

New Phone System Now Operating Here

Direct Distance Dialing for Bovina patrons of General Telephone Company of the Southwest went into effect here at 12:01 a.m. Sunday.

The completely new electronic telephone central office here is the initial installation in the Panhandle and South Plains area and also a first in the company's four-state operating area, according to Rad Richardson, district manager.

Customers in Bovina are now able to send their calls traveling to long distance destinations in a fraction of a second with the use of this sophisticated equipment.

Construction of the building on Third Street near Avenue B began in May and was completed in November.

The electronic system has several special features not found in most mechanical systems now in use, said Richardson.

One of these advanced features is the automatic self-checking ability that can pinpoint trouble or potential trouble that would normally be unnoticed until service is interrupted.

The chance of equipment failure will also be lessened in the new type redundant system. Similar checks had to be done manually under the old system, Richardson explained.

The electronic system is especially designed for touch calling, DDD and extended area service. New phone numbers for Bovina subscribers went into effect with the new system.

Richardson added that modifications to the new system in the future could make possible several "exotic" services as studies indicate a sufficient demand by customers. One service that will be available upon proper legal request is "trace calling" where the electronic equipment will print out a continuous record that identifies all local calls made to a customer who complains about nuisance calls.

The manager said the new system is designed to help the company and the customer by reducing maintenance costs with the use of the electronic equipment rather than the mechanical. Service problems are alleviated or found quickly by the early detection of trouble by the self-checking function of the equipment, he said.

Richardson said the installation of equipment has been underway since late October. He explained that the electronic equipment will handle up to 2400 private line customers but that only 800 line connections will be installed initially to serve

the 385 customers now in Bovina. He added that another 1600 customers can be added as population growth requires without major additions since the capacity of the system is 2400 lines.

Lamp Construction Company of Lubbock was contractor for the building which measures 44'4" by 52'8". The building contains space for the equipment room where the electronic equipment is housed, main frame room where the individual

telephone wires are connected to the distribution equipment, generator room to house the emergency power equipment used in case of power interruption, work area for minor repairs and restrooms.

The concrete block building has a vinyl cover concrete slab floor. Twenty tons of air conditioning equipment is arranged on top of the building to provide the critical temperature control for the new equipment.



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For Fourth Year --

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

This week a year ago we had a good rain in the area. Up to two inches, The Blade said, and it was evidently needed then almost as much as it is now.

Thanks to the still-plentiful irrigation water, the lack of moisture this year won't create a great economic set-back. However, the situation is becoming more serious by the day. Dryland wheat, we hear the coffee drinkers say, might not be saved by rain now. In other words, it's just about gone. Needless to say, natural moisture would also be of benefit to irrigated farms, too.

The new telephone system has, no doubt, created its share of problems since it was put into effect at midnight Saturday night. But at that the problems might not have been as many as were expected.

The numbers change and the direct distance dialing are the most noticeable things about the new system. And when you dial an old number, a recording tells you so.

The DDD part will be a convenience, no doubt, even for us if and when we learn how to use it. The area codes have presented a little bit of problem for us. We tried Monday to call across the state line, which isn't far from here. Due to the short distance, we figured the area code was the same and got a couple of parties who weren't the ones we were calling and who didn't especially want to talk with us. At least, they didn't know the answers to the questions we wanted to ask.

Anyway, we know now that the area code changes at the state line; even Farwell and Texico are different. To learn that, it just cost a couple of calls to somewhere. Education is supposed to be costly, somebody said once.

Seems there is quite a time lapse from the time that a long distance number is dialed until the phone rings. We're not knocking it; it's still a heap quicker than you can have an operator do it for you, we've noticed.

The time lapse is made more noticeable, no doubt, because the ring occurs much quicker on a local call than under the old system. Dial a local number and you're getting it to ring almost before you can get the receiver to your ear.

Anyway, don't worry about the new telephone system and its changes. Fifteen or 20 years from now, we probably won't even remember how the old system worked . . . or what our old number was.

Parmer County Republicans are getting serious about this election business. You'll notice elsewhere in this week's paper that they have U. S. Senator John Tower (R-Tex.) scheduled for a Farwell appearance Friday night.

That's a pretty good deal to get a genuine United States senator to come to Parmer County. We're proud of the folks who promoted Tower's appearance here. His schedule for that day, we understand, calls for breakfast in Houston, lunch in Dallas and the barbecue that evening in Farwell. That puts the county seat in pretty high class, big city-wise, that particular day!

Tower calls Wichita Falls home, incidentally.

He's unopposed for the Republican nomination in his party's primary. That means he's preparing now for a November showdown with the Democratic nominee. Former Senator Ralph Yarborough appears now to be out front for that nomination.

Tower is the brightest star in the state Republican campaign you can bet they'll pull out all the stops in an effort to see

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Jamerson Heads Trustees Again

Two new teachers were hired for the '72-'73 school year by the board of trustees of Bovina Independent School District at a Monday night session.

Approved for employment, subject to assignment, were Mrs. Virginia Rhodes and Mrs. Doris Sides.

Mrs. Rhodes will receive her degree this summer from West Texas State University. Mrs. Sides, who is a graduate of WT, taught in Friona for four years. She now lives south of Bovina.

Lawrence Jamerson, veteran school board member, was re-elected president of the seven-member group. This is the fourth consecutive time for Jamerson to be elected to the presidency. He was first elected in '69.

Re-elected vice president was Leon Ware. Leslie McCain was re-elected secretary.

Meeting with the board for the first time was C. E. Trimble, who was elected in the April 1 election. Along with Earl Whittin, who was re-elected to a three-year board term, Trimble signed the oath of office.

The board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Gladys Murphy, a second grade teacher, effective at the end of the current school year.

A policy to not permit the use of school facilities for dances, by school groups or others, was

kept in effect by action of the board members.

Discussed by the board were plans to enlarge the vocational department of the main school building. The state has directed that the facilities be enlarged by September of next year. The board is planning to make the improvements ahead of the deadline date, according to L. F. Jacobs, superintendent.

As is customary for the annual re-organizational meeting of the board, members and their wives had dinner in the home economics building. The meal was prepared by Mrs. Janie Potts, home economic instructor, and her students.



