

## WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

"He has perhaps the strongest moral and character reputation of any man to serve from Texas in either house of Congress," says a downstate newspaper in its endorsement of Senator Ralph Yarborough in his bid for re-election.

That doesn't mean anything to those people who are interested in Yarborough's defeat, however. Those kind of qualifications are the least of their worries. Too, those who want Yarborough defeated aren't at all particular about who does it. If Bentsen can get the Democratic nomination away from Yarborough, then they care not what happens come the general election in November. They would just as soon have Bentsen as Bush, the Republican, and either way they wouldn't have to contend with Yarborough, who is doing an outstanding job of being senator for ALL the people . . . and has for the past 13 years.

Bentsen and Bush have much more in common than the first letter in their last names. They're both reportedly rich and both are from Houston, to name a couple of examples.

Wonder why they want Ralph Yarborough's job so badly? Bentsen is evidently spending money in his campaign like there'll be no tomorrow. If money will get the Democratic nomination, he aims for it to be his. We understand that someone asked him if he was a millionaire. He replied that at least he was at the beginning of this campaign. But it's not just his money that's being spent in his bid for the senatorial nomination. He has a lot of financial help and the bulk of it comes from people who aren't the least bit interested in the High Plains of Texas, except maybe for the few votes they might pick up here.

If Yarborough is successful in again winning the Democratic nomination after the effort being made by Bentsen, Bush will surely be able to see that his chances of getting the post from Texas' senior Senator are small.

For the past 13 years, the majority of the people of Texas have been saying, with their ballots, that they're happy with the job Ralph Yarborough is doing for them, their state and their country. We doubt that 1970 will be any different than the past 13.

Bob Sisk was by the office last week after a Spring visit to Tucson, Arizona, where the American League's Cleveland Indians conduct their spring training in preparation for the season.

Bob attended a few exhibition games and was especially interested in seeing his nephew, Tommy Sisk, who pitched last year for San Diego.

When the Padres came to play the Indians, Bob was out at the park plenty early to see his major league pitcher kinfolk, but learned that Tommy had been traded the previous day to the Chicago White Sox.

It's been reported in this space previously that Bob refers to Tommy Sisk as "my boy" when he wins and "that Sisk feller" when he loses. Tommy is a native of Oklahoma and pitched for the Pittsburgh Pirates before going to the San Diego team. We've noticed in the box scores that he's pitched some for the White Sox in relief during the past week.

With the big leagues playing for keeps, Bovina's summer baseball program can't be far away.

A decision was made last week to affiliate the program here, which has been a successful one down through the years, with the international Little League system.

The changes this will bring about will hardly be noticeable here as Little League rules were already being carried out to a great extent.

When the boys' baseball program here was originated, more than a decade ago, it wasn't feasible, leaders of the program thought, to participate in the official Little League program. Over the years, though the requirements of LL were met here, anyway, to improve the local program and this year the decision was made to join Bovina's program in with the international organization. We think the move was the right one to make, at this time, and feel it will strengthen the baseball program. Bovina had a great program already and it can be even better with the added advantages that official LL offers.

There's nothing like making the best better.

## Plans Survey --

# Economy Upgrade Set As Chamber Project

A survey of Bovina area citizen's thoughts on the needs of the town is being planned by Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

Neal Mager, president of the board of directors, will call a special meeting of the board in the near future to formulate a questionnaire for the survey. Decision to work toward concrete improvements was made at a meeting of the board Wednesday noon of last week in Bovina Restaurant.

Under discussion was "new business" and industry for Bovina, along with a "trade at home" campaign, which directors agreed is probably the most needed effort here.

After a survey is made, committees will be formed to work on various aspects in an effort to upgrade the economy of Bovina.

Post cards of the Bovina bull statue will be printed in the near future, directors voted. A photographer of Southwestern Public Service Company has agreed to take the picture for the post card. When this is received, order will be made for the cards. Printers say it will take from two to six months to receive the cards here.

Six thousand will be printed in the initial order, directors decided. The card will depict the bull statue on the front, and explanation on the address side.

Cost of printing the 6,000 cards is \$110. Whether or not they will be sold or given away has not been determined.

Directors voted to give \$100 toward the printing of a new 1970 Soil Conservation Needs Inventory for use of Parmer County land owners, businessmen, students, etc. in conjunction with a request made by Gary Batte of Parmer County Soil Conservation Service.

Frona Chamber of Commerce has also designated \$100 for the publication, with pictures, and Farwell Chamber will be requested to help defray the expense.

Batte said the last survey

was compiled and printed in 1963. Data has already been collected for the new inventory and is ready for the printers. The publication will show the land uses and land needs in

## Long-Time Resident --

# Roy Hawkins Dies Saturday

Roy S. Hawkins, 69-year-old retired farmer and property owner, died Saturday morning in a Tucumcari, N.M. hospital following a heart attack the night before.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in Bovina with Rev. Ken Moore, pastor, and Rev. J. B. Fowler, pastor of Bovina United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

Mr. Hawkins was at his cabin on Conchas Lake, about 30 miles west of Tucumcari, when he became ill.

Born March 13, 1901 in Gurnee, Ill., he came to Bovina in 1916 from his native state. His father bought land west of Bovina, which is still known as the Hawkins "home place."

He and Mrs. Hawkins were married Sept. 5, 1924, in Farwell. Mr. Hawkins farmed most of his adult life, retiring in the late 1940's. He and Mrs. Hawkins later bought their present home on the Oklahoma Lane Highway.

In addition to farm land, Mr. Hawkins owned residential rental property in Bovina.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; one daughter, Mrs. Roylene Keel of Amarillo; four sons, Charles, Harold and Erith, all of Bovina, and Rev. Gene Hawkins of Seminole; three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hickman of Leesburg, Fla., Mrs. Josephine Slep of Michigan City, Ind., and Miss Bea B. Hawkins

of Dimmitt; and 12 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Gerald and Darrell Norton, Herman Gerles, C. E. Foster, Jr., Tom Turner, Davis Wood, Wilbur Charles, Homer Kimbler, C. R. Elliott, Vernon Ward and Jim Owens.

Honorary pallbearers were Charlie Jefferson, Reed Williams, A. B. Wilkison, Frank Turner, Davis Wood, Wilbur Charles, Homer Kimbler, C. R. Elliott, Vernon Ward and Jim Owens.



ROY S. HAWKINS

## Fires Cause Damage At Mill, Granary

Two fires over the weekend called the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department to action at Parmer County Cattle Company and the Howard Looney farm.

Damage to mill equipment and total loss of a granary were the results of the two fires.

At 10 p.m. Saturday a fire was reported in the upper part of the feed mixer at Parmer County Cattle Company, apparently started by a hot bearing, or burned belt, along with dust.

The machinery in the upper portion of the mill was heavily damaged, firemen said.

At 3:30 p.m. Sunday a fire destroyed a 24 by eight foot wooden granary at the Looney farm six miles southeast of Bovina.

It apparently started from trash burned early that morning. When the wind got up, weeds apparently caught fire from the trash and traveled to the granary. The building was completely destroyed.

Parmer County, will aid both farmers, ranchers and SCS technicians in planning for future agricultural and conservation needs.

Such inventories are used by Congress in determining appropriations to the Soil Conservation Districts and other farm-related agencies.

Report was made by various committees on the annual banquet held in March. Bob Fillpot, manager, said expenses totaled \$751.41. Ticket sales and extra steaks sold following the banquet totaled \$728.50, or \$22.91 less than the expenses.

