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Good News In
Bovina
For The Past
44 Years



RAIN, SLEET, & SNOW don't slow the mail but this accident in Friona kept the mail truck, left, from making it to Bovina on Thursday, July 16. The accident occurred at Highway 60 and 5th Street in Friona as the truck was headed for Bovina's regular afternoon pick up. No one was injured.

ron carr photo



Former Exchange Student Marko Lesic To Visit Bovina

Area residents may remember 1989-90 when a young man named Marko Lesic spent a year in Bovina as an exchange student from Croatia.

Marko stayed with the family of Tony and Dottie Neal while attending Bovina High School. He actually graduated from BHS in 1990. Dottie said he lettered in basketball and played tennis.

She said he was thrilled when he was awarded a BHS letter jacket. She said he was well known in the area through his participation in community and church activities.

Marko will be visiting the Neals this weekend. He has now finished college in Croatia.

He and his fiancée will be in Bovina visiting from Friday, July 24 to Tuesday, July 28.

They will be staying with the Neals and Dottie said everyone is invited to call or come visit Marko during his stay. The family will be busy visiting and renewing old acquaintance.

You can call the Neals and/or Marko at 806-238-1575.

WE ALL HAD A BIG LAUGH when the Southern Baptist Convention recently came out with the decree that women should be submissive to their husbands.

My Good Old Boy said his pals had discussed this among themselves at Lions Club. Most were of the opinion that if they went home and announced that they were "Lord of the Manor" and the little woman should submit to his every whim, he'd be sleeping out in the dog house for quite awhile.

These old Lions are the elder statesmen of the community, active in their church and civic works, with long-time marriages to their credit. They are from the era when you got married first, then lived together, and then had your babies, in that order. These marriages have evolved over many years of talking it over and working it out; the wife taking the lead in some areas, the husband taking the lead in other areas. Neither considers himself to be King or Queen of the Hill.

In an autocratic relationship, one person makes all the decisions while the other person becomes subservient. Such a relationship opens the door for abuse, especially if the autocrat begins to see himself or herself as being the all-powerful one of the pair. These marriages don't usually work out very well. Research suggests that relationships of all kinds tend to be happiest when they are roughly equitable.

How often have you heard this statement? "Half of all marriages end in divorce?" This is one of the most fallacious pieces of statistical nonsense ever perpetuated on the American people! I hear officials and media throw this statement around all the time as though it were a true fact.

Here's how this came about. . . The U.S. Center for Health Statistics (a division of the Census Bureau) put out a report in the early '80s noting that 2.4 million new marriages occurred in one year and 1.2 million divorces were recorded the same year. So, from that they concluded that one out of every two marriages ends in divorce. This 50 percent figure has been misleadingly represented in this way ever since then.

The fact is, the statisticians simply overlooked the 54 million existing long-term marriages. These were not included in the figures. This changes the outlook considerably. A more accurate set of figures from a later Harris poll tells us that only one out of every eight marriages will end in divorce, and in any single year only about two percent of existing marriages will break up. We also note that 98 percent of marriages survive any given year, and seven out of eight will stay intact from the wedding to the death of one spouse. So the traditional family unit is still in pretty good shape regardless of what you hear.

A recent article by the American Board of Family Practice lists the following as the leading problem areas of marriages in this order: #1, Not enough time to spend together. #2, Growing in different directions. #3, Not able to talk about things. #4, Money problems. #5, Raising children. Etc. It would appear that every one of these problems could be helped by open communication with one another.

I think a better decree by the SBC would have been the age-old advice given to young couples who are about to get married: "Never go to bed when you are angry at one another." Just ask the Millers who have been married for over 60 years.

MY TURN

By Carol Ellis



MICHAEL KISSIRE New Ag Teacher

We are proud to introduce Bovina's new Ag and shop instructor, Michael Kissire.

He is a graduate of Wills Point High School in East Texas and Tarleton State College in Stephenville. He is a third-year ag teacher, moving to Bovina from Sonora. Welcome to the city, Mr. Kissire.

St. Ann's Jamaica Scheduled

St. Ann's Catholic Church will hold their Fourth Annual Jamaica on Sunday, July 26, 1998 from 11 a.m. until the food or the fun ends.

There will be authentic Mexican food and fruit drinks, Bingo, live music, assorted games and prizes and a volleyball tournament.

Jamaica is free to the public.

St. Ann's Catholic Church is located at 404 3rd Street in Bovina.



NEW CRIME SCENE UNIT...The Parmer County Sheriff's Department has outfitted a new crime scene unit. The 1997 Ford pickup was painted, striped, and outfitted with money from confiscated drug assets. Deputy Sargeant Gary Blair, shown with visitor Megan Carr, did the striping on the truck and is the driver of the vehicle. The unit has a gas generator, halogen lights to light a crime or accident scene, plaster of Paris for making prints, and other necessary crime scene equipment.

ron carr photo

Sustaining Agriculture Seminar Is Scheduled

The Promised Land Network (PLN), an ecumenical rural ministry outreach, will be hosting its sixth annual 'Sustaining Agriculture Weekend' on Friday, July 31 in Hereford and Saturday, August 1 in Nazareth.

The two-day event will feature 12 field tours and a dozen afternoon indoor workshops geared for the whole family. Farmers, ranchers, urban gardeners, rural women, teachers and ag service professionals are urged to attend.

Dr. Steve Stevenson, a rural sociologist and farmer from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, is the

keynote speaker for both days. Nancy Roe, Texas State Coordinator for Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education (SARE) and an Extension specialist from Stephenville, will also be presenting two workshops on rural women.

Friday's activities will focus on farmers with small operations, getting underway at 2 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center. Participants will hear an overview of El Hormiguero Project, PLN's training initiative to increase food and animal production for Hispanic small landholders in Deaf Smith County.

Six hands-on learning workshops, involving both indoor and outdoor activities, will be offered in the afternoon: bio-intensive gardening, marketing for small farms, strawbale construction, small livestock options for youth, rural women's contributions, and managing the Tierra Blanca watershed. The day will conclude with a fiesta back at the Community Center from 7 - 9 p.m.

Registration for Saturday, August 1 will begin at 7:30 a.m. at the Nazareth Community Hall. Following registration and introductions at 8 a.m., five outdoor tours will be offered as the first activity: drought management and "dryland agriculture," youth livestock opportunities, grazing and cropping options for post-CRP acres, bio-intensive gardening, and a prairie tour of the Middle Tule Draw.

Following a break at 10:30 a.m., a second session of workshop will be conducted on the following topics: passing on the family farm, futures marketing, cooking great bar-b-que, teaching care for nature in the classroom, and understanding the geography of the Llano Estacado.

Lunch will feature locally-grown vegetables and pasture-raised meats, plus a keynote address by Dr. Steve Stevenson entitled, "Sustainable Agriculture: Social and Spiritual Stakes." After lunch, participants can visit exhibit booths and attend tours of local sites in Nazareth.

