



## Bull Town Bulletins

By  
Bill Ellis

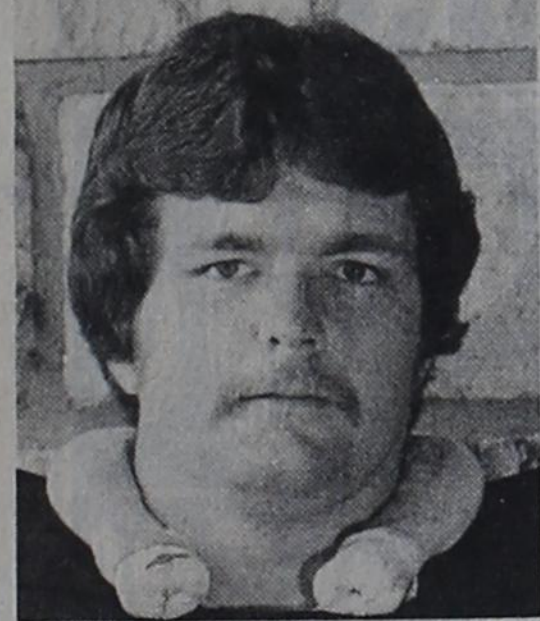
ONE OF THE WILDEST playoff football games in Texas Interscholastic League history took place last week when the Vernon Lions nipped Brownwood by a score of 11-6. Gordon Wood, the Brownwood coach, is still hot about the official call at the end of the game but the score remains the same, and a Vernon victory. Vernon was ahead of Brownwood late in the game, less than two minutes to go, and then a Brownwood back was tackled in the end zone for a safety which made it 11-6. Brownwood had to kick from their 20, and did so, but managed to recover the ball. Two passes moved it to the 50 where Brownwood called their last time out with 17 seconds remaining.

On the next play, Brownwood passed 20 yards for a first down on the 30 but with the clock still running and Brownwood out of time outs, Vernon fans and players charged on the field, whooping it up to celebrate the victory. But the officials cleared the field and declared that one second remained on the clock when the official stopped it to move the down markers.

On the next play Brownwood completed a perfect pass into the end zone for a touchdown and it was Brownwood players and fans who erupted into wild celebration. The roar of the crowd continued, while Vernon players sprawled on the ground in bitter disappointment.

And then a counter-roar shook the stadium because the officials ruled that the final play had been run after the clock had expired, that once the down markers were in position and the referee's arm had gone down in signaling start of time that the Brownwood center had not moved the ball by the time the one second had expired from the clock. So it was a Vernon victory after all.

It was a bitter loss for Gordon Wood, who is reported to be past 70 and will hang 'em up after this season. Wood is the winningest high school coach in Texas football history and it must have indeed been a bummer to end his career on what he considered such a sour note. They will be talking about this game for a long time to come.



RICHARD LOWE

## Local Boy Is Named All-Conference

Five Fort Hays State football players have been named to the 1983 Central States Intercollegiate Conference All-Conference first team. Among these was senior tackle Richard Lowe.

Lowe, a two-year starter and repeat selection to the first team, anchored the Tigers' offensive line. He was also named to the All-District 10 first team and the Tiger Club at Fort Hays State University, Hays, Kansas.

The Tigers finished with an 8-3 overall record and a 4-3 mark in the conference. They were also ranked 17th in the final NAIA Division I top 20 poll.

Richard is the son of Gene and Barbara Lowe of Bovina.

## Residents Assist In Local Case

The Bovina Police Department has made a statement concerning the incident that occurred on Monday, November 28, involving Debra Beauchamp and a juvenile.

Investigation of this case was completed through the efforts and concern of the people of Bovina.

Mrs. Beauchamp was scared last Monday when a youth wearing a ski mask hid in the rear of her van, and appeared while she was driving the vehicle. Reportedly, she quickly stopped the vehicle and fled, and the masked intruder also fled.

A juvenile was questioned in connection with the case, and the matter has been referred to the juvenile probation officer.

"I would like to thank these people who came forward with information to clear this case and to tell all the people of Bovina that when something does happen, that people see more than they realize," said Rodney Bachman, Bovina Chief of Police.

"Also, I would like to advise those who intend to violate the law to remember that the people of Bovina are willing to get involved and are willing to give the information they have to law enforcement people," Bachman continued.

"It is through this joint effort of the citizens and the police that crime in Bovina will be greatly reduced," the Police Chief concluded.

## Donations Sought For Children

Donations are being solicited for the Golden Spread Foster Parents' Assn. (Castro, Deaf Smith, Parmer and Oldham counties) for a special Christmas fund.

The Foster Parents Assn. is making preparations for a special Christmas for the foster children who are being cared for in the counties named.

Any individual or group wishing to sponsor a child or help in any way may contact the Christmas chairperson, Rita Burgess, at 137 Ave. B, Hereford, Tx. 79045, or call her at 364-6766.

Otherwise, they may contact Parmer County's chairperson, Judy Cross, at Route 3, Box 3-A, Friona, Tx., 79035, or call her at 247-2302.

Donations may also be made at the Hereford State Bank, to the Golden Spread Foster Parents Christmas Fund, Box 272, Hereford, Texas, 79045. The deadline for donations is December 9.

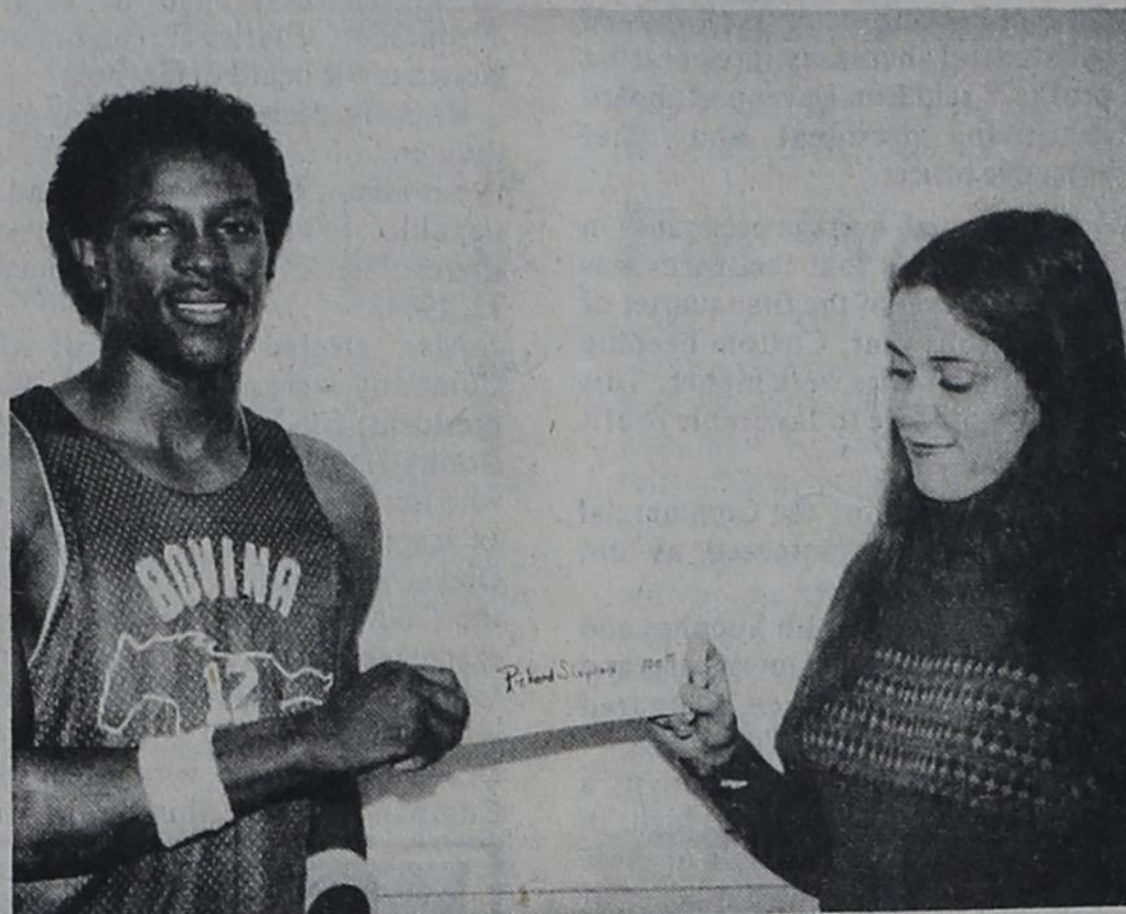
The money donated will be used to buy gifts of toys and clothing for the foster children in the four-county area.