## New Members At Meeting --

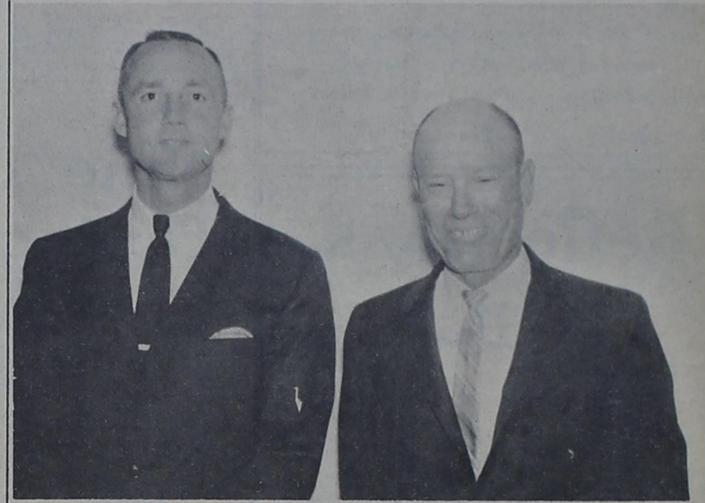
# Re-Elect Jamerson School Board Head

Lawrence Jamerson was re-elected president of the board of Bovina Independent School District Monday night. Two newly-elected members, Robert Read and Edwin Lide, met with the board for the first time.

Reorganization of the board followed a dinner served members, both new and old, along with their wives in the home-making cottage. Mrs. Mike Potts, homemaking teacher, was hostess for the dinner. Leon Ware is vice president succeeding Don Murphy, whose term expired this year. Leslie McCain was re-elected secretary.

Other action during the business session included the agreement to hire Howard Perdue of Amarillo as attorney to collect delinquent taxes in the school district. Procedure will be worked out by the board and the attorney.

Mrs. Frances Willard was employed to teach in junior high next year. She will receive her



NEW TRUSTEES --- Robert Read and Edwin Lide were the new school board members meeting for the first time with the group at its regular session Monday night. Lawrence Jamerson was re-elected president of the board.

degree from West Texas State University this Spring.

The board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Thelma Coffey, mathematics teacher, who has accepted a position in her home town of Friona for next year.

A Spring theme highlighted the dinner at the cottage. Burlap string flowers decorated the tables. A steak dinner was prepared by Mrs. Potts and senior girls, with Mike Potts taking over duties at the charcoal broiler.

Attending were the present board members and their wives, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy and Superintendent and Mrs. L. F. Jacobs.

Following the dinner, trustees retired to the board room for the business session.

## Beginning May 1 --

# Dr. Prentice Hickman Plans Practice Here

Dr. Prentice Hickman, O.D., has entered into an agreement to open his practice at Bovina Medical Center.

He states he will be in Bovina and ready to begin his practice May 1, according to members of the clinic board.

A native of the Dallas area, Dr. Hickman was graduated from medical school in Kansas City and has recently completed his internship in Dallas. He has received his license to practice in Texas.

He is 35 years of age and is single.

Dr. Hickman was in Bovina the middle of last week to look over the facilities at Bovina Medical Center. He will buy the equipment in the clinic from Dr. Cornelius Blesius, who is

in residency in Dallas and who was Bovina's first doctor, practicing here for 18 months before leaving the first of the year.

The clinic will be available to Dr. Hickman rent free for the first six months of his practice. Arrangements will be

made with the clinic board at that time concerning rental payments.

Since Dr. Blesius left Bovina Jan. 1 the clinic has remained open, under his direction, for convenience of patients. He returned here on several weekends for office hours, but more recently Dr. Bob Clement of Reese Air Force Base, Lubbock, has been opening the clinic on weekends.

## Eva Hears 'Good News' From Doctor

"Good news" was the report received by nine-year-old Eva Rodriguez when she consulted with a specialist in Amarillo last week concerning her hands and feet, damaged in a snow storm Easter weekend.

Doctors believe it will not be necessary for her to undergo plastic surgery or skin grafting. They believe the damaged skin will heal by itself.

Her brother and sister, eight-year-old Luis, Jr. and seven-year-old Micaela, lost their lives in that storm that took the area by surprise. Caught in the storm enroute to Muleshoe, the victims, along with Eva, were left in the car while two older Rodriguez children went for help. The three later left the car in an attempt to return home about a mile away.

Eva managed to find shelter, but the bodies of the two victims were found near the car. She suffered severe frostbite to her hands and feet. Doctors at first thought she might not survive. However, her response to treatment was good, but skin grafting had been thought advisable before the consultation with a specialist.

The father, Luis Rodriguez, Sr., is employed by Rouel Barron.

## For Water, Sewer --

# City Opens Bids Today

Bids will be opened today (Wednesday) by Bovina city council for water and sewer lines to be constructed in Eastview Addition, south of Dimmitt Highway.

The council has advertised for sealed bids on the work and reserved the right to reject any and/or all bids. The council meeting is at First State Bank and began at 2 p.m.

Houses for the addition are ready to be moved here from Amarillo, but are awaiting the utility connections at the site.

Paper work on paving is underway and a contract is expected to be let in the near future. Developers are paying the bulk of paving costs.

Other property owners in Bovina may also sign up for paving, which can be done at the same time. One has signed up

## Weather by Willie

Fine Spring weather. Some chance for showers.

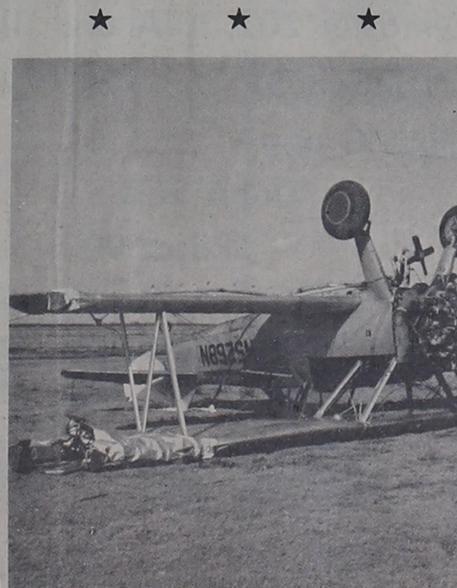
---Willie

## Near Rhea --

# Plane Flips; Pilot Unhurt

An airplane belonging to American Dusting Co. was damaged but the pilot, Al Billingham, uninjured in an accident at the Earl Derrick farm near Rhea Thursday afternoon. Billingham was spraying on the Derrick farm. As he attempted to bank, a malfunction of the motor occurred. Billingham then tried to land the plane in a wheat field, but came down in a listed field. The plane went over the furrows until near the edge of the field when it hit a deep furrow. The aircraft flipped over and came to a stop on its top several yards away.

Billingham received scratches on his head when he loosened his seat belt and fell to the ground, hitting on his head. At the time of the accident Robert Read and Brooks Davis of the company were at the location, flagging for the pilot. One wing of the plane was badly damaged, as well as the tail and propeller.



UPSY DAISY --- An American Dusting Co. airplane flipped over near Rhea Thursday afternoon in a landing attempt. The pilot, Al Billingham, walked away virtually uninjured. Damage was mostly to the wing and tail of the aircraft.

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# Reflections

From  
*The Blade*

**TEN YEARS AGO**  
 April 13, 1960

Wendol Christian, a Bovina area farmer and businessman, was awarded an honorary chapter farmer degree at the Fourth Annual Parent-Son FFA Banquet Saturday night.

Roger Ezell hurled the discus 142 feet, eight inches in district track competition Saturday to set a new record in the event and lead Bovina to a third place finish.

An enthusiastic crowd of over 500 persons laughed their way through two hours of colorful entertainment Friday night at the Lions Minstrel Show.

Rex Cumpton won first place in boys sub-junior declamation at Happy Friday. Lynda Henke placed second in girls sub-junior declamation.

Tax assessments for school taxing purposes are going well, but city assessments are moving along at their usual slow pace, according to officials of each office.

Mrs. Ike Quickel was hostess for meeting of Dorcas Circle Tuesday at their regular monthly covered dish luncheon. Bovina Chapter of FHA members were invited guests at a salad supper given by Friona FHA Chapter Thursday evening.

Steers gained more when fed sorghum grain containing a high moisture level than steers fed dry grain of the same quality in a test conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Bovina freshmen and junior high athletes dominated the track meet at Happy Saturday, both finishing in first place for the second year in succession.

Bovina firemen will give away a boat and trailer at the annual Fourth of July picnic this summer.