A third workshop session Saturday afternoon will explore the role of rural schools in sustaining agriculture and local communities, issues surrounding concentrated animal feeding operations (CAFOs), planning and communication for passing on the family farm, and reflections on experience of rural women.

At 4 p.m., local residents will dramatize the lives of early settlers. Historical persons represented will be Father Joseph Reisdorff, T.P. McCormick, Wilhemina Their, Casimero Romero and Agapito Sandoval.

After the historical presentations, events move back to the Community Hall for a "rural fair" featuring live music, free hamburgers, trimmings and refreshments. Around 6 p.m., a benefit auction will be held, followed by a concert and dance from 9 - 11 p.m. with Algo Simple from Hereford, to conclude the day.

Registration for Saturday is \$10 per adult and \$5 for children and teenagers, while Friday's events are free. Both days features children's educational tour for \$5 per child (includes meal). To register or for more information, call the PLN office at 806-364-4445.

BHS Reunion Set August 1

If you are a graduate of Bovina High School and would like to attend a reunion of former graduates for a good meal and lots of visiting or maybe drop by for a chat, please call 799-0152 and leave a message.

The reunion will be held at the KoKo Palace, on the corner of 50th and Avenue Q, Lubbock on August 1 from 2 p.m.-?

The cost of reservations are \$12 per person but visiting is free. If you plan to eat, send \$12 to Dorothy Luttrall, 2820 54th Street, Lubbock, Texas, 79413.

"We hope to see you there," a reunion spokesperson concluded.



Reflections

...from the files of The Bovina Blade

40 Yrs. Ago--July 23, 1958
Mrs. Jack Jeter, Mrs. Virgie Adams and Mrs. Doris Lawlis of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church are attending a WMU encampment at Glorieta Baptist Assembly in New Mexico.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Boyd last week were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brawley of Glen Rose. They are Mrs. Boyd's parents.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell was the site of a chicken fry Saturday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pesch attended the Hughes Aaron reunion in Amarillo, Sunday at Thompson Park.

35 Yrs. Ago--July 25, 1963
Neil Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore, was injured Thursday afternoon when he fell from the car in an attempt to catch the garage door and close it.

Miss Jeanie Ivy, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ivy, received a severely cut arm Friday afternoon in an accident at Bovina Dairy Freeze.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ware and children and Mr. and Mrs. Erith Hawkins and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Martin and Kenda in Odessa over the weekend.

30 Yrs. Ago--July 24, 1968
Chuck Stallings, airplane spray pilot of Bovina, escaped serious injury Wednesday afternoon of last week when his plane crashed three miles north of Pleasant Hill.

Two representatives of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department are in College Station this week attending the 39th annual Texas Firemen's Training School.

John H. Aldridge, 63, a Parmer County resident for the past 62 years and prominent Farwell lawyer for many years, passed away at

Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona early Sunday morning following a heart attack.

25 Yrs. Ago--July 25, 1973
Bryan Fillpot of Bovina competed in the regional AAU track meet at Waco Saturday in the 440-yard intermediate class.

20 Yrs. Ago--July 26, 1978
Parmer County farmers--especially cotton farmers--are facing serious, if not critical losses, from the chemical 2,4-D which has inadvertently invaded their fields, producing elongated leaves and prognosis of deformed bolls if the blight continues.

The Bovina All-Stars won their first game against the North Randall County All-Stars by a score of 8-7. Richard Shepherd was the winning pitcher for the Bovina team.

Mike Read and Jim Rhodes, attended the 50th anniversary convention of the Texas Future Farmers of America in San Antonio. Read was awarded the Lone Star Farmer Degree.

15 Yrs. Ago--July 27, 1983
Two hogs were allegedly slaughtered and stolen from Lawrence Widner's farm last week. Three men were arrested and charged in the theft incident.

Gateway Produce has reopened for the summer on a limited basis.

It was stated that there are approximately 450 acres of potatoes in the Bovina area this year.

Debbie Ulibarri, the former Debbie Whitecotton, was a spring graduate of Texas Tech University. Her parents are Billy and Paula Whitecotton.

Roy Lee and Dorothy Stowers hosted the Radford family reunion over the weekend with about 40 members of the family present. It was the first time in 30 years that the family had been together.

10 Yrs. Ago--July 27, 1988
The corn crop in Parmer

County is looking better than it has in years, thanks to better-than-average summer rainfall.

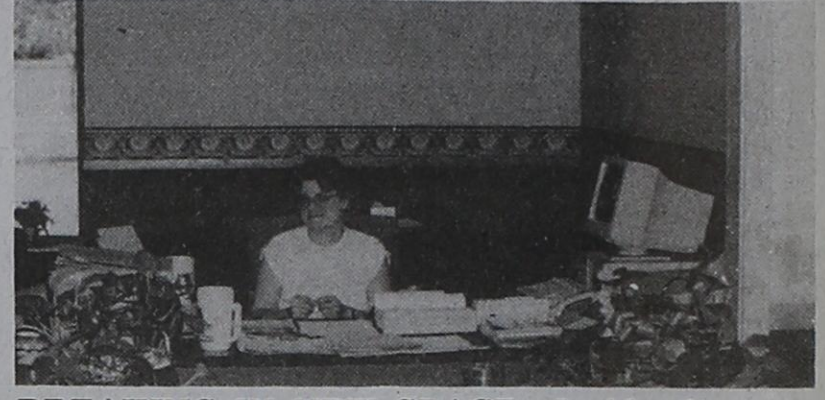
Funeral services for Herman Wallace Grissom, 65, of Farwell, a former resident, were held at the First Baptist Church in Farwell.

Workmen are busy at the Bovina School as central heating and refrigerated air conditioning is being installed this week.

Funeral services were held this week for John Gee, former Bovina resident for many years, who owned and operated Gee's Cleaners.

5 Yrs. Ago--July 24, 1993
The Bovina Post Office was closed most of the day Monday, July 19, because of a break-in.

According to Leon Saddler, Bovina Police Chief, someone or several individuals busted a glass door leading from the lobby of the post office in the business office, sometime after 1 a.m. Monday morning.



BREAKING IN NEW SPACE....Inside the new school administration building, they are unpacking and settling in as best they can. Sue Nuttall, Pat Read and Pat Turner are shown in the new building's large conference room. Below is the view as you enter, with secretary Darlene Miller greeting visitors. ron carr photos

Willard Kin, V.M. Eason, Is Buried In Bovina

Funeral services for Virginia May Eason, 54, were conducted Friday, July 17, at Evangel Temple in Waxahachie, with the Rev. Ken Rogers officiating.



