



BY BILL ELLIS

BOVINA WAS ONE of the first communities to come up with the idea of holding an "Almost Anything Goes" competition, patterned after the ABC-TV fun creation of the same name. The local event was a part of the city's Bull Town Days celebration of 1976.

Chairman of the local event was Chamber of Commerce board member Gaylon Rhodes. Influenced by the success of Bovina's effort, and with the recommendation of Rhodes, neighboring Friona plans to hold a similar contest as part of their Maize Days celebration next week. The contest will be on Saturday, October 2.

As we understand it, Rhodes plans to assist the Friona folks in planning the events, and in getting the props set up. He was instrumental in getting the stage set up for Bovina's show in August.

We have heard that one or two Bovina teams who participated in the local Almost Anything Goes contest plan to enter the contest at Friona.

In the meantime, we understand that this past weekend, a three-way AAG contest was held, at Shamrock if we heard it right. This particular contest pitted three rival communities against one another, similar to the TV program, and drew over 3,000 fans.

One area commentator remarked that it was really something to get that large a crowd out for something in the Panhandle other than a football game.

As the local promoters found out during the Bull Town Days contest here, the Almost Anything Goes concept provides a wide open field of things that can be done competitively, and it also makes for some of the most hilarious events you can ever imagine.

We personally were on hand for the entire day of competition at Bovina's AAG event, and we thoroughly enjoyed it. We never laughed so hard at anything in our lives as we did some of the events, and the predicaments in which contestants find themselves.

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THE TRAGIC DEATHS here last Wednesday of the two young children who suffocated in the old refrigerator was one of those things that "can't happen here," but it did.

To our knowledge, it is the first such instance involving deaths of young children in such a manner. You hear of this happening in a large city occasionally, but we had never had to report such a thing in Parmer County during our career in the newspaper business.

Such an event as this should set everyone to looking around his or her place to make sure that such a potential death trap does not lurk around their residence, and be a threat to their own or someone else's children.

We go to extremes to provide healthy conditions for our youngsters, including the medicines they need, proper food, etc. Sometimes, however, we overlook the very things that can be the most dangerous, and it takes a tragic event such as this one to call them to our attention.

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A NEWSPAPER COLUMNIST reports this as one of the finest business letter stories ever heard. The letters, obviously written by an illiterate salesman, said:

"Dear Boss: I seen this outfit which they ain't never bot a dime's worth of nothing from us and I sole them a couple hundred thousand dollars worth of guds. I am now going to chawgo."

"Dear Boss: I cum hear and I sold them half a milyon," it said.

Both letters were posted on the bulletin board with a note appended by the company president:

"We been spendin' to much time hear tryin' to spel, insted of tryin' to sel. Let's watch these letters from Gooch who is on the rode doing a grate job for us, and you GO OUT AND DO LIKE HE DONE."

(From Scooter Russell)

FOOTBALL CONTEST

Jimmy Rhodes' 12 Wins First

Scores climbed over the previous week of the Bovina Blade's Football Contest. Having only one tie, Los Angeles at Minnesota which went into overtime, helped scores to improve considerably. The other game missed by most of the contestants was the Olton-Lockney game with Lockney taking the win with a 12 to Olton's 7.

Only one contestant of the 171 to enter the contest got a score of 12 right. Five contestants were in the running for second and third place with 11 correct games.

Winning first place and the prize of \$7.50 in the weekly contest was

City Receives Tax Rebate

The City of Bovina has received its sales tax rebate in the amount of \$3,381.46. Since city rebates began monthly instead of quarterly cities are receiving their allocation 60 days sooner and this means cities can put their money to work faster, earning interest or providing services.

Comptroller Bob Bullock stated that the city sales tax money belongs to the cities in the first place and never should have been held in Austin until the end of a quarter.

Jimmy Rhodes with a score of 12. Jimmy missed the Palo Duro-Cloviss game, and the tie game which is an automatic wrong. His tie breaking score was Bovina 21 and Lazbuddie 14. It was the second week in a row for a schoolboy to claim first place. Last week's winner was Faron Grissom.

Five people were in the race for second and third place with 11 games picked correctly. Taking second place was Greg Hromas hitting the tie breaker right on the head, predicting Bovina 20 and Lazbuddie 8.

Ken Jamerson took third place being three points off, predicting Bovina 21 and Lazbuddie 6. Others to correctly pick 11 games were Letha Treinen, 4 points off, Jacque Nabers, 5 points, and Dana Harris, 9 points off the tie breaker score.

Faron Grissom, last week's winner, and Bobby Drake of Friona have the high total scores of 29 for the first three weeks of the contest. Five people have a total of 28 and nine people have a total of 27 for the three week period.

The fourth weekly contest will be found in this issue of the paper. "Be sure to get your entries in on time," reminds contest editor Gladys Spring.

In addition to the weekly cash prizes, contestants are shooting for a grand prize of \$100.00 to be awarded to the leading contestant after 13 weeks.



PRIZE WINNER....Young Jimmy Rhodes was the first place winner in the Blade's football contest with a score of 12 out of a possible 13 on the

contest slate (one game ended in a tie). A high of 171 people entered the third week's contest.

Farm Bureau Holds Annual Meeting

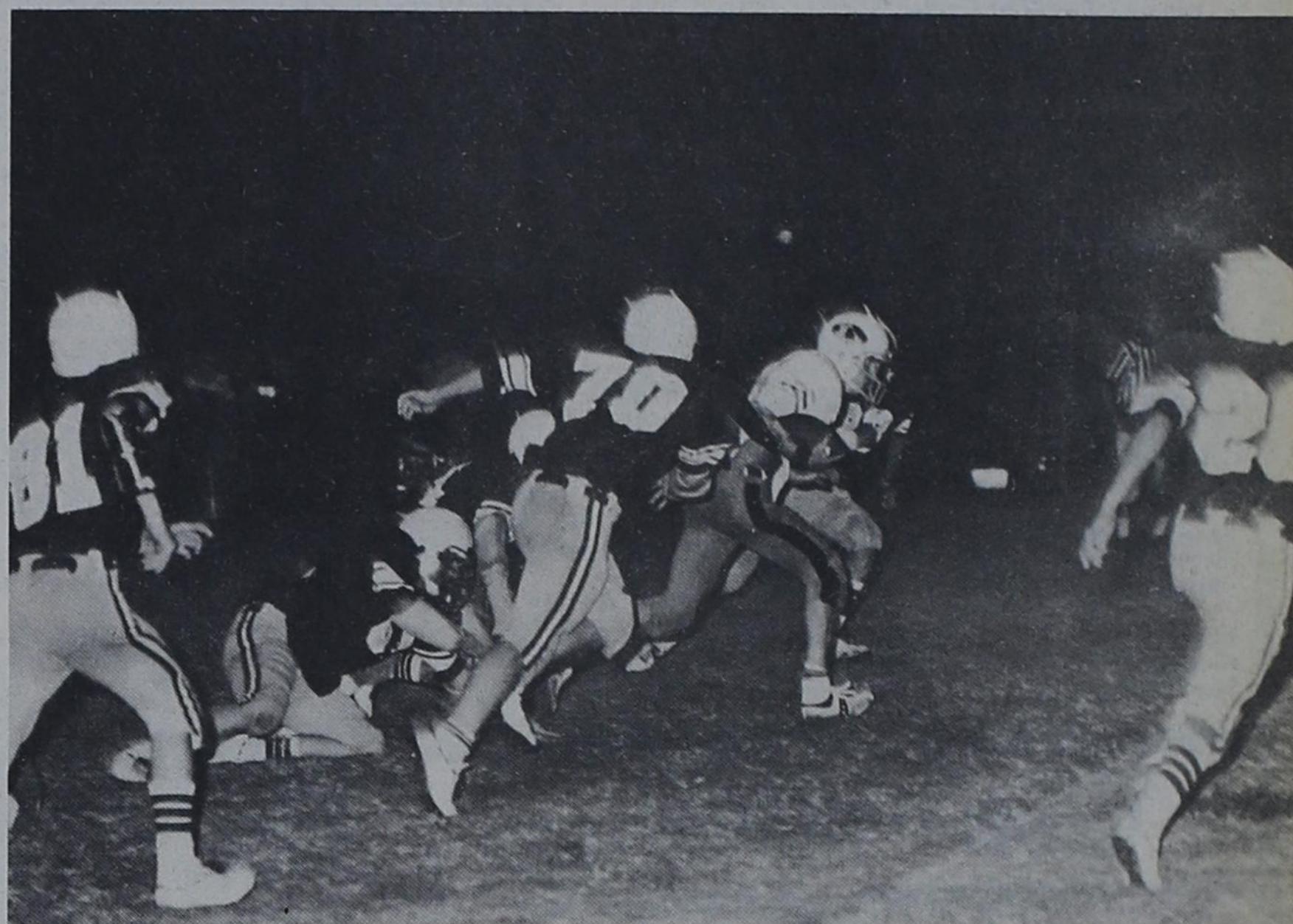
The Farm Bureau held its annual meeting Saturday, September 18, at 8 p.m. at the Bovina School cafeteria. A barbecue dinner was catered by Bovina Restaurant.

