

Bull Town Bulletins

By
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THE BEGINNING of the state football playoffs brings to us a reminder of what a sprawling state we live in, as well as the diversity that is involved from end of the state to the other.

Take, for instance, the state's largest UIL classification, the 5-A schools.

Region I for conference 5-A stretches all the way from Amarillo on the north (it used to be Pampa and Borger, when these schools were in 5-A) to Midland-Odessa on the south, El Paso on the west, and the Duncanville-Hurst-Irving schools on the east.

That, my friend, is a pretty healthy-sized region. If you visualize it on the state map, you'll see that the region takes in just about half of the state's area.

The Amarillo schools involved in the playoffs have a pretty good "break" this time around. They are playing teams from Midland and San Angelo in the playoffs, and the games are being played in Lubbock.

Not too many years ago, the winner of the Amarillo 5-A district was obliged to play El Paso schools in bi-district competition. That happened a couple of times when Hereford represented the district. That's a pretty good trip, just to meet the "neighboring district."

It's 410 miles from Amarillo to El Paso, and 620 miles from El Paso to Dallas. That's Region I for the class 5-A system. Now, let's look at Region III.

Region III for 5-A schools is virtually encompassed by the city of Houston. The only district winner outside greater Houston in that region is Port Arthur Jefferson.

Eight of the 16 district winners are schools with Houston in their names. Others, such as Katy, Deer Park and Aldine, all are on the perimeter of Houston.

Thus, the teams in the playoffs in Region III can play for three weeks and never leave the confines of Houston (unless they have to make the 45-mile trip to Port Arthur).

When schools in our area make the playoffs, they think in terms of making a "trip" to the playoffs, and it really is a trip.

Nellie Crook Is Honored

Nellie Crook was honored with a going-away coffee Saturday, November 1, by members of the Ruth Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church.

The coffee was held in the home of Idella Owen and cake, coffee and hot chocolate were served to several guests: Margaret Terry, Charlie Eubank, Dottie Ward, Velma Grisham and her daughter Julia, Sid Lloyd and her granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Elyse Kelley and Taryn, Nellie Crook and her daughter and grandson, Nellie Bee Cicotte and David.

Nellie moved to Grand Prairie, Texas.



WEEKLY WINNER... Gloria Rackley is being presented the first-place check by Joe Jones of Agri-Sprayers, one of the football contest sponsors. Mrs. Rackley won the weekly contest, picking 13 of the 16 games correctly.

Gloria Rackley Is Weekly Champion

Gloria Rackley was the first place winner in the football contest this week. She was one of two contestants who picked thirteen games correctly. Gloria won with her guess on the tie-breaker score.

Games she missed were: Dimmitt-Muleshoe, Arkansas-Baylor, Alabama-LSU, Denver-San Diego and L.A. Rams-New Orleans. She missed the tie-breaker by fifteen points.

Dorothy Harris took second place when she correctly picked thirteen games and missed the tie-breaker by 17 points. Games she missed were Dimmitt-Muleshoe, Alabama-LSU, UCLA-Stanford, Denver-San Diego and L.A. Rams-New Orleans.

Wayne Thatcher picked 12 games correctly and won third place. Games he missed were: Morton-Shallowater, Arkansas-Baylor, Alabama-LSU, UCLA-Stanford, Denver-San Diego, L.A. Rams-New Orleans. He missed the tie-breaker score by eight points.

Other contestants picking 12 were Scott Scaff, Rusty Venable, Bill Boling, Richard Fox, Penny Johnson and Kelly McClaran.

Other scores were: 11--Rick Anderson, Joe Blackwell, Howard Card, Ronnie Cary, Jack Clayton,

Matt Fox, Kimberly Jones, Susan Kerby, Rhonda Keyes, Brad Lance, Jim Lance, Edna Minyen, Jay Sherrill, Dean Stanberry, Michelle Stanberry and Mary Jane Wilson.

10--Denise Anderson, Jerry Bentley, Hattie Burnett, Teresa Cary, Jimmie Cockerham, Joe Harris, Mark Harrison, Darren Hromas, Matt Hromas, Doug Johnson, Patsy Lance, Cathie Lanham, Greg McClaran, Byron Neal, Joe Rackley, Mike Read, Patsy Sherrill, Steve Sherrill, Cory Smith, Jan Smith, Dorothy Stowers, Virginia Steele, Glenden Sudderth, Janie Sudderth, A.M. Wilson and Opal Wines.

9--Tilly Card, Frank Gonzales Jr., Danny Harris, Daniel Hernandez, Irma Hernandez, Al Kerby Jr., Mike Lance, Rose McCain, Ellice Martinez, Johnnie Martinez, Mindy Neal, Joe Olvera, Randy Richards, Martha Schilling, Todd Schilling, Rick Stanberry, Don Spring, Blake Sudderth, Scott Sudderth and Richard Villarreal.

Brad Lance is still in the overall lead with 126 points. Close behind is Hattie Burnett with 123 points.

Jimmie Cockerham, Matt Hromas and Scott Sudderth have 120 points.

Clements Wins Big In City, County

Bovina voters matched the trend of their Parmer County neighbors in giving a big edge to ex-Governor Bill Clements in his successful run for the governor's office last Tuesday.

Clements received 231 votes, 62.4 per cent, in the Bovina precinct, to 135 for Mark White. Clements carried Parmer County with 1482 votes to 680 for White, a healthy 67.7 per cent margin for Clements.

In the congressional race, Bovina went for challenger, Gerald McCathern, with 219 votes, 65.4 per cent, to 116 for Larry Combest.