V. M. EASON

Graveside rites and burial were conducted Saturday, July 18 in Bovina Cemetery. Mrs. Eason passed away July 15 after a long struggle with cancer.

She was born Virginia May Willard on February 6, 1944, in Mobeetie, the youngest of four children of Vernon E. and Velma Agnes Willard. She attended Pampa High School, and later attended Northlake Community College in Irving.

Survivors include her husband, Bill B. Eason, Jr. of Waxahachie; three sons: Dan Murray of McAllen, Navy Ensign Damon Eason of Waxahachie and Jarrod Eason of Waxahachie; and one daughter, Kristin Eason Reese and her husband Chris Reese of Lewisville.

Also surviving is a brother, David Willard of Bakersfield, California. She was preceded in death by her parents; a sister, Bertha Belle Willard Carpenter, and a brother, Vernon C. Willard of Bovina.

Pallbearers were Carl Willard, Christopher Reese, Clifford Jones, Forest Luff, Bill Breeding and Steve Pardue. "She was a loving and devoted mother and wife and a caring and loyal friend. Her courage, commitment, faith and resilience gave support, inspiration, comfort and joy to all who knew and loved her," said a spokesman for the family.

School Lunch Prices Given

Bovina ISD is announcing its policy for providing free and reduced-price meals for children served under the National School Lunch/Breakfast Program. The Office of the Superintendent has a copy of the policy which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Foster children who are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Eligibility for the foster child is based on the child's income.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS 1998 - 99 INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

Family Size	ANNUALLY		MONTHLY		WEEKLY			
	FREE	REDUCED PRICE	FREE	REDUCED PRICE	FREE	REDUCED PRICE		
1	\$10,465	\$14,893	\$873	\$1,242	\$202	\$287		
2	14,105	20,073	1,176	1,673	272	387		
3	17,745	25,253	1,479	2,105	342	486		
4	21,385	30,433	1,783	2,537	412	586		
5	25,025	35,613	2,086	2,968	482	685		
6	28,665	40,793	2,389	3,400	552	785		
7	32,305	45,973	2,693	3,832	622	885		
8	35,945	51,153	2,996	4,263	692	984		
9	39,585	56,333	3,300	4,695	762	1,084		
10	43,225	61,513	3,604	5,127	832	1,184		
11	46,865	66,693	3,908	5,559	902	1,284		
12	50,505	71,873	4,212	5,991	972	1,384		
For each additional family member add:			+3,640	+\$5,180	+\$304	+\$432	+\$70	+\$100

Application forms are being distributed to all households with a letter informing households of the availability of free and reduced price meals for their children. Applications also are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply for free and reduced price meals, households must fill out the application and return it to the school. Applications may be submitted anytime during the school year. The information households, provide on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and verification of data. Applications may be verified by school officials at any time during the school year.

For school officials to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits, households receiving food stamps or AFDC only have to list their child's name, food stamp or AFDC case number, and an adult household member must sign the application.

Households who do not list a food stamp number or AFDC case number must list the names of all household members, the amount and source of the income received by each household member, and the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application.

If the adult who signs the application does not have a social security number, the household member must indicate that a social security number is not available by writing the word "none". The application must be signed by an adult household member.

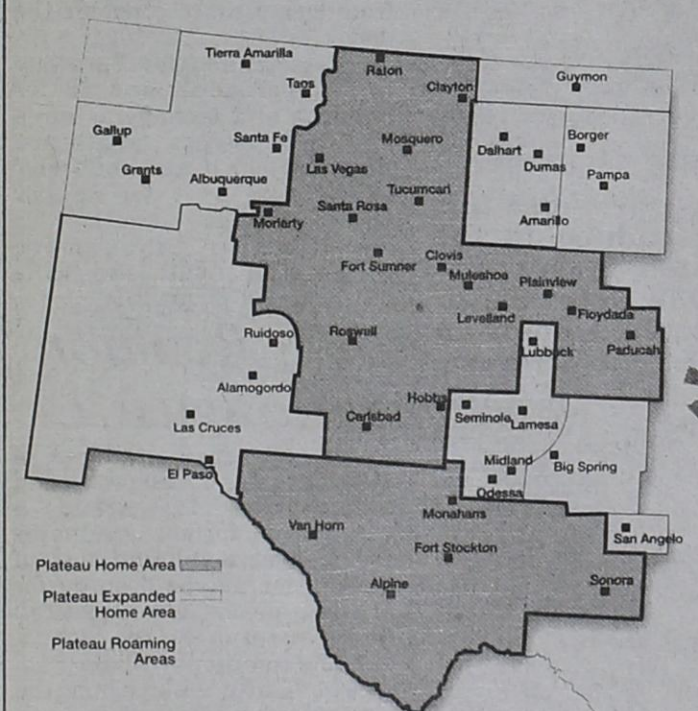
Under the provisions of the free and reduced price meal policy the school secretary will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents or guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to discuss the decision with the reviewing official on an informal basis. Parents wishing to make a formal appeal for a hearing on the decision may make a request either orally or in writing to Sue Nuttall, Supt., P.O. Box 70, Bovina, TX, (806) 238-1336.

Households that list a food stamp or AFDC case number must report when the household no longer receives these benefits. Other households approved for benefits based on income information must report increases in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below the levels shown above.

In the operation of child feeding programs administered by the US Dept. of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

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Marvin Jones Is Buried

Funeral services for Marvin Jones, 80, of Friona, were held Wednesday morning at Sixth Street Church of Christ with Leon Talley, Minister, officiating. Burial was in Friona Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Jones died Sunday, July

19, 1998, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

He was born September 8, 1917 in Moody, Texas, and married Ella Ree Richardson September 16, 1959, in McGregor, Texas.

Mr. Jones was a member of the Sixth Street Church of Christ. He had been a resident of Friona since 1965, moving from Matador. He was a retired farm worker.

Survivors include his wife, Ella Ree Jones of the home; three sons, Derick Jones of New Hampshire, Erick Jones of Clovis, New Mexico, and Kenneth Ray Jones of Austin.

Also two daughters, Vickie Jones and Leslie Jones, both of Clovis, New Mexico; six grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were Johnny Jones, Erick Jones, Carl McInroe, Sterling Graham, Joe Jackson, Lawrence Dudley.