## Voters Are Asked For Changes

Hugh Moseley, Voter Registrar for Parmer County, is reminding all voters to notify his office of any changes, such as address, name change, precinct, etc. as soon as possible.

New voter registration cards will be mailed out in January and any returned cards due to incorrect information could cause you to be struck from the voting roster.

It is the voter's responsibility to inform the Registrar's office of any changes in their voting status. This may be done by coming by the office in the courthouse in Farwell or by mailing the information to Drawer G, Farwell, Texas 79325. If you are currently a registered voter in Parmer County, it is not necessary to re-register.



**WINS TITLE...** Richard Shepherd, Bovina athletic star, took time out from his basketball workout Monday to accept his prize in the Bovina Businesses football contest. Presenting the check is Tami Kunselman, Blade staff member.

## Richard Shepherd Wins Contest Title

Richard Shepherd, who has proven that he is a talented performer on the athletic field for the Bovina Mustangs, also proved that he can pick the winners of football games.

Shepherd, a senior at Bovina High School and a standout performer for the Mustangs in football and basketball, won the Bovina Businesses Football Contest for 1983.

As expected, though, the finish was a close one. Only three points separated first through fourth place contestants in the final standings.

Shepherd's score for the final week was nine, which gave him a total of 123 for the event. Shepherd was awarded the grand prize of \$100 cash. Frances Johnson scored an 11 for the final week, and finished one point behind Shepherd with a score of 122.

Penny Johnson, whose score of nine was the same as Shepherd's, finished third at 121, and Bobby Cumpston, forced to try for upsets, had a score of eight, which left her fourth with a score of 120.

The final standings have contestants at every score from 100 up through the winning score of 123.

In the final weekly contest, Jo Blackwell of Friona took the top spot, being one of five contestants correctly picking 11 games. Mrs. Blackwell, who is administrator of Prairie Acres Nursing Home, said she planned to donate her first place check to the Parmer County Child Welfare Board's Christmas fund.

The weekly winner was decided on the tie-breaker score. Also picking 11 were Frances Johnson, Rick Castaneda, Jay Sherrill and Erith Hawkins.

Mrs. Blackwell's score prediction on the Dallas-Seattle game was 27-14, missing by 12. Mrs. Johnson picked the score at 30-20, which was 15

points away from the score of 35-10.

Castaneda picked Dallas, 31-24; Sherrill picked the Cowboys, 28-21, and Hawkins thought both teams would score more points, with Dallas winning, 42-34.

Picking ten games correct were Sam Morgan, Lori Richards, Joe Olvera, Patsy Sherrill, Jean Morgan, R. J. Keyes, Todd Ware, Lynn Read and Mike Lance.

Sponsoring the annual contest with the Blade were these merchants. We appreciate their helping us bring the annual contest to you: Bovina Pump Company, Dudley's Auto Parts, Bovina Fuel and Supply, Inc., Charles Oil Company, Chuck's Spraying Service, Bovina Feeders, First State Bank.

Also, Sherley Grain Company, Lawlis Gin Company, Lone Star Agency, Inc., Paul Jones Texaco-Dairy Freeze, Parmer County Spraying Service, Don's Medicine Chest and Agri-Sprayers, Inc.

## Firm Sets Anniversary Open House

The Body Connection will be celebrating their first anniversary of being in business with a Christmas Bazaar to be held December 10 at the Body Connection building located at 109 Third Street.

During that time at least 15 booths will be set up and area residents will have a good chance to get some Christmas shopping done before the holidays. The doors will be open at 10 a.m. and closing will be at 6 p.m.



**WEEKLY WINNER...** Jo Blackwell was the winner of the final week's contest in the Blade's football contest. Bovina Blade publisher Bill Ellis presents the check, which Mrs. Blackwell planned to donate to the Parmer County Child Welfare Christmas fund.

## Pheasant Season Begins Dec. 10

The 1983 pheasant season will kick off next Saturday morning, December 10.

Once again, the season will be two weeks in duration, spanning three weekends. Final day of the season will be Sunday, December 25.

The bag limit will remain the same as in years past: two cocks per day and four in possession. Only the cock pheasants are legal game.

A good hunting season is anticipated. Jack Patterson, spokesman for the pheasant season, said he had seen a good number of pheasants in the Rhea community. Reports from other parts of the area have also been encouraging.

A large influx of hunters is expected for the opening weekend of the season next weekend.

A contest for the hunter turning in the longest tailfeather will be held sponsored by the Parmer County Game Management Association. Details on where to turn in the feather entries will be announced next week.

Texas followed the lead of its neighboring state, New Mexico, with the passage of House Bill 1421, which authorized the formation of Operation Game Thief. Concerned citizens may call a 24-hour toll-free number, 1-800-792-GAME, to report flagrant violations of Texas' wildlife and fish laws.

Since implementing its game thief

program in 1976, New Mexico has collected over \$79,000 in fines and paid almost \$40,000 in rewards.

Trespassing laws have been stiffened with HB 717 upping criminal trespassing from a Class C to a Class B misdemeanor. In addition, if the offender carries a deadly weapon, he can be charged with a Class A misdemeanor.

Notice has to be present before a person can commit criminal trespassing. Notice is given in three ways: (1) Oral or written communication by owner of property; (2) Presence of fencing to exclude intruders or contain livestock, or (3) Sign posted on property indicating entry is forbidden.

Under the Texas penal code, a Class C misdemeanor carries a maximum \$200 fine. However, trespassers convicted under the new law, under a Class B misdemeanor, will face a possible \$1,000 fine and/or 180 days in jail.

If the offender carries a deadly weapon, and most hunters do, the Class A misdemeanor can cost up to \$2,000 in fines and up to a year in jail.

No public funds will be used in the Operation Game Thief program. More than \$20,000 in donations from individuals and organizations have been received to get the program started.



**PHEASANT COCK...** The bird of prey, beginning Saturday, December 10, will be the pheasant cock, pictured above. The county's annual season will run two weeks and three weekends, ending on Sunday, December 25.

## SATURDAY MORNING

## Pheasant Hunters Breakfast Slated

The 1983 pheasant season will kick off next Saturday morning, December 10. A breakfast will be sponsored at the High School Cafeteria by the Bovina Band Booster Club. Time for the breakfast is 5-7 a.m. and the cost is \$4.00 for all you can eat.

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A contest for the hunters turning in the longest tail feathers will be sponsored by Don Bandy of the Bandy Handi-Stop and feathers can be turned in at the Handi-Stop Grocery Store at the corner of Third and Highway 86.

Fishing and hunting licenses can now be purchased at Bandy Handi-Stop.

Area pheasant hunters who plan to hunt both in Texas and New Mexico are reminded that the seasons start the same date this year, but that the New Mexico season lasts only three days.

Licenses for the New Mexico (Curry County) hunting can be purchased at Reb's Gun and Sport Shop, K-Mart, Alco Dept. Store and Poyner White's Auto Store in Clovis.