Countywide, McCathern received 61.3 per cent of the Parmer County vote, to 38.7 per cent for Combest. Unfortunately for the Hereford resident, the totals were almost exactly reversed in the district as a whole.

McCathern carried the three Friona precincts, 496-287, 63.3 per cent to 36.7. He carried every voting precinct, losing only the absentee box, where Combest led, 53-30.

Roy Barrera, who made a strong bid to become the first Hispanic candidate to win a statewide race, carried four precincts in Parmer County against incumbent Attorney-General Jim Mattox.

Barrera won Friona 2 by 68-64; Friona 2-2 by 93-80; Rhea, 25-21 and the absentee box, 46-37. Mattox held a narrow lead in the county, 1087-923, and won the election by about the same margin.

Jim Hightower won all but three precincts in the county in his race for re-election as state Agricultural Commissioner.

He was edged by his opponent, Bill Powers in Friona 2-1 by 224-220, in 2-2 by 101-78 and in the absentee box, 46-34.

In the voting for the four constitutional amendments, county voters also went along with the state trend by favoring all four.

Proposition 1 (taxing railroad equipment) passed, 960-780. Proposition 2 (titles for legislative bills) passed, 1071-664. Proposition 3 (mutual funds) was approved, 923-807, and Proposition 4 (branch banking) was okayed, 1027-870.

Mustangs Play Close But Miss Playoffs

Bovina High School's Mustangs played a valiant game before dropping a 14-7 decision to the Petersburg Buffaloes Friday at Petersburg.

The two teams were playing for the district's second playoff spot, and Petersburg clinched it with the win.

But the Mustangs gave the Buffaloes a run for their money. They scored late in the second quarter, and held a 7-6 halftime lead.

It was a tough defensive battle, the Mustangs used a fumble to set up their touchdown.

Bovina punted to Petersburg, they fumbled the punt and Bovina recovered. The Mustangs drove on down and scored, with Todd Ware going in from the eight yard line. Bud Venable kicked the point after, giving Bovina a 7-6 lead.

Petersburg accepted the challenge. The Buffs took the second half kickoff and drove the length of the field in a sustained drive to score the go-ahead touchdown.

After that, both teams' defenses toughened, and neither was able to dent the other's goal-line. Bovina

got down to Petersburg's 30 a couple of times, but couldn't score.

"It was a great effort. The kids played well. We did the best we could do, but it just wasn't quite enough," said Coach Bill Talley. Although disappointed with the loss, Coach Talley was openly proud of his team, which has made tremendous strides this season.

Bovina had one more first down in the game, although Petersburg had a lead in the total yardage.

Individually, Ware gained 92 yards on 25 attempts. Bud Venable gained 19 yards on six tries, and

Albert Espinosa had 12 yards on six tries.

Espinosa completed four of six passes. He had a 43-yard completion to Vicente Munoz, a 12-yarder to Ware; a five-yard gain to Noah Villa and a six-yarder to Manuel Porras.

Denver Riddle intercepted a Petersburg pass near the Bovina goal-line just before the half ended, for a stellar defensive play for the Mustangs.

Talley, in speaking about the team's improvement, lauded the work done by the assistant coaches in teaching the team this season.



JOHN ERICKSON DAY... Shown is Mayor Dudley Hughes as he signs a proclamation declaring Wednesday, November 12 as John Erickson Day in Bovina. The nationally-known author and humorist will be speaking to the students Wednesday afternoon, parents invited. Standing around Dudley are first and second graders, left to right, Henry Renteria, Angie Uriegas, Jason Kerby, Mandy Wilson, Luke Steelman and Jamie Dillard. The "Author Day" is sponsored by the Gifted and Talented Program and Brenda Wilson is the teacher.

Murphy Is Named To WBC Board

Don Murphy, a Bovina resident, was elected to a major position on one of the Texas Baptist Boards during the annual meeting of the 2.3-million member Baptist General Convention of Texas in El Paso, November 4-5.

Murphy, farmer and rancher, was elected to the board of trustees of Wayland Baptist University, Plainview.

Institutions of the Baptist General Convention of Texas include eight universities, one academy, seven hospitals, four children's homes and four homes for the aging.

This work is supported by the more than 5,000 Texas Baptist churches and missions which will give about \$60 million this year through the Cooperative Program for mission work at home and abroad.

Besides the institutions, the Convention helps support worldwide missions causes including 7,350 missionaries in the United States and more than 100 foreign nations.

BHS Will Play Anton In Finale

The Mustangs will close out their 1986 football season by travelling to Anton on Friday. With a win, Bovina can claim third place in the district standings.

Anton has compiled a 4-5 season record and 3-3 in district play.

"It's a game we have a chance to win. I think we'll bounce back and win it, and have third place to ourselves," said Coach Bill Talley.

The Mustangs should have all of their players available for the game. They played the Petersburg game without Homer Renteria, who was out of action with an injury.

A win in the game would allow Bovina to finish the season with a 4-6 season record and 4-3 in district, quite an improvement over a team that had compiled only a tie in the 20 games prior to this season.

Noted Author Will Appear Here Wed.

John Erickson, nationally known author and humorist, will speak to classes in Bovina elementary, junior high and high school on Wednesday afternoon--kindergarten through fifth grade, 1-1:45 p.m.; junior high, 6-12 grades, 2-2:45 p.m. Parents are invited to attend.

This "Author Day" is sponsored by the Gifted and Talented classes with Brenda Wilson as teacher.

Mayor Dudley Hughes declared November 12 as John Erickson Day.

John R. Erickson is author, speaker, and former cowboy. He is the author of 17 books and is perhaps best-known for his Hank, the Cowdog series of books and cassette tapes, one of which appeared as an animated cartoon program on "CBS Storybreak" in May, 1985. He has addressed audiences all across the western U.S. and Canada, and has made appearances at the Library of Congress and the Institute of Texan Cultures.