SCHOOL BOARD MEETS --- Board of trustees of Bovina Independent School District was organized Monday night following a dinner at homemaking cottage. Members are, left to right, back row: Earl Whittin, Robert Read and Lawrence Jamerson; front row: Leon Ware, Edwin Lide, C. E. Trimble and Leslie McCain. Trimble is a new member of the board while Whittin was re-elected to his second term. Both men were sworn in at the meeting. Jamerson was re-elected to his fourth term as board president. Ware and McCain were re-elected vice president and secretary, respectively.

Report Next Week --

Select 100 Petit Jurors

A list of jurors who are to report for petit jury duty Monday and Wednesday of next week has been released by the Parmer County Sheriff's office at Farwell. The following jurors will appear on the dates given below.

Monday at 1:30 p.m. -- Mrs. Rafael J. Gonzales, Mrs. B. J. Goldsmith, Nettie Mae Collier, Mohto Allen, Mrs. John L. Seaton, Mrs. Thomas L. Lloyd, Iona Renner, Dickie Jean Chandler, J. B. Barrett, Mrs. Davis Gullely, Mrs. James H. Jennings, Mrs. C. L. Bracken, Emsley A. Walker, Lewis Gore, Paul Craig, Dale Gober, Mrs. Edwinston Clark, Travis Lloyd, Adolf Haseloff, J. E. Hicks, Karl Cast, Floyd L. Rector, Earl Johnson.

Also Mrs. Geo. D. Magness, Mrs. C. C. Matthews, Leon Wilson, Mrs. Joe Cox, Katherine M. White, Dalton Mimms, Janie Suddeth, Leona Steelman, Mrs. Ralph J. Durstine, Mrs. Clarence Meeks, Mary Alice Merrill, Vickie Lee Jacobs, Murrell Foster, Mrs. Bob Hammonds, Raymond K. Schueler, E. E. Englekirk, Mrs. M. L. Howard, Margie Stowers, Charles Land, Larry Moyer, Mrs. Carl Maurer, Mrs. Vol-

ley Hodges, Mrs. R. M. Waller, June M. Wallace.

Also Harold N. Hawkins, Ollie Ray Stanley, Mrs. Keith Menefee, Mrs. Claude H. Rose, Mrs. O. T. Patterson, Jim K. Wiman, Mrs. Janie Potts, Giles Cobb, W. M. Sherley, L. L. Deaton, Byron D. Hargrove,

Lois F. Lee, N. Jarrell, G. P. Meissner, Mrs. Raymond C. Martin, Chester W. Rogers, Mrs. Herbert C. Potts, Daniel M. Rodriguez, J. B. Young, Jr., T. C. Wiseman, Bill Craft, Kenneth Ferguson, Billie Ensor, Mrs. B. L. Marshall, Bill G. Loanman.

Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. -- (Continued on Page 2)

Grand Jury Session Set Next Week

For May 6 Primaries --

Absentee Voting Now Underway

Absentee voting for this year's Democrat and Republican primary elections started this week and will continue through May 2, according to Bonnie Warren, county clerk.

Citizens wishing to vote absentee may do so at the clerk's office at the courthouse in Farwell. The last day for absentee voting, May 2, is on a Tuesday, Mrs. Warren reminds. The primaries are scheduled for Saturday, May 6. There are no contested races in the Bovina precinct or on the county level this year. Possibly attracting the most attention state-wide is the Demo primary in the governor's race.

Mrs. Queen's Services Held At Ft. Worth

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon of last week at Fort Worth for Mrs. Warren (Mattie Lee) Queen, about 62.

Mrs. Queen suffered a heart attack the week before while visiting with her children at Jasper. She died Friday, April 7.

She moved to Bovina in 1948 and had lived here until about three years ago when she moved to Morton.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Elmer (Louise) Richardson of Fort Worth, Mrs. Elwyn (Rose) Criswell of Tucumcari, Warnell Queen of New Orleans, La., and three sons, Denny Bates, Kenneth Bates and Jack Bates, all of Jasper.

Fire Dept. Has 2 Calls Last Week

Bovina's fire department was called back to Parmer County Cattle Company last Wednesday at noon when an ensilage pit broke into flames again. The fire department volunteers were originally called to extinguish a fire in the pit on Thursday, April 6.

Firemen made a run to a grass fire alongside the railroad tracks east of Lariat late Wednesday afternoon. One fireman reported the fire had been extinguished before they arrived.

100,000 Gallon Water Tower --

Council Agrees To Repair Tank

Bids for repairing and rust-proofing the city water tower was considered at a Thursday night meeting of Bovina's city council.

The lower of two bids was submitted by Walker Tank Service of Slaton, which offered to do the rust-proofing of the 100,000 gallon tank for \$545 and agreed to charge \$12.50 per man hour for repairing the leak in the tank.

Announcement of when the work will be done will be made in advance so water users here may be notified that the water pressure will be less during that time, according to Darrel Read, water superintendent.

Appointed as the city's representatives on the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission for one year terms were Mayor Johnnie Horn and Councilman Roy Allen. The posts have been held for the past two years by Horn and Chas. W. Flynn, former mayor.

Members of the council acknowledged a letter from the state highway department that the state would not be interested in participating in the cost of installing railroad crossing gates on Third Street unless the city will pay for widening the street at the crossing.

New councilmen meeting with the board for the first time were Don Spring and Allen. Others attending were Horn, Councilmen Dolph Moten, Vernon Estes and Vernon Willard, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary, Ronald Mitchell, marshal, and Read.

Friday Night --

Tower Speaks At Barbeque

United States Senator John Tower will make a campaign stop in Farwell Friday.

He will speak at a barbeque at 7:30 p.m. in Farwell School cafeteria. Tower's visit is sponsored by friends of John Tower.

He is currently seeking reelection to his U. S. Senate seat. He became the first Republican ever to be elected to the U. S. Senate from Texas when he won the seat in a special election in 1961 to fill the seat vacated by Lyndon Baines Johnson when he was elected Vice President under Kennedy in the fall of 1960. Tower was in the runoff election against Democrat Bill Blakely. He carried Parmer County by a 573 to 487 margin.