## Club Sets Bird Hunt

The Bovina Lions Club is sponsoring a pheasant hunt this coming weekend. All hunters that are registered with the Bovina Lions should meet at the High School Cafeteria Saturday morning to receive further instruction as to where to hunt and so forth.

The breakfast that morning will be sponsored by the Bovina Band Booster Club.

# REFLECTIONS

...From The Bovina Blade

25 YEARS AGO--NOV. 26, 1958

Mrs. Kate Queen left Friday evening enroute to Bismarck, N.D. to see her great-grandson, Danny Thompson, who is seriously ill in the hospital. The little boy is suffering from an attack of rheumatic fever, complicated by pneumonia. Mrs. Queen made the trip with her daughter, Mrs. Tuff Jones of Amarillo, grandmother of the eight year old boy.

The countywide Home Demonstration Club luncheon at the Hub Community Center, Thursday was well attended. Mrs. Dick Rockey of the Black Club was the master of ceremonies. The invocation was given by Mrs. W.T. Magness of the Farwell Club.

A joint birthday party was held Wednesday afternoon, November 19, for Dala and Gale Boyd, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean Boyd.

20 YEARS AGO--NOV. 27, 1963

Leon Ware is hospitalized at Methodist Hospital at Lubbock. He is reported to have an infection of the nervous system and is improving.

Farwell, Oklahoma Lane and West Camp Ex-Students will have their annual homecoming, November 30 at 7:27 p.m. in Farwell School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Paul Straus, silhouette artist of Abilene, in cooperation with Rainbow Assembly, made approximately \$25 Saturday afternoon cutting silhouettes of people at Wilson's Super Market.

15 YEARS AGO--NOV. 27, 1968

Mrs. Myrtle Marot, former Bovina resident, died Monday morning in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She had been ill about two weeks.

About a bale of cotton and a cotton trailer were burned Tuesday afternoon of last week on the Lloyd Gober farm five and one-half miles southeast of Bovina.

Lynn Looney, a senior education major at West Texas State University, is among 33 juniors and seniors who have been chosen for the 1968 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

10 YEARS AGO--NOV. 28, 1973

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Neal of Bovina announce the birth of a son at 4:20 p.m. Wednesday, November 21, at

Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

Members of the Oklahoma Lane Variety Club and their guests met for the club's traditional Thanksgiving dinner recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Bandy of Bovina.

Gary Cox, Bovina High School principal, is Bovina's Champion First Freeze Predictor for 1973.

5 YEARS AGO--NOV. 29, 1978

The first bale of cotton was delivered by Don Williams and Jerry Heard to Lawlis Gin on November 27. At this time last year, 30,435 bales had been ginned in Parmer County.

Tessie Jones bagged two deer while hunting recently on the Circle B Ranch in Barksdale, Texas. This was the eighth year that Tessie has been deer hunting and during that time has only failed once to get two deer. Out of the 29 hunters in the group, Tessie was the only woman.

Johanna Mesman of Farwell and Mike Schueler of the Rhea Community received the highest award offered in the 4-H Club program--the Gold Star Award.

## Vaccination Totals Up

The Texas livestock industry has achieved a first in its continuing battle against brucellosis.

For the first time in history, more than one million calves have been vaccinated in a fiscal year in this state. The total as of August 31, 1983 was 1,000,278.

That means 35.7 percent of all eligible calves were vaccinated for brucellosis in Texas for fiscal year 1983.

"The number of vaccinated calves has almost doubled in the past three years. That is significant since basic changes were made and incorporated into the Texas brucellosis program in 1980.

"It shows livestock producers are accepting those changes," John B. Armstrong, Kingsville, chairman, Texas Animal Health Commission, said.

One of those changes included regulations which encourage freer movement of the vaccinated animal versus the non-vaccinate.

## Charles Hughes Is Named To FI Board

Friona Industries, Inc. reported net earnings of \$688,000, or 30 cents per share, on sales of \$66 million for the first quarter of its 1984 fiscal year.

This compared with net earnings of \$1.2 million, or 58 cents per share, on sales of \$62 million for the same quarter ended September 30, 1982.

"The Meat Processing and Distribution, Commercial Feeds and Custom Feeding segments all showed substantial increases in operating profits," said Ron Davenport, board chairman, president and chief executive officer.

Even though average occupancy in the Company's four feedyards was below the level of the first quarter of the previous year, Custom Feeding operating profits were higher. This was attributable to favorable profit margins.

Tonnage sold by the Commercial Feeds segment increased as did operating profits.

Both Animal Health Supplies and Grain operations had lower sales and operating profits when compared with the first quarter of fiscal 1983.

"Occupancy at the Company's feedyards climbed to record highs in October and should remain at these levels well into the third quarter of our fiscal year, and this should be beneficial to our primary business segments," said Davenport. "In addition, the outlook for Meat Processing and Distribution operations for the second and third quarters of fiscal 1984 is encouraging."

"However, lower cattle prices caused a slight loss in the sale of Company-owned cattle, which had been the Company's major profit center in the first quarter of the prior fiscal year," he explained. About 30,500 head of Company-owned cattle were marketed in the first quarter of both fiscal years.

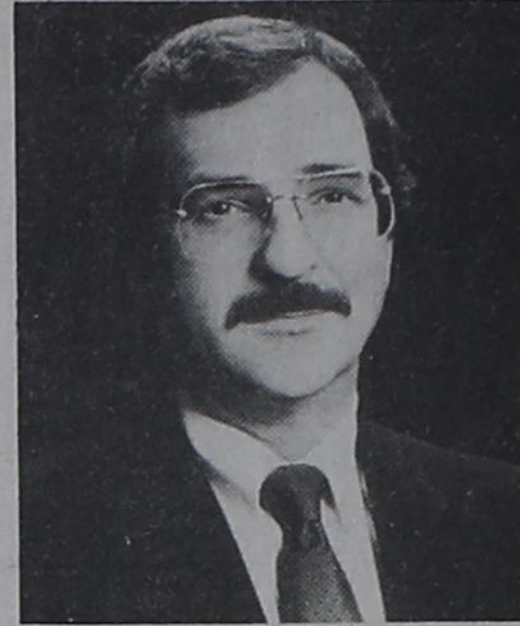
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Congressman Kent Hance, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Senator John Tower, 142 Russell Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senate Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510.



CHARLES H. HUGHES

formerly with a public accounting firm in Amarillo. He is a Certified Public Accountant and a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin.

Hughes was named financial vice president and treasurer of the Company in 1979 and secretary in 1981. Prior to joining Friona Industries, Hughes was vice president and treasurer of Western Beef, Inc., in Amarillo, Texas, where he served in management positions for about ten years. A Certified Public Accountant, Hughes holds a BBA degree in accounting and an MBA degree in finance from West Texas State University.

The Company's common stock is traded on the American Stock Exchange under the symbol FI.

## It's Time To Write Santa

Hey, kids, Christmas Day is fast approaching and it's time to write Santa a letter.

Children of the community are urged to write letters to Santa as soon as possible.

If sent to the Bovina Blade, they will appear in the Blade's Christmas issue.

Children are assured the letters will be forwarded to Santa in plenty of time for his attention, so please be sure to get your letter in to us by December 10.

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By Ace Reid



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## School Corner

By BOB OWEN

If everything progresses on schedule Texas will have a new curriculum in place for next school year. This curriculum will require more math and more English. No concrete plans can be made now because nothing is final, but parents who have eighth graders this year need to be especially aware of the proposed changes because this will be the first class to graduate under the new curriculum requirements.

It is too early at this point to discuss in detail the impact of the changes, but this spring when students enroll for next year, parents need to become involved in students' choices of courses.

The success of any change in our educational system is not going to depend solely on the schools, but also the community. If we are to have discipline in the schools, for example, it must be a combined effort of school and community. Without parental support the school just cannot do the most efficient job of educating.