Erickson shares people's concern about what today's children are exposed to on radio and television, in books and magazines, and at the movies. He provides an alternative. Read what one prominent educator, Dr. Lawrence Clayton, Dean of Arts and Sciences at Hardin-Simmons University, wrote about Erickson in Abilene Reporter-News:

"Readers who have not yet discovered the delightful work of John R. Erickson have missed a rare opportunity...To make his stories come alive, Erickson has made cassette recordings of his Hank stories. The tapes have proven extremely valuable to teachers, particularly those of reluctant readers...As a motivating tool in the education process, Erickson may make his greatest contribution...He may well be the most promising young writer in

the state," said Mrs. Wilson. Erickson will be bringing his books and tapes to sell and will be available to autograph his books after the assemblies.

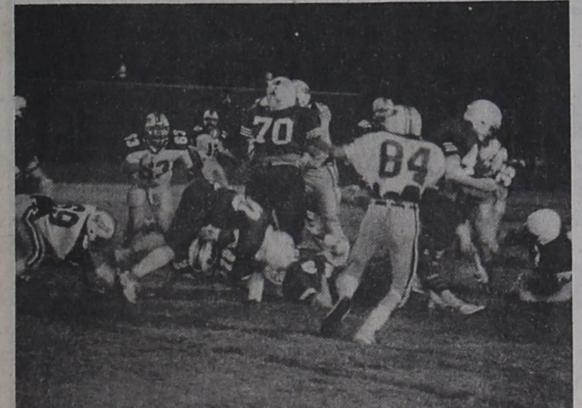
Erickson is a native of Perryton, Texas and lives there with his wife and three children.



JOHN ERICKSON Two Accidents Investigated In District

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties, said, "For the month of September, our troopers investigated two fatal accidents, 74 personal injury accidents, and 125 property damage accidents. There were two persons killed and 115 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Billy Don Scott of Hereford stated, "In Parmer County, our troopers investigated five personal injury accidents and four property damage accidents during September. No one was killed and three persons were injured in these accidents."



MUSTANG ACTION... Bovina's Mustangs have compiled a fine district record, and will be shooting for third place on Friday at Anton. The Mustangs are shown in recent action. Number 70 is Tom Fuentes, lineman.



Ex-Bovina Lady Runs In Race

Nancy Orman, formerly Nancy Hutto, was one of 250 runners who participated in the 12th Annual Allsup's Fall Roadraces, held October 18 in Clovis, New Mexico. Calm and beautiful weather proved to be great racing conditions for competitors from as far away as Albuquerque and Wichita Falls. Running enthusiasts of all ages competed in Allsup's one-mile event, 10,000 meter event, and the half and full marathons.

Nancy participated in the one mile race and her time was 7:52.9. Her parents are Ed and Alta Hutto of Clovis, also former Bovina residents.



Police Report

Sunday, November 8, officer Scott Burton was called to the scene of an accident at 201 Second Street. Mona Contreras Rocha was travelling east about 3:20 a.m. and ran into the back of a semi-truck belonging to Lupe Salazar.

Mrs. Rocha suffered minor injuries and was taken by Bovina Ambulance to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona where she was treated and released.

It was discovered on Monday morning of this week that a hydraulic pump had been taken off a header of a combine at T-Bone's Equipment on Highway 60.

The combine had been sold at auction to Ted Richards of Farwell and when he came after the combine Monday morning, it was discovered that the hydraulic pump was gone. The pump was valued at about \$435.

Mario Espinoza of Bovina was arrested Monday, November 10, for sexual assault of a juvenile. He was taken to the County Jail in Farwell.

REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade

30 YEARS AGO--NOV. 14, 1956

Saturday marked the seventh in a series of Boost Bovina Days, sponsored by Bovina Jaycees and local merchants. The drawing, with \$30 in script given away, was, as usual, held at 4:30 p.m.

Coach Bob Wills' Bovina Mustangs, riding high after last week's 38-7 slaughter of Lazbuddie, will be trying to make it two in a row as they go against Whitharral in the final game of the season.

In a lengthy, business-filled meeting Monday in the fire station, Bovina Volunteer Fire Department discussed, among other things, purchasing a "good used" pickup for use in their fire fighting.

25 YEARS AGO--NOV. 15, 1961

Bovina High School library was approved as a public library by school board action during a regular meeting Monday night.

A Bovina FFA quiz team earned a fourth place in Littlefield District Leadership Contests conducted at Muleshoe Saturday.

New Christmas lights may decorate Bovina this season. The possibility of purchasing new Christmas lighting decorations was discussed at a called meeting of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture last week.

20 YEARS AGO--NOV. 16, 1966

A \$268,000 bond election, to be presented in three proposals, has been set for Saturday, December 3, by the board of trustees of Bovina Independent School District for a new elementary school, a football stadium, track and a field house.

The Parmer County 4-H Club Achievement Banquet will be Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Bovina Schools Cafeteria, according to Ronny McNutt, county agent.

The Community Medical Survey, conducted since October 26 by the Bovina Women's Study Club, was completed Tuesday morning. Final figures show the area far over "the top" in comparison to what is required to receive a Sears-Roebuck Foundation grant which will furnish equipment for a medical

clinic and provide a doctor.

Bovina got a new supply of water Friday afternoon when John Wilson, city water superintendent, and Ralph Douglas of Muleshoe, engineer, turned on the pumps of the new 700-gallon a minute well on Ninth Street. At this rate, it takes seven hours to fill the new 300,000 gallon storage tank.