The business meeting was opened by Clarence Monroe, president. Harry Hamilton read the minutes of the meeting from last year. Ralph Roming, membership chairman, reported that the organization had received 112 new members during the past year. Milton Evans, Farm Bureau's agent for Parmer County, reported that in all fields of insurance the Farm Bureau had a very successful year.

Each year the Farm Bureau sends representatives to the Youth Seminar held in Waco, Texas. Those attending this year included Melodi Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon of Rhea; Judy Lusk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lusk of Lazbuddie; and Deana Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams of Farwell.

Honored also by the Farm Bureau each year is the work of the 4-H Club youth of Parmer County. Those honored this year were Kim Gregory and Russell Windham from Lazbuddie; Kara Mills and Dale Turner from the Bovina Jr. 4-H Club; Pam Rhodes and Steve Cockerham from the Bovina Sr. 4-H Club; Lisa Darby and William Martin of the Farwell Jr. Club; Yolanda Martin and Kelly Mitchell, Farwell Sr. Club; Wendy Tatum and Ben Landrum from the Friona 4-H Club, and Carrie Schueler and Gary Schueler from the Rhea 4-H Club.

W. T. Magness resigned his position on the board because of health reasons. Thanks were expressed to Magness for his years of service as a member and board member. New board members elected included Jerry Brown-place 2; Floyd Schueler-place 4; John Dixon-place 6; Donald Watkins-place 10; and Pete Jesko-place 12.



(Photo by Rick Luther)

SHORT GAIN....An unidentified Lazbuddie runner is pursued by Bovina defenders during the fourth period of Friday night's game in

Bovina. Chasing the Lazbuddie back is, David Steelman (No. 70), Tommy Serna (No. 20), and Mike London (No. 81). Mustang head coach Joe

Christian is very "optimistic as far as what the kids have accomplished so far this season." Bovina now holds a 2-1 record.

SUFFOCATION VICTIMS

Rites Held Locally For Two Youngsters

Funeral services were conducted here on Saturday for two young suffocation victims.

The youths, Jesse Sevallos, 3, and his brother, David Morales, 7, apparently accidentally locked themselves in an abandoned refrigerator behind the Gateway Apartments.

An older girl who was taking care of the boys missed them around 2 p.m. A search was launched, and they were discovered by another brother at approximately 4:40 p.m. Wednesday.

An ambulance was dispatched from Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home in Friona, but the youths were taken to Parmer County Community Hospital by private car.

They were pronounced dead on

arrival at the hospital by Friona Justice of the Peace Frances Euler, who ruled accidental death.

The boys' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sevallos, live in the Gateway Apartments. Sevallos is employed by Gateway Produce in Bovina. The family had been Bovina residents for about a week. They formerly lived in Anson.

The two boys are survived by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sevallos; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maximo Silvas of Mathis; three sisters, Verlinda Vega, Nancy Morales, Michelle Sevallos, all of Bovina, and a brother, Ruben Morales of Bovina.

Services were held at St. Ann's Catholic Church at 10 a.m. Saturday, with Rev. Dermont O'Brien officiating. Interment was at Bovina Cemetery, under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona.

Officers Told For 4-H Club

The Bovina Jr. 4-H met September 7 and elected officers for the coming year. Officers elected to serve include Dale Turner, president; Charlie Trimble, vice president; Kara Mills, secretary-treasurer; Jo Beth Monk, reporter; Kathy Williams, delegate to the county council; and Tim Garner, alternate to the council.

The County 4-H Fair was discussed and plans were made. Several of the 4-H youth entered the fair. Also discussed was National 4-H week which will be October 3-9. Plans for several activities during this week were discussed.

Stone Given New Spot With THD

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation announces the retirements of Arthur B. Oakley and Edward R. Waggoner. Oakley, Assistant Foreman of the Dimmitt Maintenance Section, has been employed with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation for 30 years.

Waggoner, Maintenance Technician III, Dimmitt Maintenance Section, has been employed with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation for 32 years.

Jerry D. Stone of Bovina will assume the responsibilities of Assistant Foreman of the Dimmitt Maintenance Section. Stone has been employed with the Department since April 11, 1966, and has been in the Bovina Maintenance Section. Stone and his wife, Dorothy, have two children, Steve and Jodi, and will be moving to Dimmitt in the near future.



CHEERLEADERS....The Bovina High School cheerleaders have been in action for several weeks. They began by attending camp at SMU this summer. They have been in action since the first of school, being responsible for all the pep rallies

held before the ballgames and they are always seen at the football games. Pictured from left top are Debbie Pickett, Denise McCormick, Susan Heflin. Bottom row left are Belinda Shelby, Annette Stevenson and Kim Naegle.



Rep To Be In Farwell Sept. 29

Comptroller Bob Bullock announced that a representative from his Amarillo office will be in Farwell, Wednesday, September 29, to answer questions from taxpayers and provide assistance in filing tax returns.

Bullock said EO Jerrell Thaxton will be at the Parmer County Court House, County Court Room, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon.

"I hope local merchants will take this opportunity to get any questions they have about the sales or franchise taxes answered," said Bullock. "A little straight information can save us both headaches."

The Amarillo Field Office, headed by Bill Teague, serves Parmer County.

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Reflections From The Blade

20 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 19, 1956
It was all Farwell's show Friday night in Steer Stadium as Bovina's Mustangs went down to their second straight defeat by a 13-0 count. It was the Steers' first win in two starts.