**SIX YEARS AGO**  
 April 15, 1964

Plans are underway to change the zoning ruling on Third Street from "restricted retail" to "retail."

Bovina High sports team members during the present school year will be guests of honor at annual athletic banquet tomorrow night.

Second Annual Bovina Appaloosa Horse Show has been scheduled for Saturday, May 9.

Miss Jeanie Ivy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ivy, was been awarded state homemaker degree.

Cindy Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read, was honored with a party on her eighth birthday Saturday. Terri Willard, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, celebrated her birthday Friday night.

Displaying a wealth of determination and breaking records as they went, the Bovina Mustangs successfully defended their District 4-B Track and Field championship at Lazbuddie Saturday.

By winning the tale-telling final event of the afternoon, the mile relay, the Mustangs edged the Lazbuddie Longhorns 173-170.

As far as the High Plains Research Foundation at Halfway is concerned, in irrigation the question is not how much water to apply, but when to apply it.

With 38,000 playa lakes dotting the High Plains and sloping land leading into every one of them, the need for land management is evident.

Highlighting the program of Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday was a talk presented by Bill Moore of Muleshoe on the Goodfellow Organization.

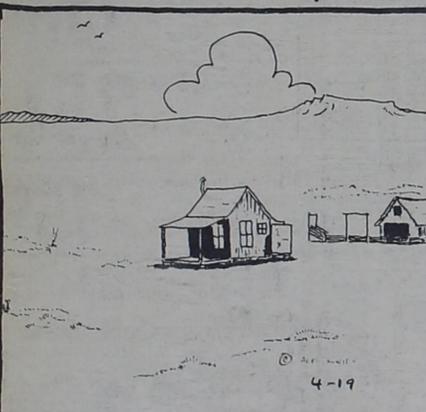
**TEN YEARS AGO**  
 April 6, 1960

For the first time since '56, the Bovina Lions will stage their always-popular Minstrel Show Friday, April 8.

Miss Grace Paul, principal of Bovina Elementary School, has announced winners and alternates in the literary interscholastic league competition. They will compete for district honors Friday at Happy.

Five junior high athletes from Bovina competed in a triangular track meet at Friona Friday afternoon and finished second.

**First State Bank Presents --**  
**COW POKES**  
 By Ace Reid



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**Says Librarian --**

## Bookmobile Traveling Anything But 'Dull'

(Editor's Note: Mrs. Lorene Sooter, librarian of High Plains Bookmobile is a frequent visitor to Bovina. She tells of experiences with the unit for this area.)

By Mrs. Lorene Sooter  
 Most people would think of traveling with the Bookmobile as a dull, uninteresting routine.

Of course, few people have the privilege of visiting the many small and large communities of Bailey, Farmer, Lamb and Cochran Counties and meeting the many interesting people like those that come on the Bookmobile.

Most of these people are interesting conversationalists. They tell us about their com-

**11 Accidents --**

## Nine Injured During March

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 11 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of March, according to Sergeant W. E. Wells, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in nine persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$5,835.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1970 shows a total of 28 accidents resulting in no persons killed, 14 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$25,370.00.

The final entry in the 1969 Texas traffic records has been entered and closed. An all-time record of 3,551 persons killed, an estimated 223,000 suffered injuries, and an estimated property loss of \$955 million was sustained.

Since the death count of 2,254 in 1960, Texas has gained steadily each year. The Sergeant stated, "If the number of deaths continued to increase as they have since 1960, by 1978 they will have increased 100 per cent."

## Letters To The Editor

(Editor's Note: The following was received by Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture after its annual banquet recently.)

We want you to know that we enjoyed your banquet Thursday night. You people did an outstanding job. The food was delicious, the speaker interesting and your decorations were quite unique.

We think anyone putting forth that kind of effort needs a word of appreciation.

The R. J. Jones  
 Lazbuddie

## This 'n That

by AUSTIN NICHOLS

Lo, the winter is past; the rain is over and gone; the flowers appear on the earth; and the time of the singing of birds is come.

And with this time comes the 70th anniversary of the annual state competitions of the American Traps shooting Association that brings men, women, and children out into the great outdoors to be one with nature and fellow men.

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**COURTHOUSE NOTES**

Instrument Report Ending April 11, 1970 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, Nadine Paine, Linnie Roberts, N 1/2 Lot 4, Blk. 30, Bovina

WD, Clayton Earl Root, Wayne A. Jones, Lot 6, Blk. 3, First Add. West Loop Dr.

WD, Robert H. Schueler, Sr., Rafael Sepulveda, Lots 7, 8, Blk. 3, McMiller & Ferguson Add. Friona

WD, J. H. Key, et al, Glen W. Green, Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 15, OT Friona

WD, Harva Ray White, et al, J. C. Blankenship, Lots 7 & 8, Blk. 23, OT Friona

WD, Omer Fletcher, Ronnie Rodgers, E 50' lots 17, 18, 19, Blk. 10, OT Farwell

WD, Dora Gladys Verner, Donald Ray Verner, N 1/3 Sec. 15, T10S; R2E

WD, Donald Ray Verner, J. T. Ford, N 1/3 of Sec. 15, T10S; R2E

WD, J. E. Hicks, John R. Craig, Lot 11 & E 10' Lot 12, Blk. 1 Ridgeview Add. Friona

WD, Adda C. Lisle, Doyle E. Ford, Lot 15, Sec. 5, T16S; R1E

WD, Harva Ray White, Floyd Polk, Lot 3, Blk. 902 OT Friona

WD, Rex Slater, Neal Hefner, Tr., Lot 1, Blk. 2 & Lot 2 & S 10' Lot 3, Blk. 2 of sub of lot 15 Blk. 3, Lakeside Add. Friona

OG, H. L. Garner, Texaco, Inc., SW 1/4 Sec. 8, T11S; R3E

OG, Henry Haseloff, Texaco, Inc., SW 1/4 Sec. 1, SE 1/4 Sec. 2, T15S; R2E

OG, G. D. Anderson, Jr., Texaco, Inc., 339 ac. N of RR Sec. 18, T15S; R2E

OG, Capitol Mineral Rights Co., Texaco Inc., SE 1/4 Sec. 3; N 240 a. of W 1/2 Sec. 4, NW 1/4 Sec. 6, T15S; R2E

OG, Capitol Mineral Rights Co., Texaco Inc., N 1/2 & SE 1/4 Sec. 8 & SE 1/4 & S 240 ac. of W 1/2 Sec. 9, T15 S; R2E

OG, Vernon Symcox, Texaco Inc., N 1/2 & SE 1/4 Sec. 8; SW 1/4 Sec. 9 & S 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 4, T15S; R2E

OG, Capitol Mineral Rights Co., Texaco Inc., Sec. 10, T15S; R2E

OG, Capitol Mineral Rights Co., Texaco Inc., S 1/2 of NE 1/4 & E 239 ac. of Sec. 16, part Sec. 18, T15S; R2E

OG, Capitol Mineral Rights Co., Texaco Inc., Part Sec. 14, T16S; R1E

OG, Joe L. Smallwood, Texaco Inc., Part W 1/2 Sec. 17, Johnson Z

OG, Anna Loucile Foster, Texaco Inc., S 140 a. of W 1/2 Sec. 33; part Sec. 16, Johnson Z

OG, Zula Rundell, Texaco Inc., Sec. 6, T14S; R3E & W 1/2 Sec. 31 T11S; R3E

OG, Coat Hanger Farms Inc., Texaco Inc., NE 1/4 Sec. 26, T10S; R2E

OG, Murrell Foster, Texaco Inc., N 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 26, T10S; R2E

OG, Bettie F. Sulser, Texaco Inc., NE 1/4 Sec. 25, T10S; R2E

OG, Norman C. Sulser, Tex-

Since we visit and service each community in the four counties every three weeks we soon developed the feeling that we were a part of every community. This is the most rewarding part of traveling with the Bookmobile. Now Spring is here and soon the farmers will be planting their fields and the birds will have returned. It gives one a feeling of exhilaration and new life to travel through the farm and ranch land and see the brown fields gradually turn green and then develop into luxuriant growth with a promise of a bountiful harvest.