15 YEARS AGO--NOV. 17, 1971

Light rain Monday and a wind storm Monday night brought harvesting in the area to a halt.

U.S. Congressman George Mahon of Lubbock, who has had Parmer County added to his 19th Congressional District, is scheduled to visit in Parmer County Tuesday.

Mary Jane Wilson won first place prize money in the tenth week of Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Contest and Ted Graham retained his three-point lead for the grand prize. The winner this week was one of four to correctly predict all ten games. She was awarded \$5 on the basis of her tie-breaker score, which was 12 points off the actual score. Mrs. Wilson picked Bovina to win, 35-7.

10 YEARS AGO--NOV. 17, 1976

Last Friday and Saturday saw some four inches of snowfall and low temperatures in Bovina and the High Plains.

Law officers were summoned

School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 17-21

MONDAY--Goulash, tossed salad, cornbread, peach half and milk.

TUESDAY--Nachos, Mexican salad, crackers, spiced cake and milk.

WEDNESDAY--Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, fruit salad and milk.

THURSDAY--Corn dogs, au gratin potatoes, tossed salad, crackers, pear half and milk.

FRIDAY--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, brownie and milk.

here Monday just after noon, when apparently a crank caller told that a bomb was going to explode at First State Bank. Investigations found no evidence of a bomb, but the bank was evacuated and closed for the remainder of the day as a precautionary measure. Such tactics are commonplace in the large metropolitan areas, but this was a new experience for the local area.

5 YEARS AGO--NOV. 11, 1986

Charles Johnson of Bovina and Devera Rhodes of Friona were named Gold Star Boy and Girl for Parmer County in 4-H at the annual awards banquet. Charles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson.

Terry Moore and Marie Pesch were among eight youngsters who received special awards from the Parmer County Farm Bureau in a presentation last week.

Funeral services were held for Florence Nance Shepherd. She was survived by five sons of Bovina and two daughters and her husband, John.

Bovina won a tough game Friday night 37-12 and Bovina evened its district record at 2-2.



CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY....Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dutton of 1700 West Ninth Street, Friona, will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, November 15 from 2-4 p.m. in the Community Room of Friona State Bank. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

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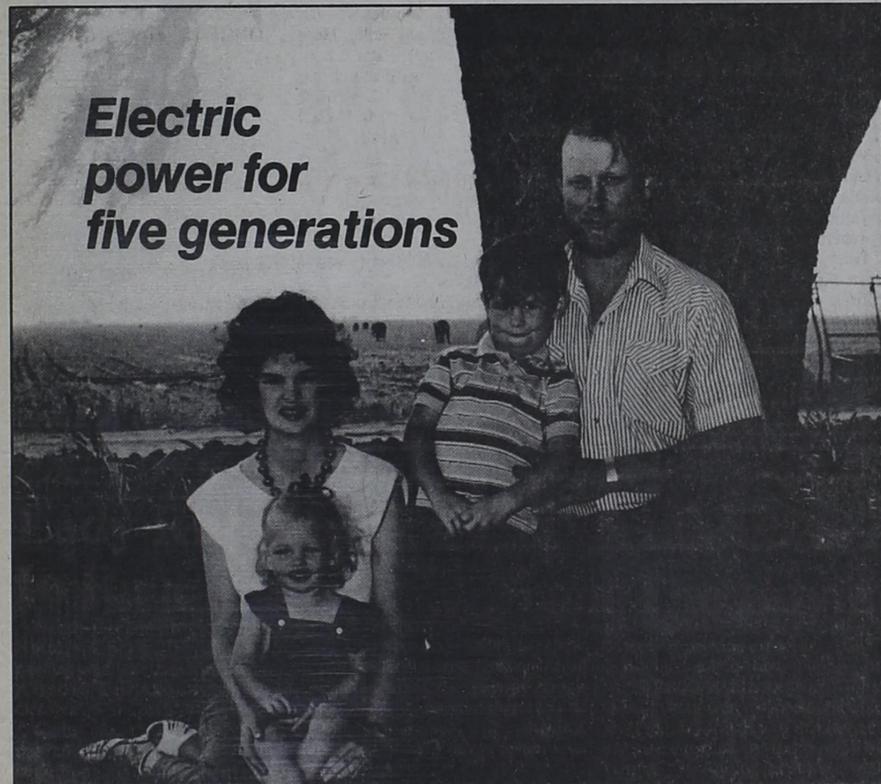
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By DONNA ECHOLS

This week John Cooper returned to the home from a stay in the hospital and Earl Drake went home on Wednesday. Mrs. Allen is still not feeling very well.

George Millard's son came to visit him from Corpus Christi. Olive Lawrence has had company and so has Mrs. Allen.

Jinx Snead gave the residents some beautiful lap robes to use this winter and we appreciate her sharing with us.

We thank volunteers for coming to help with nail and hair care this week. The Bovina United Methodist Women were not able to come and Christine Zorns, Gertie Murphree and Jeanette Collard came and worked. Thanks!

Mrs. Mary Cross has been to the doctor and received a new hearing aid. She is much more able to communicate with others and enjoys the day more.

We want to thank Geary Brogden for his visit this week. We also appreciate Donna and Archie Echols and Raymond and Janis Auburg for taking Ben Israel to the football games and the Thespian Play. Some of our residents have no family members close by to help take care of them and so it is good to have people in the community entertain them. If you have some time to visit someone here who has no one, or if you would like to adopt one of our residents and take them to get a Coke, see the

harvesting or the changing of the colors of trees or take them to church sometimes, please contact Prairie Acres.