J. E. Sherrill, mayor of Bovina, and Roy Fuller, water superintendent, left Tuesday morning for Austin where they will talk to the fire insurance division of the state board of Insurance commissioners concerning Bovina's fire insurance key rate.

Some 96 students attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo on its opening day Monday. Included in the group were some 55 band members and approximately 20 FHA girls and 20 FFA boys.

15 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 20, 1961
Parmer County's first 1961 bale of cotton was ginned at Bovina at 3:45 Monday afternoon.

Bovina Schools enrollment has soared over the 500 mark, Superintendent Warren Morton announces.

A new second grade section will be added this week in Bovina Schools. There are now 74 students in two second grade sections.

10 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 21, 1966
The Bovina Independent School District made a new page of history Monday morning when new students enrolling here pushed up the total enrollment to 702 to break all previous records.

Dean Stanberry was named to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal football honor roll following the Bovina-Cooper game last week.

Glenden Sudderth was the second week winner in the Bovina Business Football Contest, guessing nine out of 10 high school and college football games played Friday and Saturday and coming closest to the tie-breaking score by predicting the Bovina-Happy game 20-14.

5 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 22, 1966
Candidates for football queen, chosen by members of Lettermen's Club, include Barbara Griffith, Nena Spicer and Darlene Murphy, seniors; Debbie Sorley, a junior; and Heidi Corn, sophomore.

Fall of the year weather is here! Temperatures dropped below the 40 degree mark Saturday morning and again Monday morning.

L. M. Grissom was honored on his 80th birthday Sunday with a family reunion in his home.

Contest Standings

- 29 Faron Grissom, Bobby Drake.
28 Laura Bartlett, Kenny Estes, Donna Malcom, Jim Noyes, H. W. Roberts, A. M. Wilson.
27 Janice Carpenter, Sami Garrison, Dale Gilbreath, Suzi Gillespie, Dorothy Harris, Jay Harris, Oakley Stevenson, Emmitt Tabor, Tom Bonds.
26 Ron Cain, Dan Cox, Leon Grissom, Greg Hromas, L. F. Jacobs, Paul Jones, Mike Nabers, Joel Nelson, Ruth Newell, Terry Newell, Bess Rea, Joyce Read, Flossie Rhinehart, Kent Stanberry, Janie Sudderth, Carol Ware.
25 Hattie Burnett, Bruce Caldwell, Darlene Caldwell, T. W. Carpenter,

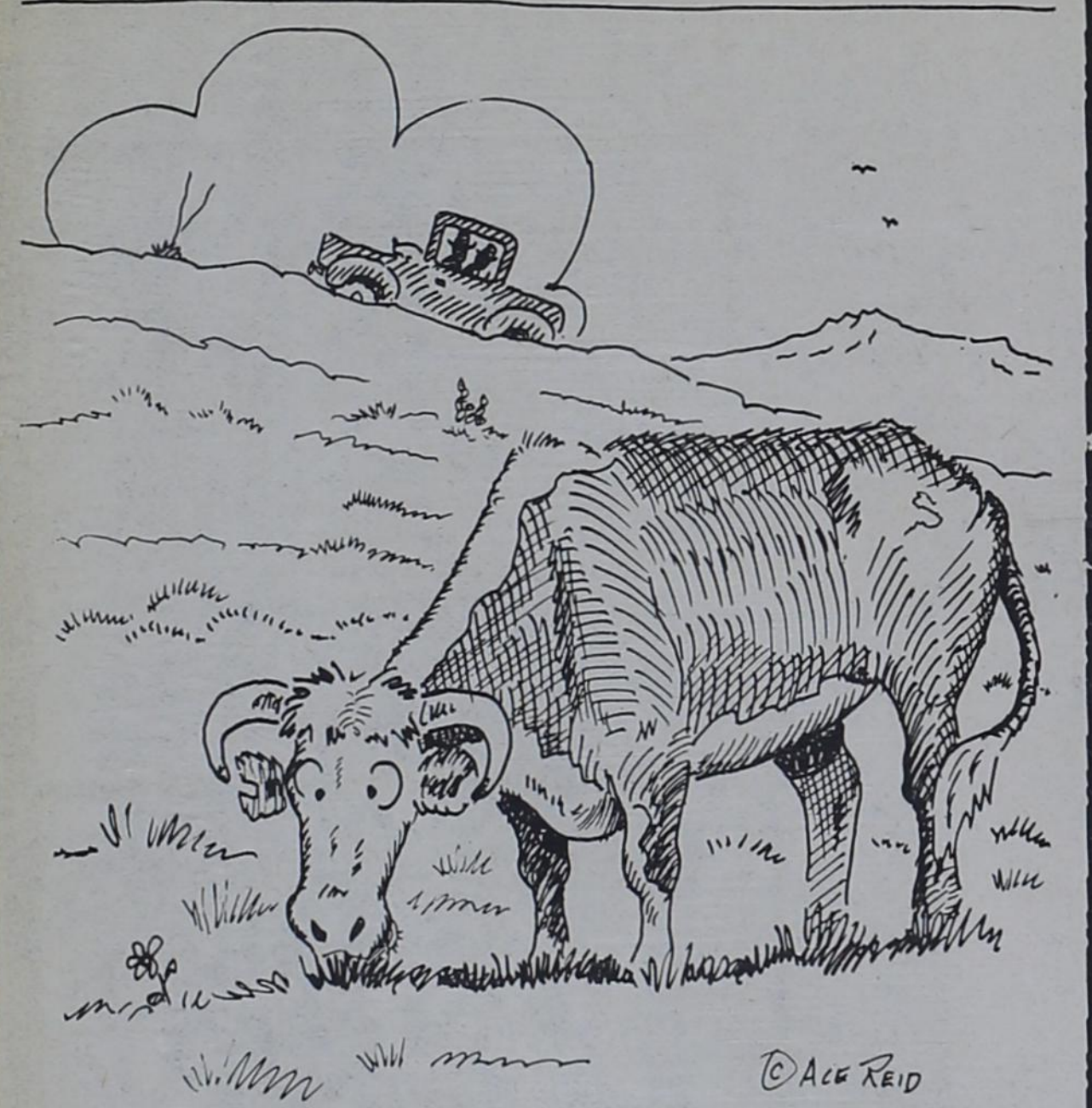
- Darrell Collier, Gene Ezell, Wayne Gilliland, Dana Harris, Ken Horn, Cap Naegle, Jr., Carl Rea, Pam Rhodes, Del Ray Sudderth, Glendon Sudderth.
24 George Douglas, Mike Grissom, Furne Harris, Huston Hoover, Robert Hughes, Virginia Martinez, Jacque Nabers, Diana Naegle, Carlton Newell, Norma Noyes, Lary Sides, Billy Smith, Stephen Stevenson, Don Stone, Tom Ware, Billy Whitecotton, Paula Whitecotton, Joe Pat Wright.
23 Don Bandy, Jay Be Barrett, Houston Bartlett, Manuel Hernandez, Jr., Mary Hernandez, Johnny Martinez, Robert McCormick, Karla Mills, Lupe Salazar, Jr., Yvonne Stevenson, Dorothy Stone, Jean Wiseman.