There are also those distressing moments when we cross the path of a hail storm and see those beautiful crops

aco Inc., SE 1/4 Sec. 25, T10S; R2E

OG, Owen Patton, Texaco, Inc., W 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 2, NE 1/4 Sec. 11 T10S; R2E; SE 1/4 Sec. 18, T11S; R3E

OG, Jesse A. May, Texaco, Inc., SE 1/4 Sec. 13, T10S; R2E

OG, Wendell W. Cox, Texaco Inc., SE 1/4 Sec. 13, T10S; R2E

OG, Melborn C. & H. Lavon Jones, Texaco Inc., N 1/2 Sec. 12, T16S; R3E

OG, R. Dan Smith, Texaco Inc., NE 1/4 Sec. 1, Johnson Z

OG, Cora Plumlee, A. E. Gamble, E 1/2 Sec. 4, T10S; R2E

WD, High Plains Development Co., Robert Gutierrez, Lot 1, Blk. 27, OT Friona

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WD, Pearl Moore, et al, Heahtington Lumber Co., E 1/2 of lot 13, lots 14 & 15, S Highway 86, Blk. 75 Bovina

WD, Bidal Vargas, R. L. Hopingardner, Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 12 OT Bovina

WD, Hayes Mitchell, Jr., Guy G. West, SW 1/4 Sec. 21-W1/2 & SE 1/4 Sec. 27 - Sec. 28-NE1/4 & SE1/4 Sec. 34, all T6S; R3E

WD, Guy G. West, Hayes Mitchell, Jr., Part Sec. 14; S 1/2 Sec. 16 Harrah Sub.

WD, Jack D. Schuster, Marion E. Little, Und. 1/2 Int. S 179.00.06 ac. W 1/2 Sec. 81, Blk. H, Kelly

WD, Clyde Blalock, Panhandle & South Plains Dev. Corp., Lots 1 thru 26, Eastview Add. Bovina

WD, American Mortgage Co., Carl R. Mason, Lot 8, Blk. 1, Welch Ac. Unit #1, Friona

WD, Ross Terry, Roy T. Slagle, Tract out NE 1/4 Sec. 1, T3S; R3E

WD, Lewis Pierce, Albert Moncada, Lots 25 & 26, Blk. 16, OT Farwell

DT, Alva P. Sutton, F.H.A., SE 1/4 Sec. 31, T10S; R2E

WD, O. D. Bingham, Alva P. Sutton, SE 1/4 Sec. 31, T10S; R2E

ML, Wilmot S. Crow, Malcolm Hinkle Refrigeration Co., S 185' out Sec. 6, T4S; R4E

DT, Wilmot S. Crow, Malcolm Hinkle Refrigeration Co., S 185' out Sec. 6, T4S; R4E

OG, Robert Estes, et al, A. E. Gamble, Part Sec. 21, T7S; R2E

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District 3-A --

# Named Literary Meet Winners

Bovina won its share of literary events at Springlake-Earth Friday, with boys and girls winning four first places and the right to compete in Regional UIL contests.

Winning first place in District 3-A was the debate team, Mike Gee and Stephen Sherrill; persuasive speaking, Cary Moore; prose reading for boys, Bruce Caldwell; and prose reading for girls, Deborah Hawkins.

Several other places were also acquired at the meet. Jo Pierson won second in persuasive speaking; Jackie Adams and Betty Kesler, second in informative speaking; Benny McCain second and Becky Jacobs third in poetry interpretation.

Sheryl Moore took fourth place in typewriting and Betty Kesler fifth in shorthand.

In elementary competition, which ends at the district level, the picture memory team tied for first place with Farwell and Springlake-Earth. The team is composed of Rocky Bartlett, Cindy Caldwell, Carla Mills, Connie Foster and Steve Lance.

Kelly Moore won fourth place in fifth and sixth grade spelling and Alicia Spring won fourth in storytelling competition.

Boys' Doubles --

# Fosters Win Tennis Title

Tony and Carrol Foster won the District 3-A tennis doubles championship at Sudan Monday and the right to play in regional tennis sets April 24.

They defeated Sudan in the finals 6-2 and 6-3 for the title. However, defeating their first two competitors was not so easy.

Kress was the first team to meet the Foster boys. Kress won the first set 6-4, but the Bovina team took the next two 6-2 and 6-2.

The Fosters took an easy 6-0 set in second round with Vega, but the competitors turned the tables the second set to win 6-2. The last set, won by Bovina 6-2, gave the Fosters a chance in the finals with Sudan.

Bruce Caldwell was third in boys' singles, Sandra Bowman third in girls' singles, Vickie Stallings and Becky Jacobs fourth in girls' doubles.

The Junior High tennis meet will be held April 27 in Sudan.

In Bovina --

# Eighth Grade Meet Winner

Bovina eighth grade track team and Friona seventh grade were first place winners, and recipients of trophies, at the Junior High Track Meet held here Tuesday of last week.

Trophies were also presented first place teams in relays and ribbons were awarded for first four places in each event, according to Roy Donaldson.

Bovina seventh grade team came in third in the overall meet. Participating were teams from Friona, Bovina, Vega and Farwell. The meet was delayed from the previous Saturday because of snow.

Results follow.

**Eighth grade**  
Broad Jump: 1. Shelby 16-8; 3. Delgado 14-9 3/4  
High Jump: 3. Shelby 4-10; 5. Chisom 4-8 (tie)  
Discus: 1. Serna 125-8; 5. Stone 101-4  
Shot: 1. Serna 40-10; 5. Stone 31-11; 6. Sherrill 30-10  
440 Relay: 1. Bovina 51.7 (Shelby, Serna, Delgado, Lupe Espinoza)

880 Run: 2. Leal 2:25-8; 4. Ralph Ramon; 6. Gober  
440 Run: 1. Shelby 63.2  
60 High Hurdles: 2. Kirkpatrick 10.0; 5. Antillan 10.4  
100-Dash: 4. Delgado 11.8; 5. Serna 11.9  
100 Low Hurdles: 3. Vargas 13.2; 5. Cardoza 13.9 (tie)  
50 Dash: 1. Lupe Espinoza 6.5

220: 3. Vargas 27.0; 6. Serna 28.6  
880 Relay: 2. Bovina (Shelby, Vargas, Delgado, Espinoza) 1:48.4

1. Bovina; 2. Friona; 3. Farwell; 4. Vega.

**Seventh Grade**  
Broad Jump: 4. Haney 15-1/4; 5. Ward 13-11 1/2  
High Jump: 1. Haney 4-6; 6. Ward (tie)  
Discus: 4. Mast 81-1 1/2; 6. Dixon 76-2  
Shot: 6. Tienda 25-11  
Pole Vault: 1. Ortiz 7-2; 6. McCormick, Fillpot (tie)  
440-Relay: 2. Bovina (Haney, Ward, Fillpot, Carlos Espinoza) 53.5  
880 Run: 2. Ortiz 2:40.1; 5. Richard Garza 2:56.7; 6. Phelps 3:03.9  
440 Run: 6. Cockerham 72.2  
60 High Hurdles: 2. Fillpot 10.4; 3. Bartlett 10.7  
80 Meter Dash: 3. Haney 10.8; 6. Steelman 11.3

100 Low Hurdles: 5. Bartlett (tie)  
220 Dash: 4. Ward 27.8  
880 Relay: 1. Bovina (Haney, Ward, Steelman, Espinoza) 1:55.0  
1. Friona; 2. Farwell; 3. Bovina; 4. Vega.

### Of Interest To Men

#### MEN FACE STYLE CHOICE

Straight-leg, flare, bell-bottom or traditional, with cuff or without — these are some of the fashion choices confronting men buying pants today. It's similar to the mini, midi or maxi decisions faced by women. There are belt and beltless pants with a variety of pocket treatments, too. Never before have the makers of men's pants provided so many choices in style. For example, the company best known for its Levi's blue jeans now has 198 models and fabrics in its current men's line.