Tower won his first full term as Senator in 1966 when he defeated Democrat Waggoner Carr in the fall general elections. At that time, Tower carried the county 1084 to 651. In 1970, he became the senior Senator when Lloyd Bentsen defeated the Democratic incumbent Ralph Yarborough.

He completes his 11th year in the United States Senate on June 15, 1972. A former educator, when he was first elected at age 35, he was the Senate's youngest member.



U. S. SENATOR JOHN TOWER

Weather by Willie

Don't give up! We'll get some rain yet, maybe before this month is over. Remember about the April showers and the May flowers.

---Willie

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May 4 --

Pre-Register 6-Year-Olds

Next year's first graders will be pre-registered at Ridgelea Elementary School by their parents or guardians beginning at 9 a.m. Thursday, May 4, according to Wilson DiCuffa, elementary principal.

Children who will be six years of age on or before September 1 and who will attend the first grade next year should be registered that day, DiCuffa says.

DiCuffa asks that parents bring a list of immunizations the child has received, as well as their birth certificates. He urges all parents who have children in this category to register them.

DiCuffa will be at Ridgelea Elementary until 2 p.m. the day of registration for that purpose.

Whittlin' --

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that he keeps his post in the November general election. They may even go so far as to encourage Democrats to help them by voting for their candidate. Forewarned is forearmed!

Tower's not a bad senatorial candidate. He's just apt to be up against a better one in the general election, that's all.

Somebody told us that his visit to Farmer County wasn't politically-inspired, anyway.

Uh-huh.

Wasn't it good that the major league baseball players went back to work? Surely does make for better television watching on Saturday afternoons.

Middle age is the time of life when you should watch your middle.

Petit Jurors --

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Ieta Kittrell, Bernard N. Koelzer, Mrs. Eugene Buhrman, Mrs. C. A. White, Linda Jean Marshall, Mrs. Floyd Damron, Nancy Fowler, J. G. Eubank, Nola Read, Leo Reed, Euell Hart, Curtis Drager, B. L. Fillpot, Mrs. Bernard Gowens, Mrs. Wm. O. Brown, Monty Barrett, James Clayton, C. R. Elliott, Benny D. Pryor, John L. Getz, Mrs. Ray Precure, Dorothy J. Middleton, Mrs. I. r. White, Mrs. Robert L. Jones, Jr., Mary Ruth Martin, Mrs. Delbert Garner, Mrs. Willie V. Wood, William J. Mercer.

James C. Fletcher, Space Agency administrator. "I foresee great things for the space shuttle."

CAP Board Meets Thurs.

Board of directors of Community Action Program will meet at 7 p.m. tomorrow (Thursday) at Bovina Neighborhood Center, according to Mrs. Vernon Estes, member of the board.

Any interested person is invited to meet with the group, said Mrs. Estes.

Oops --- We Goofed

In last week's issue of The Blade, we named Elmo "Dutch" Dean as Senior Warden of Farwell Masonic Lodge No. 977.

"Dutch" Quikkel of Farwell is the Senior Warden.

Our apologies to both men for the error.

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES By Ace Reid



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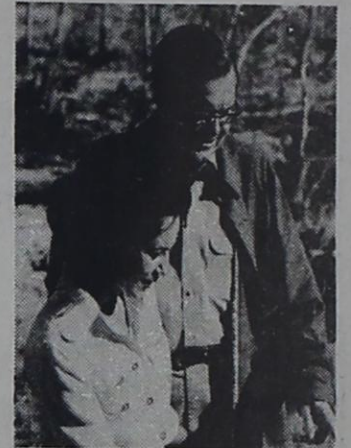
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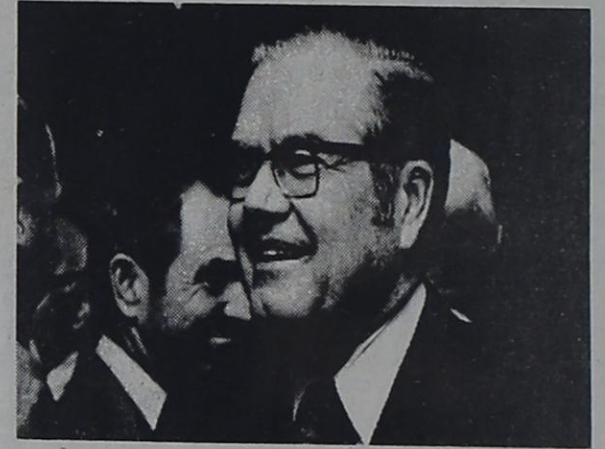
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- ★ Election of 2 Directors by Members
- ★ Report on Year's Activities
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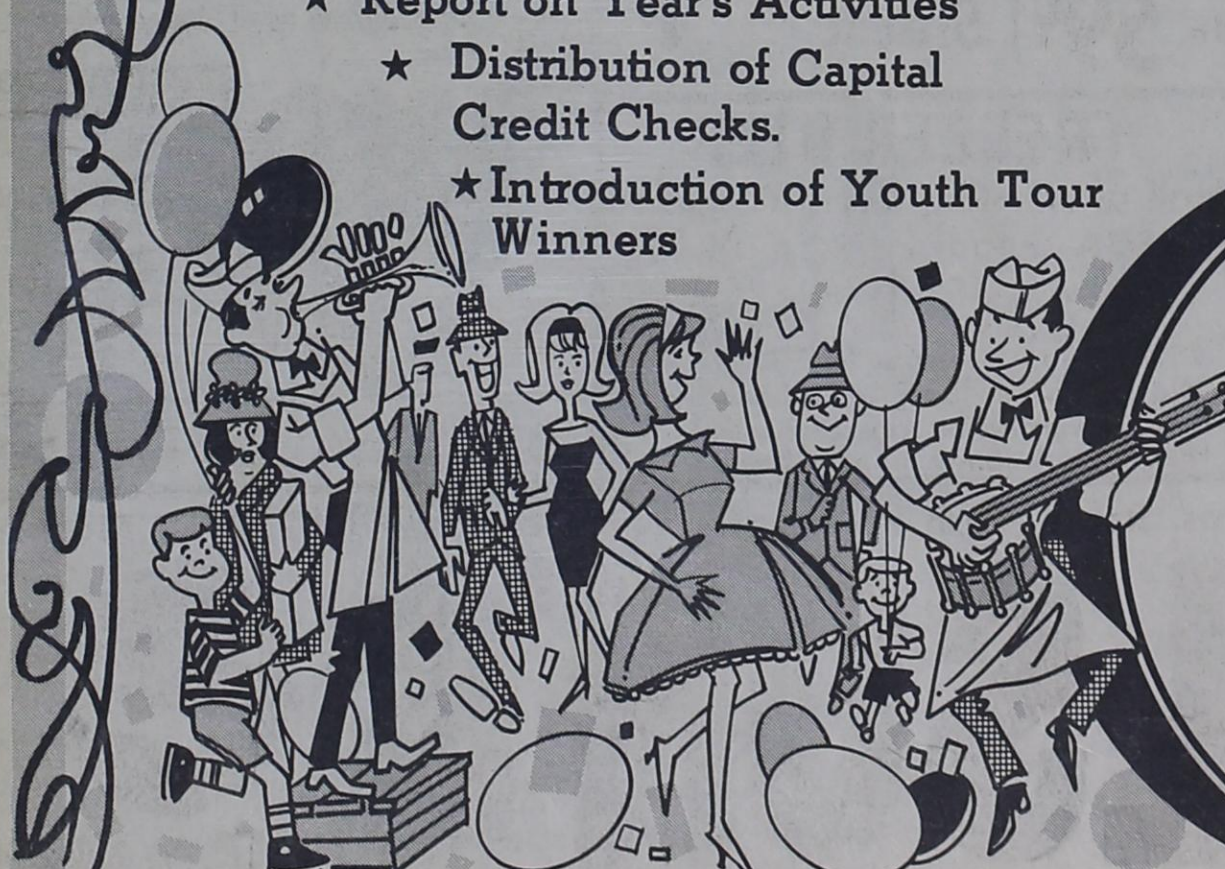
Thursday, April 27