PEP CLUB OFFICERS....Officers for the Junior High School Pep Club has been elected for this year. The sponsors of the group are Mrs. Cindy Bradburn and Mrs. Brenda Wilson. Pictured from top left are Kathy Hatton, photographer, Mrs. Wilson, Grace Espinoza, president, and kneeling are Kathy Williams, vice president and Pam Spring, secretary.

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By Ace Reid



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By John Ricci

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3. Pick the score of the tie breaker game and place your guess in the appropriate blanks on the entry. The tie breaker game will not count on your won-lost record. It will be used only in case of a tie.
4. Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest, deadline each Friday and they will be named by Sunday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$7.50 for first, \$5.00 for second, and third prize of \$3.00 will be awarded.
5. Tabulations of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season Grand prize winner will be named.
6. There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.
7. Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.
8. Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of Blade staff will serve as judges for contest.
9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older.
10. Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

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| 1973 - HARRY J. CHARLES | |
| 1974 - EMMETT TABOR | |

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13 OAKLAND AT HOUSTON

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14 BALTIMORE AT DALLAS

Young Homemakers Observe "Y.H. Week"

September 19-25 marks "Young Homemakers of Texas" week. The organization functions under the direction of the Division of Homemaking Education, Texas Education Agency, in cooperation with the local school and the homemaking teachers who serves as chapter advisors.

Active membership is open to women not enrolled in high school and who are not over thirty-five years of age. Eligible members may be employed in wage-earning occupations. Women over thirty-five years of age may become associate members upon payment of dues, with the rights and privileges of active members, except that of holding office and voting.

Officers of the Bovina Young Homemakers Chapter include president-Mrs. Daryl Kirkpatrick; vice president-Mrs. Kent Glasscock; secretary-treasurer-Mrs. Kregg Wilson; reporter-historian-Mrs. Parker Stewart; parliamentarian-Mrs. Mike Beauchamp; immediate past president-Mrs. Garry Beauchamp.

Advisors are Mrs. Eddie Corn and Mrs. Richard Smith. Miss Tammy Christian is the Little Sister of the chapter. Other members of the group are Mrs. Greg Bell, Mrs. Ronnie Dyer, Mrs. Max Eubanks, Mrs. Dale Gober, Mrs. Jim Noyes, Mrs. Steve Pierson, Mrs. James Sides, Mrs. Dickie Steelman and Mrs. Radford Venable.

Programs for the coming year beginning with October include sandpainting, holiday cookery, Why Women Need to Understand Their Husbands, business transactions, cake decorating, marriage enrichment, Eggs for Easter, landscaping, and a luncheon honoring FHA girls and a style show.

Some of the projects of the year to be undertaken by the Chapter are a

kindergarten Halloween party, a baby sitting clinic for junior high and senior high students, Bovina Senior Citizens Thanksgiving dinner, March of Dimes campaign with the FHA girls, and a Valentine party for Farwell Convalescent Center.

Some of the purposes of the Young Homemakers are to develop skills, gain information on new and improved methods of homemaking, and keeping informed on matters affecting people engaged in homemaking, to develop a deeper understanding of the home and its influence upon the community.

Also, Young Homemakers try to plan and carry out activities designed to improve the home and community, provide wholesale social and recreational activities, become better acquainted with the products and information of current consumer trends and to support the Future Homemakers of America and other groups working for the improvement of the home.

The Young Homemakers of Bovina meet the second Tuesday of the month at 4 p. m. at the Methodist Church. New members are welcome and if interested may contact any of the members listed for more information.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Shawn Wikle, Friona; Mrs. James Collum and baby boy, Friona; Juan Leal, Hereford; Mrs. John Duke and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Alfredo Bravo and baby girl, Hereford; Ernest Madrigal, Hereford; Asucena Moreno, Hereford; Craig Lookingbill, Friona; Mrs. Anthony Alvarez and baby girl, Friona; Sam Billingsley, Farwell; Gabriel Herrera, Hereford; Kathy Baca, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

Stella Riley, Abraham Drager, Mamie Pounds, Larrie Ann Van Tyle, Shawn Wikle, Mrs. James Collum and baby boy, Mrs. John Duke and baby boy, Juan Leal, Asucena Moreno, Craig Lookingbill.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

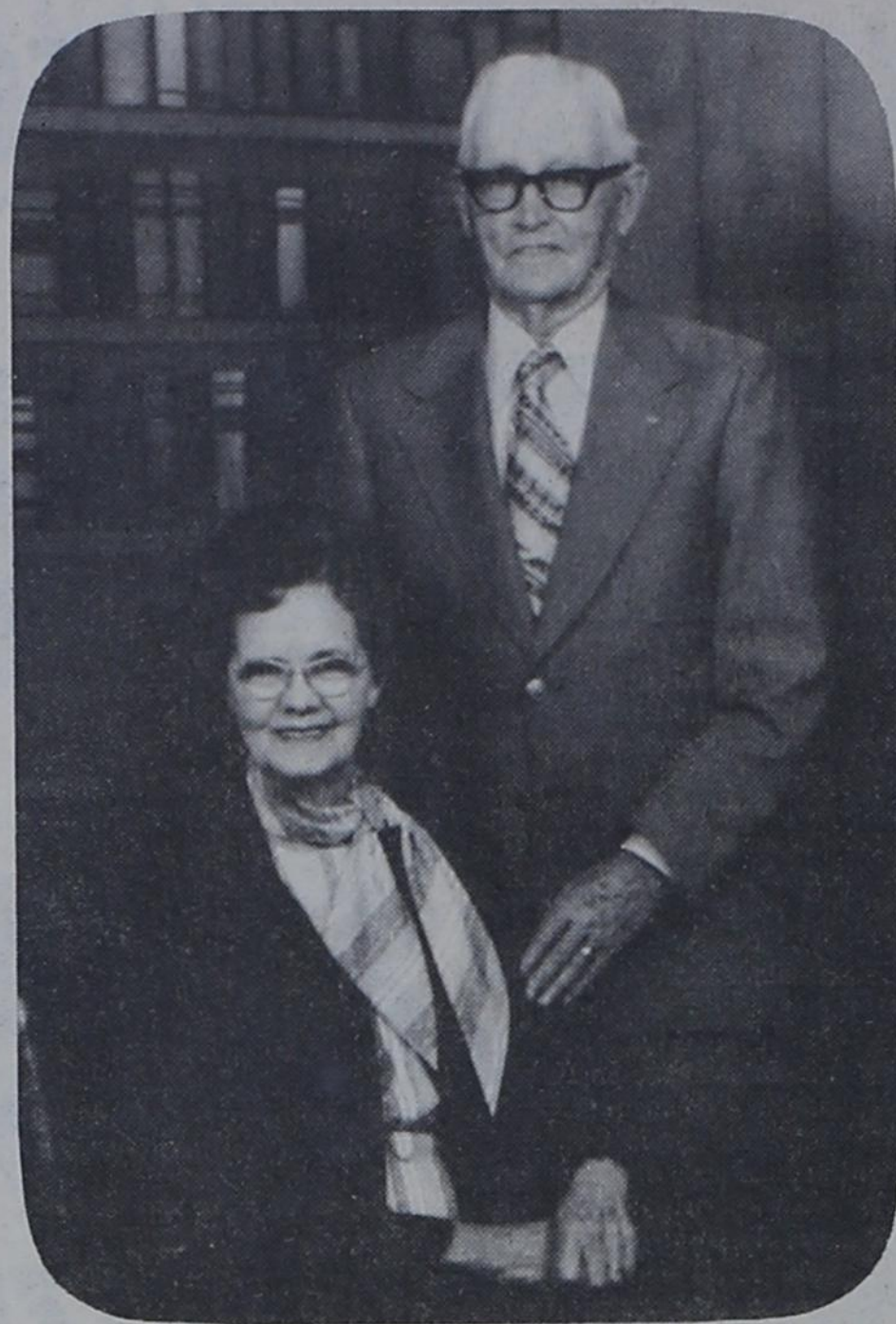
Marilyn Blackburn, Rosario Alvarez and baby girl, Kathy Baca, Cora Wilkinson, C. L. McDaniel, Sam Billingsley, Ernest Madrigal, Gavriel Herrera, Manuela Bravo and baby girl.

