cause No. 8607 FRIONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS RIOS ISABELL
 Lot 5, in Block 19, of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

Levied on the 31st day of August, 2001, as the property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of FRIONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, PARMER COUNTY, CITY OF FRIONA AND PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 31st DAY OF AUGUST, 2001.

 Sheriff, PARMER County, Texas

 Deputy
 F-3tc-9/14-9/21-9/28

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 NEW LISTING...3 BR, 1 bath, 2 carport, trees, lg. lot., Bovina...\$37,900
 3 BR, 1-3/4 BA, brick, large lot, 2 family areas, fenced. .SOLD...\$54,900
 2 BR, 1 bath, c/p, brick, near HS, good location, corner lot.....\$43,900
 Upstairs & downstairs apartment complex...Reduced...\$23,900, \$21,900
 4 BR, 2-3/4 baths, 2 storages with garage, corner lot.....SOLD...\$85,000
 2 BR, 3 BA, stucco, RV storage, Bovina...Reduced...\$49,900, \$45,000
 2 BR, 2 baths, metal siding, double carport.....SOLD...\$39,500
 2 BR, 1 bath, cute home, good neighborhood.....\$33,000
 2 BR, 1 bath, fireplace, fenced, good street.....\$27,900
 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car, brick, with metal, moving.....\$55,000
 2 BR, 1 bath, newly re-done and nice.....\$27,000
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 Commercial building, app. 2400', ready to move in.....\$25,000
 2 BR, 1 bath, newly redone, corner lot, fenced.....SOLD...\$25,000
 188 acres, excellent water, flat, 1 well, 1200' tile.....\$188,000
 Country home with acreage, near Clay's Corner.....\$39,900
 3 BR, 1 bath, central heat, cellar, fenced rear yard.....SOLD...\$33,900
 3 BR, 2 bath, brick, basement, with metal shop.....\$85,000
 3 BR, 2-3/4 baths, 2 car, 2 living + eff. apt.....SOLD...\$79,900
 Office bldg., brick, new heat/air, 1600 sq. ft., 2--1/2 BA, corner...\$33,900
 2 BR, 1-3/4 baths, 2 car garage, refrigerated A/C.....\$60,000
 3 BR, 1 bath, HUD, fireplace, lg. storage.....SOLD...\$32,000
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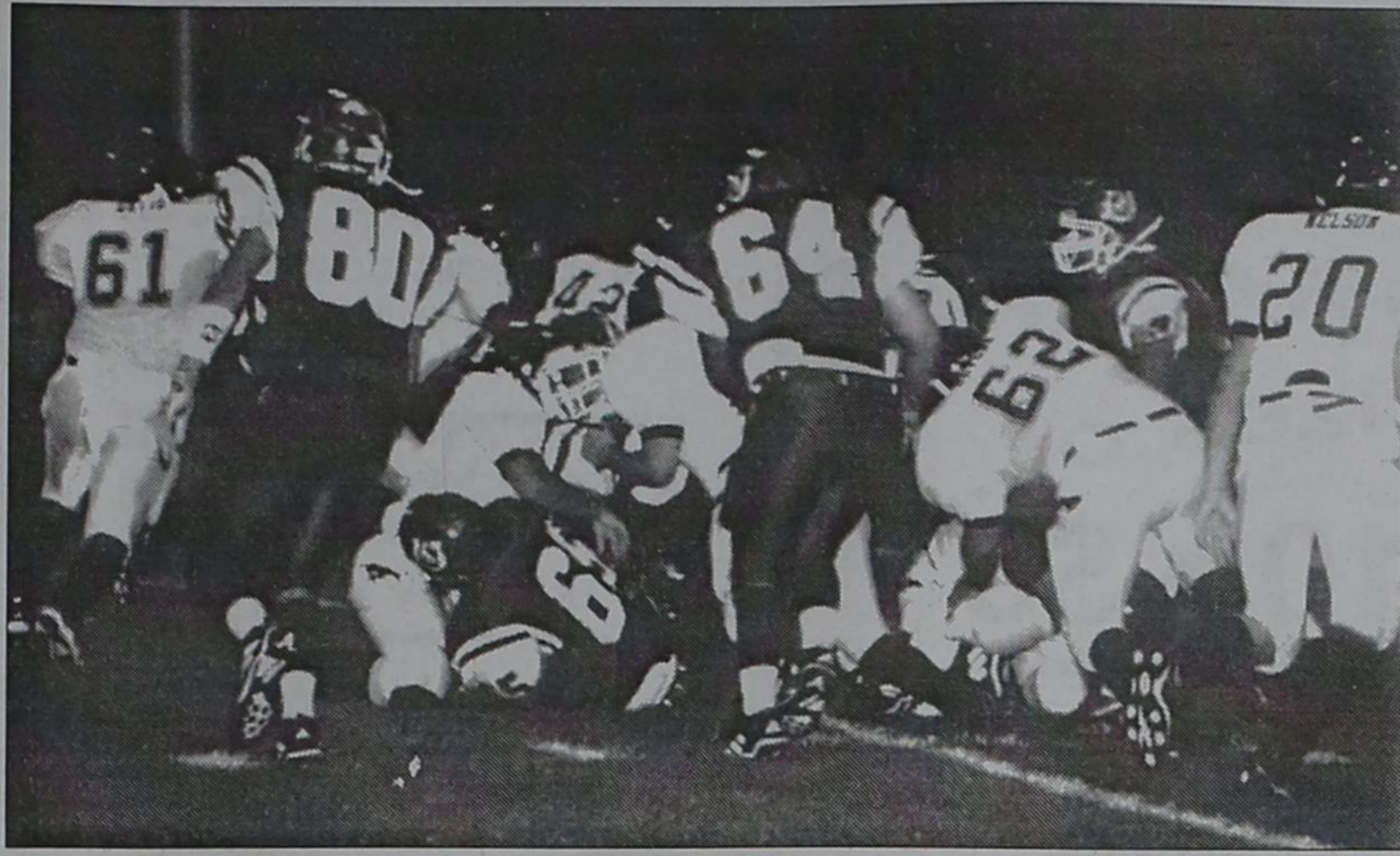
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INTENSE ACTION....The Bovina Mustangs are shown exhibiting strong defense against Olton last Friday night.