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Serving Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro and Oldham Counties



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1972 At Hereford

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The 34th annual Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative, Inc. and their families are invited to the 34th annual meeting for Thursday of next week, April 27, at Hereford's Deaf Smith Co. Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. The rural areas of Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro and Oldham counties.

A free barbecue will be one of the highlights of the evening. Prizes will be awarded to the members of the cooperative. Registration begins at 11:00 a.m. Prizes will be awarded during that afternoon. Two members of the board of directors will be elected.

James Conlan, General Sales Manager, said, "The cooperative is just what satisfaction she wants."

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At Hereford --

REC Slates Annual Meet

The 34th annual meeting of Deaf Smith County Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. patrons and their families is scheduled for Thursday of next week, April 27, at Hereford's Bull Barn. Deaf Smith Co. REC serves the rural areas of Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro and Oldham counties.

A free barbecue meal will be one of the highlights of the yearly session with serving to begin at noon, according to James Hull, manager of the cooperative.

Registration begins at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded at a drawing that afternoon.

Two members of the board of directors will be elected during James Conlan, General Motors sales manager.

"The consumer doesn't just want satisfaction today... she wants vengeance!"

the afternoon business session, Eldred Brown of Route, Friona, is running for re-election as Deaf Smith County's representative, Billy Wayne Sisson is the other nominee for Deaf Smith Co. Running for a position as Castro County's representative are current board member Raymond Annen of Dimmitt, and Greg Hoelting of Nazareth.

A report of the past year's business of the cooperative will be given and distribution of \$117,874.73 in capital credit checks will be made. The cooperative has paid out some \$1,531,138.20 in capital credit checks since 1951, according to a spokesman at the REC.

Movies will be provided during the business session for children attending, said Hull.

An invitation to the public to attend the meeting is extended in an advertisement in this week's issue of The Blade.

Services Held For Brother Of John Sikes

Funeral services for Prentice W. Sikes, 72, of Levelland, brother of John Sikes of Bovina, were held Monday afternoon in George C. Price Funeral Home Chapel in Levelland.

Mr. Sikes died about 5:10 a.m. Sunday in Cook Memorial Hospital.

Luther Porter, pastor of Levelland Primitive Baptist Church, officiated at the services, assisted by Archie Robertson of Abilene. Burial was in City of Levelland Cemetery.

A native of Erath County, Sikes moved to Levelland from there in 1943.

Other survivors include his wife; a son, Jack Sikes of Levelland; four daughters, Mrs. Peggy Johnson of Levelland, Mrs. Pat Solis of Odessa, Mrs. Georgia Brasell of Farmington, N.M., and Mrs. Carol Roark of Garland; one other brother, Jim Sikes of Stephenville; three sisters, Mrs. Bert Shields of Iredell, Mrs. Ruby White of Houston and Bernice Sikes of Hico; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Jackie Adams Selected For All-Star Cast

Jackie Adams, a senior at Bovina High School, was named to the District 3-A All-Star Cast in one-act play competition held last week at Farwell Schools auditorium.

Happy High School Speech Department took first place in the event and will enter regional contest at Lubbock.

Bovina's Speech Department, under direction of Mrs. Margaret Durben, presented "I Never Sang For My Father."

Cast members included Adams, Ronnie Nuttall, Heidi Corn, Debra Sorley, Rodney Hromas, Kyle Jones and Galen Carson.

"We think that under the circumstances, our students did a real fine job," said Mrs. Durben.

Community Conversation

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis returned recently from a two-week vacation to East and Central Texas. They visited her mother, Mrs. J.I. Stead at Dallas; his mother, Mrs. G.M. Lawlis, and a brother, Dr. Virgil Lawlis, all of Austin; and their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawlis at Euless and Mr. and Mrs. David Lawlis at Grand Prairie.