Dr. Smith Gives Program

Area I Young Homemakers met for their convention Saturday, September 18, at the KoKo Palace in Lubbock. The program was given by Dr. Charles Smith, Professor of Child Development from Texas Tech. His program was entitled "The First Six Years".

Also on the program was Mrs. Bryan Edwards, Professor of Family Relations from Texas Tech. Her lecture was "The Pre-teen Years". Saturday night a joint banquet was held with the Young Farmers who were also having their convention at the same time.

Members of the Young Homemakers from Bovina who attended the convention were Mrs. Parker Stewart, Mrs. Ronnie Dyer, Mrs. Gary Beauchamp, Mrs. Max Eubanks, Mrs. Eddie Corn Mrs. Daryl Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Kregg Wilson.



Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Sides

Anniversary Reception Honors Hereford Couple

A 50th wedding anniversary reception will honor Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Sides, in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall of Hereford, on Sunday afternoon, September 26, from 3-5.

Hostesses for the event will be their daughter, Mrs. Donald Lindsey

of San Antonio, Mrs. Keith Battey, Mrs. Bobby Boyd, Mrs. Floyd Cole, Mrs. Ray Frye and Mrs. Sam Long of Hereford.

All friends are cordially invited to attend. The couple requests no gifts please.

Classes Elect Officer Slates

High School classes elected officers and sponsors and discussed projects for the coming year on Wednesday, September 8.

Officers elected for the senior class include George Isaac, president; Tandra Rogers, vice president; Lezli Williams, secretary; Tammy Christian, treasurer; Debra Gilbreath, photographer; Pam McCormick and Rocky Bartlett, Student Council representatives. Sponsors for the senior class are Mrs. Janie Sudderth and Joel Nelson.

Junior class officers for the coming year are Gerald Shelby, president; Mike Cole, vice president; David Murphy, secretary; Karla Mills, treasurer; Denise McCormick, photographer; Don Putnam and Tracy Russell, Student Council representatives. Sponsors are Mrs. Frances Willard and Ric Smith.

Officers elected by the sophomore class include Del Ray Sudderth, president; Pat Ware, vice president; Sandi Sides, secretary; Carol Ware, treasurer; Alicia Spring, photographer; Stephen Stevenson and Tamara Lambert, Student Council representatives. Margaret Durben and Zane Reeves were elected sponsors.

The freshman class elected the following for their officers: Kara

Mills, president; Kim Naegle, vice president; Mary Jane Gomez, secretary; Denise Read, treasurer; Ricky Mayfield, photographer; Laura Widner and Blake Sudderth, Student Council representatives. Freshman sponsors are Mrs. Gwen Corn and Lawrence Widner.

Rhea HD Club Elects Officers

The Rhea Home Demonstration Club held their regular meeting on Monday, September 13 with Mrs. Herbert Schueler as hostess.

The group discussed a field day to visit Texas Tech University's museum, serving food at the farm sale and having a bake sale at the fall bazaar.

Also discussed was the sponsorship of Christy Stephens in the Little Miss Contest.

"We are very happy to have Christy Stephens as our Little Miss contestant," announced Mrs. Norbert Schueler, the club's reporter. She is one of eight youngsters competing in Friona's Little Miss Contest.

New officers were elected at the meeting. They are: Mrs. Herbert Schueler, president; Mrs. Robin Taylor, vice president; Mrs. Keith Stephens, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Norbert Schueler, reporter; and Mrs. Houston Bartlett, council

delegate. Refreshments were served to visitors: Mrs. William Rumpel, Mrs. Jim Dixon, Melodi and Milli Dixon, Mrs. Kenny Sifford, Mrs. Teddy King, Mrs. D.T. King, Miss Tammy Smith, Miss Jana Pronger, Mrs. Clint Schueler and Miss Jo Schueler.

Members of the club attending the meeting were Mrs. Houston Bartlett, Mrs. Elmo Dean, Mrs. Obe DeLeon, Mrs. Keith Garner, Mrs. Herman Grissom, Mrs. Cordie Potts, Mrs. Larry Potts, Mrs. Jay Potts, Mrs. Floyd Schlenker and Mrs. Walter Schueler.

Others present were Mrs. Herbert Schueler, Mrs. Shirley Smith, Mrs. Norbert Schueler, Mrs. Keith Stephens, Mrs. Jack Patterson, Mrs. Norman Taylor and Mrs. Carl Schlenker.

The next meeting of the Home Demonstration Club will be Monday, October 11. Mrs. Floyd Schlenker and Mrs. Carl Schlenker will host the meeting.

Ellison's Grandson Back From Mission

Lt. J.G. Mickey Don Ellison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison of Oak Harbour, Washington, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison of Bovina, has returned to his base at Oak Harbour from an assignment on the USS Saratoga in the Mediterranean Sea.

He had been on assignment for six months. Ellison is a navigator for one of the Lancer planes of VAQ-131. Lancer planes are equipped with special electronic equipment for detecting enemy radar and to stop other radar from coming in among many other uses of the equipment. The Lancers work off land, sea and

ships. Ellison has been in the U.S. Navy Air Force for three years. He is stationed at Oak Harbour, Washington, which is an island about sixty miles from Seattle, Washington.

They have received nominations for outstanding electronic warfare unit awards, in both operations and overall performance. Messages from higher echelons of command proclaim they are indeed the best, and that their performance during the just completed deployment has never been exceeded.

Shelby Studies To Be Chaplain

Elbert Shelby returned to Bovina on September 1, after completing basic training at Ft. Benning, Georgia. Shelby is studying to be a chaplain in the Army.

Requirements for Shelby will be to preach in different churches for a period of two years before returning permanently to the Army. Shelby will be preaching in the Bovina area for approximately three months. He then plans to continue his work in Ft. Worth.

Shelby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Shelby of Bovina and a 1976 graduate of Bovina High School.



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ELECCION GENERAL DEL
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NUMERO UNO EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 49)

Revocando Secciones 49-d and 49-d-1 del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas, S.J.R. 49 enmienda Sección 49-c del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas para disponer y autorizar \$400 millones adicionales de bonos para el desarrollo de agua en Tejas que se puede emitir a la aprobación de dos terceras partes de los miembros de cada cámara de la Legislatura para tales fines de desarrollo del agua que la Legislatura pueda prescribir.