The Sixth Street Church of Christ is to come and do nail and hair care this Tuesday and the Bovina United Methodist Church will be here to do the church service at 4 p.m. this Sunday. You are invited to join us.

Ruth Jones will celebrate her birthday on the 10th and Murray Echols will have a birthday on the 16th. Employee Gloria Romero will have a birthday on the 11th.

A memorial has been received for Fred Burch from J.H. and Vera Clay of Muleshoe.

Our sympathy is expressed to the family of Robert Manley who died this week. Robert had lived in our home since October, 1985 and was 39 years old.

One of our residents has a prayer to share:
Dear God,
In this harvest time
I am reminded of
Your request for laborers
To help You
In Your earthly task
Of harvesting souls.

The fields of need are all around us
The sick need soothing;
The grieving, support;
The lost sheep need to be found.

In this harvest time
I am ready, God.
Send me.



50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.... O.H. and Carlene Jones were honored with a reception at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Brenda and Jon Lin Riddle on August 25. Their children hosted the reception. They are Brenda Riddle, Kathy Boozer, Reggie Jones and Donald Jones. Fifty guests attended the reception and a cookout was held following the reception.

Anniversary Reception Honors O.H. Joneses

O.H. and Carlene Jones celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Brenda and Jon Lin Riddle, 706 Ridgelea Drive in Bovina.

Hosting the reception were their children, Jon and Brenda Riddle,

Lowell and Kathy Boozer of Canyon, Reggie and Sandra Jones of Amarillo and Donald and Vicky Jones of Farwell.

The reception was attended by fifty guests and the group enjoyed a cookout following the reception.

The table was decorated with a two-layered white cake with gold colored flowers and topped with a 50th emblem to celebrate the occasion. Their daughter, Brenda, fashioned the table cloth which was white lace with a satin pleated border. The table was complimented with gold appointments and candles. Nuts, mints and punch were served with the cake.

The Joneses were married in Memphis, Texas in 1936. They lived there for thirteen years before moving to Plainview, where they lived four years before coming to Bovina. They have lived in Bovina 33 years. O.H. is a retired farmer.

Guests at the reception were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Massa of Amarillo; Mrs. Lorene Matthews of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen, Mrs. David Kilgore, Mrs. Sarah Kilgore, Mrs. Beulah Martin, all of Memphis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Vagil, Ramona Vagil, Janice Billingsley, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Todd and Robbie Castor of Levelland; Jackie Martin of Cisco, Texas.

Also, Anna and Keith Martin of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eves of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Boozer of Canyon and their children, Misti, David, Amy and Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones and children, Corey, Cindy, Jeremy and Kristi of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Jon Lin Riddle and children, Casey and Denver; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton of Bovina; Lois Billingsley of Oklahoma Lane; and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Kiker of Wellington.

Longhorn Roundup

By VICKIE BURCH

Lazbuddie juniors took the exit level TEAMS test on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 28 and 29.

On Monday, October 29, Lazbuddie counselor, Mrs. Anne Farris, and Ms. Monica Herrera, Talent Search counselor from Eastern New Mexico University, met with Lazbuddie seniors to talk about college preparations, career plans, financial aid, and other services available to students from the Talent Search Program.

The girls and boys cross-country track teams traveled to Littlefield for the district cross-country track meet on Tuesday, October 28. The Lazbuddie boys and girls placed third in district. Regionals will be in Lubbock on Saturday, November 8.

The Lazbuddie Longhorn Band participated in the UIL marching contest at Texas Tech on Saturday, October 25. They received a Division 3.

Lazbuddie's Halloween Carnival had a good turnout on Saturday, October 25. The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers held their annual costume contest prior to the carnival. Club members said that the costumes were outstanding this year.

A health careers program was presented to Lazbuddie Junior High and High School students on Wednesday, October 29. Representatives from Texas Health Careers conducted the program to acquaint students with the many medical jobs available, some requiring short-term training, others requiring long-term training. High school counselor, Mrs. Anne Farris, was on hand to help answer students' questions.

In junior high football action, the Longhorns tied with Nazareth on October 23 and beat Sudan, 6-0 on October 30.

On Tuesday, October 21, Lazbuddie ISD conducted a parent workshop to explain Lazbuddie's Discipline Management Plan. Also included were presentations for parents entitled "Effective Discipline Techniques for Parents" and "Study Skills, How Parents Can Help." High school principal, Mr. Roy Willingham, went over the Discipline Management Plan, Mr. Carl Bodiford discussed "Study Skills in Social Studies" and Ms. Rebecca Williams presented "Study Skills for Language Arts" and SQ3R. Elementary principal, Mrs. Anne Farris, distributed handouts on reading and study skills.

Those present at the workshop listened to a tape on effective discipline techniques. The tape also reviewed the three types of manipulation that children use on adults: begging, anger and refusal. These are the three major tools used in the power struggle with adults in authority. The workshop brought positive comments from those parents attending.

There will be a basketball scrimmage by Lazbuddie's JV girls with Springlake here at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, November 10.



