

"MY TURN"

By
Carol Ellis



Wow! Putt Powell had some awfully nice things to say about this column writer and the good old boy who fills this space every other week. Thanks, P.!

In case you didn't read the Amarillo Daily News this past Monday, Powell noted that he would "like to nominate Bill and Carol Ellis for the best husband-and-wife team in the nation." Whew! That's a lot to live up to. Anyway, thanks again, Mr. P., and as the politicians would say, "We accept the nomination!"

Of course, we may be sort of like Bovina's own Butch and Ben McCain, who are billed as the "world's only brother-and-brother news anchor and weatherman team." Bill and I may be the world's ONLY husband-and-wife column writing team. In which case, we would not only be the "best" husband-and-wife team, but also the "worst." All things are relative.

This month marks the second anniversary of "My Turn" that "My Turn" was first written as an excuse to give the good old boy some time off. After having written over 2,500 columns since the start of his journalistic career, Bill was bordering on columnist's burn-out.

He has bounced back very nicely and he now irritates me no end the way he sits down at the typewriter and bats out a column with perfect ease while I agonize for hours when it's "my turn."

It is an unfortunate fact of life for folks who are involved in the newspaper game, that if your readers don't like something you have published, they'll generally let you know about it in no uncertain terms. But if they are fairly content with what you have written, you usually don't hear from them.

However, our local readership just happens to be the exception to that rule. Our readers have been very kind to us down through the years and we have received many nice compliments. The few uncomplimentary ones usually don't sign their names. (No guts!)

Several interesting comments have been made regarding my recent column about the nasty-neat lady who was out sweeping the highway by her mail box. I had a couple of invitations to come over and compare housekeeping abilities (or lack of same). Pearl McLean said, "A few years ago you could eat off my kitchen floor, too...if you were not particular what you ate."

After reading the comment about inviting your guests to wear hospital gowns when they come to visit, one of our readers was prompted to send in the following poem:

THE GOWN WITH THE SPLIT DOWN THE BACK

I was sittin' here mindin' my business, kinda lettin' my mind go slack, when in comes a nurse with a bright, sunny smile and a gown that was split down the back.

"Take a shower," she said, "and get ready, and then jump into this sack." What she was really talkin' about was the gown with the split down the back.

"They're coming to do some tests," she said. They're gonna stretch me out on a rack, with nothin' twixt me and the cold, cruel world, but a gown that's split down the back.

It comes only to the knees in front. In the sides there is also a lack. But by far the greatest short-coming is that bloomin' split down the back.

I hear them coming to get me. The wheels going clackety-clack. I'll ride through the halls on a table in a gown with a split down the back.

When I get to Heaven, it'll make me no odds if my robe is white, red or black. The only thing I will ask is, "Please give me one with no split down the back."

VISIT D.C., NEW YORK

Grisham Reports On Tour Of East

By RICHARD GRISHAM

Velma and I planned this trip not only as a family vacation, but also as a celebration of our 20th Wedding Anniversary, June 13.

We flew out of Lubbock to Dallas then on to Dulles International Airport in Washington, D.C. on Tuesday, June 13. It was the first time James and Jay had ever flown on a commercial flight.

Glenda Letcher, Opal Bowen's niece, picked us up and took us to their beautiful colonial style home in Burke, Virginia. Glenda, her husband Stan, and their children had invited us to stay with them last summer when they were here in Bovina.

We spent Wednesday, June 14 visiting Mt. Vernon, George Washington's home overlooking the Potomac River. It was just a twenty-minute drive from the Letchers' home.

That evening the Letchers took us to the Capital Center in Maryland where we saw a spectacular pageant by the U.S. Army entitled, "Spirit of America."

This pageant celebrated the soldiers who had fought in all our wars since the beginning of our nation and was a real highlight of our trip.

Thursday and Friday we rode the bus both mornings from Burke, Va. to the Pentagon in D.C., then took the metro subway system to the Archives Building.

Stan Letcher, an FBI agent, arranged for us to tour FBI headquarters where we were treated to a firearms demonstration and historical exhibits of FBI work.

We also visited the Washington Monument, Jefferson Memorial, Lincoln Memorial and Vietnam Memorial where I located the name of a high school friend who died in 1968.

We were really impressed by the vastness of the Jefferson and Lincoln Memorials. At Arlington National Cemetery across the Potomac on the Virginia side, we were overwhelmed by the beauty and solemnity of over 2,000,000 graves.

We saw the gravesites of both John F. Kennedy and Robert Kennedy. Also, we visited Ford's Theater where Lincoln was assassinated by John Wilkes Booth.

The Smithsonian Institute Museums were fascinating, and our boys especially enjoyed the Air and Space Museums.

Saturday morning, June 17, we caught the Amtrak at Union Station in D.C. and rode to Newark, N.J. This was a great experience as none of us had ever ridden on a train.

In Newark, we were met by my brother-in-law, Noman Oraivej, a Jordanian who married my sister, Jeanine, after she served as a journeyman missionary in Jordan in 1968-70.

They now live in Highland Mills, N.Y., about an hour's drive north of New York City. We really enjoyed our week with Noman, my sister and their four children. The Arab people are very hospitable and overwhelmed us with food, fun and generosity.

On Father's Day, we worshipped with my sister's family in their Baptist Church.