#### BLUE DENIM CARPET

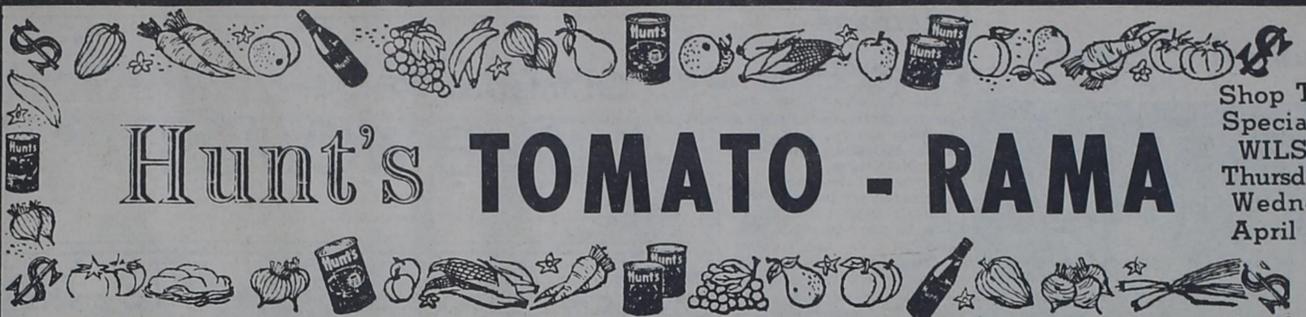
To give some idea of the size of the U. S. Garment industry, last year enough material was used just in making Levi's blue jeans to lay a 28-inch-wide denim carpet around the world 3.3 times.

#### ASSEMBLY LINE FASHIONS

Few realize that production of popularly-priced clothing has now become an assembly line business. For example, to produce a pair of Levi's blue denim jeans takes 28 major and four preparatory operations. Seventeen special threads are used.

#### NEW COLOR FOR MEN

Fashion authorities used to bemoan the lack of color in the male wardrobe. Now men can be decked out in the most brilliant plumage, especially when it comes to sportswear. For example, the company which makes Levi's pants lists in its current catalogue such hues as caramel, tropical green and paprika. They offer plaids, stripes and houndstooth patterns, and fabrics run the gamut from poplin to corduroy with gabardine and flannel in between. One wild print called Aquarius is made in Zodiac Blue, Occult Green and Horoscope Red.



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### Cook's Corner



"My hobby is living," says Mrs. Dickie Clayton, who occupies Cook's Corner this week.

Born in Hereford, Mrs. Clayton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. (Buster) Cochran. She grew up on a farm in this area and attended school in Farwell.

Her husband was born in Amherst. He moved here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clayton, when in elementary school. However, his school home was in Bovina, where he made a mark in athletics.

Bonnie met her future husband when the two were about in the seventh grade. "We always liked each other," Mrs. Clayton said. The couple dated through the high school years and after graduation found themselves before the altar in 1964.

After farming a couple of years, Clayton entered the U. S. Army in 1966. Bonnie was employed at Sherley Grain in Bovina.

In April, 1968, Clayton was sent to Germany and a couple of months later Bonnie joined him there. They lived in that country until the spring of 1968, and it was in Germany their daughter, Holly, was born.

After returning to the States they lived in Kansas until Clayton received his discharge. Since that time they have made their home in Bovina and reside in Ridgelea Addition. Clayton has returned to farming. Two months ago Chad was born to increase the size of the Clayton clan.

They are members of the

First Baptist Church and Mrs. Clayton is a member of the Study Club.

Mrs. Clayton says if she has a hobby, it is collecting antiques. While in Germany, she acquired two clocks and two steins at reasonable prices, all of which are considered "valuable" among collectors. Her only regret is that she did not bring back more items.

Concerning her cooking, she says the first one listed here must have been written by someone like her.

#### Quick Supper

Measure three cups flour into large bowl; answer telephone. Take large bowl off small daughter's head. Sweep up floor. Measure three cups flour into large bowl. Measure 1/4 c. shortening; answer door bell. Wash shortening from daughter's face and hands. Add 1/4 c. shortening to flour. Mix well. Rock baby for 10 minutes; answer telephone. Put daughter in tub and scrub well. Scrape flour and shortening mixture from floor. Add enough tears to relieve tension. Open one can of beans and serve with remaining strength.

#### Italian Spaghetti

2 lbs. hamburger  
1/4 c. olive oil  
1 t. salt  
1/8 t. pepper  
Dash cayenne pepper  
1 t. chili powder  
1/2 t. garlic salt  
1 c. onion chopped

### Marriage Set Sunday

Miss Jeannie Williams and Jerry Barnell will exchange marriage vows at 7 p.m. Sunday in Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church.

Parents of the couple are Rev. and Mrs. C. Woodrow Williams of Oklahoma Lane and Mrs. Dorothy Barnell of Rogers, N.M.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

### Shower Set Saturday

A bridal shower will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday for Mrs. Henry Davis, the former Miss Janice McCormick.

The community room of First State Bank of Bovina will be the site of the occasion.

Hostesses include Mmes. Floyd Englant, Chester Rogers, Pam Taylor, I. W. Quicquel, Elmer McKay, Travis Lloyd, Bessie Webb, Alfred Mills, Wilfred Sikes, F. S. Pounds, LaVerne Thatcher and J. D. Stevens.

1/2 c. mushrooms, sliced  
1/2 c. ripe olives, sliced

1 c. grated carrots  
1 c. chopped celery  
2 c. tomato juice  
1 can tomato paste

Brown meat in oil. Add all the spices. Mix vegetables and add to meat. Add liquid and simmer 30 minutes to one hour. Serve over cooked spaghetti.

#### Potato Casserole

5 c. sliced raw potatoes  
1 can mushroom soup  
1 can Cheddar cheese soup  
1 c. milk  
1 med. onion finely chopped  
Salt and pepper, butter to taste  
In greased casserole arrange layers of potatoes, soups, milk, onion, seasonings. Dot top with butter. Cover and bake 1 1/2 hours at 375 degrees. Uncover and bake 20 to 25 minutes more.

#### Chocolate Pudding Cake

1 c. flour  
3/4 c. sugar  
2 t. baking powder  
2 t. cocoa  
1/2 t. salt  
Sift dry ingredients and add:  
1/2 c. milk  
2 t. vanilla  
2 t. melted butter  
3/4 c. nuts  
Mix together and spread in 8 by 4 1/2 pan. Mix 3/4 c. brown sugar and scant 1/4 c. cocoa. Sprinkle over cake mixture. Pour 1 3/4 c. warm water over entire cake. Bake 325 degrees 45 minutes. Serve with whipped cream or ice cream.

#### Orange Sherbert

6 bottles Nesbitt Orange pop  
1 small can crushed pineapple  
1 can Eagle Brand milk  
Mix together and freeze.

## Of Interest To THE WOMEN

### FHA Presents 'Our World - A Growing Heritage' Here

"Our World -- A Growing Heritage" was presented Wednesday by Bovina FHA in conjunction with National FHA Week.

About 120 guests were FHA members from Lazbuddie, Friona and Farwell.

Directed by Mrs. Lee Nitcholas, Mrs. Janie Potts and

Charles Turner, the skit was previously presented at the National FHA convention in Denver. Turner provided music for the presentation.

The skit relayed the message that "it will take more than one person to straighten out the world. Perfect peace can never be attained, but we must

keep trying," said Mrs. Potts, FHA advisor.

Kim Langer portrayed the Spirit of Peace. Meloney Marshall was narrator. Suzanne Wilson, FHA president, served as mistress of ceremonies.

Members of the cast included Honey Mast, Carissa Englant, Loy Christian, Linda Stanberry, Gail Dixon, Candy Wilson, Cindy Barrett, Jan Gromowsky, Patti Mills, Kim Gober, Betty Kessler, Jennifer Cockerham, Irene Pearson, Debbie Sorley, Vickie Kunselman and Christina Garza.

Lighting effects were directed by Nancy Mitchell, Denise Clements, Cindy Crump and Chrissy Mast.

In the first portion of the program, representatives from school organizations told how each one's organization determines the direction America will take.