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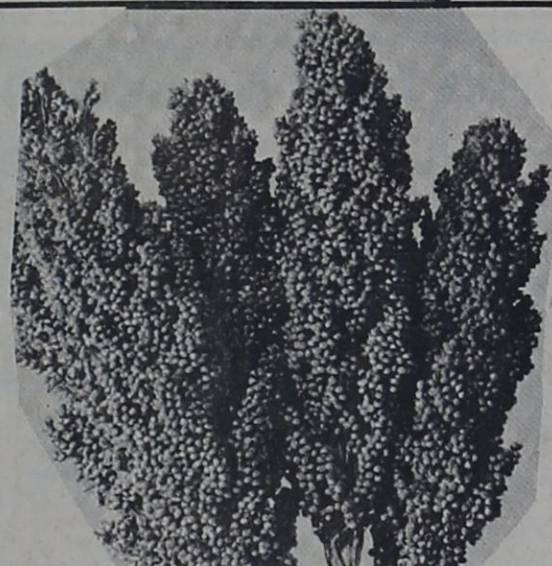
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Of Interest To
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Patti Mills, Gail Dixon
Do Receive State Awards

Five members of Bovina High School Future Homemakers of America chapter will attend the state FHA convention in Fort Worth this week.

Patti Mills and Gail Dixon will be awarded State Degrees of Achievement, the highest award in the organization, in special ceremonies. Also attending as delegates will be Christi Trimble, April Wilson and Rhonda Rhodes. Mrs. Alfred Mills and Mrs. Janie Potts, FHA advisor, will accompany the girls to the convention. "We Can If I Will" is the theme of the 1972 state-wide meeting which will be held at Convention Center in Fort Worth.

More than 5,000 members and advisors representing 65,000 members in 1,600 chapters throughout the state are expected to attend. Members are homemaking students in junior and senior high schools.

Keynote speaker will be Don Williams of Pepperdine University, Los Angeles, Calif. Williams will challenge the group to accept their responsibilities and to work together for the betterment of the world.

Other highlights of the convention include a talk by Mrs. Kathryn Cawley, home economist with Lone Star Gas Company; and a special presentation on HERO-FHA chapters. More than 300 girls will be

on hand to receive their state degrees.

A state chorus, composed of 125 FHA'ers, will be featured. This group will be under the direction of Dr. Scotty Gray, professor of music at Southwestern Theological Seminary at Ft. Worth.

Installation of the 1972-'73 state officers will climax the Saturday morning business session. At this time, 10 officers elected through chapter participation throughout the state will be placed in office. A newly elected president will receive the gavel from Jennifer Dujka, East Barnard, outgoing president.



PRESENTS PROGRAM --- Bovina School's fifth grade band, under direction of Bryant Harris, presented a musical program Thursday afternoon of last week at Bovina Woman's Study Club meeting. Harris presented the beginner's band in a series of well known children's melodies and other favorites.

Club Hears Fifth Grade Band

Bovina School's fifth grade band, under direction of Bryant Harris, presented a musical program at the regular meeting of Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon of last week.

Harris and the band were introduced by Mrs. Jesse Walling.

Mrs. Earl Whitten, president, named Mrs. Leon Ware and Mrs. Earl Richards as a committee to choose nominees for Outstanding Young Women of American publication.

Club members agreed to sponsor a TB Testing Clinic here in September. The free clinic will be available for all people in the Bovina area.

Mrs. Whitten will host an ice cream supper May 4th for club members and their husbands. Next meeting will be Thursday, April 27. Members will spend the day at the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum in Canyon.

Mrs. Leslie McCain and Mrs. Arlin Hartzog served punch and cake to Mrs. Walling, Mrs. Charles Corn, Mrs. Ovid Wallis, Mrs. Jack Clayton, Mrs.

Bobby England, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Whitten, Mrs. Travis Dyer, Mrs. Joe Fowler, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. W.E. Williams, Mrs. Henry Ivy, Mrs. Charles Ross and Mrs. Charles Gates.

The gifts of enemies are not gifts, but mischiefs.

-Sophocles.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lewis of Star Rt. 2, Morton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gwin Dean, to Kelly Jamerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jamerson of Bovina. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, July 1, in the Hodges Chapel of the First Christian Church of Lubbock. A graduate of Whiteface High School, Miss Lewis is a junior at Texas Tech University at Lubbock. Jamerson, a 1970 graduate of Bovina High School, is attending South Plains College at Levelland. Friends of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and reception to follow.

Coffee Served Bridal Shower
For Mrs. Dyer Set Monday

Mrs. Travis Dyer will be honored at a coffee Wednesday, April 26, from 9:30 until 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Earl Stevenson.

Mrs. Dyer was recently selected Outstanding Clubwoman of the Year in the Caprock District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Serving as hostesses will be Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Jesse Walling, Mrs. Joe Fowler and Mrs. Stevenson.

Friends of Mrs. Dyer are invited to attend the come-and-go affair.

Miss Nancy Mitchell, bride-elect of Ronnie Sudderth, will be honored with a bridal shower from 3 to 5 p.m. Monday in the home of Mrs. Durward Bell.

Hostesses include Mrs. Dean Hastings, Mrs. Leon Grissom, Mrs. Johnnie Horn, Mrs. R.E. Wilson, Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Mrs. Joe Fowler, Mrs. Charles Corn, Mrs. A.M. Wilson and Mrs. Bell.



NEW OFFICERS --- Bovina High School's FHA chapter met recently and elected officers for the coming year. New officers are, left to right, Jyl Gromowsky, reporter-historian; April Wilson, secretary-treasurer; Jan Kassah, recreation chairman; Patti Mills, president; Christi Trimble, second vice president; Rhonda Rhodes, vice president; and Gail Dixon. Miss Dixon and Miss Mills will attend the state convention in Fort Worth this week to receive State Degrees of Achievement. Also attending will be Miss Trimble, Miss Rhodes and Miss Wilson.

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'Suit Fair' Set At Hereford

A Suit Fair, sponsored by home demonstration agents from Parmer, Castro and Deaf specialists from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be held Tuesday from

9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., in Hereford's Bull Barn, according to Miss Jana Pronger, Parmer County home demonstration agent.

Twenty tailoring techniques will be demonstrated by Miss Pronger; Miss Fannie Brown Eaton and Miss Roxanne Schnorr, clothing specialist from College Station; Mrs. Argen Draper, and Mrs. Joyce Shipp, home demonstration agents from Hereford; and Mrs. Irene Keating, home demonstration agent from Dimmitt.

Merchants and seamstresses in the Hereford area will have several exhibits at the fair. A man's suit will be made in the set time period and modeled at 3:30, said Miss Pronger.

All interested persons are invited to attend the Suit Fair. No admission will be charged.

Sensible query: "If you are so smart, why aren't you rich?"