CHISOM CARRIES....Jonathan Chisom #40 is shown carrying the ball with protection from David DeLaRosa #3 in last Friday's action with Olton.

Parmer County SWCD Sets Director Election

The election for a Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation Board director has been set for Wednesday, October 3 at 8:30 a.m. at Wilbur-Ellis Co. at Clay's Corner.

Mike Miller has held a position on the board representing Zone 5 for eighteen years, and plans to run again this year.

Please feel free to support your Conservation District by stopping by and casting your vote on October 3.

The following are eligibility rules for voting and candidacy:

State law decrees that to be eligible to vote in a Soil and Water Conservation District director election, a person must own agricultural land within the district where the election is being held. The person must also live in a county all or part of which is in the district and the voter must be eighteen years of age or older.

Legal qualifications state that a candidate for the office of a Soil and Water Conservation District must own land in the subdivision he or she represents, be eighteen years of age or older and be actively engaged in farming or ranching. The candidate must also live in a county all or part of which is in the district. Soil and Water Conservation directors serve four year terms of office. Zone 5 includes all land in the Lazbuddie School District.

Current members of the board of directors of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District are M.C. Osborn, chairman; Mike Beauchamp, vice chairman; Kevin Welch,

secretary; Todd Christian, member; and Mike Miller, member.

The purpose of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District with headquarters in Friona is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on agricultural lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers, ranchers and local community entities on conservation matters.

The district board of directors coordinate the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations. The district has the authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

All conservation programs managed by the district are of a voluntary nature to the landowner of operator or other potential users of the S.W.C.D.'s programs.

Happy Birthday Bovina

Birthdays for the week of September 23-29, 2001.

Sep 24 Jaime Fuentes, Steve Guest and Corbin Holman

Sep 26 Jessica Stowers, Mearle Morgan

Sep 27 Jason Kerby and Derrick Vanegas

Sep 28 Sunny Moore

Sep 29 Barbara Cockerham, Suzan Hughes and Stephanie Wines

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Carsons Give Report On Their Yellowstone Horseback Adventure

The Carson family went to Yellowstone National Park in August to ride horses and camp. Riders were M.H., Galen and his children, Michael and Kristen, all of Bovina; Gary and Barbara of Pequot Lakes, Minnesota and Gary's daughter Erin and Kristen's friend Jessie Hillis of Lubbock.