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Parmer County Voting Results

	Black (1)	Friena (2)	Friena (2-1)	Friena (2-2)	Bovina (3)	Lazbuddie (4)	Farwell (5)	O.L. (6)	Rhea (7)	Lakeview (8)	Absentee	Totals
McCathern	34	98	295	103	219	199	159	76	36	49	30	1298
Combest	15	37	172	78	116	196	65	60	13	16	53	821
White	11	44	148	37	135	142	59	60	3	14	27	680
Clements	36	102	316	142	231	271	158	73	44	50	59	1482
Doyle	1	4	4	1	4	5	5	1	2	0	0	27
Hobby	33	76	260	85	196	229	85	88	21	39	39	1151
Davidson	13	53	189	88	124	171	74	43	26	26	42	849
Howell	0	5	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	17
Mattox	24	64	238	80	192	213	87	85	21	46	37	1087
Barrera	22	68	217	93	136	178	71	47	25	20	46	923
Stephens	0	3	4	2	1	4	1	0	3	0	0	18
Bullock	33	86	298	106	232	253	113	95	31	52	46	1345
Meeks	1	13	18	11	2	18	17	17	2	2	2	103
Richards	32	81	294	101	221	254	11	93	33	53	46	1319
Reid	1	9	12	10	2	22	13	16	0	1	3	89
Mauro	33	81	277	101	189	198	81	86	31	43	37	1157
Anderson	11	45	159	68	118	167	69	40	17	20	42	756
Lanham	0	2	4	0	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	15
Hightower	34	81	220	78	212	229	96	71	26	40	34	1121
Powers	14	51	224	101	118	163	72	58	23	26	46	896
Reed	0	4	2	1	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	13
Sharp	29	66	257	91	197	210	81	83	28	38	38	1118
Fox	13	45	168	69	101	139	59	37	18	21	38	708
Daniel	1	6	2	63	1	8	2	1	0	0	0	84
Mauzy	26	56	210	63	174	160	60	65	19	38	33	904
Howell	17	57	215	100	114	184	76	49	25	19	46	902
Campbell	31	65	235	74	186	175	70	69	22	38	35	1000
White	12	49	179	84	93	152	66	43	22	16	43	759
Wallace	31	81	278	91	211	225	94	89	33	46	50	1229
Rawlins	2	5	1	5	2	11	7	15	0	0	1	49
Gonzalez	19	56	200	52	164	146	40	65	13	28	27	810
Bates	25	63	226	107	126	199	100	52	35	27	49	1009
No. 1, For	16	66	230	106	134	176	93	53	23	31	32	960
Against	28	45	140	52	128	155	85	64	17	25	41	780
No. 2, For	20	76	261	104	144	194	115	57	26	32	42	1071
Against	23	36	110	49	119	133	63	59	16	24	32	664
No. 3, For	17	57	228	99	123	178	81	55	26	27	32	923
Against	26	54	148	59	140	145	98	57	15	30	35	807
No. 4, For	16	74	235	76	140	217	115	56	25	28	45	1027
Against	29	52	169	87	169	132	82	71	20	34	25	870
Total Vote:	48	150	487	184	375	424	231	139	51	66	98	2253

Contest Standings

126--Brad Lance.
123--Hattie Burnett.
120--Jimmie Cockerham, Matt Hromas, Scott Sudderth.
119--Al Kerby Jr.
118--Cathie Lanham, Gloria Rackley, Glenden Sudderth.
117--R.J. Keyes.
116--Lori Bales, Howard Card, Jay Sherrill, Steve Sherrill, Mary Jane Wilson.
115--Jerry Roach, Dorothy Stowers.
114--Mike Lance, Mike Read, Pat Sherrill, Dean Stanberry.

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Annabeth Friemel, Doug Roming Are United In Church Ceremony

Annabeth Friemel of Pflugerville, Texas and George Douglas Roming of Round Rock, Texas exchanged wedding vows before the altars of the St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford, November 15 at 3 p.m.

Annabeth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Friemel of Hereford and Doug is the son of Ralph and Donna Roming of Austin.

Fr. Joe Egan of St. Anthony's Church officiated at the wedding ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Jerome Friemel.

Serving as maid of honor was Kolleen McCathern and best man was Milton Charanza of Bay City.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Kurt Johnson of Carrollton, sister of the bride; Karen Friemel, sister of the bride; Mrs. Bradley Allen of Littlefield, sister of the groom; and Krista Gerber of Dumas, cousin of the bride.

Groomsmen were Keith Meadows of Weatherford, John Young of Hale Center, Tony Dunkerly of Henrietta, and Ned Polk of Belton, all friends of the groom.

Ushers were Bradley Allen of Littlefield, brother-in-law of the groom; Todd Ellis of Muleshoe; Barry Friemel and Randy Friemel, brothers of the bride.

Serving as flower girl was Alysa Friemel, niece of the bride. She is the daughter of Barry and Cindy Friemel. Ring bearer was Taylor Allen, nephew of the groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Allen.

The music was provided by Cheryl Betzen and vocalists were Melanie Kritser, who sang "On Eagle's Wings," "Ave Maria," and "There Is Love."

The bride's gown was an ivory-colored gown of re-embroidered alencon lace and taffeta, with a high victorian neckline and Renaissance sleeves. The fitted bodice featured a bosque waistline, center-back keyhole and over-sized bow at the back waistline. The semi-cathedral length train of taffeta was hemmed with venice lace.

She wore a French alencon small brim hat that was accented with pencil edge ruffle tulle on the brim,

and beaded lace flower appliques. A pencil edge, two-tiered veil with pearl dotted poof completed the hat.

Her bouquet was a crescent-shaped bouquet of ivory silk roses and mums with baby's breath.

She wore her mother-in-law's gold and pearl earrings and her mother's pearl rosary entwined in her bouquet.

Her attendants' dresses and flowers consisted of wedgewood blue taffeta tea-length dresses with fitted bodices and princess waistlines. The dresses featured full elbow-length sleeves and a large bow at the backs of the waistlines.

They carried long-stemmed bouquets of blue silk roses, mums, tiny bell flowers and baby's breath tied with blue ribbon streamers.

The reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall and Mrs. Kirk Payne of Amarillo and Mrs. Brad Garner of Dalhart served wedding cake to the guests. Mrs. George Aleman served the punch and Cookie Reyes registered the guests.