Baby Shower Set April 26

Mrs. Ronnie Autrey will be honored with a pink and blue shower Wednesday, April 26, at 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L.F. Jacobs at 1001 Ave. H. Hostesses are Mrs. Roger Ezell, Mrs. Vernon Willard and Mrs. Jacobs.

Mrs. Autrey is junior high English teacher here.

Community Conversation

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Morris of Anson are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams and other friends in Bovina this week. They expect to return home today. Rev. Morris was pastor of Methodist Church here from 1961 to '65. Mrs. Morris taught at Bovina High School.

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1. Not the proud and self-righteous, but "the poor in spirit; not the Pharisee, but the penitent publican.
2. Not the hilarious and licentious, but mourners—men who mourn for their sins.
3. Not the ravenous and haughty, but the meek and lowly.
4. Not they who hunger and thirst for the gratification of their fleshly passions, but they that hunger and thirst after righteousness.
5. Not the cruel and malicious, but the merciful.
6. Not the lewd and unclean, but the pure in heart.
7. Not the peacemakers, but the lovers and makers of peace.
8. Not the persecutors, but the ones who suffer persecution for righteousness sake.

What is the nature of their blessings? They will receive the kingdom of heaven, they shall be comforted, they shall inherit the earth, they shall be filled with righteousness, they will obtain mercy, shall see God and receive the kingdom of heaven with its rich rewards.

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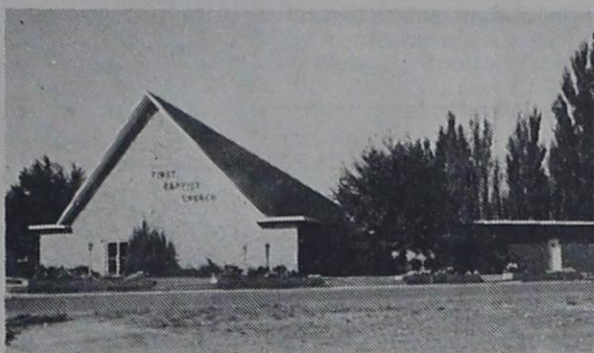
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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Meeting - 7 p.m.
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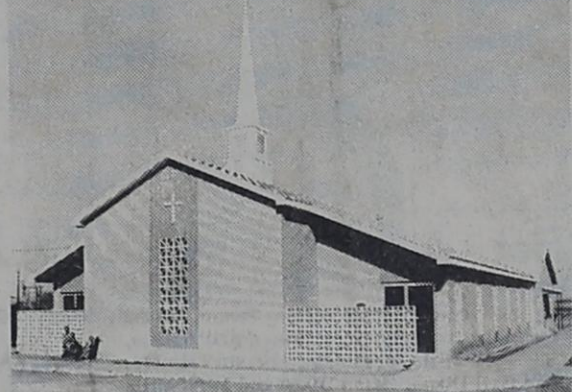
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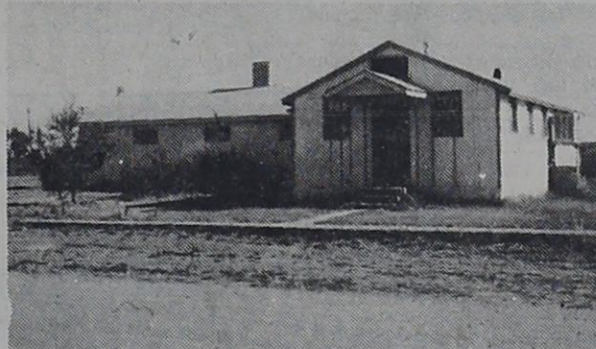
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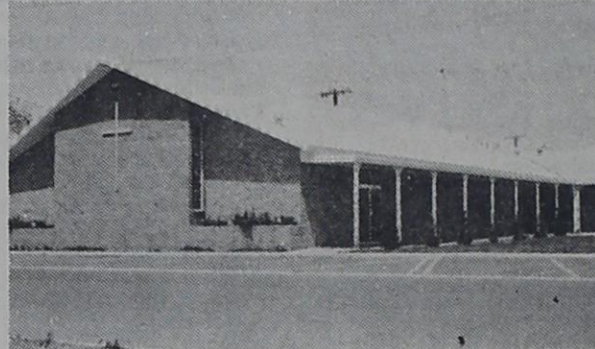
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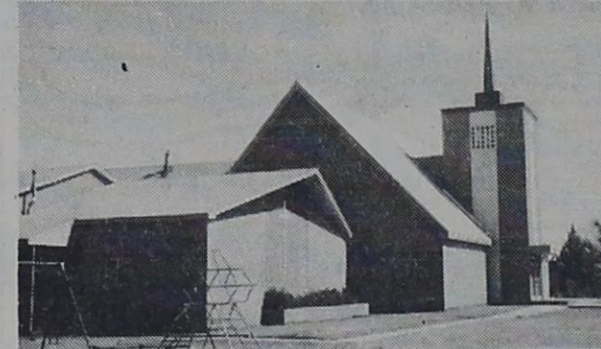
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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Rev. Alderete To Speak At Meth. Church

Rev. Jacinto Alderete of Amarillo will be guest speaker at Sunday morning worship services at Bovina United Methodist Church. The services begin at 11 a.m.

Rev. Alderete, director of Wesley Community Center in Amarillo, will speak to the congregation on his work there. Currently serving some 3,000 people each week, his director of programs including sewing and cooking classes, recreation classes, a kindergarten, outpatient clinic, and youth and adult clubs.

The center is located in an economically deprived area of Amarillo.

Mrs. John Dixon, chairman of the Stewardship Committee, and Mrs. Jack Kassah, chairman of the Missions Committee, were responsible for obtaining Rev. Alderete for the Sunday services.

The public is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended sympathy during the loss of our father and grandfather. We are deeply grateful for each expression of your concern. Thank you for your thoughtfulness and may God bless each of you.
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Muster Set Friday By Texas Aggies

Former students of Texas A&M living in Parmer County and their wives will Muster Friday to mark the passing of comrades and honor Texans who won independence at San Jacinto. The meeting, held each year on April 21, will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Bovina Restaurant, according to Parmer County Chariman Bill Thornton. About 10 to 12 couples are expected to attend.