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Parmer County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from April 1, 1998 to June 30, 1998, inclusive:

Jury Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....2,478.45
Amount received since last report.....361.71
Amount paid out since last report.....1,388.00
6-30-98 balance.....1,452.16

General Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....67,605.77
Amount received since last report.....273,720.91
Amount paid out since last report.....323,779.58
6-30-98 balance.....17,547.10

Farm to Market Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....112,897.19
Amount received since last report.....487,423.23
Amount paid out since last report.....528,380.95
6-30-98 balance.....71,939.47

Right of Way Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....16,820.08
Amount received since last report.....4,990.99
Amount paid out since last report.....0
6-30-98 balance.....21,811.07

District Attorney Forfeiture Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....0
Amount received since last report.....2,200.00
Amount paid out since last report.....0
6-30-98 balance.....2,200.00

Permanent Improvement Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....3,679.29
Amount received since last report.....366.92
Amount paid out since last report.....0
6-30-98 balance.....4,046.21

Revenue Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....56,547.84
Amount received since last report.....51,428.00
Amount paid out since last report.....43,861.25
6-30-98 balance.....64,114.59

Juvenile Probation Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....3,794.85
Amount received since last report.....590.23
Amount paid out since last report.....0
6-30-98 balance.....4,385.08

County Attorney - Check Collection Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....2,239.86
Amount received since last report.....1,732.12
Amount paid out since last report.....1,436.72
6-30-98 balance.....2,535.26

District Check Collection - 287th Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....163.64
Amount received since last report.....2,280.00
Amount paid out since last report.....2,055.00
6-30-98 balance.....388.64

Caliche Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....1,238.84
Amount received since last report.....12.55
Amount paid out since last report.....0
6-30-98 balance.....1,251.39

Parmer County Forfeiture Fund
Balance last report, filed April 1, 1998.....0
Amount received since last report.....5,898.41
Amount paid out since last report.....2,148.76
6-30-98 balance.....3,749.65

Recapitulation

Jury Fund.....1,452.16
General Fund.....17,547.10
Farm to Market Fund.....71,939.47
Right of Way Fund.....21,811.07
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....2,200.00
Caliche Fund.....1,251.39
Permanent Improvement Fund.....4,046.21
Revenue Fund.....64,114.59
Juvenile Probation Fund.....4,385.08
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....2,535.26
District Check Collection - 287th Fund.....388.64
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund.....3,749.65
TOTAL.....195,420.62

List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand

Certificates of Deposit

Farm to Market.....434,000.00

Tex Pool Investments

Farm to Market.....454,158.22
Permanent Improvement Fund.....25,368.26
General Fund.....674,207.23
Jury Fund.....74,594.64
Right Of Way Fund.....160,172.91
Caliche Fund.....7,102.01
TOTAL.....1,829,603.27

Treasurer's Report from April 1, 1998, to June 30, 1998.

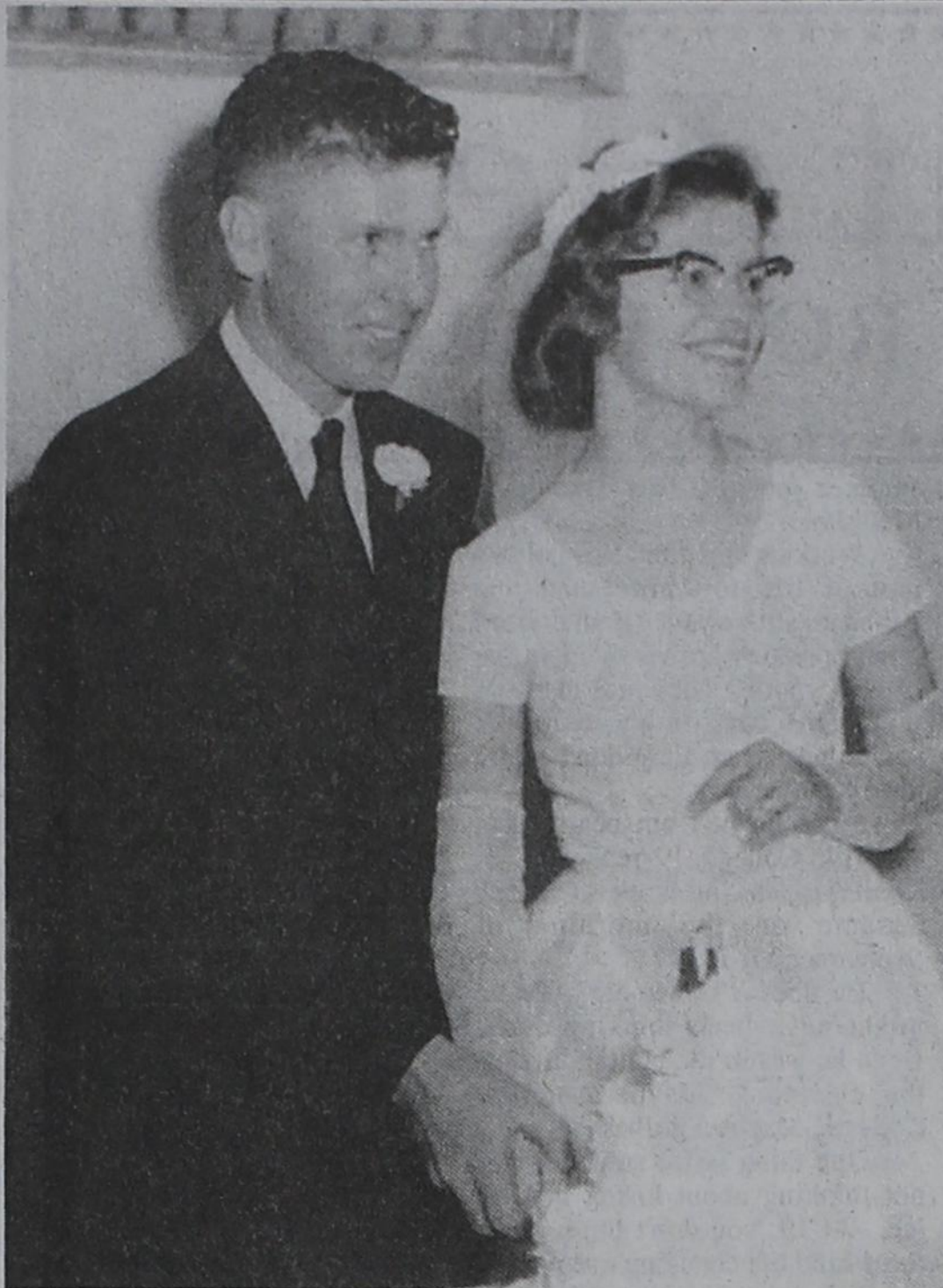
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of July, 1998.

Bonnie Clayton, County Judge

Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court this 13th day of July, 1998.



40TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY....Herbert and Cecelia Schueler of the Rhea community celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary. Herbert Schueler of Rhea and the former Cecelia Stehr of Dimmitt were married July 25, 1958 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Hereford. Children of the couple are Glen of Rhea; Mike and his wife, Amy, of Hereford; Carrie Stover of Lubbock; Jo and her husband, Robert Osborn, of Friona; and Jeff and his wife, Heather, of Lubbock. Grandchildren are Bryan and Brooke Stover, Katie Jo and Jacob Osborn, and Will Schueler.