Monday August 13 Gary contacted Galen and his crew and said he and Barbara were broken down in Chugwater.

Galen and his crew got supplies at Cody. They started off going into the wilderness at Cody, Wyoming. The ten by twenty foot sign that greeted them read, "Beware of Grizzly". Gary and Barbara arrived Tuesday morning at 3:15 a.m.



M.H.'s horse needed water so Michael and Jessie went down to the watering hole. On the way back Duke decided to get a little crazy. He bucked four or five times and then ran into a tree.

The riding horses, Sam, Dyke and the other horses were saddled and then cousins Tolbert Dean and Ronald Jean Carter of Powell, Wyoming (40 miles away), showed up. Talbert had his video camera running. The pack horses, were then packed.

M.H. held CoCo Dash as they put the tarp on her and she started bucking. Ronald got out of the way but Talbert got knocked out of the way while he was still filming. M.H. held on for the first round and in the process the top packs got knocked off. The second time around M.H. was still holding the horse. He tripped over the sleeping bag. The horse was all over M.H. and no one knew for sure why it didn't kill him but he survived. CoCo was then successfully packed. She won the battle, but the Carsons won the war!

During all of this Barbara was holding two horses with the filly reared up. She had instructions to hold on and she did. Without gloves, the rope got hot enough and peeled the skin off three of her fingers.

After all the commotion Barbara mounted her horse and Galen told her not to get off until he said so. She stayed through four jumps with Galen still holding on. The horse ran over a rock and started to sit down. Galen told her to get off but Barbara fell down and got hung-up. The horse then sat on her leg. After the horse jumped up Barbara was still

down. She eventually got up and the horse calmed down.

The group then started up Deer Creek Trail. About two-thirds of the way up the first mountain, they got to a six foot limestone rock climb. When Barbara's horse started up, his front feet slipped and his nose hit the ground. He slipped off the trail and took her with him. She tried to get off on the high side when he did, the horse turned opposite before she could get off. He started sliding downhill and rolled off and in the process, Barbara got free. The horse scrambled back up the trail and everyone was relieved that Barbara got up.

The riders then remounted and they got going again and made the plateau. Through all that traveling, they could still see where the pickup was parked from the plateau. For the next two miles the trail was very treacherous. The riders had to wear their slickers at least twice for the rest of trail. As they made the last mile to the top of the pass Jessie stopped and his horse took off past him and ran into Barbara's horse.

The impact knocked them off the trail and Barbara was falling off the horse and was hanging onto the saddle horn. She dropped to the ground and led her horse back to the trail and started over. Luckily the newest Carson wasn't killed just then.

Some riders had to walk their horses through some places. About a fourth of a mile past the pass, M.H.'s horse laid down slow, giving him time to get off. They let the horse set and decided to camp in the "Ice Box". This was the conclusion of the first day.

Look in the next Blade issue for how the second day began.

(Editor's note: No offense intended, Carsons, but thanks for not inviting me on your trips involving horses. I'll just be content reading about your adventures! BILL)

Hospital Sets Open House On Tuesday

Parmer County Community Hospital has scheduled Open House and guided tours of the new physicians' clinic building located adjacent to the hospital, for Tuesday, September 25, from 6 to 8 p.m.

Members of the PCCH Hospital Auxiliary will serve refreshments.

The doctors, nurses and board members of the Parmer County Hospital District invite everyone in the area to come and see the new clinic.

For further details, see the full page advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

7th, 8th Graders Win Over Olton

The Bovina Seventh and Eighth Grade Mustangs both scored wins over Olton last week. The seventh grade team won 14-0, and the eighth graders won their game, 12-6.

David Carrillo scored both of Bovina's touchdowns in the seventh grade's win. Carrillo was the workhorse on offense, gaining 135 yards on 12 carries. Alfie Espinoza added 25 yards on four tries, and Frank Martinez had 20 yards on just two carries.

Defensive standouts included Moses Fletcher, Frank Martinez, Carrillo and Espinoza.

Eddie Segovia and Victor Garcia each scored a touchdown for the eighth

graders, who ran their season record to 2-0 with the win over the class AA team.

Segovia was Bovina's leading rusher with 145 yards on 15 carries. David Perez was right behind him, adding 75 yards on 12 carries. Victor Garcia gained 60 yards in only three carries, including his touchdown, and Michael Ortiz gained 15 yards on three tries.