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MR. and MRS. REAGAN LOONEY....In honor of their sixtieth wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney of Bovina request the pleasure of your company at a reception on Sunday, December 18 from 2-5 p.m. in the Senior Citizens Center, Bovina. Your friendship and love is a cherished gift. We respectfully request no other.

## --Contest Standings--

- 123--Richard Shepherd.
- 122--Frances Johnson.
- 121--Penny Johnson.
- 120--Bobby Cumpston.
- 119--Ricky Castaneda, R.J. Keyes, Don Spring.
- 118--Patsy Sherrill.
- 117--Lori Richards.
- 116--Brad Lance, Marie Pesch, Tom Ware.
- 115--Lynn Read, Jay Sherrill, Sandra Ware.
- 114--Mary Jane Wilson.
- 113--Rhonda Keyes, Burry Thatcher.
- 112--Renee Bartlett, Mike Lance, A.M. Wilson.
- 111--Johnny Martinez, Dick Morgan, Joe Olvera, Mike Read.
- 110--Tommy DeLeon, Erith Hawkins, Todd Ware.
- 109--Laura Bartlett, Wes Cockerham, Flossie Rhinehart, Jan Smith, Hattie Burnett.
- 108--Jimmie Cockerham, Daniel Hernandez, Doug Johnson, Jim Melton, Martha Schilling.
- 107--Gabriel Mancini, Sam Morgan.
- 106--Houston Bartlett, Wayne Thatcher.
- 105--Claudia Chisom, Olga Serna.
- 104--Rocky Bartlett, Corky Brito,

- Robby Stowers.
- 103--Mike James, Roy Lee Stowers.
- 102--Jo Blackwell, Barbara Cockerham, Jim Lance, Steve Lance.
- 101--Patsy Lance.
- 100--Opal Wines.
- 97--Joyce Read.
- 96--Julia Moody, Dorothy Stowers.
- 95--Isacc Briones.
- 94--Matt Howell, Blake Scaff.

## It's A Boy For Wards

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Ward are parents of a baby boy, Dustin Ray, who was born December 2 at 11:30 p.m. and weighed eight pounds, thirteen ounces. This is the couple's first child.

Grandparents of the young man are Mr. and Mrs. Clint Ward and Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Kleinteter of Amarillo.

Great-grandparents are Valda Skeen of Clovis, Clay Skeen of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Arnold of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Kilmer, also of Clovis.



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Rev. J.L. Bass

Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship-11 a.m.  
Training Union-6 p.m.  
Evening Worship-7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.

### Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church



Rev. Wyatt Carpenter

Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Morning Worship-11 a.m.  
Evening Worship-6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service-7 p.m.

### Pleasant Hill Baptist Church



Rev. Bob Reid

Sunday School-10:30 a.m.  
Texas Time;  
Morning Worship-11:30 a.m. Texas Time;  
Church Training-7 p.m. Texas Time  
Evening Worship-8 p.m. Texas Time;  
Wednesday Night Meeting--8 p.m.

### Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church



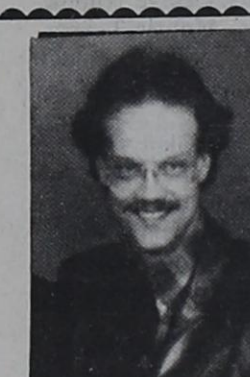
R. Joel Ware

Sunday School-10 a.m.  
Morning Worship-11 a.m.  
Evening Worship-6 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study-6 p.m.

### Pentecostal Holiness Church

Christian Life Center  
Services-Sunday Morning  
Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Worship-11 a.m.  
Evening-6 p.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday-7 p.m.

### Bovina Methodist Church



Wesley Brown

Sunday School-9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship-11 a.m.  
M.Y.F.-6 p.m.  
Evening Worship-7 p.m.  
Choir Practice-Wednesday, 8 p.m.

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Worship-10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Devotional and Classes-8:30 p.m.

### St. John Lutheran Church



Rev. Herman Schelter

Sunday School-9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship-10:30 a.m.

### Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"I'd be shot for saying these things in Russia. Still, it must be nice to get SOME kind of response!"



### St. Ann's Catholic Church

Mass-Sunday, 8:30 a.m.  
CCD-After Mass Sunday  
Confession: Sunday, 8-8:25 a.m.

### Mission Bautista Belen

Escuela Dominical-9:45 a.m.  
Mesaje-11:30 a.m.-Union De Pre Preparacion-5:30 p.m.  
Miercoles Estudio De La Biblia-7:30 p.m.



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GINA KUNSELMAN

## 4-Year-Old Is Honored On Birthday

Gina Kunselman, daughter of Arty and Tami Kunselman, was four years old Thursday, December 1 and celebrated her birthday with a party at McDonald's in Hereford Sunday afternoon, December 4.

Members of her family who enjoyed birthday cake, punch and ice cream were: Gina's parents, Arty and Tami Kunselman; her sister, Jamie; her grandparents, Pat and Pat Kunselman and Scooter Russell; her great-grandparents, Doris Wilson and Mae Russell of Hereford; her aunt, uncle and cousins, Vickie, Leland, Chad and Drue Jennings of Flagg; another aunt, uncle and cousin, Tracy, Clay and Russell Wright of Amarillo; and her great-aunt, Ruby Wilson.

## Society Sets Holiday Fete

The Guadalupe Society held their monthly meeting Sunday, December 4 with 16 members and three visitors present.

The society will hold their annual Christmas party on Dec. 10 at 7 p.m.

Monday, December 12 the fiesta of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated. Two members will be installed in the society that night.

The meeting concluded with a surprise shower for Mrs. Blanca Tamez.



# Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

There are always a few toys each year near Christmas time that every child must have. This year it is definitely the Cabbage Patch doll, Glo-Worm night lights and the talking Knight Rider cars.

It was reported that in the Lubbock stores, shopping has never compared to this year's. In one of the wildest buying rushes ever, frenzied parents were elbowing, trampling, shoving and victimizing each other along with some store employees, just so their kids could have a Cabbage Patch doll.

One store reported having 17 dolls for sale one day and had two hundred people lined up waiting and hoping for their chances at the dolls.

Owner of the Pink Giraffe Store in Lubbock said a man called from Los Angeles, California, thinking, "a little town like Lubbock would have them."

Store managers said they had people who were unbelievably trying to purchase the dolls--some screamed, "Where's Cabbage Patch?" They were yelling, stomping toes, and there were even offers of bribes for the employees to get the dolls. It was explained as 'unreal.' One man said there were 1,000 women at their store and not a lady in the bunch.

Looks as though Santa Claus is going to have to be real careful with his promises this year.

### NEWS AROUND TOWN...

Several people were treated to a delicious Thanksgiving dinner and a fine day of visiting at the home of Margaret Charles.

Family members present were her daughter, Harriet Lou Glasscock of

Lubbock and daughter Melissa; a friend, Bill Donahue; Margaret's son, Billy J., his wife Barbara and children, Brooke, and Cam and Margaret's cousin, Billie Dodd; and Barbara Charles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffith.

We want to congratulate Clint and Marie Ward on the birth of a new grandson, Dustin Ray. His parents are Ronnie and Chan Ward. The youngster was born December 2 and this makes three grandsons and three granddaughters for the Wards.

## Honor Rolls Given For 3-8 Grades

The honor rolls for the second six weeks of school were announced this week for Bovina Elementary and Junior High School.

Those listed were as follows:  
Third grade--Ms. Turner: A's--Christina Noriega and Chris Wilson.  
A/B's--Bill Bachman, Olga Cruz, Brandon Caldwell, Veronica Estrada, Debbie Rodriguez, Jamie Fuentes, Jason Brito, Lorena Sawnz and Marisela Reyna.

Third grade--Ms. Helton: A's--Darren Hromas, Abelino Porras and Andy Stormes.

A/B's--Ione Molinar, Brandon Drager and John Verner.  
Fourth grade--Ms. Fancher: A's--Grace Uriegas.