La enmienda contiene prohibición específica contra el uso de fondos del estado para el desarrollo de recursos acuáticos del Rio Mississippi y también requiere que antes de que pueda encargarse de cualquier proyecto particular para el desarrollo de agua que requiere un gasto de más de \$35 millones de producto de los bonos, debe de ser aprobado por resolución de la Legislatura.

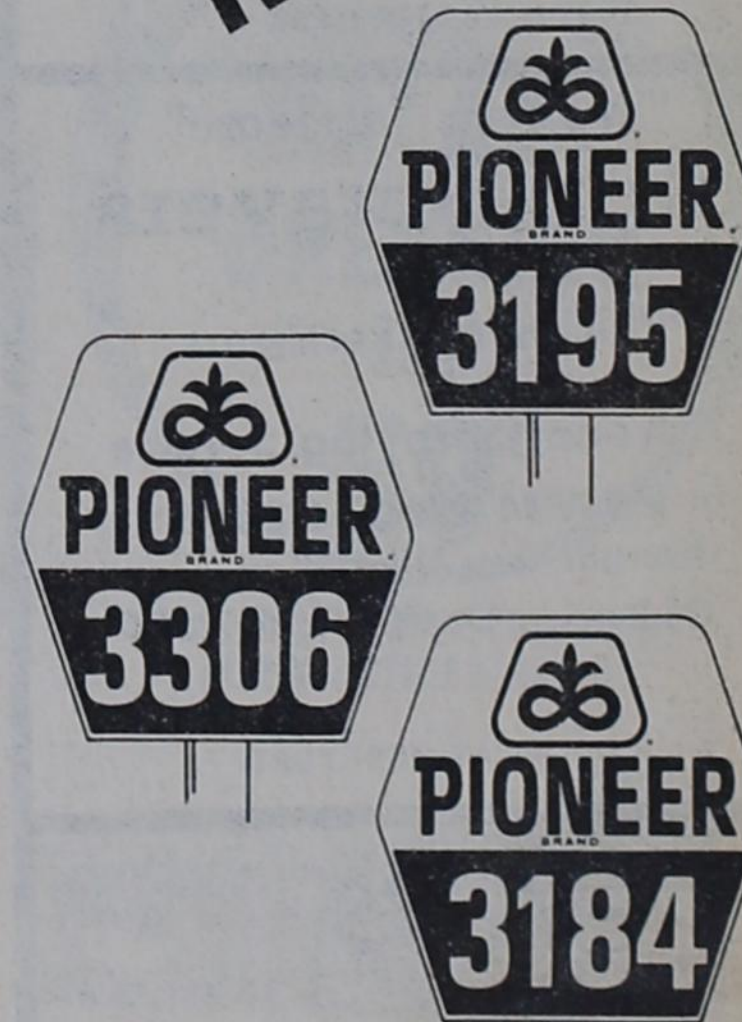
La enmienda remueva el requerimiento constitucional que ciertas rentas deben de ser usadas para retirar bonos para el desarrollo de agua y el encarecimiento de la calidad de agua y remueva el limite constitucional de la tasa de interés en tales bonos.

La fraseología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la

NUMERO DOS EN LA BOLETA (H.J.R. 99)

H.J.R. 99 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Tejas para aumentar de \$100 millones hasta \$200 millones la cantidad principal agregada de bonos para el desarrollo de agua en Tejas que se puede emitir y que están en circulación por el Texas Water Development Board para proveer donaciones y préstamos para la mejoría de la calidad de agua como establecido por la Legislatura. La fraseología de la enmienda propuesta como aparecerá en la boleta es lo siguiente: "Una enmienda constitucional para incrementar desde \$100 millones hasta \$200 millones la cantidad de Bonos de Desarrollo de Agua en Tejas que podrán ser emitidos con el propósito de mejorar la calidad del agua."

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St. Ann's Society Assigns Duties

The regular meeting of the St. Ann's Society was held at the Parish Hall Monday night, September 20. Thirteen members were present. Duties for the month were appointed. Those with duties for October are hostesses-Mrs. Larry Jesko and Mrs. Wayne Jesko; laundry-Mrs. Lee Jesko; coffee

servers-Mrs. Dennis Gerber and Mrs. Ben Rejino; church cleaners-Mrs. Stan Klimek, Mrs. Dennis Gerber and Mrs. Leon Schilling; gifts-Mrs. Dennis Gerber, Mrs. Wayne Jesko and Mrs. Stan Klimek.

A bake sale by the Society has been planned for October 2 at Bovina Supermarket. Chairman for the bake sale is Mrs. Eugene Schacher. Also in the planning is the annual turkey dinner that the Society sponsors. This dinner will be held November 7.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Phil Brockman and Mrs. Lee Jesko.

Hospital Report

Reports have been made that Tom Paine, who is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, is improving. Paine is in Room 243 and can have a few visitors at this time.

Otho Hammonds has been a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo for several weeks. He is improving and will possibly be home before long. He can have visitors and is able to go to the lobby to visit. Mustangs of the week



JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS..... Leading the Pep Club in cheers this year are Cynthia Gomez, seventh grade; on top is Darla Morris, eighth

grade; Gayle Powell, eighth grade; Elyese Moody on the ground, an eighth grader; on the right is Gwyn Powell, a seventh grader.

School Lunch Menu

Week of Sept. 27-Oct. 1
MONDAY-Lasagne, black eyed peas, salad, cowboy bread, apricot halves, milk.

TUESDAY-Ham, parsley potatoes, green beans, toast, chocolate cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Enchiladas, beans, lettuce and tomato salad, crackers, peach halves, milk.

THURSDAY-Hamburgers, tomatoes, mustard, onions, pickles, potato chips, brownies, pear halves, milk.

FRIDAY-Tuna salad, baked potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, butter, sliced pineapple, milk.



ELECTS OFFICERS...The Bovina High School Pep Club met August 27. The club elected officers and discussed some projects for the coming year. Mrs. Carolyn Reeves is the sponsor for the club this year. Officers elected for the coming year include Pam McCormick, president; Debra Gilbreath, vice president; Karla Mills, secretary; Tammy Christian, treasurer; and Diane Gilbreath, photographer.

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Longhorns Branded As BHS Victim No. 2

The Bovina Mustangs bested cross-county rival Lazbuddie Friday night as they topped the Longhorns, 20-8.

Tommy Serna led the Mustangs as he ran for two of three touchdowns with teammate Danny Harris adding the other six points with a seven yard pass from Ronny Cary. Coach Christian was "tickled to death" with the win. "The kids played excellent the first half," coach Christian said. "We executed real well offensively, but still have a few problems on defense. I'm real optimistic about what the kids have accomplished so far this year."

The Mustangs had a very strong first half, with Serna's touchdown coming in the opening quarter as he slid off tackle on a one yard plunge for the score. Ronny Cary made the point-after kick good and the Mustangs led 7-0.

Following Bovina's kickoff, the Longhorns picked up only two first downs as the Mustang defense held and forced the Longhorns to punt.

The first quarter ended with the Longhorns controlling the ball on their own 14 yard line. Once again the defense held, forcing the Longhorns to punt.

It took Bovina only ten plays to go in for the score, with Danny Harris pulling in a 14 yard pass from Ronny Cary. The extra point attempt was blocked, leaving the score 13-0 in favor of the Mustangs.