Miss Marshall spoke for athletics and FHA, Bruce Caldwell for band, Mike McMeans for FFA, and Randy Barrett for education.

## Scoopin' - - - -

By Pat Jacobs

Northern liberals are yelling like stuck pigs. Seems they think they should not be accused of being prejudiced against the South.

That's nothing new. We've known that down here a long time. Ask Lyndon Johnson, for instance.

What really hurts their egos is the fact they have had their fingers pointed so long at the South, they've forgotten to look in the mirror.

It becomes more difficult each day for law-abiding citizens to respect what little law and order we have left. There's Abbie Hoffman of Chicago 7 fame. Seems, remotely, he and the others were told, when granted bail, they would be free from custody only so long as they refrained from revolutionary talk and tactics.

He talked, loud and clear, at Houston this weekend. So who's made a move to haul him in?

Advocating that youth overthrow the government, and keep it, is what most people call revolutionary talk. However, there's a point someone seems to be missing. Many of the so-called liberators are not youth. Many of them are nearing, or already past, the 30-year mark. That's adult --- and Hoffman falls in that category.

His freedom from custody should have been revoked the day after it was obtained. What happened to ordinary "guts"?

Begging the readers' pardons for personal reference, but the time has come their pardons may have to be asked for something more.

It seemed strange about midnight Sunday that someone should be honking their horn, loud and clear, in front of the homestead. When the honking didn't stop, an investigation seemed necessary.

Eerie was the feeling when discovery was made it was our own horn, in our own driveway --- with no one behind the wheel.

That wasn't so bad --- but when a blast broke the stillness of the early morning about 4 o'clock Monday ---

### At Home In Parmer County

By Janice Miller  
County HD Agent

The District I Texas Home Demonstration Association is having its annual District meeting April 16. Parmer County will have two voting delegates attending this meeting. Mrs. Gilbert Gilliam, Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club, and Mrs. Norman Taylor, Rhea Home Demonstration Club will be the delegates. The meeting is to be at the First Baptist Church in Hereford and is open to any Home Demonstration Club member who wishes to attend.

The Family-Living Youth Seminar held last week in Amrillo was well attended. Mrs. Doyle Green, Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser and Mrs. Bert Williams attended from our area. The theme was "Today's Youth -- Tomorrow's Family." Have you wondered what the family will

be like in the year 2000? Most of you know that there are some who want to do away with the "family" as we know it today. And this is a possibility for the future. This was only one point brought out during the day. The program also covered opportunities for our youth. If you know one of these women, ask them about the seminar.

4-H members in the County are now working on their Method Demonstrations. The County Elimination Contest to be held April 25 is when members from all over the County will compete to attend the district contest May 2. These demonstrations will cover just about anything from grass judging to feeding the family to hog production. This is one way 4-H'ers learn something new; but they also learn how to share what they have learned.

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### Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hughes, Portales, N.M., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sherida Ann, to SP5 Jerry F. Rigdon, Ft. Bragg, N.M., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Rigdon of Bovina. Miss Hughes, a graduate of Eastern New Mexico University, is teaching second grade at Eugene Field in Clovis. Rigdon received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Eastern New Mexico University and in August will complete two years of active military duty. An August wedding is being planned.

### Program Here Emphasizes Cancer

"Detection of Cancer" was title of a film shown members of Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon during a program emphasizing better health.

Mrs. Jack Clayton was leader of the program. Mrs. Earl Whitten gave a report on cervical cancer. She said the new methods of testing for such cancer, which is thought caused by a virus, has cut the cancer rate by 50 per cent.

All women should have such a test at least once or twice a year, Mrs. Whitten said. Women who live in the South

are more likely to have cervical cancer than those in other regions, according to information available.

Mrs. Leslie McCain said cancer and leukemia are the No. 1 killers of children. Her report also included breast cancer, which she said six out of 100 women will develop. However, 65 per cent of the lumps discovered are found to be benign.

Mrs. Clayton and Mrs. Leon Ware were hostesses for the meeting. Refreshments of banana bread with whipped cream, coffee, tea and nuts were served.

In a business meeting members voted to meet at 2 p.m. May 28 to clean up the rummage sales room.

Also approved was the ordering of additional place mats with Texas scenes.

Attending the meeting, in addition to those named, were Mmes. Rouel Barron, Floyd Damron, Billie Sudderth, Clarence Jones, O. H. Jones, Travis Dyer, Earl Richards, J. R. Caldwell, Reagan Looney and C. C. Ross.

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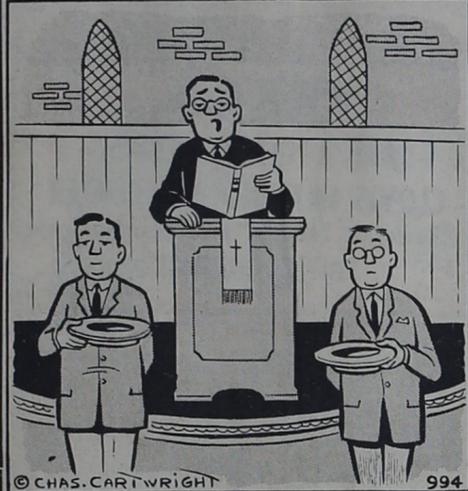
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Truth cost John the Baptist his head, it cost Jesus his popularity and his life, it cost Stephen the wrath and rocks of the Sanhedrin and it cost Paul his freedom. Truth cannot come cheap for us. The truth of Jesus strips away our sham, hypocrisy, and sophistication. When he is through with us we can only stare at the nakedness of our sin.

The truth may cost us reputation, financial security and even our lives. It will certainly demand that we make bold commitments. We will not be able to ignore the massive issues of racial prejudice, human need and sterile Christianity.

The reshaping of our lives into His likeness will not take place without resistance. The worst thought is that it might not take place at all. This would be the supreme tragedy that in the hour that demands courage and action we sat and let truth slip through our fingers.

Truth still comes high. The comfortable road is the one paved with half-truths. But only truth can make us free.

Cecil Bunch, Minister, Bovina Church of Christ

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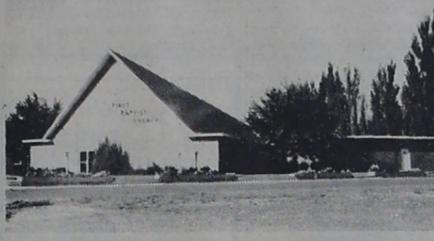
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Training Union - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting - 8 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.



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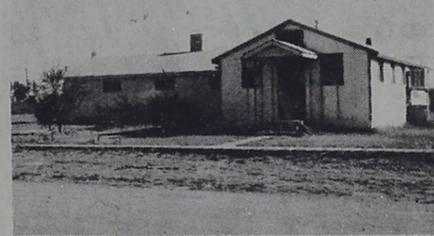
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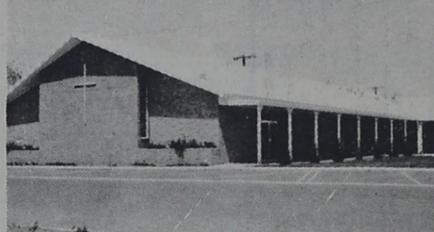
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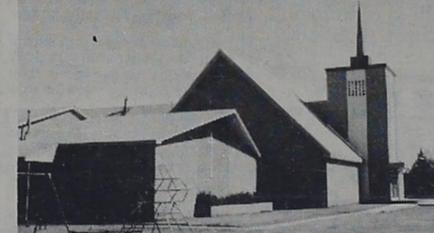
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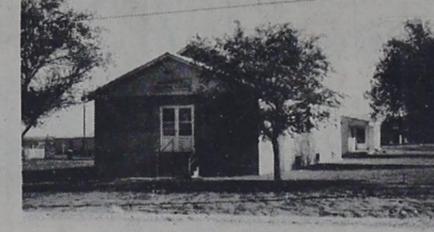
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At Friona --

# Fillies Second In Track Meet

Fillies emerged in second place Saturday behind Littlefield in a seven-team track meet at Friona.