The table decorations and cake included a lace covered blue tablecloth and a three-tiered cake with fountain in the center. A Precious Moments bride and groom figurine, a gift from the maid of honor, topped the cake.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, the bride chose a khaki gunne sax dress with ivory lace collar and matching ivory belt and Ropers.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Hereford High School, attended West Texas State University two years and was a member of the Chi Omega fraternity. She now attends Austin Community College and is a word processor for the Texas Water Commission.

The bridegroom is originally from Bovina, graduated from Bovina High School and is a 1984 graduate of Texas A&M University. He is an environmental specialist for Jones and Neuse Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gerber of Umbarger, Josephine Friemel of Canyon and Robert and Emmogene Calaway of Bovina.



Mrs. Doug Roming



DEBRA GILBREATH and EDWARD MICHAELS.... Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbreath of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Patrick Michaels of Amarillo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Debra Gilbreath and Edward Michaels, both of Amarillo. The wedding will be held at the Bovina Church of Christ, December 20 at 4 p.m. The bride-elect is a 1977 Bovina High School graduate and graduated from West Texas State University in 1982. She is employed at River Road High School. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Palo Duro High School in Amarillo and is employed at Mason and Hanger-Siles Mason Company in Amarillo. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the wedding and reception.



Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

Cold, cold weather moved in on Monday of this week and there may be snow flurries before the week is over. Farmers harvesting corn began again Monday and hopefully the weather will cooperate and they can finish with the corn harvest. The cotton farmers have little hope of harvesting much cotton this season and gin owners are predicting a real short time of harvest.

Our hearts were saddened this week with the death of Bethal Wilcox. She had lived in Bovina for many years and had many friends here. To know her was to love her. Services were conducted

Mrs. Wilcox's Rites Held Here Monday

Funeral services for Bethal Elizabeth Wilcox, 83, of Bovina, Texas, were held Monday, November 10 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Bovina.

The Rev. Richard Grisham officiated, assisted by the Rev. Royce Denton. Burial was in the Bovina Cemetery with Steed-Todd Funeral Home handling arrangements.

Mrs. Wilcox died Saturday, November 8, 1986 in a Clovis nursing home.

She was born April 25, 1903, in Custer County, Oklahoma. She married W.W. Wilcox on January 27, 1929, at Morewood, Oklahoma. She was a member of the Bovina Senior Citizens, Womens Missionary Society and the Bovina Quilting Club.

Survivors include four sons, Ike of Muleshoe, Wayne of Coahoma, Texas, Allen Ray and Philip, both of Garden City, Kansas; three daughters, Wilma June Sisco of Modesto, California, Willa Mae Walters of Sierra Vista, Arizona and Ruby McCormick of Clovis; three brothers, Bud Cordum of Stockton, California, Coy Cordum of Kileen, Texas, and Buford Cordum of Phoenix, Arizona; two sisters, Zephia Page of Elk City, Oklahoma and Ina Elsworth of Arlington, Texas; twenty-two grandchildren and twenty-four great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Wilcox was preceded in death by her husband, W.W. Wilcox in October of 1984, and one brother, Clark Cordum in November of 1984.

Pallbearers were her grandsons, Rick Wilcox, Kenneth Wilcox, Marlin Wilcox, Dennis Wilcox, Brett Sisco, Jeff Walters, Roy Walters and Keith McCormick.

at the First Baptist Church Monday morning. She was survived by four sons, three daughters, and several grandchildren.

O.H. and Carlene Jones were honored with a reception celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Fifty people attended and a cookout was held following the reception. We understand Brenda Riddle did a fantastic job on the decorations and looking at the pictures, we believe it. Anyway, congratulations to the Joneses. They have lived in Bovina for thirty-three years and are a sweet couple.

We talked with Denise Sudderth last week and she was asking about Bovina people. She and her husband, Don, still have the good eating place in Alamogordo, New Mexico and she said they now have a waffle and pancake house across the parking lot. They were fine and sent their regards. Also said "come by to see them" if you are out that way.

The Methodist women have been working hard to have a good bazaar and it will be held a week from Friday, November 21 at the First State Bank Community Room. They also have the good pecans, which are \$4.25 a pound this year and well worth the money!

This week's study taught at the home of Tammy Willard will be entitled "How do you live with a woman by being a man, God's man?" All women are invited and it will be Friday from 9-11.

Terri Sorley suffered a broken foot when she jumped off the cabinet in her kitchen. It seems she came down on someone's shoe lying on the floor and the fall caused a break in the big bone of her foot.

Have you seen Kay Williams' shiner? She and Tommy were at their daughter Lezli's home in Munday, Texas. One of the grandchildren almost fell from the sundeck and Kay rescued the child, only she fell off. Well, anything for the safety of a grandchild! At least that's the story told.

Brother Richard Grisham, his wife Velma, and Billy and Suezy Smith attended the Texas Baptist Convention held in El Paso during recent days. They went on Tuesday of last week and returned home Thursday.

Janie Beauchamp's brother-in-

law was to have very serious surgery and she and Tom are with the family now.

Lois McCutchan is home from the hospital but taking it easy. She suffered a broken foot and ankle and had surgery in the Hereford hospital. She said over the weekend, Archie's nephew and his wife, Buster and Mildred McCutchan, came from Dumas and really helped them. She is in a cast and uses a walker.

Tiny and Maggie Moore have returned home recently from a trip to Lebanon Junction, Kentucky, which is about thirty miles south of Louisville. Maggie said it was a beautiful Indian Summer there. While there, they visited with Maggie's mother, Hettie Goodrich, her two brothers, two sisters and their families. She also said ole Bud made the trip real well. He's their German Shepherd dog.