Aggie Muster began in 1903 when the 300-member Corps of Cadets paid homage to the Texans who defeated the Mexican Army in 1836. Musters have been held since -- wherever A&M alumni might find themselves on that day. More than 500 Musters will be held around the world this year. This ceremony is the same in every location. Aggies pay respect to those who are absent. When the names of honored dead are called from the Muster rolls, a friend of the deceased answers, "Here."

Seniors Set Car Wash Saturday

Senior Class of Bovina High School will sponsor a car wash all day Saturday at Paul Jones Service Station on Highway 60. The charges will be \$3 for a wash job, plus \$1 for cleaning the interior if desired. Interested persons may call any member of the class or Paul Jones at 238-1499 for pick up and delivery service. Sponsors of the class are Mrs. Pat DiCuffa and Bryant Harris.

Bake Sale Set Saturday By Scouts

Bovina's Girl Scout Troop 26 will sponsor a bake sale beginning at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at Bovina Supermarket, according to a spokesman for the troop. Funds derived from the sale will be used in scout activities. Leaders of the troop are Mrs. Kent Glasscock and Mrs. Jack Green. Mrs. Gene Hutto is neighborhood chairman.

CARD OF THANKS

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The Madrigal Singers of the Friona High School will give a performance in the Friona Schools auditorium, April 27, according to School Principal G. . .

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Cary Moore, Mrs. Ken Moore, student of Bovina High School, member of the Moore is a former First Baptist Church . . .

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Madrigal Singers Perform

The Madrigal Singers of Liberal High School, Liberal, Kan., will give a performance at Bovina Schools auditorium Thursday, April 27, according to High School Principal Gary Cox.

The one-hour program will begin at 11 a.m. The public is invited to attend. No admission will be charged, said Cox.

Cary Moore, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ken Moore, and a former student of Bovina Schools is a member of the group. Rev. Moore is a former pastor at First Baptist Church here.



BIG BASS --- Carla McDaniel, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson of the Rhea Community, helps her grandfather weigh a fresh water bass caught on an Easter fishing trip to Sam Rayburn Lake near Lufkin. The fish weighed seven pounds, 3 ounces, according to Patterson, and was the largest he caught on that particular trip. Cara is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James McDaniel of Galveston.

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These things are necessary for determining design and specifications for the dam. Roy Fields is the geologist in charge of the core drilling. Evans says the money for construction of the dam is expected to be appropriated during the government's next physical year, which begins in July. "That means we shouldn't be more than 15 months away from construction," he adds.

According to a survey of retail business partnerships during a recent year by Dun & Bradstreet, the business information agency, building-supply stores made a profit of 7.31% of cash receipts, liquor stores 7.88%, general merchandise stores 7.16%, and tire and automotive accessory stores 7.33%.

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Patrons of the High Plains Bookmobile from the four counties it serves -- Parmer, Cochran, Lamb and Bailey -- have reason to be proud, according to Mrs. Lorene Sooter, librarian.

Last year the Bookmobile circulated 52,887 books and if patrons continue to check out books in 1972 at the present rate, they will break all records for the traveling library. "In fact, last month (March) the librarians circulated 5,530 books which exceeds any month since the Bookmobile started

its rural service in 1964," said Mrs. Sooter.

The Bookmobile keeps the latest books and reading material on their shelves, she continued. The service began here eight years ago and has 38 scheduled stops, making the full circle in three weeks.

A formal opening and dedication will be held at Muleshoe's new library Sunday from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m., said Mrs. Sooter. All residents of the four-county service area are invited to attend the open house and view the new facilities of the Bookmobile's home base.



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In District Tourney --

All-Stars Fall To S-E, Hart

Bovina's Little Dribbler All-Stars lost out in their bid for a championship in the first year of LD basketball here when they were defeated by Springlake-Earth and Hart in the double elimination district tournament at Farwell Friday and Saturday.

The All-Stars were defeated by S-E in the first game, 40-19. David Murphy led the team with eight points, followed by Reuben Salazar, Roger Lopez, Mat Moten, Mike Read and Del Ray Suderth with two points each. Lansie Phelps scored one point. Also seeing action but

falling to score were Wayne Thatcher, Mike London and Rodney Shelby.

C. Gregory led S-E with 12 points with K. Kelly following with nine.

In a somewhat closer game, Hart All-Stars edged Bovina, 33-22.

Rodney Shelby upped his point total to 11 in the game with Hart. Murphy added three points; Moten, Read and Suderth scored two points each; and Phelps and Lopez sank one free throw each.

Hart and Rios led the scoring for Hart's All-Stars with six points each.

Farwell was the eventual winner of the tournament, defeating Hart in the first game and gaining a win over S-E in the second round of play. They met Hart again in the championship tilt and emerged winners and representatives of this district.

Little Dribbler league officers and coaches here expressed appreciation this week to all the parents and fans who supported the teams here, and to the sponsors of the five teams -- Gaines Hardware, Spears Handi-Stop, Isaac's Department Store, Don's Medicine Chest and Agri-Sprayers.

Banquets Set Thurs., Sat.

Two banquets have been scheduled for students of Bovina Schools this week.

Annual Athletic Banquet will be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow (Thursday) in Bovina Schools cafeteria. Highlight of the event will be presentation of awards to Outstanding Athletes and the Mustang Awards to boys and girls in the sports programs. Booster Club will be in charge of the food and decorations with the Athletic Council in charge of the program.

The Eighth Grade Banquet will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday in Ridgelea School cafeteria. Theme of the event will be "Spirit of '76."

Band Parents Meet Monday

Members of Band Parents are asked to meet at the Band Hall at Bovina Schools at 7:30 p.m. next Monday, says Mrs. Leon Ware, president of the organization.

Plans for next year will be discussed and new officers will be elected.

In Literary Events --

Five Qualify For Regional

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

Winning first places in District 3-A competition were Heidi Corn, girls persuasive speaking; Jackie Adams, boys informative speaking; Kim Langer, girls poetry; and Ben McCain, boys poetry.

Barbara Griffith placed second in ready writing and will be eligible for regional contests.