A/B's--Kory Mitchell and Joann Winegeart.  
Fourth grade--Ms. Rhodes: A's--Hugo Renteria and Cain Neal.

A/B's--Jamie Graves, Yvette Acosta, Guadalupe Gomez, Corey Kirkpatrick and Nita Marshall.

Fifth grade--Ms. Bradburn: A's--Jamie Bradford and Michelle Stanberry.

A/B's--Belinda Dale, Cesaria Espinoza, Elaine Garza, Virginia Noriega and Mendy Rhodes.

Fifth grade--Ms. Garrison: A & B--Bobby Dryer, Eric Helton, Conrado Sierra, Leah Steelman and Staci Stewart.

Sixth grade--Mrs. Heflin: A & B--Rosalba Anaya, Jennifer Beauchamp and Ty Brown.

Sixth grade--Mr. Worley: A & B--Libby Marshall.

Seventh grade--A & B: Esmeralda Bazaldua, Marci Dale, Scott Scaff and Scott Sudderth.

Eighth grade--A & B: Laurie Bradford, Michelle Dopp, Steve Gauntt, Anna Koelzer, Ruby Renteria, Tommy Reyes and Tandra Turner.

## Baby Boy Is Born To Couple

Danny and Lisa Parson of Amarillo are the parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, November 29 at 11:15 p.m. in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Named Jonathan Michael, the new arrival weighed six pounds, fourteen ounces and was nineteen inches long. He is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Jimmy and Lola Parson of Bovina and Verla Seale of Roswell, New Mexico.

Great-grandparents are Maybelle Drinkard of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Parson of Cross Plains.

Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Friona.

## Hospital Report

**ADMISSIONS--**  
Eula Newton, Bovina; Irene Gee, Friona; Jennifer Hammock, Friona; Theresa F. Mireles, Friona; John Pierce, Friona; Patricia McDonald, Muleshoe; and Anna Lisa Rocha, Hereford.

**DISMISSALS--**  
J.B. Buske, Grace Allison, Annabelle Viurquiz, Irene Gee, Jennifer Hammock, John Pierce, Patricia McDonald, Anna Lisa Rocha and Theresa Mireles.

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--**  
Martha Euler, Guy Ellis, Jerry Lee Creek, Eula Newton and Arlin Hartzog.

Julia Moody of Farwell and formerly of Bovina was hospitalized early last Friday morning suffering with problems caused by asthma. She will possibly be dismissed this week. Sid Lloyd has been in Amarillo with her daughter.

Several people who have ham radios were privileged to hear the astronauts this week as they traveled above us at a distance of about 150 miles.

I talked to Bobby Englant who heard them last Wednesday at 8:30 and again at 6:45 on Friday. He had the conversation on tape and played it back for me to hear.

It was exciting and they could be heard for about one minute each time. They identified themselves and in the conversation told about the part of North America the space craft was traveling over.

We want to congratulate Jimmy and Lola Parson on the birth of a new grandson, Jonathan Michael Parson, born November 29.

His parents are Danny and Lisa Parson of Amarillo. This was their first child.

Jonathan makes two grandsons and one granddaughter for the Jimmy Parsons.

## Lubbock Site Confirmed As Plant Location

Southwestern Public Service Company announced today that its board of directors has approved future construction of a new coal-fired electrical generating plant northeast of Lubbock, near Idalou, Texas.

Berl M. Springer, SPS board chairman and chief executive officer, said the board action authorizes preliminary engineering design and planning, along with other preparations necessary in advance of establishing a construction schedule.

Springer estimated it will be at least two years before the start of construction.

The plant will be needed to serve SPS customers throughout the South Plains during the decade of the 1990s. Details on the size and cost of the facility have not been finalized.

In 1982, SPS obtained an option to purchase 2,880 acres at the site near Idalou, in anticipation of future power plant construction. The Company purchased the land in September 1983.

The new facility will be SPS' sixth coal-fired generating unit. The Company made a decision in the early 1970s to begin decreasing the utility's dependence on natural gas--and increasing its use of coal--as boiler fuel.

Although more than 50 per cent of the electricity generated by SPS for its customers is now produced at coal-fired power plants, the Company still must rely substantially on natural gas to fuel the older plants.

Springer noted that "while there may be short-term fluctuations in natural gas prices, the long-run price trend is upward. For this reason, coal is a cheaper alternative to gas, and coal supplies are available for the expected 40-year life of the generating unit."

"Also," Springer pointed out, "coal can be burned--and is being burned--with little or no environmental damage. We are confident that we are not harming the environment, especially because we use low-sulfur Western coal."

Harrington Station, near Amarillo, was SPS' initial coal-fired generating plant. It has three units, with a total capability of producing 1,114,000 kilowatts. Tolk Station, near Muleshoe, has one unit completed with a second unit scheduled to go into service in mid-1985. Tolk's two units will have the capability to produce 1,111,000 kilowatts.

Springer said the Lubbock area plant eventually will have approximately the same generating capability as the Company's other coal-fired stations.

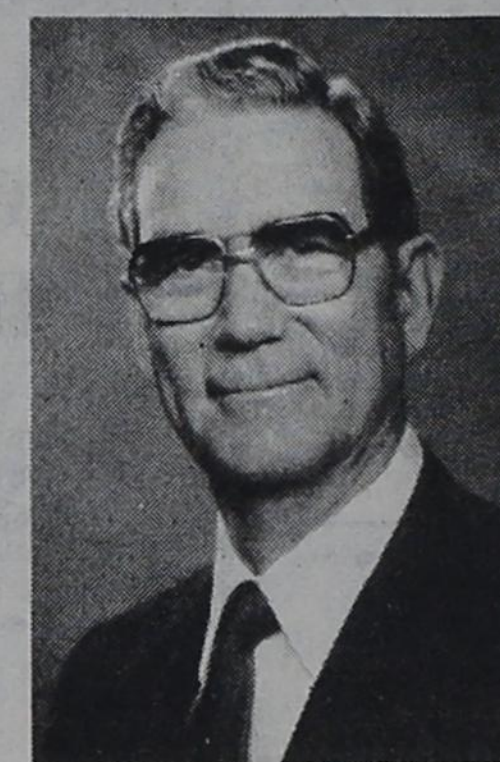
"The SPS board decision," Springer said, "represents another step forward in ensuring an economical and adequate supply of electricity for Lubbock and the South Plains as well as the other areas we serve."

Southwestern Public Service primarily provides electric service to a population of more than one million in a 70,000-square-mile area of the Panhandle and South Plains of Texas, eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas.



JANICE DIANE HEARD and RUSSELL DEAN TAYLOR...

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Heard are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janice Diane, to Russell Dean Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Taylor of Amarillo. The couple will exchange vows in the First Baptist Church of Bovina at 5 p.m. on January 7, 1984. Taylor is employed by Adams-Shelton Communications KORQ-Q100 in Abilene. Diane is employed by Southwest Savings & Loan. The couple will reside in Abilene. All friends of the family are invited to attend.