The district track meet for girls will be held Thursday at Hale Center. The meet does not count, however, in UIL competition.

Littlefield garnered a total of 120 1/2 points at Friona and the Fillies were second with 105 1/2 points. Others included Friona, Idalou, Dimmitt, Amherst and Hart.

Bovina winners included the following:  
Broad Jump: 2, Barbara Griffith 14-8; 4, Irene Pearson 14-4 1/2.

High Jump: 1, Loy Christian 4-6; 4, Twyla Hutto 4-4.

Triple Jump: 2, Hutto; 3, Griffith; 5, Christian (tie)  
Discus: 2, Chrissy Mast; 5, Cindy Barrett  
440-yard Relay: 3, Hutto, Nena Spicer, Jan Gromowsky, Griffith

220-Dash: 2, Spicer (new school record) 27.9

100-Dash: 5, Pearson  
60-Dash: 4, Pearson

80 Hurdles: 4, Hutto  
880 Relay: 1, Griffith, Hutto, Christian, Spicer, (new school record) 1:56.9,  
880 Run: 3, Sherry Haney (new school record) 2:50.

## Political Calendar

The Blade is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election, May 2, 1970.

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COUNTY JUDGE & EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL Supt. Archie Tarter (re-election)  
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COUNTY CLERK Bonnie Warren (re-election)

DISTRICT CLERK Dorothy Quickel (re-election)

COUNTY TREASURER Mabel Reynolds (re-election)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2 Charlie Jefferson (re-election)

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 3 Wilbur Charles (re-election)

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
Sealed bids for a new four-wheel drive, crew cab pickup are now being accepted by Parmer County Precinct 2. The vehicle to be equipped as follows: V/8 engine, oil bath air cleaner, four-speed transmission, 7x11 West Coast mirrors, rear bumper hitch, spare tire and crew cab.

The bidder is to take into consideration the trade-in of a 1966 model Ford pickup now being used by the precinct. This vehicle is available for inspection by contacting the Precinct 2 commissioner in Bovina.

Bids are to be addressed to Charlie Jefferson, commissioner, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Box 374, Bovina, Texas 79009. Deadline for submitting bids is Saturday, April 25. Parmer County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Charlie Jefferson, Commissioner, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas 42-2tc

### Sgt. Simmons In Second Vietnam Tour

SSgt. Roger L. Simmons is serving his second tour of duty in Vietnam and has currently served a total of 18 months there, according to a news release from Bien Hoa AB, Vietnam.

His wife is the former Patricia Ann Crook of Bovina. They have one daughter, Linda Ann, who is 19 months of age.

Simmons served in Vietnam from December 1966 to 1967 at Tuy Hoa AB during his first tour. He returned there October 1969.

He has been awarded several military decorations including Air Force Commendation Medal, Presidential Unit Citation, Air Force Outstanding Unit Citation with one Oak Leaf Clus-

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Planning Commission --

# County SCD Joins Region

Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District has passed a resolution to join the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, according to Leon Grissom, chairman of the District's board of directors.

The action, which came during the district's monthly board meeting in Friona last week, will give the district one vote on the commission. In making the announcement, Grissom said, "We feel that our

district has an obligation and an opportunity to contribute to the objective and purpose of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, which is to permit local units of government to join and cooperate with one

another to improve the health, safety, and general welfare of their citizens." Another aim of the Commission is to plan for the future development of the regional area, which covers 25 counties in the Texas Panhandle.

It is believed that local units of government such as the Parmer County SWCD can do much towards long-range planning on a regional basis. Official representative of the Parmer County SWCD on the Commission is Dick Rocky of Friona.

## Muster Set Tuesday By Texas Aggies

Former students of Texas A&M living in Parmer County and their wives will Muster Tuesday, April 21, to mark the passing of comrades and honor Texans who won independence at San Jacinto.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Bovina Restaurant. Aggie Muster began in 1903 when the 300-member Corps of Cadets paid homage to the Texan who defeated the Mexican Army in 1836. Musters have been held since -- wherever A&M might find themselves on that day. More than 500 Musters will be held around the world this year.

The ceremony is the same in every location. Aggies pay respect to those who are absent. When the names of honored dead are called from Muster rolls, a friend of the deceased answers, "Here."

## Methodist Revival Continues

Revival services will continue through the remainder of this week at Bovina United Methodist Church. Rev. Ritchard Pittman of Wolforth will be here for the services at 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. daily. Rev. Dick Clemer of Amarillo conducted services the first half of the week. A breakfast for Methodist Men is scheduled at 6:30 a.m. Thursday and luncheons are

## FHA Plans Rural Home Acceleration

Administrator James V. Smith of the Farmers Home Administration says in a prepared statement: "This Administration has a national objective of building some three million rural homes with public assistance within the next decade. To achieve this we need new concepts in rural home building and new administrative procedures so we can commit more of our agency's resources to the private builders for housing development projects and other types of industrialized rural home building. Our aim is to triple last year's record this coming year."

Farmers Home Administration has been authorized to issue conditional commitments on single-family dwellings in the open country and rural communities up to 5,500 population. The program is designed to encourage the construction of single-family dwellings in rural areas for sale to low and moderate income families.

Representative Bob Price of Texas recently spoke out strongly in favor of the rural housing provisions in the 1969 housing bill. "Through its rural housing program," Representative Price said, "The Farmers Home Administration has been making substantial inroads on this problem, and it is vital that this activity not only be continued but accelerated."

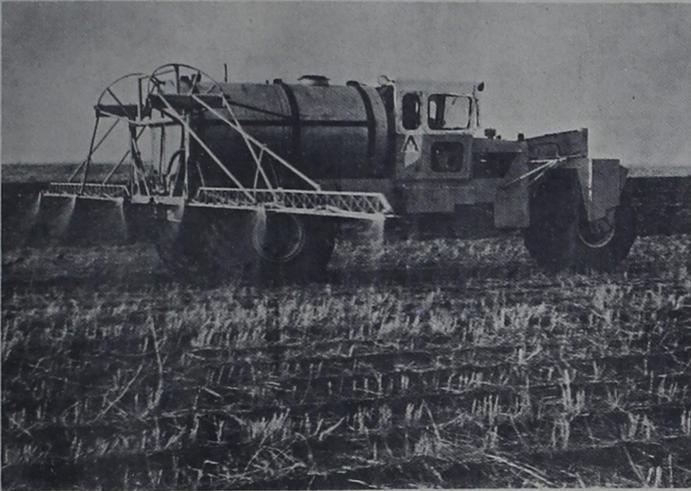
Information and applications may be obtained from the Parmer County Farmers Home Administration office in Farwell, between the hours of 8 to 5. The telephone number is 481-3888.



TOTAL LOSS --- A granary on the Howard Looney farm was consumed by fire Sunday afternoon. The blaze apparently started from burning trash and high wind. (Photo by Weldon Moody)



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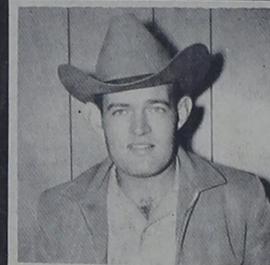
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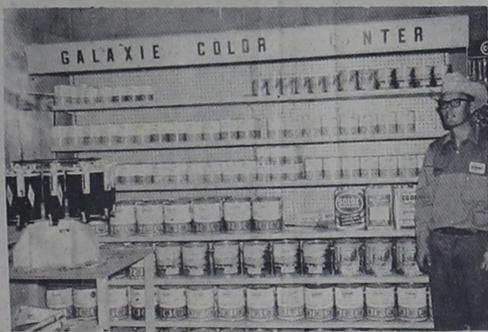
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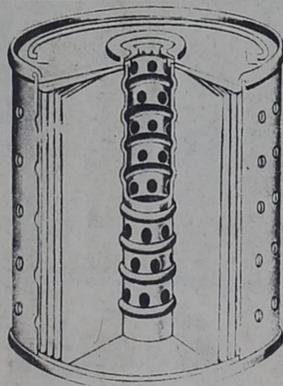