Unclaimed Property Auction Set Aug. 15

"About 185,000 unclaimed items with an appraised value of approximately \$525,000 will be auctioned on August 15 in Austin. A catalog listing all of the items for sale is now available from my office," State Comptroller John Sharp announced.

"The Unclaimed Property Auction Catalog is also available on the Internet at my Window on State Government site <http://www.window.state.tx.us>," Sharp said.

"The web site allows potential auction bidders to quickly search for items they are interested in. For example, a fountain pen collector could learn from the computer which of the more than 600 auction lots contain fountain pens—or even a particular brand of fountain pen.

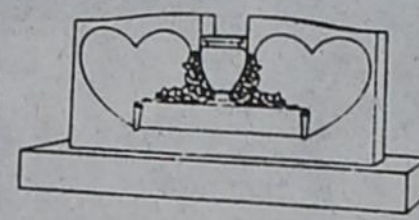
"Computer users can see pictures of many items in the auction. More photos are available on-line than in the printed version of the auction catalog," Sharp said. The Unclaimed Property Auc-

tion will be held at 10 a.m. on August 15 at the Travis County Exposition Center, located at 7311 Decker Lane in Austin. Interested bidders may preview the items in the sale on August 13 from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and on August 14 from 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

"Just a few examples of the items to be sold include 162,913 collectible coins and currency, 392 gold coins, 4,521 stamps and paper items, 178 pocket watches, and 2,065 rings," Sharp said.

"The items to be auctioned come from abandoned safe deposit boxes that have been turned over to the state by the banks and financial institutions that have been unable to locate the box renters for five years," he said.

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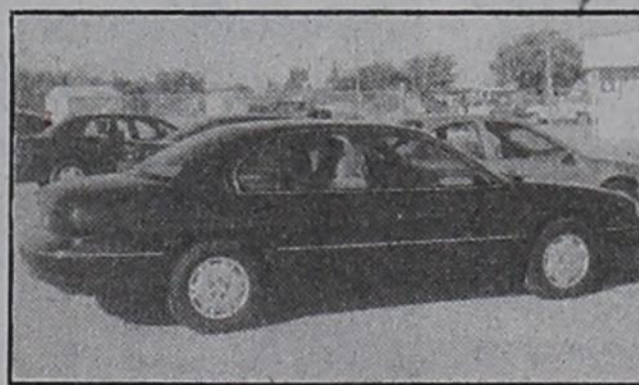
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Remote Keyless Entry 36 mo Smart Buy at 6.50
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'94 VW Jetta III.....\$158.72 mo***
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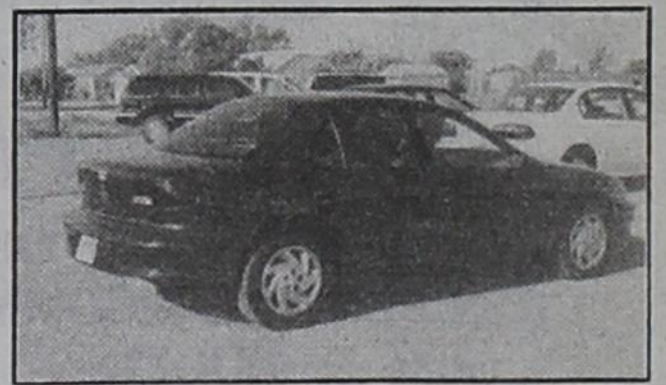
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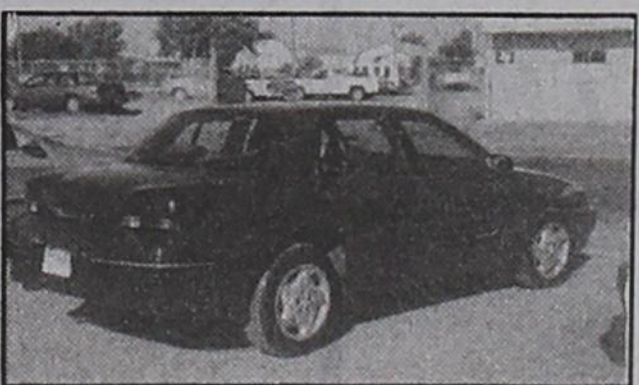
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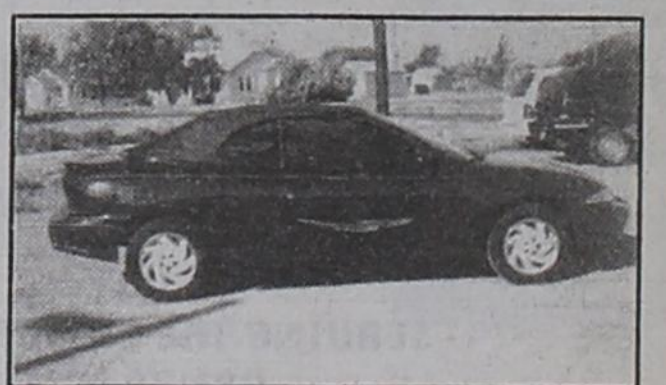
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Out Here

By RON CARR

"The Unlikely Dream of J. B. Beall II"

When he graduated from Muleshoe High School in May of 1997, J. B. Beall II, like many other high school graduates was not quite sure of his future plans. The handsome young man had run cross country and played tennis for the Muleshoe Mules.



J. B. BEALL II and his new lightweight leg. See Out Here for the story.

He thought he might attend Amarillo College and earn an auto mechanics certificate, so he applied for the fall semester, then took a

summer job at Texas Sesame in Muleshoe.

Working at a grain elevator is a part of life for more than one Panhandle youngster. Farmers and grain operators are very supportive of area youth. They hire many of them in part-time positions, sometimes when they don't really have job openings.

Since he had not heard from Amarillo College, 19-year-old J. B. Beall II, was at work at Texas Sesame on the morning of September 17, 1997.

He doesn't remember what he might have been thinking about when he was in the bottom level at the elevator. Maybe Amarillo College. Maybe a girlfriend.

One thing is for sure. He was not thinking about losing his left leg. At 19, you don't think about those kind of life changing events.

J. B. says he was walking on the corn at the elevator when he "stepped through a hole". The auger tore off his left leg, just below the knee, tearing through bone, muscle and tendon.

No one is sure how long J. B. screamed and yelled for help. He thinks it was about fifteen minutes. His agonized screams eventually alerted co-workers who freed him from the auger. He made his way to Muleshoe's hospital, then by airlift to Lubbock.

There was too much damage for doctors to consider reattaching his leg. J. B. says the cut and tear of the auger was clean enough that his doctors did not have to file the bone smooth.

His mother, Barbara, who has not to this day been to the site of the accident, told me he was only in the hospital for a few days before returning home to Muleshoe.

In the meantime, his acceptance to Amarillo College had arrived in the mail. One can only guess if the acceptance letter had arrived sooner, whether J. B.'s leg would still intact.