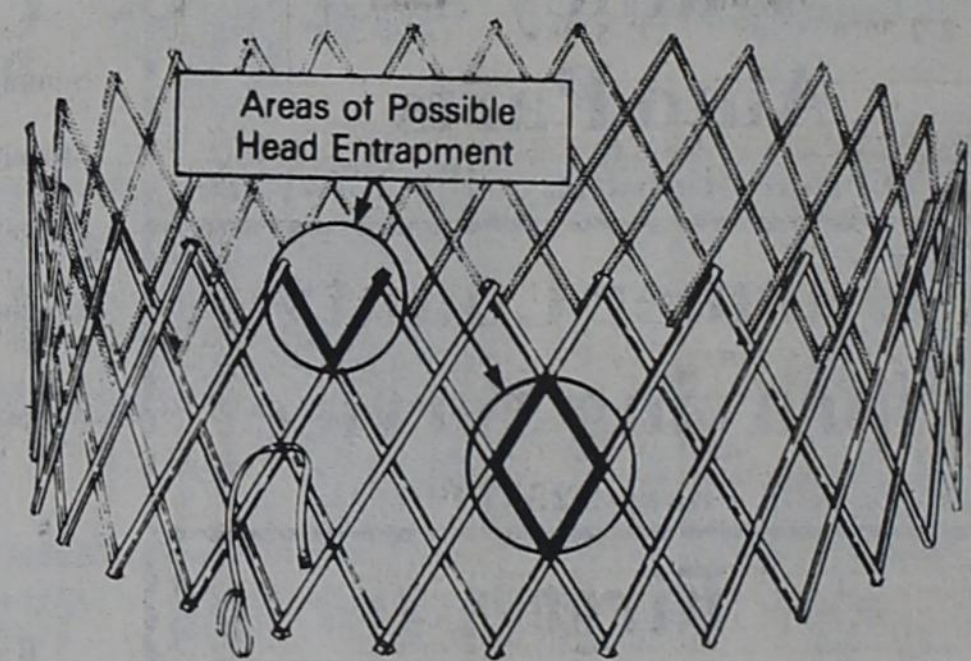
BERL SPRINGER

## High School Honor Roll Is Given

The honor roll for Bovina High School for the second six weeks was released this week by principal Danny Cochran. Those on the list were:

All As: Stephen McClaran, Stacey Whitecotton, Tommy Hutto, Homero Renteria and Anna Villarreal.

As and Bs: Mark Clayton, Mark Englant, Rebecca Hodnett, Denver Redwine, Shana Gober, Tracy Moore, Jonathan Gauntt, Juana Guevara and Mindy Neal.



Example Of Enclosure

## Around The House

By LAURA JACOBS

**Consumer Product Safety Alert from the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, D.C. 20207.**

The Consumer Product Safety Commission, in cooperation with the Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association, warns consumers that children's circular expandable wooden enclosures may present a potential strangulation hazard to children due to neck or head entrapment in v-shaped openings along the top edge and in diamond-shaped openings in the sides of the enclosures.

Since 1980, the Commission staff has conducted investigations of three deaths and one incident of brain damage involving unsupervised children whose necks became entrapped in the v-shaped openings along the top edge of the enclosures, apparently as they were attempting to climb out of the enclosures. In addition, the staff has investigated or received reports of four incidents involving minor or no injuries to children whose heads became entrapped in the diamond-shaped openings in the sides of the enclosures.

The enclosures are constructed of criss-crossed wooden slats riveted together which expand to form continuous circular structures of varying diameters and which are used primarily to restrict the movement of young children to the area within the enclosure. They have been sold nationwide through various retail and children's products stores over the past 15 to 20 years for approximately \$20 to \$40 per unit.

The CPSC staff estimates that

approximately 239,000 of the more than 500,000 enclosures produced are presently in use.

In the opinion of the CPSC staff, it is dangerous to leave children unattended in the enclosure without close continuous supervision. The Commission is aware of incidents which occurred after children had been left for only a short period of time. This is a particular concern since the enclosures are intended to keep children away from other hazards, and consumers may leave children unattended, believing them to be safe.

The Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association is working to develop a voluntary standard to reduce the possibility of injury associated with enclosures and manufacturers voluntarily stopped production and sale of the existing style of the enclosures pending development and adoption of the safety standard.

In the opinion of the CPSC staff, owners of the expandable enclosures should discontinue using them.

For further information, consumers may call the CPSC's toll-free hotline on 800-638-CPSC. A teletypewriter number for the hearing impaired is 800-638-8270.

Under laws administered by CPSC, over 293 million potentially hazardous products have been called back from the marketplace and consumers since 1973 (when CPSC was created). Most of these were voluntarily recalled by manufacturers who established programs to repair or replace the products, or to refund the purchase price.



**A Bridal Shower Will Honor Diane Heard Bride-Elect of Dean Taylor Saturday, December 10 From 6:30-8 P.M. First Baptist Church Bovina, Texas**

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**HIKE RECORD**

**Fillies Win Third Place In Tourney**

The Fillies basketball team won third place at the Vega Invitational Tournament last weekend. The team scored wins over Channing in the opening round (47-34) and host Vega in the trophy game (45-43), losing only to Panhandle, 37-50.

The team was paced by some good shooting in the tournament. The Fillies connected on a sizzling 48 per cent of their field goal attempts against Channing, hitting 21 of 43 attempts. Bovina broke on top, 29-13 at halftime and coasted to the win.

Marie Pesch scored 15 points and Stacey Whitecotton 12 to pace the Fillies' scoring.

Although the team dropped their second-round game, they could not be faulted, as Bovina hit 42 per cent of their shots from the field in this game, 14 of 33. It was a close game, as the teams were tied, 10-10 after one quarter, and Panhandle held four-point leads the next two quarters, 22-18 and 32-28, before opening up the final margin.

Marie Pesch scored 16 points and Rande Cupit 11 to pace Bovina's scoring.

In their third-place game, Bovina took the lead and then had to hold on for the win. The Fillies held quarter leads of 10-9, 18-17 and 38-31, but Vega put together a late rally before falling, 45-43.

The team's field goal shooting was off from the prior two days, hitting only 32 per cent (18 of 55), but their foul shots improved, as the team hit nine of 15 tries. Stacey Whitecotton scored 10 points and Marie Pesch 18.

In a game here last Tuesday, the Fillies beat Melrose, 52-45. Marie Pesch burned the nets for 28 points to pace all scorers.

The tournament play left the team with a 4-2 record for the year.

Marie Pesch and Rande Cupit were named to the all-tournament team.

<b>FILLIES</b>	18	28	42	52
Melrose	4	15	30	45
Rande Cupit	1-3-5			
Stacey Whitecotton	1-2-4			
Sonya Mayfield	2-0-4			
Shana Gober	2-1-5			
Misti Boozer	0-0-0			
Terisa Shepherd	3-0-6			
Marie Pesch	13-2-28			

<b>FILLIES</b>	15	29	35	47
Channing	8	13	24	34
Cupit 3-0-6				
Whitecotton 5-2-12				
Mayfield 1-0-2				
Gober 3-0-6				
Boozer 1-0-2				
Shepherd 2-0-4				
Pesch 6-3-15				

<b>FILLIES</b>	10	18	28	37
Panhandle	10	22	32	50
Cupit 4-3-11				
Whitecotton 0-0-0				
Mayfield 0-0-0				
Gober 1-2-4				
Shepherd 1-2-4				
Pesch 7-2-16				
Donell Garner 1-0-2				

<b>FILLIES</b>	10	18	38	45
Vega	9	17	31	43
Cupit 1-3-5				
Whitecotton 5-0-10				
Gober 2-2-6				
Pesch 7-4-18				
Shepherd 3-0-6				



**CAGERS, COACHES POSE WITH TOURNNEY PLAQUE**

**Bovina Wins Title At Vega Tourney**

Bovina High School's Mustangs played three bang-up basketball games to win the championship trophy at Vega last weekend.

The Mustangs outscored Channing, 45-44 in the first round; came back for a 66-64 win over Adrian, and then put the frosting on the cake with a 68-62 win over Boys Ranch in the finals.

Bovina was definitely in the "tough" bracket all the way along, drawing annual cage powerhouse Channing in the opening round. The Ponies found themselves trailing seriously for the first time this season in their game with the Eagles.

Channing held quarter leads of 17-11, 30-27 and 39-33 at the end of the third period. It took a fine fourth quarter rally by the Mustangs to pull the game out of the fire. Richard Shepherd scored six baskets and one free throw to pace the rally.

Shepherd also led in game scoring with 23 points, and cousin Michael Shepherd added 11. Bovina made 18 of 62 field goal tries, 38 per cent. They only had 15 attempts at the line, making nine of them, for 60 per cent.