On Monday, June 19, Noman took us into New York City, to the Empire State Building and World Trade Center and around lower Manhattan.

We caught a ferry and spent all afternoon at the Statue of Liberty, another great highlight of our trip. We climbed all 354 steps into the crown of Lady Liberty which took us two hours because of the long lines.

While in line for the ferry to Liberty Island, one lady noticed our accents, asked where we were from. We told her and she said, "Well, I knew you were from the South, because you're the only people around here we can understand." She and her husband and daughter were from Athens, Georgia.

We feasted that evening at Noman's mother's home in Yonkers before heading back to Highland Mills.

On Wednesday of our second week, Ruth Ann, my 16-year-old niece, guided me through all the traffic to the Bronx Zoo, which we all enjoyed. James, Jay and Julie consider this the best part of our vacation. Saturday, we celebrated Ruth Ann's birthday and Velma and I "clowned" and all the kids enjoyed a water balloon war.

The Hudson River Valley of N.Y. is beautiful country, and we visited Bear Mountain in the Catskills, West Point Military Academy, which is only 20 miles from my sister's home, and New Windsor and Newburgh, N.Y., where Washington and the Continental Army spent their last winter of the Revolutionary War in 1782-83. We were warned several times to beware of the ticks in the brush that carry Lyme disease.

On Sunday morning, June 25, I was invited to preach at Ridgecrest Baptist Church in New Windsor, the only Southern Baptist Church in Orange County, N.Y. There were about 60 present for worship including Chinese, blacks, Hispanics and Anglos.

We felt right at home and the people were very friendly and

warm and enthralled by our Texas drawl.

Sunday evening, my sister's family and our family all drove back into Yonkers and had an Arabic feast with Noman's family consisting of grape leaves stuffed with rice, squash stuffed with rice and lamb, and egg plants stuffed with rice and spices.

It was really very delicious but hot dogs, hamburgers and ice cream were all on hand, "just in case."

On Sunday evening, one of Noman's brothers and his wife took Velma and I on a grand tour of New York City. We went through Trump Center, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Rockefeller Plaza, and saw the U.N. Building.

We then drove through and stopped, and ate (again!) a "falafel" in Greenwich Village where the night life was really unique, with all the tourists, bums, college students, hippies, etc. Velma and I were kind of glad to get out of there!

We ended up in lower Manhattan at the World Trade Center's Twin Towers, where Velma and I took the elevator to the top, 107 floors in 58 seconds, and viewed all the lights of New York. On the way back to Yonkers we managed to drive through "Little Italy" and "Chinatown."

On Monday morning, June 26, we picnicked along the Hudson River in a nice little park.

That afternoon, Noman's youngest brother, Ganddi, who drives for a limousine service, took us to the Newark Airport in a 24-foot limo, compliments of my brother-in-law and sister. Wow! What a way to cap a tremendous two weeks. And we're all glad to be home in good ole' Bovina!

Ex-Resident Injured In Accident

Jana Hedrick of Lubbock, daughter of Jay and Sue Barrett, was injured in a skiing accident at Conchas Lake Sunday morning about 10:30 a.m. Texas time.

Jana was skiing and when she turned loose to rest for a time, a boat came from behind, struck her and ran over her. She was taken to the Tucumcari hospital by ambulance and was transferred by helicopter to Lubbock General Hospital where she underwent surgery on both legs for four hours. One of her legs had both bones broken below the knee and the other one had severe cuts that cut through muscle and tendons. All of her injuries were below the knees.

Mrs. Terry Stanberry of Friona was driving the boat that struck Jana. Mrs. Stanberry was pulling another skier and was looking back at them when the accident happened.

The boat that was pulling Jana was being driven by her husband, Lloyd Hedrick and also in the boat were their twin daughters, who are seven and one-half years old.

We talked Monday afternoon to Sue Barrett, Jana's mother, and she said Jana was in a lot of pain.

V.F.W. Unit Is Forming

Ron Wilfong of Tulia, district commander for the VFW, has made two trips to Parmer County in the interest of forming a Parmer County unit of the VFW.

Wilfong said that there had been "more than ample interest" shown in creating a VFW chapter.

Those interested are asked to watch the *Bovina Blade* for further announcements.



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH of June was Donna Mitchell of the McCallum Insurance Agency. Presenting her a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond is Chamber director, Terri Sorley.

Road Discussion Is Council Highlight

Members of the Bovina City Council met Thursday morning at City Hall for their regular meeting. Mayor Keith Knight called the meeting to order. Those present were Knight, Aldermen Charlie Teague, Galen Hromas, Leon Ware, John Dixon and Sonny Roach.

Guests present were Nancy Peace and Ronnie Bunch, cable representatives; Scooter Russell of the Bovina Blade; Marie Venable; Letha Treinen; Mike London; police officer, Gary Coleman; and deputy sheriff, Don Hatley.

John Dixon led in prayer before the meeting began and minutes were read and approved. A vote to pay bills was approved.

Letha and Mike were there to discuss their problems concerning Hartwell Avenue, which runs through their property. There was a discussion and Tiny Moore of the Highway Department was called and he joined the meeting.