The second quarter was riddled with penalties as Bovina picked up four of six penalties called, for a total of 50 yards.

The games' two interceptions also came in the second quarter with Lazbuddie picking off a Cary pass, only to have David Murphy, a junior halfback, return the favor on Bovina's 47. The half ended shortly after Murphy's fumble with Bovina still leading 13-0.

The Longhorns kicked to the Mustangs to open the third quarter. Bovina's ground game came alive as Serna, Cary, Ruben Salazar and Danny Harris chewed out yardage to put the Mustangs in scoring position.

Ronny Cary slipped in from the five yard line on a keeper and then kicked the extra point to bring the score to 20-0, Bovina.

The Longhorns were finally able to put together a drive early in the fourth quarter which resulted in their only touchdown of the game. A two point conversion try was successful, making the score 20-8.

The Longhorns executed a successful inside kick to take possession of the ball once more, but were unable to score as the Mustangs kept them bottled behind their five yard line.

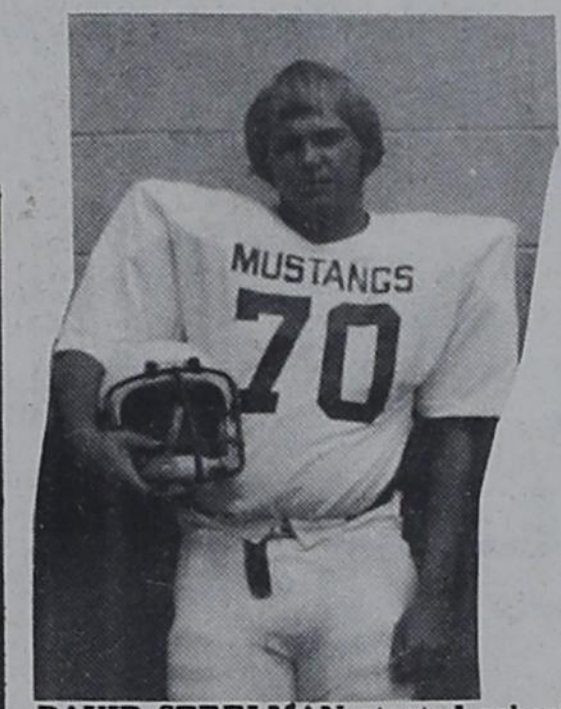
Bovina took over on downs and held the ball until the final gun sounded, clinching their second win of the year.

STATISTICS	
BOVINA	LAZBUDDIE
19	15
216	161
35	7
251	168
8	7
4	1
0	1
1	3
36	23
1	1
13	6
110	60
score by quarters	
Bovina	13 0 7 0-20
Lazbuddie	0 0 0 8-8



DAN COX, a sophomore, plays football for the Mustang varsity team this year. He played football two years in Junior High and has played for the Mustangs both years in high school. Dan plays guard this year but has played in the backfield in previous years. Dan also enjoys playing baseball as well as other sports. He is a member of the Bovina FFA. Other interests of Dan's include snow skiing and camping in the summer. Dan's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cox.

Mustangs Of The Week



DAVID STEELMAN started school in Bovina. He has been active in sports since then. This year he plays tackle on the Mustang varsity team. David is also interested in skiing. David belongs to the FFA and is vice president of that organization. He also enjoys working with show animals. David played football in Junior High two years and has played football his two high school years. David is a sophomore this year and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman.

PLAY L.C.H.S. Ponies To Visit Lubbock Friday

Mustang fans will see a slight change in the starters for Bovina's match-up with Lubbock Christian High School this Friday at Lubbock.

The Bovina Mustangs will meet the Lubbock Christian High School Eagles Friday night at 8 p.m.

Randall Ritchie, who has been hurt for the last two games will again be out for the evening. He will be replaced by senior Kenny Estes.

Changes on the defense will be junior Gerald Shelby starting instead of Mike London. Also, Stephen Stevenson will move from guard to end to replace

Eddie Isaac and Michael Wiseman will be moved from center to tackle.

LCHS will enter the contest with a 1-2 record after losing to Lorenzo last Friday 21-8.

Lorenzo took a 14-0 lead into half-time and never relinquished it for the remainder of the game.