The second round found the Mustangs against another team which plays only basketball (no football), Adrian. Once again, it took an outstanding effort, with the Ponies winning, 66-64 in an overtime battle.

Bovina jumped off to a 20-16 lead after one quarter, and had a ten-point lead, 36-26 at the half, before Adrian put on a last-half surge to tie the count at 58-all and force the overtime period.

Shepherd's 22 points again paced the scoring. Johnny Villarreal added 18 and Mattlock Howell scored 10. Bovina sank 29 out of 71 from the field, a good 40 per cent, and eight of 12 from the line, 67 per cent.

In the tournament finals, Bovina

met a good Boys Ranch team, and again used some excellent shooting to post the win, 68-62. The Mustangs led throughout, but hardly ever had more than a five-point lead.

Shepherd tallied 25 points, Michael Shepherd added 11. The team made 26 of 61 shots from the field, 43 per cent, and 18 of 25 from the line, 58 per cent.

The Mustangs scored an 81-50 win over visiting Melrose last Tuesday, Richard Shepherd with 22, Michael Shepherd with 12 and Blake Scaff with 12 paced the scorers.

After their three outstanding wins in the tournament, the Mustangs have a 6-0 season record.

Two members of the team, Richard and Michael Shepherd, were named to the all-tournament team.

<b>MUSTANGS</b>	18	41	62	81
Melrose	14	24	27	50
R. Shepherd	10-2-22			
Griggs	3-1-7			
Hutto	3-1-7			
Villarreal	3-0-6			
Johnson	0-1-1			
Scaff	5-0-10			
Hawkins	3-2-8			
Howell	3-0-6			
M. Shepherd	6-0-12			

<b>MUSTANGS</b>	11	27	33	45
Channing	17	30	39	44
R. Shepherd	10-3-23			
Griggs	1-0-2			
Villarreal	1-0-2			
Scaff	2-0-4			
Howell	0-3-3			
M. Shepherd	4-3-11			

<b>MUSTANGS</b>	20	36	45	58	66
Adrian	16	26	45	58	64
R. Shepherd	9-4-22				
Hutto	1-1-3				
Villarreal	8-2-18				
Scaff	4-0-8				
Howell	5-0-10				
M. Shepherd	2-1-5				

<b>MUSTANGS</b>	14	29	44	68
Boys Ranch	13	24	40	62
R. Shepherd	10-5-25			
Griggs	2-4-8			
Hutto	3-2-8			
Villarreal	1-2-4			
Scaff	4-0-8			
Howell	2-0-4			
M. Shepherd	3-5-11			

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**TRACT SIX:** All of Industrial Lot 15 lying along side Railroad right of way out of Section 8, Block "E", Capitol Syndicate Subdivision of Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of such subdivision recorded in Volume 9, Page 92, of the Deed Records of said County, less five feet off the West side of said lot heretofore conveyed to Hilton Terry by deed recorded in Volume 99, Page 25, of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas.

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We in this Town and Country Review recommend Steed-Todd Funeral Home and they wish all a joyous holiday season.

### El Nuevo Leal's Restaurant

#### Jesse & Irma Leal-Owners

El Nuevo Leal's Restaurant is located in Muleshoe at 1542 West American Blvd. (Highway 84), phone 272-3294, is noted throughout this area for a fine selection of delicious Mexican dishes.

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of the Border" flavor.

Service and good food are assured you at this excellent dining establishment. We commend the management upon the supremacy presented the public here, and suggest that all our readers visit them regularly.

Take your family, your friends, or business acquaintances to this fine restaurant for a real treat! We recommend Leal's for the best Mexican food around! They wish all a very and safe holiday season.

### Clovis Custom Slaughter

#### Leon O'Brien-New Owner

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the shortest period of time.

Farmers and ranchers have been using the service rendered at this lot with the greatest satisfaction, knowing they can rely on this feed lot to fatten their beef for market year after year.

We in this Town and Country Review are happy to recommend this feed lot to all of our readers who want to get the most from their cattle. Paco Feed Yards, Inc. extends to all "A Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

### West Plains Medical Center

One of the mainstays of any community is its hospital. Such a hospital is the West Plains Medical Center located at 708 S. First in Muleshoe, phone 272-4524.

It is completely equipped, competently staffed and prepared to render the best kind of medical, surgical, laboratory, X-ray and the allied services. The nurses and attendants give careful, efficient attention to all patients entrusted to their care, thereby relieving the family

of additional worry and responsibility in the time of necessary hospital confinement.

We in this Town and Country Review commend the management of this hospital for the excellent service they render to the community. No more public spirited citizens could be found anywhere than the members of the administration and staff of this fine hospital. They wish all a very merry and joyous holiday season.

### D.L.'s Thriftway

D.L.'s Thriftway has two locations in Friona to serve you: 1105 Highway 60 West, phone 247-3411 and 902 Main, phone 247-3343.

They can save you ladies money on food costs and give you quality food products in exchange. They have a choice selection of government inspected and graded meat assuring you of high quality eating at a low cost.

Fresh coffee and popular brand canned goods are featured here, giving you a variety of dishes for any meal.

Fresh shipments of fruit insure you of a delicious salad or dessert. These stores specialize in a wide selection of fresh fruits, vegetables, as well as frozen foods, delightful the year around.

You can shop at these friendly stores where fresh quality foods are coupled with cheerful service to make your grocery shopping a pleasure, not a chore. Become a regular customer and count your savings! D.L.'s Thriftway wishes all a very "Happy Holiday Season."

### Aztec Liquor Store

#### "In Business Over 20 Years"

For a place that's friendly with courteous employees, we suggest you stop in at the Aztec Liquor Store in Clovis at 1010 East First, phone 505-762-2222.

Doing business with congenial people is much more pleasant and costs no more. Here you will find that efficiency and a pleasant manner go hand in hand, and members of this

store make every effort to take care of your needs. Just go in and look over their large selection of liquors, beer or wine, and you will receive their undivided attention.

We highly recommend this store to our readers. Shop for your holiday season now. Aztec Liquor Store wishes everyone a merry Christmas and a very happy New Year.

### Reynolds & Young, Inc.

This well known firm located in Muleshoe at 903 West American Blvd., phone 272-4236 is the dealer for the popular Case and Hesnson farm equipment.

Be sure you see this firm before you purchase your farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job. When you buy farm equipment you want to know that you

are getting machines that will stand up to the job. This equipment has stood the test for years and can be depended upon to give the maximum service per dollar invested.

We wish to point out the fine reputation they have built. They are noted for square dealings and will stand behind every purchase. Trade with a firm you can depend upon. They wish everyone a happy holiday season.

### Boot Hill

For more fun at a reasonable price on your next evening out, enjoy your favorite drinks and dancing in the pleasant atmosphere of Boot Hill, located at 4500 Mabry Drive in Clovis. A phone call to 505-762-2984 assures your reservation for holiday parties.

The friendly management here has had years of experience in tendering

the kind of service to make their guest's evening one to be remembered. The best live country and western music is featured for your dancing seven nights a week.

This Review suggests that when you need liquor, beer or wine, you stop in and choose from their large selection. They extend season's greetings to all.

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### Stovall, Booher Sales & Service, Inc.

#### Roy Stovall-Betty Evans--Owners

This fine firm is located at 1019 Broadway in Plainview, phone 296-2865 and offers the most complete repair on radiators in this area. They wish all a "Merry Christmas and a Bright New Year."

### Dura Bilt Products Co.

"Featuring MORGAN Portable Buildings"

This firm located at 2204 Mabry Drive in Clovis, phone 505-762-4722, offers the business community of this area a complete line of Morgan Portable Buildings and MESCO pre-engineered steel buildings for commercial, industrial and office purposes. Call them for free estimates on specially designed buildings to meet your requirements. MESCO Buildings have many

advantages over other types of construction. They can be quickly and easily erected at any location and are more economical, are weathertight, permanent and of clearspan construction.