It was brought out that some of the road had been built up and was serviceable and some was not. The road that was not serviceable had caused crops to be flooded in that area. After a discussion, it was agreed that Keith, Mike and Tiny would meet the next morning at 9 a.m. to determine what must be done to make the road serviceable.

Ronnie Bunch was there to represent Mission Cable Co. He talked about the new channels and how they were rebuilding the system. He said there would be twelve new channels added, making 24 channels for customers and the cost would be raised from \$10.70 to \$15.95 per month.

Another topic of interest was brought up and Knight handed out pictures of businesses and individual home property with junk and debris on them. Mayor Keith Knight read the ordinance about the laws to prevent the discarding of items such as refrigerators, ice boxes, freezers and other appliances that no longer were used for what they were intended and designed for and it was decided that the ordinance needed to be enforced.

The ordinance also stated that the trash, debris and appliances be moved within ten days or fines will be issued. Alderman Leon Ware made the motion to enforce the

ordinance, Charlie Teague seconded it and the motion carried.

There was a discussion on the generator asked for by Fire Chief Kunselman.

Doris Strawn announced that a meeting would be held about the paving grants that the city applied for. Richard Morris of the Highway Department will be meeting with members of the city council. The legal notice will be published in the July 12 issue of the newspaper and the meeting will be held July 14.

Motion was made and passed to buy new carpet for City Hall and bids will be secured for the new carpet.

There was a discussion and it was voted upon to accept the update on police procedures drawn up by Officer Coleman.

Summer Setting In Locally

Summer weather has set in on the area in July, with high readings in the 90s each day.

An afternoon thunderstorm cooled things off on Sunday, July 9, when .2 inch of rain was measured in Bovina. This is the only moisture measured so far for the month.

Although the moisture was not all that much, it at least cooled the temperature down. The mercury fell from a high of 91 to below 60 degrees while the rain was falling on Sunday.

Forecasts were for more chances of showers on Tuesday and Wednesday, so hopefully some more beneficial moisture will be received.

TEMPERATURES

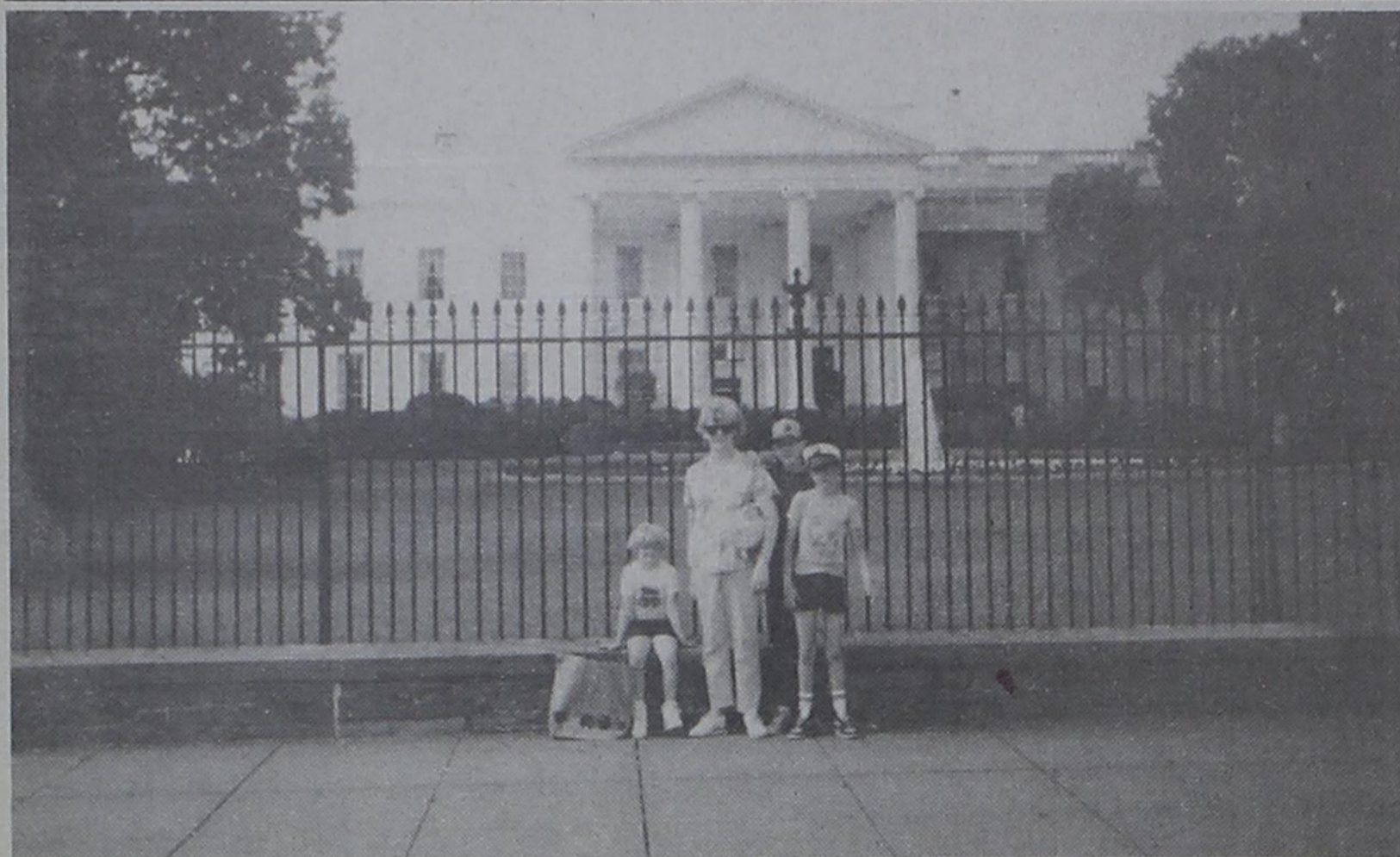
Date	Hi-Low
Wednesday, July 5	92-59
Thursday, July 6	93-58
Friday, July 7	85-60
Saturday, July 8	94-55
Sunday, July 9	93-59
Monday, July 10	91-53
Tuesday, July 11	81-55