Joe and Sue Fowler returned home last week from a trip to Cleveland, Tennessee, where they visited with her brother, Lonnie Gross and his family. She said the countryside was so lovely this time of year that there just weren't words to describe all the beauty they saw on their trip.

The Bovina Woman's Study club will be meeting on Thursday, November 13. Last week, they announced that there would be a program on cancer and the public was invited to attend. The program has been cancelled. The club will have a meeting at that time but the volunteer from the Cancer Society will not be here and that program has been cancelled.

Loyd and Irma Nabors, their daughter Karen and her children, Carrie and Kale have returned home from a trip to Oklahoma City where they visited with Karen's twin sister, Sharon, her husband Dave Sherrill and their children, Candace and Todd. They had a good time together.

Jim and Idella Owen returned home Monday from a trip to Odessa where they visited with their grandson and family, Dwain and Lori Kelley and children, Keegen and Jacoby. They also visited in Seminole with their son Don, his wife Pam and their daughter Tonya. She said they had a good time and came home just before the norther hit on Monday.

Nellie Crook moved to Grand Prairie to be near her son French and his family. Everyone was sad

at the thought of her moving, but hope she'll be happy at her new home. If you would like to drop her a card, her address is 3554 Hardrock Rd., Grand Prairie, Texas 75050. This is Junior's address and she plans to live in an apartment close by. When she gets settled, we'll give you her permanent address.

Thanks for helping with the news and Scoops.... Scooter.

Bazaar Set In Muleshoe

The Moonlight Extension Homemakers' eighth annual arts and crafts bazaar will be held on November 14 from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. and November 15 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. in the Bailey County Civic Center, 2200 West American Boulevard, Muleshoe.

Approximately eighty booths filled with all types of items will be on display for your Christmas shopping.

The Jennyslippers will be serving a barbecue lunch on Friday and will provide concessions both days of the event.

Exhibitors from all over Texas and New Mexico will be exhibiting in the bazaar. Exhibiting from Bovina is Ruby Davies.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending October 31, 1986

Spec. WD, Prudential Insurance Company of America, Sheri Lynn Young, all of Sec. 26, Blk. H, Thomas Kelly Sub.

WD, Troy and Nichols, Inc., Secretary of Housing & Urban Development, all of Lot 3, Blk. 3, McMillen & Fergus Add., Friona

WD, Jon Mack Roden, David R. Bautista, all of Lots 5, 6, Blk. 7, McMillen & Fergus Add., Friona

WD, Arnold E. Langford, et al, Don Bandy, all of Lot 1, and part of Lot 2, Blk. 112, OT Bovina

WD, Rhonda London Keys, et al, Marion M. Treinen, all of Lots 19, 20, Blk. 1-all of Lots 1, 2, 17, 18, Blk. 1-all of Lots 3 to 16, Blk. 1 and all of Blk. 13, Gardner's Sub., Bovina

WD, Rhonda London Keys, et al, Letha Fay Treinen, all of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 21, 22, 23, 24, Blk. 2, Gardner's Sub., Bovina

WD, Rhonda London Keys, et al, Michael Wayne London, part of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 2, T10S; R2E-all of Sec. 21, T7S; R2E

WD, Marion M. Treinen, et al, Rhonda London Keys, all of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 2, T10S; R2E-all of the N 78.4' of Lots 1-5, Blk. 57, OT Bovina.

Winners Given In 4-H Horse Contest

The Llano Estacado Horse Association held its annual year end banquet in Dimmitt on October 13. The Llano Estacado Horse Association is made up of 4-H County Horse Clubs from four counties: Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro and Lamb.

Parmer County 4-H Horse Club members won these awards:

Kelley Cash--third, registered geldings under five; first, grade geldings any age; Reserve Champion Gelding; first, junior showmanship; first, junior western riding; first, junior western horsemanship; second, junior western riding; and junior high point, judging events.

J'mai Cash--first, registered geldings under five; third, registered geldings over five; seventh, senior showmanship; first, senior western horsemanship; second, senior western riding; and Reserve Champion Gelding.

Tiffany Osborn--fourth, registered mares over five; ninth, senior showmanship; third, senior western pleasure; fifth, senior western horsemanship; fifth, senior western riding; first, senior pole bending; third, senior barrels; fifth, senior flags; second, senior stakes; and runner-up senior high point speed.

Ryan Cash--tenth, junior western pleasure; and seventh,

junior western horsemanship. Justin Jeter participated in peewee events.

Michael Jeter--fifth, grade geldings any age; ninth, junior showmanship; fifth, junior western horsemanship; first, junior reining; first, junior western riding; fifth, junior western horsemanship; first, junior pole bending; first, junior barrels; first, junior flags; second, junior stakes; junior high point speed; and high point junior.

Kara Camp--fifth, junior pole bending; second, junior barrels; second, junior flags; first, junior stakes; runner-up junior high point speed.

Lana Allemand--seventh, registered geldings over five; ninth, junior showmanship; eighth, junior western pleasure; fourth, junior western horsemanship; sixth, junior western riding; tenth, junior pole bending; seventh, junior barrels; sixth, junior flags; and seventh, junior stakes.

Chad Rhodes--first, grade mares any age.

Reese Hand--fourth, registered geldings under five; eighth, senior pole bending; eighth, senior barrels; ninth, senior flags; and ninth, senior stakes.

Anyone interested in joining the Parmer County 4-H Horse Club, contact Gary Patterson, Parmer County Extension Agent.

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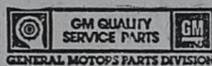
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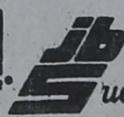
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