Others garnering points for Bovina, but not eligible for regional contests, were Nancy Hutto, third in girls informative speaking; Ronnie Nuttall, second in boys persuasive speaking; Nena Spicer, third in girls prose; and Danny McKay, second in boys prose; and Kyle Jones and Jan Kassahn, third in debate.

In junior high and elementary competition, which ends at the district level, Pamela Spring won first place in story telling; the picture memory team of Beth Moten, Denise Read, Kara Mills, Annette Stevenson and Cheryl Whitecotton won first place; Dennis Willard won a first in number sense; Butch McCain placed third in poetry interpretation; Connie Ware fourth in girls poetry interpretation; Alan Rhodes third in number sense; and Kay Beardain fifth in number sense.

Fran Jacobs placed first in junior high ready writing, according to information received Monday from Happy.

Special Ed Track Meet Set Friday

Coach Roy Donaldson and Special Education teacher Roscoe Parr will carry 11 Bovina Elementary School students to a Special Education Track and Field Meet at Dick Byvins Stadium in Amarillo Friday. The event will begin at 10 a.m. and will be over about 3 p.m.

The students are divided into three age groups in the boys and girls divisions and three ability ranges in each age group.

Participating in the meet will be Errol Chisum, Eugene DeLeon, Raymond Martinez, Claudia Chisum, Bessie Goree, Rodney Shelby, Alfred Alonzo, Edward Alonzo, Richard Cardoza, Jerry Cardoza and Bruce Harris.

Eddi Corn To Graduate From WTSU

Eddi Corn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corn of Bovina, is among the 893 candidates for degrees at West Texas State University this spring.

Corn is seeking a Bachelor of Science degree in industrial arts and education.

Spring convocation is at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6, in the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum.

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5th Six Weeks --

Name Students To Honor Roll

Five students in Bovina High School were named to the A honor roll for the fifth sixth weeks period, according to Principal Gary Cox.

Jackie Adams, a senior, was named to the honor roll, along with Kim Langer, a junior, and sophomores Rhonda Rhodes, Christi Trimble and Terri Willard.

Junior High Principal Jim Noyes released a list of sixth, seventh and eighth grade students named to the A and B Honor rolls this week.

Making the A honor roll in the eighth grade were Karen Merrell; seventh graders were Kim Ware, Rocky Bartlett and

Bruce Fillpot; and Connie Foster was named to the A honor roll in the sixth grade.

Named to the B honor roll in the eighth grade were Arlene Magness, Ted Stallings, Nina Stowers, Brenda Stone, Duane Mitchell, Kevin McClaren, Matilda Ramirez, Fran Jacobs, Ellie Hernandez, Kay Beardain, Freddie O'Hair, Connie Ware, Greg Corbin, Alan Rhodes, Ray Delgado and Yolanda Gomez.

Seventh graders named to the B honor roll included Robert Stantellana, Lary Sides, Betty Whitecotton, Lezli Williams, George Isaac and Susan Heflin.

Sixth graders included Cindy Caldwell, Tracy Russell, Mat Moten, Denise McCormick and Karla Mills.

At Kress --

Tennis Teams Fall In District Play

Bovina High School's tennis teams brought home a second place, two third places and a fourth place in District 3-A tennis tournament held at Kress last Tuesday.

Rush Looney and Joe Steelman copped second place honors in the freshman boys doubles event.

Dobble Mills took a third place in freshman girls singles and Vic Stallings took third in varsity girls singles.

The team of Shannon Davis and Bobby McMeans placed fourth in varsity doubles.

Others on the team included Tina Isaac and Stephanie Wiseman in freshman girls doubles, Cissie Minter and Jan Kassahn in varsity girls doubles and Arty Kunselman in varsity boys singles.

Rozer Ezell coaches the tennis teams.

Davis, Shelby --

2 Thinclads Win Regional Berths

Bovina's Mustangs will send two representatives to regional track meet held at 9 a.m. Friday at Coronado High School in Lubbock, according to Gib Hough, Coach.

Springlake-Earth won the District 3-A title on their home field Saturday with 136 points, followed by Kress with 111, Vega 87, Happy 42, Hart 38, Bovina 33, Suran 30 and Farwell 30.

Billy Shelby, a sophomore, won the right to enter the regional meet with a second place finish in the long jump. Winner of that event was Larry

School Menus

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TUESDAY: Sausage and gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, hot rolls, butter, rice pudding, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions and pickles, potato chips, brownies, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY: Italian spaghetti, tossed salad, cheese, cornbread, butter, chocolate cake, applesauce, milk.

FRIDAY: Sack lunch for grade school students; ham and cheese sandwiches, potato chips, pork and beans, oranges, oatmeal cookies, milk.

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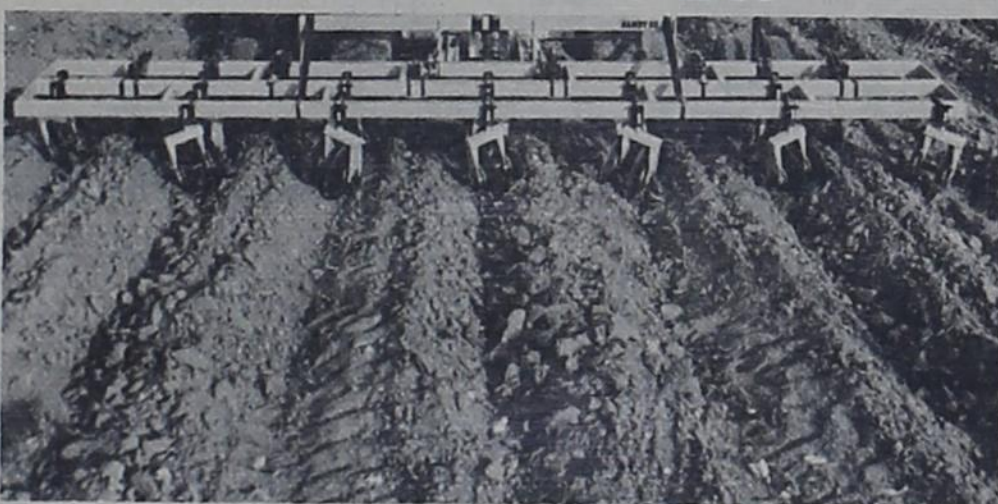
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