MEET "FIRST FAMILY"...It looks as though Julie, James and Jay Grisham are meeting President and Mrs. Bush, but they actually are posing with cardboard replicas of the first couple. They did visit the White House, however.



WINS QUILT....Jim Guest, winner of the quilt made by ladies at the Senior Citizens, is pictured as he receives his prize. The drawing was held July 4, and ladies shown are Bessie Trimble and Minnie Kelso.



VISIT WASHINGTON...Velma, James, Jay and Julie Grisham are standing in front of the White House in Washington, D.C. during their trip in June.

From The Chief's Desk

This week's topic is about activity at Allsup's Convenience Store.

It has been brought to my attention that women and young girls are being harassed when they stop at the store, especially at night. Customers have a hard time trying to find a parking place, and find a dangerous traffic situation, because of vehicles making u-turns through the parking lot.

I had a telephone conversation with Lonnie Allsup, and advised him of the problems we are having at the Bovina store. Allsup stated that he would forward me a letter requesting that I file charges against individuals violating loitering laws, and violating the drive-through parking lot laws.

The following law pertains to making turns or driving through parking lots to make a u-turn. Article XXI, Section 188 of the Texas Uniform Act:

"No person driving a vehicle shall cross a sidewalk or drive through a driveway, parking lot, or business or residential entrance without bringing the vehicle to a complete stop. No person driving a vehicle shall cross, drive in or on such sidewalks, driveways, parking lot or

entrance at an intersection for the purpose of making either a right or left turn from one street or highway."

This law will be strictly enforced and fines will range from 30 dollars to 200 dollars. People who are asked to leave the Allsup's property, and fail to do so, will be charged with criminal trespass, which is a Class B misdemeanor, and carries a penalty of a fine not to exceed 1,000 dollars; confinement in jail for a term not to exceed 180 days; or both such fine and imprisonment. The criminal trespass law is found in Section 30.05 of the Texas Penal Code, and states the following:

"(a) A person commits an offense if he enters or remains on property or in a building of another without the effective consent and he:

(1) Had notice that the entry was forbidden;

(2) Received notice to depart but failed to do so;

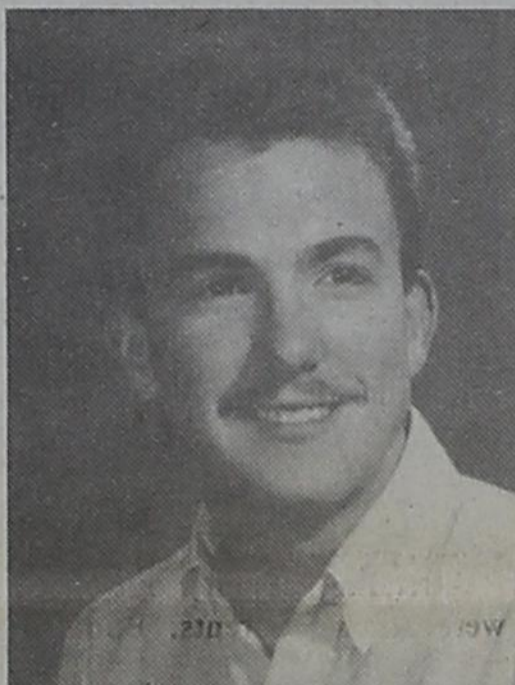
(b) For the purpose of this section: (1) "Entry" means the intrusion of the whole body; and (2) "Notice" means:

(a) Oral or written communication by the owner or someone with apparent authority

to act for the owner. (c) An offense under this section is a Class B misdemeanor."

As always, your help and cooperation in this matter will be deeply appreciated, and if I can be any assistance to anyone, please give me a call.

Gary Coleman
Chief Of Police
Bovina



STEPHEN McCLARAN, son of Kent and Betty McClaran of Bovina, was one of 468 students who received degrees in the 1989 spring commencement exercises at Abilene Christian University. McClaran graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in computer science. He had a grade point average of 3.86. McClaran plans to attend Texas A&M University in the fall to work toward his master's degree in computer science.

It's A Boy For Couple

Toby and Carla Dutton are the parents of a son, Justin Wayne, born July 3 at 9:04 p.m. at Clovis High Plains Hospital.

The couple has two daughters, Sharie, five, and Amanda, two.

Grandparents are Vicki Dutton of Bovina, Joe Mac Dutton of Clovis and Carl and Patsy Reaves of Brady, Texas.