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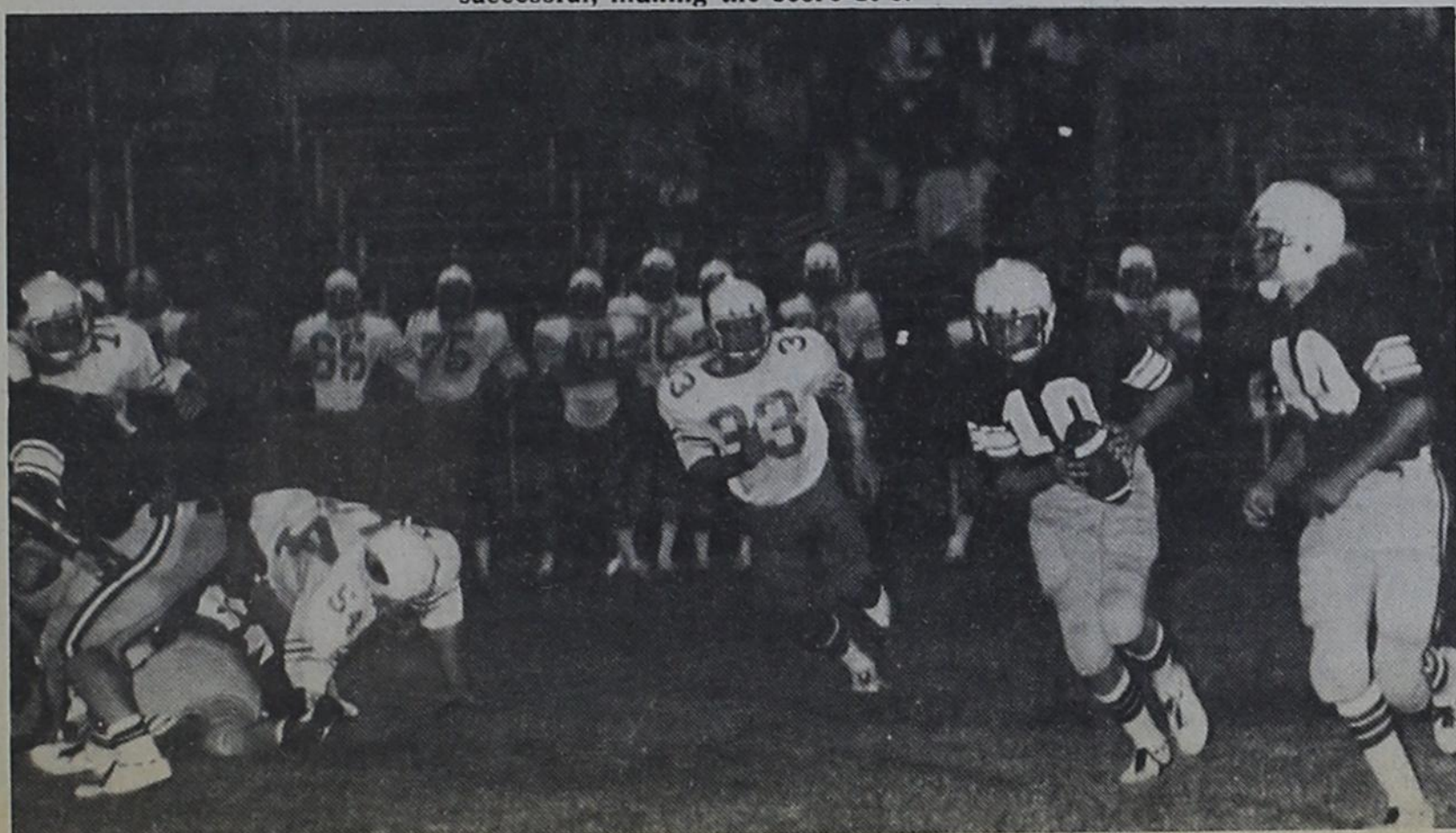
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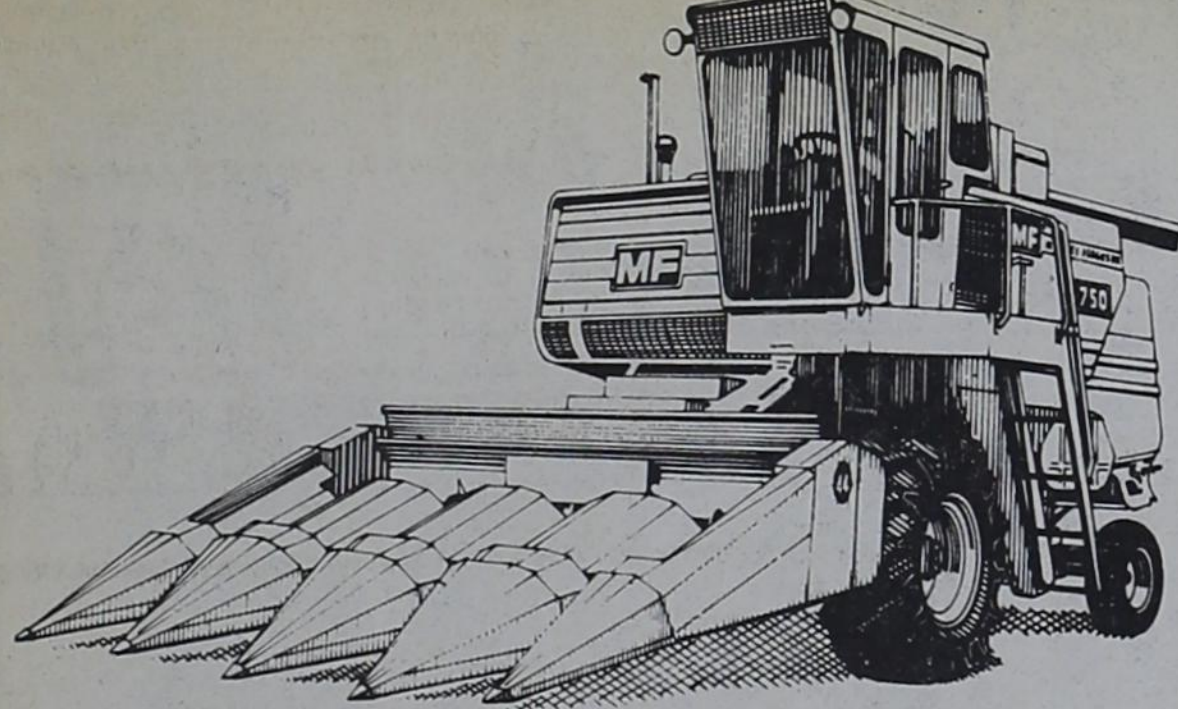
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PITCHOUT.... Bovina quarterback Ronny Cary prepares to pitchout to back Ruben Salazar during third quarter action last Friday night as the Mustangs brought their record up to 2-1. The Mustangs gained 251 total yards against Lazbuddie in the 20-8 win. Next Friday Bovina faces Lubbock Christian High School at Lubbock. (Photo by Rick Luther)



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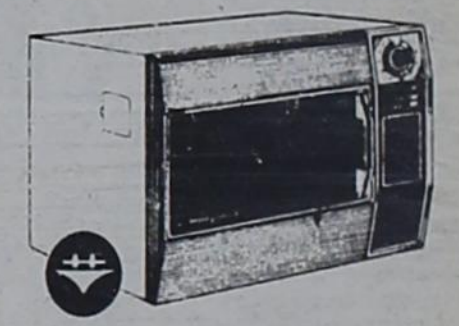
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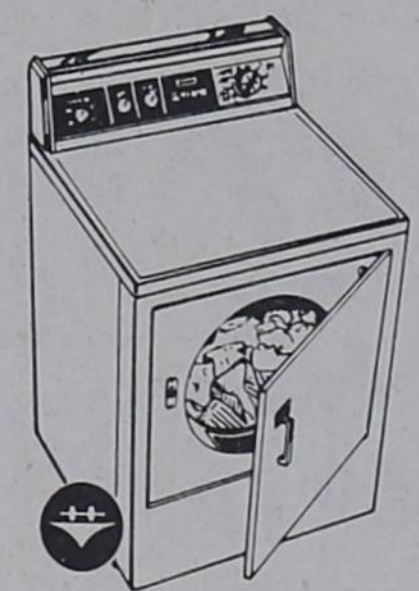
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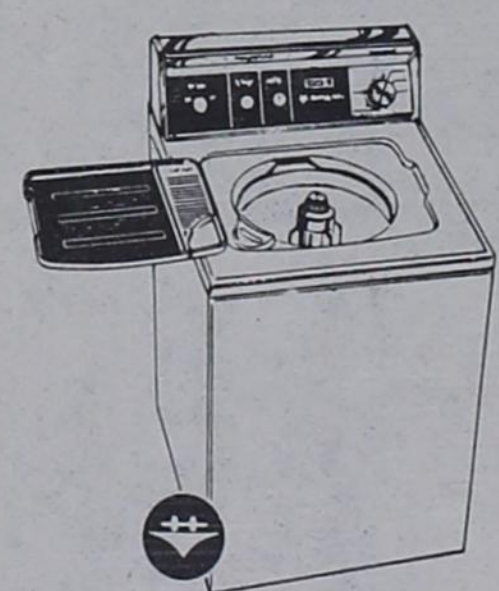
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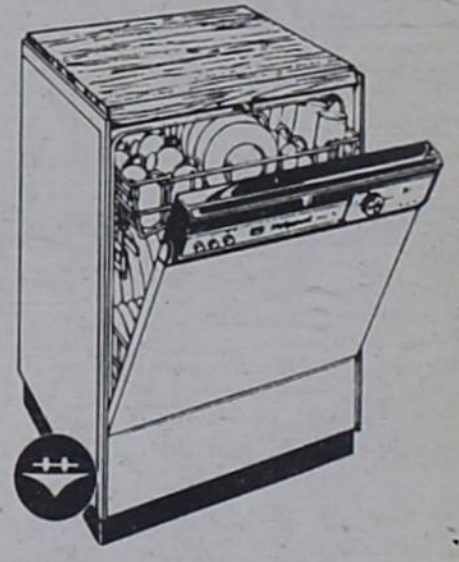
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