The family doesn't dwell on that, though. Mother Barbara, a teacher at Bovina schools, says looking back won't change the present.

Besides, J. B. is doing pretty good these days, in spite of the traumatic events at such an early point in a guy's life.

He got his first artificial leg December 9, 1997. He developed a small goal of being able to run again, like in his high school cross country days.

Through the efforts of a prosthetic research center in Oklahoma City, Nova Care Sabolich, J. B. now has his second artificial leg device.

In a vacant classroom at Bovina Elementary School where we talked this summer, he unlatched it and let me hold it to see how light-weight it was. It had a tennis shoe attached and an American flag at the knee.

This new one has a flexible leg and foot. J. B. did some running with it in June. When I spoke to his mother this week, J. B. was back in Oklahoma City for a few days.

She said on his first visit there after the accident, he had met a 7-year-old boy who had lost a leg to a mower.

The experience of seeing the joy of this youngster being fitted for a prosthetic leg caused J. B. to consider a career somehow involved with prosthetic research.

He told me of other children he met who had lost limbs. One young boy had lost his entire leg up to and including his hip socket. The research center in Oklahoma City was developing a leg especially for his situation.

"Each limb has to be customized for each case", J. B. said. "But there is a real thrill of joy when you see a child's eyes light up when they get their first prosthetic."

J. B. turned 20 on July 5 and will be entering South Plains College in Levelland on August 3 with sights set on an associate degree, the first step toward his present dream of working with others who have lost a limb.

It would not be difficult to lose faith when you have an accident like J. B.'s. But I sure did not see that in this young man.

He has an attitude alright. A strong, positive one. He seemed to me a fine young man who will get

where he wants to be. Losing a leg has a way of putting dreams in focus.

The day we talked his mother's little students had made American flag t-shirts in summer school. The shirts were drying on the table where J. B. sat during our interview.

The two words the kids had painted on each shirt struck me as a motto J. B. Beall II will have for a long, long time.

Go for it, J. B. And remember the words your mother had her students print on those 1998 summer school t-shirts.

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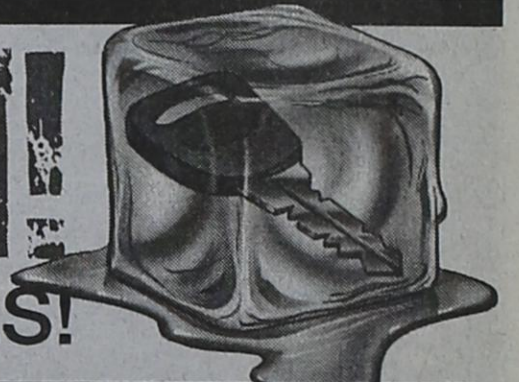
EXCEL WINNERS from Friona were Nancy Vargas, Bobby Raymond, and Veronica Trevino, with Scott Entz and Johnny Rodriguez.



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851612	1994 Chevrolet Corsica..... Gray, 4 door, auto..... \$6995	\$5300	4855	1997 Pontiac Grand Am SE..... White, 4 door, auto..... \$13,995	\$12,000
752581	1994 Pontiac Grand Am..... Red, 2 door, auto..... \$6995	\$5500	4870	1996 Ford Taurus GL..... Green, 4 door, auto..... \$12,995	\$11,000
48361	1993 Oldsmobile Ciera..... Blue, 4 door, auto..... \$7995	\$6500	6113	1998 Plymouth Breeze..... Red, 4 door, auto..... \$14,995	\$12,500
730361	1995 Plymouth Neon..... Blue, 4 door, auto..... \$7995	\$6700	6114	1998 Plymouth Breeze..... Green, 4 door, auto..... \$14,995	\$12,500
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852051	1993 Dodge 1500 Club Cab..... Red/white, V-8, loaded..... \$8995	\$7500	650302	1997 Mazda Cab Plus B2300 Tan, 5 speed, A/C..... \$14,995	\$13,500
851391	1994 Chevy Astro Extended CS. Gray, 7 passenger..... \$9995	\$7950	651721	1994 Dodge 250 Full Size..... Van, white conversion..... \$15,995	\$14,000
4845	1992 GMC Jimmy 4x4..... Green, Sport UTE, V-6..... \$11,495	\$9950	6021	1996 Dodge Grand Caravan SE . Silver fern, V-6, loaded..... \$16,995	\$14,750
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890861	1991 GMC Jimmy 4x4..... Red, Sport UTE, V-6..... \$11,995	\$10,500	6087	1996 Dodge Ram 1500 Club Cab . White, V-8, loaded, auto ... \$18,995	\$17,700
4935	1995 Ford F150 Pickup..... Green, V-6, 5 sp, Eddie Bauer..... \$11,995	\$9950	4871	1996 Dodge Ram 1500 Club Cab . Black/red, V-8, loaded, auto .. \$18,995	\$17,900
49891	1995 Nissan 4x4 Pickup..... Red, 5 sp, XE Package ... \$13,495	\$10,950	60371	1996 Dodge Ram 1500 Club Cab..... White, V-8, loaded, auto ... \$18,995	\$17,800
850371	1996 Mazda Cab Plus B3000 Tan, V-6, 5 sp, SE Package ... \$13,995	\$11,500	6115	1997 Chevy 1500 Club Cab..... Black, 3 dr, V-8, loaded, 12,000 miles \$21,995	\$19,975
4818	1993 Chrysler Town & Country.. Red, V-6, minivan, leather \$12,995	\$11,500	6105	1998 Dodge Ram 1500 Club Cab..... Brown, red, 2 to choose, V-8. \$22,995	\$21,000
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EXCEL UNION SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE Members of the Excel Local Union No. 540 committee that chooses scholarship winners are, l-r, Leticia Leal, Leo Leal, committee chairman, Casey Williams, Rick Clayton, and Oscar Saenz.

R. Diaz Buried Tuesday

Services for Robert Diaz, 40, of Amarillo were held Tuesday, July 21, 1998, at St. Ann's Catholic Church with Rev. Edward Kieran officiating.

Burial was in the Bovina Cemetery under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mr. Diaz died Saturday, July 18, 1998, at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

He was born May 5, 1958 in Friona.

Mr. Diaz had lived in Amarillo for the past twenty years. He did building construction work as a living.

Survivors include one daughter, Bianca Diaz of Washington; one parent, Tomasa Diaz of Bovina; four brothers, Luis Diaz of Sweetwater, Jesse Diaz, Thomas Diaz, and Johnny Diaz all of Amarillo; six sisters, Hope Cardenas of McAllen, Lupe Garcia and Rosa Quiroga, both of Bovina, Carmen Ramirez of Dalhart, Frances Trevino of Dumas, and Benita Trevino of Mesquite.