Great-grandparents are Wayne and Velma Brown of Clovis, Floyd and Mutt Dutton of Friona and Dean Reaves of Rotan, Texas.

REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade

30 YEARS AGO--JULY 22, 1959

Tommy Williams was injured Sunday, July 12, when a horse he was riding fell on him. Williams' left leg was broken in two places. The accident happened on his father's, Dennis Williams', farm.

A violent thunderstorm plastered the Rhea community with golf-ball sized hailstones, high winds and rain about five o'clock Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Crump spent last weekend in Ruidoso. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Glasscock and sons spent a weekend in Alpine and surrounding areas. They visited Sull Ross State Teachers College at Alpine and also toured sections of the Big Bend Country. The Glasscocks' son, Kent, is considering attending Sul Ross this fall.

25 YEARS AGO--JULY 22, 1964

Two Bovina children were severely burned in a car fire Wednesday morning of last week. The children, four and two years old, were in the car while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymondo Suniga, were hoeing cotton on the Donald Ray Verner farm south and east of Bovina. The car caught fire and the children were critically burned.

Ronnie Glasscock, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Glasscock, returned Sunday following a six week tour of Germany and points of interest in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pinner and daughters, Toni and Beverly, vacationed recently in Dallas and Six Flags. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roberts, who are making their home in Commerce this summer.

20 YEARS AGO--JULY 23, 1969

Darrell Read and Lewis McDaniel, Bovina volunteer firemen, are participating in Texas A&M University's annual Texas Firemen's Training School this week in College Station.

15 YEARS AGO--JULY 24, 1974

Mrs. Tom (Skeet) Caldwell was recently named by directors of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture to receive the chamber's Good Guy Award. Mrs. Caldwell was cited for her work with the youth in the community. She is active in the Bovina Booster Club, Band Parents, church-related youth activities and summer activities here.

Some 19 registered Quarter Horse and Thoroughbred mares and colts, stabled at the Hawkins and Read Stallion Station one-half mile north of Bovina on FM 2290, were in conditions ranging from critical to serious as of press time

Girlstown Reunion Is Set July 15

The second annual reunion for the Girlstown, U.S.A. Alumnae Association will be held Saturday, July 15, at the Whiteface campus of Girlstown.

Gathering for a day of fellowship and activities will be many women who share a common bond as former residents of Girlstown. Since the alumnae association was formed in 1988, members have returned to recall the home and family they enjoyed as children. Some women return with families of their own and as successful homemakers and businesswomen.

The reunion festivities will begin at 10 a.m. with registration and visits around the campus. A noon barbecue lunch will feature the presentation of awards followed by a general assembly of all members at 2 p.m. A highlight of the day's fellowship will be athletic competition such as volleyball or softball, with alumnae challenging the more youthful Girlstown residents.

The alumnae reunion officially began in 1988, and the event has also been open to the general public. Beginning at 1:30 p.m., visitors to the campus, which is 45 miles west of Lubbock, will have an opportunity to tour the facility. Girlstown became an affiliate of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch in 1987 and, since that time, the facilities and opportunities have experienced many improvements.

Information about the Reunion and Open House is available by calling 806/229-6361.

this week suffering from the apparent effects of insecticides, which had reportedly been applied to a nearby farm

the Bovina I.S.D. He will be leaving to accept the position at Sweetwater. He has been in Bovina for the past four years.

10 YEARS AGO--JULY 25, 1979

The Bovina Ambulance Service has established a memorial fund at the First State Bank. This fund will be used to purchase a new ambulance for Bovina.

A meeting was held this week to discuss the topic of building a farmer-owned cooperative gasohol plant in this area.

Coach Joel Nelson, who coached the Bovina High School Flying Fillies to a 1978 Class A state track and field championship, has resigned his position with

5 YEARS AGO--JULY 11, 1984

Corey Kirkpatrick and Andy Stormes have been named to the Mustang League all-stars in the Texico-Farwell league.

Guadalupe Trevino, 33, was stabbed in the early morning hours at his home.

Marie Pesch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pesch, will be one of 750 girls to play in the AAU Junior Olympic Basketball Tournament to be held in Clovis.

Maesie Flynn has returned home from a trip to the Holy Land.

County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from April 1 to June 30, 1989, inclusive:

JURY FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 957.03
To Amount Received Since Last Report 54,514.89
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 51,782.00
6-30-89 Balance \$ 3,689.92

GENERAL FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 29,017.51
To Amount Received Since Last Report 1,628,575.17
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 1,437,796.72
6-30-89 Balance \$ 219,795.96

FARM TO MARKET FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 265,893.68
To Amount Received Since Last Report 942,675.81
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 915,816.04
6-30-89 Balance \$ 292,753.45

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 1,446.05
To Amount Received Since Last Report 55,747.55
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 55,050.00
6-30-89 Balance \$ 2,143.60

RIGHT OF WAY FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 16,970.63
To Amount Received Since Last Report 156,943.31
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 160,000.00
6-30-89 Balance \$ 13,913.94

LATERAL FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 13,680.09
To Amount Transferred From Other Funds, Since Last Report 71.14
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 9,999.25
6-30-89 Balance \$ 3,751.98

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 1,388.81
To Amount Received Since Last Report 22,369.99
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. -0-
6-30-89 Balance \$ 23,758.80