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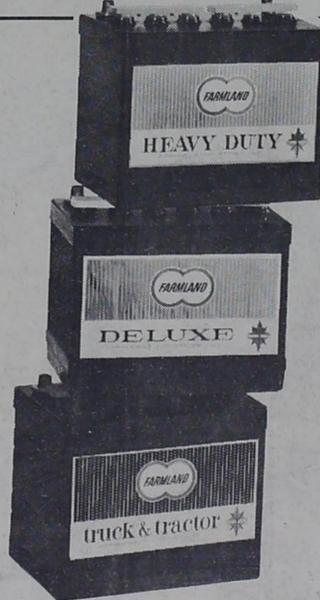
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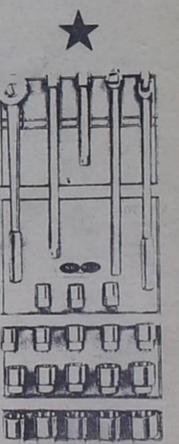
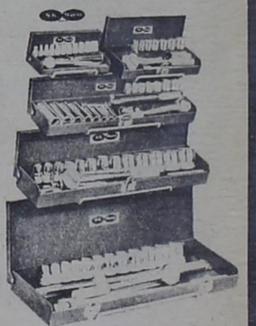
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Officially --

# Boys' Baseball Joins Little League Program

Bovina's boys' baseball program will be affiliated with the national Little League program during the forthcoming season.

This decision was made at a Thursday night meeting of Bovina Lions Club, sponsor of the ball program.

## FFA Team Competes In Land Contest

Dimmitt FFA took top honors in the Farmer County Soil and Water Conservation District's annual land judging contest last week.

The Dimmitt group, coached by vocational agriculture instructor John Quimby, also had the second place team in the contest.

Third place winner was Friona FFA, coached by Benny Pryor. The Contest was held on the Shanks Ivy farm two miles north of Lazbuddie.

Other teams participating were Bovina FFA and Lazbuddie FFA.

The contest was conducted by SCS District Conservationist Gary Batte and Soil Conservationist Glenn Phillips of Friona, and Soil Scientist Herb Bruns of Hereford.

Alton Morris, vice-chairman of the Farmer County SWCD board of directors, presented awards to winners at the conclusion of the contest.

J. R. Dickinson, volunteer Little League representative who lives in Clovis, met with the Lions to explain the advantages of being a part of the national hook-up.

He explained there would be little difference in the operation of the program here since Little League rules have been followed, for the most part, in recent years.

Cost to be a part of the parent organization is \$8 per team, Dickinson pointed out.

He pointed out that the national program offers greater stability for the program and helps to create interest.

A Little League governing body will need to be established. A president will be named along with a vice president who will be in charge of senior division play, a secretary-treasurer and a player agent.

The Lions' baseball committee is expected to attend to the details of the new set-up in the near future. Play for the six-week season will probably begin next month and is scheduled to be completed around July 1.

Peewee teams are not a direct part of the Little League program and will continue to operate here as they have in the past.

Lions Club has sponsored the baseball program here since it was established in the mid-50's.

## From Shallowater --

# New Basketball Coach To Join Staff Here

Dalton Morrison of Shallowater will join the athletic department and faculty at Bovina High School next school year as basketball coach.

He was named recently to the position of boys and girls basketball coach with the remainder of his duties yet to be assigned.

Morrison is a native of this area, having been raised at Portales, where he was graduated from high school. He received his B.S. degree from Wayland Baptist College, where he played college basketball.

With six years of coaching experience, Morrison has also been a businessman. He coached at Sunray and O'Donnell before going to Shallowater for three years as basketball mentor. He and his wife, JoAnn, owned and operated the newspaper at Shallowater after his school tenure there and he has also been a salesman. Upon accepting the position with Bovina Schools, he resigned as a member of the Shallowater school board.

The family includes two daughters, Sheryl, who is a high school junior, and Cindy, an eighth grader. They are

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## UIL Competition --

# BHS One-Act Play Takes First Place

Bovina's one-act play, "The Cell," won first place in District 3-A competition here Tuesday afternoon of last week with three members of the cast receiving special recognition. Vega's production won second, Springlake-Earth was third, and Farwell fourth. Bovina will represent the district in regional competition at Lubbock on April 24.

The winning play was the only drama presented, according to Mrs. Margaret Durben, director. Others were comedies.

Judge was John Paul Yates of West Texas State University. Bruce Caldwell was named best actor and Mike Gee, best supporting actor. Deborah Hawkins headed the all-star cast.

Best actress was Gloria Stephens of Springlake-Earth and best supporting actress was Kathy Heard of Vega.

The all-star cast was listed in places, Miss Hawkins of Bovina first, Mike Wiseman of Vega second, Johnny Kelley of Springlake-Earth third, Venita Whitaker of Sudan fourth, Sheila Garner of Farwell fifth, and Pam Motherall of Kress sixth.

Bovina's play was presented last of the six presentations. Other members of the cast include Ken Moore, Doyle Merrill, Wilton Cox, Mike McMeans and Royce Sisk.

## Clinic Set For April 25

The annual Crippled Children's Clinic will be held on Saturday, April 25, beginning at 1 p.m. in St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Mrs. L. J. Fowler says there is no charge for the clinic, which is conducted by Lubbock specialists.

St. John's Church is located at the corner of University Avenue and 15th Street.

Anyone knowing of a child who needs attention in this way should contact Mrs. Fowler, phone 225-4534, or Mrs. Pearl Cervantez at 238-3981.

Winner will play Wall for the regional championship.

The Mustangs bit the dust 13-1 when they met the Hereford baseball squad there Wednesday.

Royce Grissom was the losing pitcher. Leading hitters for Bovina were Stuart McMeans and Kelly Jamerson.

## School Menus

April 20-24

Monday: Spanish rice, green beans, canned tomatoes, hot rolls, butter, oat meal cookies, milk.

Tuesday: Pinto beans, potato salad, turnip greens, cornbread, butter, cherry pie, orange juice, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joes, cheese slices, buttered corn, applesauce, rice pudding, milk.

Thursday: Fried chicken, gravy, creamed potatoes, buttered broccoli, hot rolls, butter, fruit cup, milk.

Friday: Ham and cheese sandwiches, lettuce, tomatoes, baked beans, potato chips, peanut butter cookies, orange juice, milk.

## 3-A Baseball Title On Line

The first of two district baseball games were played when Farwell came here Tuesday afternoon. Bovina will return the game there Thursday.

If the games are split, a play-off will be necessary to determine the district championship, according to Gary Cox. Bovina and Farwell are the lone baseball teams in 3-A.

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## Track And Field --

# Four Qualify For Regional

Four Bovina Mustangs qualified for the Regional Meet in Lubbock by winning places in the District 3-A track events at Kress Saturday.

First and second places qualify for the Regional events. Stuart McMeans won first place in 330 hurdles with a time of 40.2, and second in 100 yard dash with 10.1.

Randy Barrett took first place in discus with a throw of 127-6 and third in shot with 41-10.

Jackie Hall goes to regional after winning second in shot put with 43-6, as does Gary McCormick who won second in pole vault with 11-0.

Bovina came in third in sprint relay with 45.2.

The Mustangs brought home a total of 71 points to place third

in the district meet. Kress was first with 137 and Sudan second with 119.

The freshman team racked up a total of 55 points to take fourth place in that division behind Kress, Springlake-Earth and Vega.

## Banquets Set This Week

Two banquets have been scheduled this week for Bovina students.

The FFA banquet will be held Friday night in schools cafeteria when awards will be made, according to Mike Potts, advisor.

Annual Junior-Senior banquet is set for Saturday night in the American Legion Hall with the Junior Class serving as host for the event.



SPECIAL RECOGNITION --- Looking over a list of names receiving special recognition in UIL District 3-A one-act play competition are Deborah Hawkins, who headed the all-star cast; Mike Gee, best supporting actor; Mrs. Margaret Durben, director; and Bruce Caldwell, best actor. Bovina's play, "The Cell," was judged to be the top production here Tuesday afternoon.

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