Quarterback Michael Ortiz completed four of 11 passes, good for 60 yards. Cody Jamerson caught one pass for 15 yards, and Segovia snagged three for 45 yards.

David Perez, Segovia, Peter Riley and Jamerson were singled out for their good defensive play.



Bovina Bits

BY BECKY

Phone Becky London at 806-250-2211 or 238-1146
When you have news items. (e-mail: case @wrt.net)

Luis and Fela Serna's daughter, Juanita Serna helped with the victims from the Pentagon bombing September 11. She lives in Virginia and works at Mt. Vernon Hospital.

James and Sandra Clayton went to Arlington for the weekend to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Joanna and Shaun Winkle. The Claytons watched their grandchildren, Shauni and Jordan, play in soccer games.

Have you received a solicitation in the mail recently asked about the Parmer County Area Cancer Drive? The Blade was contacted this week concerning this group. The address of the company, The Cancer Center, is in Topeka, Kansas and all the phone numbers are 800 numbers that can not be called from Texas.

The solicitation states that they raised \$147 in Parmer County last year and hope to raise \$200 this year. They ask for residents to go to five neighbors and ask for donations or just send a donation from themselves.

The Blade is looking into this and will report back to you when we learn more. If you have contributed to this company or have more information, call our office at 251-1523.

Alf Davies of England was a visitor in the home of Les and Rose McCain Wednesday of last week. He stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrington of Clovis, New Mexico.

Alf's Bovina tie: He was a good friend of the late Maxine Hart and still keeps in touch of friends he met through her.

I talked to Dolph Moten of Copperas Cove, for the first time since I joined *The Blade* staff.

His son Matthew is Lieutenant Colonel at the Pentagon and is a Legislative Liaison for the Chief of Staff there. He helps a four star general with Congressional issues.

Anyway, Matthew was at the Pentagon when it was bombed September 11. He

was at a meeting at the time of the tragedy and his office received water damage.

Matthew attended Bovina schools and is a 1982 graduate of West Point. His mother is the late Sue Hoffer, a graduate of Bovina High School.

Dolph still has Bovina connections. He has been trading cattle with the Carson family since the 1950's. He said they don't use scales. They just go outside, kick rocks and make deals. Not every deal is settled with a handshake though, sometimes they get too mad, yeh right.

Christmas Bazaar Is Set November 16-17

The Parmer County Christmas Bazaar committee is again sponsoring the bazaar in 2001.

The bazaar has been set for Friday and Saturday, November 16-17, the weekend before Thanksgiving, giving folks plenty of time to shop for the holidays.

Scheduling is as follows:
Thursday, November 15: 4-6 p.m., exhibitors set up booths.

Friday, November 16: 8-10 a.m., exhibitors set up booths; 10 a.m.-6 p.m., open to the public.

Saturday, November 17: 8:30-9 a.m., exhibitors set up booths; 9 a.m.-4 p.m., open to the public.

There is a limit of two booth spaces per person or organization. Wall tables rent for \$30.00 and center tables are \$25.00. An eight foot by thirty inch table and two

chairs are provided.

If you wish to receive reservation information, contact the Extension Office in Farwell at (806) 481-3619.

'No Contest' For Football Week Three

Since all of the college and professional games on the Friona Star/Bovina Blade's week number three contest were cancelled, it was decided not to consider the games on that week's contest lineup.

A decision will be made as to whether to add a week to what we had planned, or to shorten the contest by a week (we're also waiting on decisions by the colleges and pros as to their re-scheduling dilemma.)

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Pick the score of the tie-breaker game and place your guess in the appropriate blanks on the entry. The tie-breaker game will not count on your won-loss record. It will be used only in case of a tie.
Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest deadline each Friday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$20 for first, \$10 for second, and third prize of \$5 will be awarded.
Tabulation of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season, the Grand Prize Winner will be named and will receive \$150!
There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than bring the entry blank, filled out, and delivered to former Bovina Blade office location, in the hall next to Dorothy's beauty salon by 5 p.m. or mailed to PO Drawer B Bovina, TX 79009 (postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday) or faxed to 806-250-5127.
Only one entry form may be submitted per individual. If more than one form is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.
Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of theBlade staff will serve as judges for the contest.
Contestants must be 10 years old or older. Everyone except employees of this

BOVINA BUSINESS FOOTBALL CONTEST ENTRY FORM

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ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
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