REVENUE FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 14,347.50
To Amount Received Since Last Report 10,283.01
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 14,347.50
6-30-89 Balance \$ 10,283.01

JUVENILE PROBATION FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 80.00
To Amount Received Since Last Report 255.00
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. -0-
6-30-89 Balance \$ 335.00

COUNTY ATTORNEY CHECK COLLECTION FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 1,527.37
To Amount Received Since Last Report 185.79
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 30.79
6-30-89 Balance \$ 1,682.37

DISTRICT CLERK COLLECTION FUND-287TH

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 962.18
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. 400.00
6-30-89 Balance \$ 562.18

VOTER FUND

Balance Last Report, Filed March 31, 1989 1,068.01
To Amount Received Since Last Report 4.20
By Amount Paid Out Since Last Report, Ex. -0-
6-30-89 Balance \$ 1,072.01

RECAPITULATION

Jury Fund 3,689.92
General Fund 219,795.96
Farm To Market Fund 292,753.45
Road & Bridge Fund 2,143.60
Right Of Way Fund 13,913.94
Lateral Fund 3,751.98
Permanent Improvement Fund 23,758.80
Revenue Accounts Fund 10,283.01
Juvenile Probation Fund 335.00
County Attorney-Check Collection Fund 1,682.37
District Check Collection Fund-287th 562.18
Voter Fund 1,072.01
TOTAL \$573,742.22

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND
Certificate Of Deposit: Jury Fund 25,000.00
Certificate Of Deposit: General Fund 600,000.00
Certificate Of Deposit: Farm To Market Fund 360,000.00
Certificate Of Deposit: Road & Bridge Fund 27,000.00
Certificate Of Deposit: Right Of Way Fund 160,000.00
Certificate Of Deposit: Elevator Fund 21,606.64

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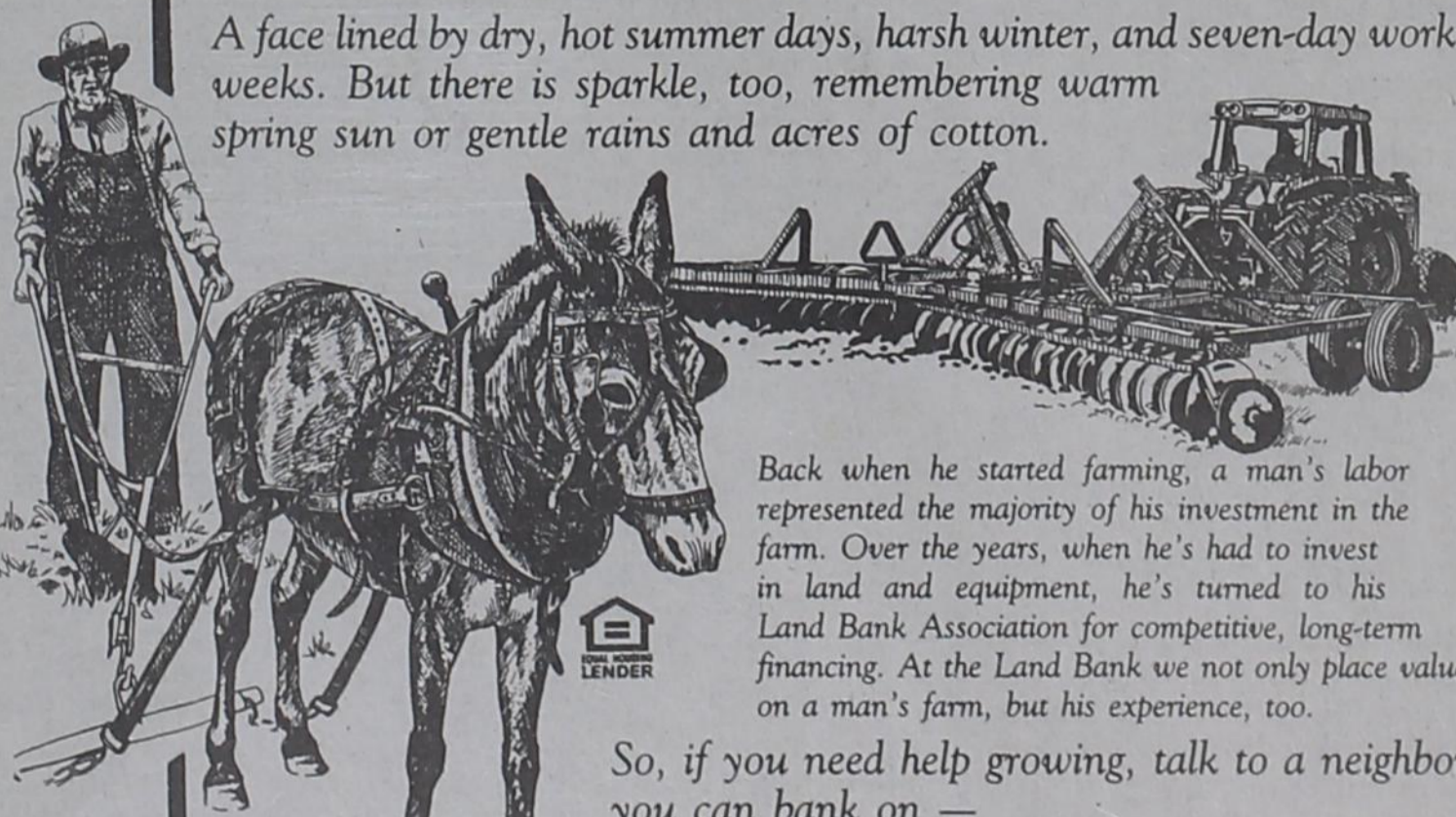
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Parmer County Treas.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of July, 1989,
Porter Roberts, County Judge, Parmer County, Texas.

Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court this 10th day of July, 1989.
Presiding Officer, Commissioners' Court, Parmer County, Texas.

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Scooter's Scoops



By Scooter Russell



Our thoughts and prayers are with Jay and Sue Barrett this week as their daughter Jana was injured in a skiing accident at Conchas Lake Sunday morning. She was taken from Tucumcari by helicopter to Lubbock General Hospital where she underwent surgery on both legs. One was broken and one badly cut. I talked to Sue Monday and she said Jana was in a lot of pain...Evidently, they don't need company for a few days, but we're thinking about them.

 Congratulations to Toby and Carla Dutton on the birth of a son, Justin, who was born July 3 in Clovis. The couple has two daughters, Sharie, five, and Amanda, two. Also, congratulations to the Bovina great-grandmother, Lillian Rogers.

 Rick and Rose Mary Webber and three children had a good time vacationing in Pagosa Springs, Colorado. Rick's parents, Pete and Jewelene Webber of Whiteface have a cabin at Pagosa. They did a lot of sight-seeing, rafting down a river and fished some.

 Our deepest sympathies to Jim Owens, whose brother died in Hereford. Services were held last Friday in Hereford. Our thoughts are with them.

 Polly Mills has had lots of fun with members of her family visiting. All four of her daughters have been with her during recent days: Patti Gencarelli of Mt. Pleasant, Texas and her daughters, Debbie and Stan Goldsmith and daughters of Dimmitt, Carla and Jarod Withrow and children of Littlefield and Kara and Mike Fulcher of Lorenzo. Mike's brother, Vaughn, was also with

them. Patti and daughters spent the whole week and they went to Glorietta and spent a couple of days with her uncle and aunt who are hosts of the Oklahoma City Baptist Lodge there. Polly said Patti's husband was at basketball camp. He is head coach at Mt. Pleasant, a 4A school, but will be moving to LaPort, Texas where he will be head basketball coach there and it is a 5A school.

 It was good visiting for a short time with Joany Horn. She has been in the states a month visiting with her parents, Gene and Ginny Ezell and others but will be leaving this week for their home in Tokyo, Japan.

 Joan's husband, Dick, is here and will be leaving after a week's stay in the states. The Horns have three sons and she was telling me about them.

 Tim lives in Boston, Massachusetts and works for a law firm. Richard is finishing his schooling at the University of Texas and Stephen is in Abilene and is a student at Hardin-Simmons University.

 Paul and Ola Lee Jones have had company. Paul's brother and his wife, Carl and Lucille Jones, came from Mt. Pleasant, Texas and stayed four days with them. They enjoyed a good visit together.

 Chris and Nathan Moore of Ft. Davis, Texas and their daughter, Misti, were in Bovina visiting with Nathan's twin sister, Nita and Donald Dale and their family. Nita said Nathan is getting along real well now and is working out of the ASCS office in Farwell. She said he would be there the rest of the summer.

 The Moores are former Bovina residents and lived here for some time. Their daughter, Kathy, graduated from Angelo State and is now a nurse. Their daughter, Tracy, is a junior at Angelo State and the twin boys, James and John, are growing up and are now twelve years old.

 Congratulations to Chuck

Teague, who was married Saturday. Chuck and Susie Padillo of Clovis exchanged wedding vows in Chuck's parents home, Charlie and Molly Teague. A reception followed. We'll have a picture when they get their wedding pictures back.

 Bedford and Tom Caldwell attended a family reunion for the Caldwell family at Angel Fire, New Mexico, in recent weeks. There were about 30 members of the family there. There are five men and one woman and they are: Bob of Canyon, Ralph of Louisville, Charles of Houston, Ruth of Wichita, Kansas and Tom and Bedford, both of Bovina. Bedford's wife, Pauline, said they had a good time and the weather was nice and cool.

 Lucy Thomas, who lived in Bovina for several years on Seventh Street, is now a resident at Prairie Acres in Friona.

 Galen and Judy Hromas and children, Darran, Matt and Lisa, have been to San Antonio sight-seeing. Judy said they saw Sea World, lots of interesting places and had a good time.

 Judy Ezell of Plano has been in Bovina visiting her parents, Sonny and Dot Roach, and her in-laws, Gene and Ginny Ezell. When she went back to Plano she took her niece and nephew, Staci and J.T., with her for a few days. They had a good time and now Staci and J.T. are visiting grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Turner in Floydada.

 Leslie and Christina Evans are in Bovina visiting with their aunt and uncle and cousins, Richard and Velma Grisham and family. While here their cousin, James, said they had had fun swimming, playing on the school grounds, jumping on the trampoline and watching the Mickey Mouse TV shows. Leslie and Christina are daughters of Jimmy and D'Linda Evans of Lubbock.