"Texas" To Present Fundraiser

The "Texas" Company will showcase its talent at the 31st Anniversary Scholarship Production of "Texas Originals." This year's benefit show will be held on Sunday, August 9 at the Amarillo Civic Center. One Gala Performance will be held starting at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children.

The nation's top outdoor drama plays nightly except Sundays in Palo Duro Canyon at 8:30 p.m. "Texas" is told by 150 company members who come from twelve states and one foreign country.

"Texas Originals" was started 31 years ago as a fund raising vehicle to assist outstanding "Texas" company members as they continue their educations and careers. The overall mission of the production is to display the various talents of company members, offer a high quality evening of entertainment to the community, and raise scholarship dollars for exceptional company members.

"Texas Originals" includes 22 diverse acts that accentuate excellence in dance, acting and vocal and instrumental performance. In addition to the show, the "Texas Originals" Art Gallery will be displayed prior to the performance and during intermission in the lobby of the Amarillo Civic Center.

Following the 7:30 Gala Performance, scholarships will be awarded to selected company members of "Texas" on the basis of their contribution to the show, financial need and academic achievement. Donations can also be mailed to "Texas Originals," Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015, or presented at the Amarillo Civic Center. For information contact Linda Williams at (806)655-2181.



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Cotton News



from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

Facing the music is something cotton producers on the Texas High Plains get used to early in their careers. Finding ways to live with the tune being played by Mother Nature in 1998, however, hasn't been easy.

Recognizing the need to move toward the initiation of federal relief efforts to help the farmers and ranchers standing on the front lines of this building economic crisis, Texas Cotton Producers, Inc. (TCP) is taking the story of Texas cotton to Washington, D.C., in order to bolster the efforts of other organizations and states. The timing is right, especially since national media attention has recently been focused on the plight of agriculture in Texas and on cotton in particular.

In order to garner additional support for a comprehensive disaster assistance package for farmers and ranchers, representatives of TCP travelled to Washington, D.C., the week of July 20 to visit with congressional representatives and put a face on the problems that currently exist.

The Texas High Plains will be represented by PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett and Mike Mauldin, president of Security Bank of Idalou. Other TCP representatives include TCP President Jim Ed Miller of Fort Hancock, Craig Shook of Corpus Christi, Bill Lovelady of Tornillo and Craig Brown of the National Cotton Council in Memphis, Tennessee.

TCP is an organization which masses the combined membership of the nine regional cotton grower organizations in Texas.

With the price of cotton settling back to the lower seventy cent range, cotton producers are being encouraged not to wait before fixing prices on the remainder of their crop.

Although most had hoped the recent rally would continue, the USDA July crop report failed to provide the spark necessary to take the December futures contract over the 80 cent level.

High Plains crop losses are rapidly approaching 1.5 million acres of dryland cotton along with a few scattered irrigated acres lost to high winds, hail or a combination of the two. The bottom line is that even though a few scattered showers have fallen in the past few days, it has come too late to help the dryland crop.

The showers may help some of the irrigated cotton, but even this part of the crop is nowhere close to being out of the woods.

As a result of the extreme temperatures early in the season, many growers have already spent all of the money they had budgeted for irrigation expense. Next they have to face the unpleasant prospect of wells pumping well below normal capacity just as the crop reaches the blooming stage, the most water sensitive stage of its development.

Combined with the potentially explosive threat of insects such as bollworm, beet armyworm and boll weevil, the irrigated crop on the

Texas High Plains still has a lot to contend with before harvest.

Average farm prices received by growers for upland cotton through

the month of May are shown on the table below.

Figures quoted in this table are compiled by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).

Average Price Received By Farmers Through May 1998

	Marketings (thousand running bales)		Price (Cents per pound)	
	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Cumulative
January	1,841	1,841	60.80	60.80
February	1,581	3,422	62.00	61.35
March	1,301	4,723	63.40	61.92
April	545	5,268	62.20	61.95
May	408	5,676	63.50	62.06
June	NA	NA	66.50	NA

Source: NASS, USDA



EXCEL WINNER Misty Solis of Morton with Scott Entz and Johnny Rodriguez. She was one of twenty \$500 scholarship winners chosen from families of Excel employees, sponsored by the Excel union workers in Local No. 540 and Excel management.

Home Plant Conference Scheduled

The Texas Agriculture Extension Service in Parmer County is hosting a "Home Owner Plant Care Conference" on July 30. The conference will be held at the Farwell Community Center from 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Dr. Harold Kaufman, plant pathologist with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, will be the guest speaker and will discuss disease, drought symptomology, herbicide injury and the importance of water. Two CEUs will be offered, one IPM and one General.

He will also be available starting at 1:30 p.m. to make home visits in Parmer County to diagnose problems with home owners.

If you have any questions or would like Dr. Kaufman to make a home visit, contact Cody G. Hill or Cherinell Riley at the Parmer County Extension Office at (806) 481-3619 or (806) 481-3300.

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This program provides up to 80 per cent of the cost of purchasing vehicles. The applicant provides the balance with local non-federal matching funds. The funding is appropriated by the Federal Transit Administration.

Applications may be picked up through Friday, August 21 at the Department of Transportation Lubbock District offices at 135 Slaton Highway. For more information call Anne Polk at 806-748-4480.

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THE LORD TOLD ME HE IS HIDING IN THE STORAGE TENT!

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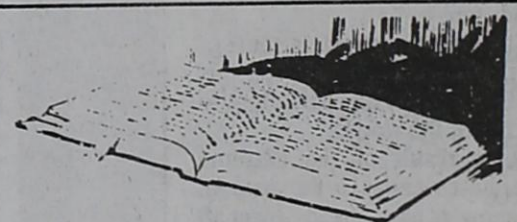


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If requested in writing by August 11, 1998, a public hearing will be held by Prairie Acres, 201 E. 15th, Friona, Texas on August 11, 1998 at 7 p.m. to accept comments on the proposed continuation of elderly and disabled transportation services within Friona, Parmer County, Texas. Written comments on the proposed project may be submitted to 201 E. 15th, Friona, Texas 79035 prior to August 11, 1998.

Jo Blackwell
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Samuel Vernon Estes, were issued on July 14, 1998 in Cause No. 2334, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Ellen Marie Estes.

The residence of Ellen Marie Estes is Parmer County, Texas, and the post office address is: Ellen Marie Estes c/o Aldridge, Aycock, Atkinson & Rutter, L.L.P. P.O. Box 286 Farwell, Texas 79325

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.

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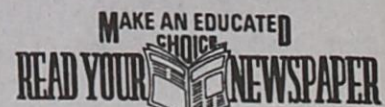
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FORMA DE MUESTRA
1. Friona I.S.D. ofrece programas





PRIZE-WINNER...Esmeralda Martinez of Hart was the grand prize winner of \$12,500 in the Kraft Customer Appreciation Sweepstakes. Roger Lowe, Sr., (right) of Lowe's, and Kendall Cross, manager of Lowe's Hart store, make the presentation.