 Devanee Englant, daughter of Bobby and Irma Jo Englant, spent

a night in Parmer County Community Hospital with chest pains. She is out of the hospital and back home.

 Roy Lee and Dorothy Stowers and daughters Jessica and Christen, went to Six Flags in recent days. Said they had a great time.

 Veda and Elmer McKay have returned from a trip to St. Louis. She said their son, Larry, sent them a ticket to fly and it was their first time to fly. Said there was a heavy thunderstorm and they had to circle several times before landing at Houston, but they had a wonderful time with Larry and his family.

 Veda was also telling me about her great-nephew who was badly burned when two "big daddy" pots of hot grease fell on him. The family was having a cookout and the three-year-old boy was after a toy beneath the shelf where the pots were. His dad also was burned badly on his hands as he was taking care of the boy. The boy was flown from the burn center in Springfield, Missouri to Lubbock General Hospital. His parents are Larry and Zoda Maddox of Memphis, Texas and the little boy, Donnie, was four years old the next day. The accident happened on July 4th.

 Thanks for helping with the Scoops and news. Have a great week....Scooter.

Couple Is Married In Bovina

Cindy Walls and Allen Pinkston were married in the home of Cindy's parents, Robert and Pat Read, on June 23.

Bonnie Clayton, Justice of the Peace, performed the ceremony. Attending from out-of-town were Allen's parents, Boots and Mary Lou Pinkston.

They will be at home at 6525 Garwood, Amarillo.



SHARLA DAWN RICHARDS and JOE DON FERGUSON.... Leon and Vicki Richards of Hereford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharla Dawn, to Joe Don Ferguson of College Station, Texas. He is the son of Frank and Carolyn Ferguson of Cleburne, Texas. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, July 29 at 2 p.m. in the Frio Baptist Church. The couple attended Texas A&M University and he is employed by Southern Green Landscaping, Inc. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards and Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Strawn, all of Bovina.

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Those present were: Renee (LaBarr) Walker and Gayla Walker of Boise City, Oklahoma; Winifred Rutherford and Jeana Humphreys of Elk City, Oklahoma; Sue LaBarr of Denton; Laura (LaBarr) France, Tony, Matthew and Kristen of Cappell, Texas; Cheryl and Tommy Johnson, Jared, Trevor Miller of Amarillo.

Also, Scott, Tammy and Lacey Stidger of Amarillo; Charlie, Judy, Bob, Candi and Crystal Dow of the Rhea community; Scott, Jennifer, Mike and Kellie Clyde of Spearfish, South Dakota; Nita (LaBarr) Reagan and John Reagan of Canyon; Leann and Robert Lehmann of Fritch.

Also, Jan Matlock of Amarillo; Greg and Ruth Hendrix of Amarillo; Robert and Wanda Grider, E.V. and Gloria Chandler of Portales, New Mexico.

Several members of the family spent Thursday and Friday at Palo Duro Canyon and attended the production of "Texas" on Friday night.

Everyone spent Saturday and up into the night in Bovina.

Sue LaBarr and Laura and Tony Frances' children spent the night and returned home Sunday.

Jennifer, Scott and children stayed until Tuesday night and left for their home in Spearfish, South Dakota Wednesday. 51-1tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF BOVINA TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Bovina is planning to file an application with the Texas Department of Commerce (TDC) for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. The City's application will be submitted to TDC on or before September 14, 1989.

A public hearing will be held at 8 o'clock P.M. on July 14th, 1989 at City Hall, to discuss the City's housing and community development needs, the amount of funding available, all eligible activities under the TCDP and the use of past TCDP funds. All citizens are encouraged to attend this public hearing and present their views to the City. Written comments by those unable to attend meeting will be accepted by the City at City Hall up until the time the application is submitted to TDC.

A second public hearing will be scheduled in project area at a later date and announced by public notice to discuss the specific details of the application which the City of Bovina will be submitting to TDC.

The goal and objectives of the TCDP program is the development of viable communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment and by expanding economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income.

For more information on the TCDP program, contact Keith Knight at 806-238-1116. Handicapped or other individuals who might have trouble in attending this public hearing should contact the Bovina City Hall to arrange for special assistance. 51-1tc

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 T-Bone's Equipment

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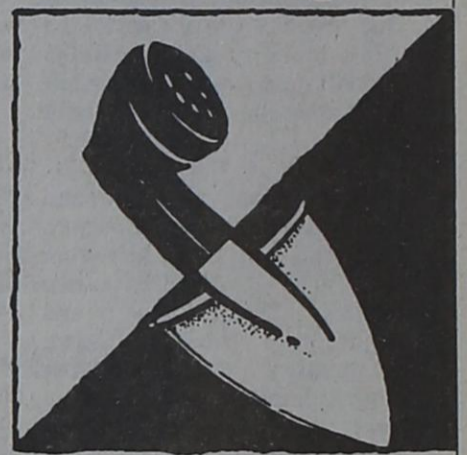
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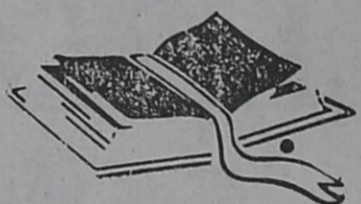
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