Hart Resident Wins Lowe's \$12,500 Prize

For one Hart resident, her trips to Lowe's Pay-N-Save really paid off. Esmeralda Martinez is the top winner in the Kraft Customer Appreciation Sweepstakes. As the winner, Martinez receives \$12,500.

Shoppers could register in any of 260 stores in West Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma. Martinez registered in her hometown Lowe's/Pay-N-Save.

The drawing was held at the Affiliated Food's corporate headquarters in Amarillo. Out of the thousands of people who entered, Martinez was on of just three lucky shoppers to take home a prize. The second-prize winner (\$5,000) is S.M. Galindo of Sheffield, Texas. Third prize (\$2,500) goes to Sharon McEwen of Eads, Colorado.

Lowe's Pay-N-Save owner, Roger Lowe, presented Martinez with her big check. He says he's glad to be able to give his customers one more reason to shop at Lowe's.

"There's nothing better than being able to give back to our community," Lowe said. "Kraft is just one of many vendors who stand behind their product, and it's nice when a big company like that gives our customers a unique incentive for shopping our stores."

As for Martinez, she's not quite sure what she'll do with her winnings. For now, she's put her money in the bank.

Lowe's/Pay-N-Save, Inc. is a privately-held company which operates 45 grocery stores across West Texas and New Mexico. The company is based in Littlefield.

Scooter's Scoops

By SCOOTER RUSSELL



Jim and I have just returned from a camping trip in the Cimarron Canyons near Eagle Nest and it was too hot to enjoy. The mornings and evenings were cool and almost chilly, but by afternoon it was uncomfortable. The fishing wasn't good, either. It seemed no one was having any luck with fishing.

We did have a good time with our granddaughte and her family from Spearman. There were droves of campers in the area and most camping places were filled. We went up on Thursday of last week and came home Tuesday evening.

Ludine Davis of Portales celebrated her birthday with a houseful of family visiting in recent days at her mom's home in Bovina, where she has been staying with Maggie Terry since she has been feeling poorly with back problems.

Ludine's children with her were daughters, Barbara Baker and son, Cole, from Roswell; daughter Beverly Frank and daughter, Jackie, of Guymon, Oklahoma; daughter Diane Clayton of Ruidoso; and Ludine's son, James Williams and son, Justin.

The children's dad, Jerry Davis of Roswell, was also with the family on that day.

The family attended a cousin's reunion held at the home of Doc and Mary Helen Cross in Plainview with about fifty-five people attending.

All of Maggie Terry's sisters and brother were at the reunion. They are: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter of Oklahoma Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mac Williams of Farwell; Gladys Hromas of

Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Donaldson of Oklahoma Lane; Ruth and J.C. Boone of Clovis; Amy and Arnold Hromas of Bovina; and Maggie Terry of Bovina.

It is somewhat unusual to see a family of seven members all living within twenty miles of each other. We understand their parents left them a heritage of love for one another, according to family members.

I had a nice telephone visit with Barbara Lowe, former resident, now living in Lubbock. She was telling me that she has her third grandchild, who was born May 15, and has been named Jake Thomas. He weighed eight pound, two ounces and his parents are Bill and Tina Lowe of Lubbock. This is their first child.

Barbara said she is still working as a "Pink Lady" at the Methodist Hospital and once in a while visits with Bovina people. She sounded happy to be with all four of her children, who live in Lubbock. We still miss her in Bovina. She worked as an EMT on the Ambulance Crew for years and also secretary for the superintendent of school for several yerars.

It was thought that Sid Lloyd's granddaughter, Becky, would be in the hospital until mid-August, but Brennan Don came earlier than expected. He was born Wednesday, July 8 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock and weighed five and one half pounds.

His grandparents are former residents, Larry and Patsy Webb. Becky's husband is Billy Don Hughes and this is their first child. This is also Larry's and Becky's first grandchild. Great-grandmother is Sid Lloyd of Bovina. Congratulations!

he died in his sleep.

He was well known in this area and had many friends. He retired last January from teaching school in Clovis and was owner of Double-D Graphics in Clovis. He was only fifty-nine years old.

Don and Juanda Murphy have returned home recently from a trip to Platora, Colorado with members of their family. Their son, Rodney, and his family, also the Murphys' grandson, Brandon, and his wife and baby; Will Bell, and Adam Murhpy's friend, Steve, was with the family.

Juanda said the fishing was really good and they brought fish home. They took their boat and had a lot of fun.

We were unable to contact the family but understand Sam Garrison's sister passed away. She was Cleeta Green of Oklahoma. She suffered with cancer for sometime before her death.

Sid Lloyd attended two family reunions recently. The Kelley reunion was held Saturday at the Fire Station community room at Pleasant Hill. Sid and her sister Mamie of California are the only ones living, of the original family members.

The Lloyd reunion was held at the Farwell

Community Center and Sid said Ruth Smith of Lubbock was the only one of the original family living. There were sixty-nine members of that family present.

Charles Walters underwent heart bypass surgery in Amarillo's Baptist /St. Anthony's Hospital on Tuesday of last week. Fellow workers at Sherley Grain Elevator said he was getting along fine only really sore from the ordeal.

THINK ABOUT IT: Independent: How we want our children to be as long as they do everything our way...Have a great week...Scooter.

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Saturday Rites Set For Virgie Adams

Funeral services for Virgie May Adams, 84, of Lubbock, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church of Bovina, with Rev. Gary Morgan, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Bovina Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Adams passed away Wednesday, July 23, at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born June 21, 1914, in Frederick, Oklahoma. She married Pierceson A. Adams on October 22, 1938, in Manitou, Oklahoma. He died October 13, 1983.

Mrs. Adams had lived in Bovina since 1953, having moved to Lubbock in 1992. She was a member of First Baptist Church, and was a homemaker.

Survivors include three sons, Terry Don Adams of



VIRGIE ADAMS

Atlanta, Georgia; O.W. (Dub) Adams of Dumas, and Jack Adams of Houston; one daughter, Martha Jackson of Lubbock, and one sister, Martha Jo Henderson of Fort Worth.

Seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren also survive.



LET'S PARTY...The staff and residents at Prairie Acres Nursing Home had a '50s & '60s party last Friday. Poodle skirts and bobby sox were the uniform of the day. The kitchen staff served up burgers, fries, and shakes and the sound was rock 'n roll.

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Jul 31 Phyllis Steelman, Sara Sorley, Derrick Saddler, Rebecca Johnson.

Aug 1 Clyde Blalock, Hattie Turner, Scott Johnson.

To make changes, corrections, or to add a friend or relative to our birthday roster, call 238-1523, or write Drawer B, 79009.

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