Morgan Buildings are portable and can be moved to any location you desire. Before constructing a new facility, call this firm and avail yourself of a preliminary plan at no cost to you. They wish each and everyone a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

### Hill Feed Yard

Hill Feed Yard is located in Hart, phone 938-2156. They cater to the cowman who is going to fatten the cattle out for meat.

They feature commercial cattle feeding and have the capacity for feeding an average of 20,000 head of cattle at a minimum cost to the stock raiser. Their customers usually leave the cattle at this feed lot from 120 to 150 days, depending on how fast they develop. The animals are weighed on

arrival, and, within 7 to 10 days, they are vaccinated, marked, branded, or ear tagged, and sprayed. Fat cattle producers who are shooting for a profit take their cattle to this feed lot.

In this Review, we highly recommend the service of this reliable feed lot. They feed only the best feed and have built a reputation for reliable service. They wish everyone a "Happy Holiday Season."

### Manasco Construction Co.

When one stops to think of what an intricate project the construction of a modern building is, it is small wonder that the ability and experience of the contractor is of prime importance. With this thought in mind, we would like to call your attention to the service rendered by Manasco Construction Company in Clovis, offering free estimates, located at 1712 S. Prince, phone 505-762-7948.

The knowledge gained through

many years of building experience is yours when you call upon them. They specialize in the construction of residential buildings and remodeling, including repairs, room additions, roofing and home improvements and are glad to give estimates.

We commend them on the quality of their work. Call them for all your building needs. Manasco Construction Company takes this opportunity to wish everyone a happy holiday season.

### Mike's Electrical Service

Commercial and residential wiring are a specialty with Mike's Electrical Service located at 301 Hemlock Drive in Clovis, phone 505-762-0846.

This firm is well known in this territory for fast and dependable wiring service. Mike has been working in this type of business for 16 years and has the know-how to handle any job. Experience does make a difference in the electric contracting field.

Reasonable bids can only be made

when the contractor you call is familiar with the problems involved. You can rest assured that Mike's Electrical Service will be reasonable and fair in all dealings. They offer 24 hour service and do remodeling and repair. They are now recognized as leaders in the field of wiring.

This Review recommends them to all in this section who will wiring of any type to be done. Mike would like to wish all a very joyous holiday season.

### Tulia Livestock Auction, Inc.

For the highest prices for your livestock, phone 995-4184 or visit the Tulia Livestock Auction, Inc., located on the Dimmitt Highway in Tulia. They conduct sales every Friday at 10 a.m.

These qualified merchants are your guarantee for the highest prices and the most pleasant business transactions. They have served the community in this capacity for many years, enabling you to benefit from their experience in this field.

These men are well trained to give

you a fair evaluation of the value of your livestock, meaning more profit for you. Honesty and fair dealings are their trademarks as highest prices are your guarantee. Farmers and ranchers in this area testify to this.

This progressive Town and Country Review recommends the services of this company for high prices and efficient, dependable business methods. Sale day every Friday at 10 a.m. and trucks available for pickup. They wish all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

### Luce's Spur Restaurant

You will find an extensive variety of foods deliciously prepared for your dining excellence at Luce's Spur Restaurant in Texico on Highway 60, phone 505-482-3861.

The menu offers steaks, chicken, country ham, chops and seafoods, served to please you. They also feature fresh homemade pies baked fresh daily with orders to go. Breakfast, lunch or dinner will be enjoyed when you dine here. High recognition has been given this excellent restaurant for its fine

food and good service featuring a special buffet daily, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Banquet rooms are available for private parties or business meetings.

You will appreciate the splendid atmosphere and pleasing decor presented by this restaurant. We take pride in recommending Luce's Spur Restaurant to our readers. Phone 505-482-3861 for information and reservations. Luce's Spur Restaurant would like to wish everyone a very "Happy Holiday Season."

### Three Circle Enterprises

Dependability and Three Circle Enterprises go hand in hand, a fact well recognized in this area. Located two miles west of Clovis, phone 505-784-3234, this excellent firm offers a very wide service.

They feature solar heat that you can afford with the NES Energy System Model 40 solar space heater, provides heat whenever the sun is shining. No expensive installation costs, you can do

it yourself.

They are there when you need them and will be happy to be of service to you. They are knowledgeable in their line of business and have the experience that enables them to serve their customers better.

We are fortunate to have this reliable concern in our area and suggest you patronize them when interested in solar heat. They wish all a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

### Sugarland Feed Yard, Inc.

When in need of this service, contact this reliable feed yard and you will be more than glad to do business with them. They are located west of Hereford, phone 364-0536.

They do commercial cattle feeding year round. This popular feed yard has grown with hardly a pause. That much discussed word, "service" finds true meaning in the friendly atmosphere that envelops every customer of this well known yard because service is

interpreted in so many ways.

Fair and honest business methods at all times along with individual service to every patron has gained for this feed yard a trade that has extended throughout the surrounding territory.

We take this opportunity to congratulate the management of this feed yard on their policy of fair dealings. Sugarland Feed Yard, Inc. takes this opportunity to wish all a "Happy Holiday Season."

### Morton Buildings

Morton Buildings, located on S. Interstate 27 in Plainview, phone 293-4386, features wood frame buildings.

These buildings are available now at a low cost. Some of the outstanding features of these buildings are low upkeep, termite proof, weather proof, watertight, durable, safe and attractive. Each building has its own written warranty.

Morton Buildings may be suitable for farm or industrial use. They have all sizes--you can get the one that will

fit your needs. Available for storage, showrooms, offices, warehouses, shops and horse barns.

Their engineering department meets all codes and needs of the area. Why not improve your property now? They have rendered honest and efficient service to our area for years and have offices in 38 states.

We salute Morton Buildings for their financial strength in our area and they wish all a "Happy Holiday Season."

### Excel Corporation

Excel Corporation, Friona plant in Parmer, phone 295-3201, are distributors of high-grade meats and allied meat products and are enjoying an ever increasing patronage from this part of the state.

Because of the great volume of business transacted through their extensive wholesale establishment and their up-to-date business methods and high-quality products the Excel Corporation has gained for Friona and surrounding areas a commercial

prestige as an excellent market for retailers that could be gained in no other manner.

Excel Corporation meat packers work under the most sanitary conditions and are checked regularly by the Meat Inspection Division.

We compliment them on the valuable service they are rendering their community. Excel Corporation extends "A Merry Christmas and Happy and Healthy New Year" to all.

### New Jacque's

#### "Your Holiday Gift Headquarters"

Shop early for the holidays ahead at New Jacque's located at 3800 E. Mabry in Clovis, phone 505-762-6485.

This is the place to go for your favorite brands of imported and domestic wines, liquors or beer. This liquor store offers a complete stock of nationally advertised brands at reasonable prices. If you want the best quality, they have it, if you want popular priced brands, they also have them. Quality and service, while offering the utmost value for your liquor dollars, have contributed to the

success New Jacque's has enjoyed.

The convenient location of this store makes it a handy place to pick up the refreshments you need for that important party. They have one of the largest selections of Christmas decanters for gifts. Stop in soon and make your selection.

There are so many different brands of wines and liquors on the market today that unless you have established a favorite brand by actual usage, you need the advice of a reliable dealer like New Jacque's. They extend seasons greetings to all.

### Farwell Insurance Agency Inc.

There is a deserved place in every community for any business which contributes to the security and well being of its citizens. In this regard the insurance business is deserving of prominent mention and more particularly the Farwell Insurance Agency, Inc., located in Farwell at 509 Avenue A, phone 481-9372.

This firm has developed an analysis program which is gaining wide acceptance throughout this area. They specialize in planning an insurance program whereby maximum protection

is obtained from each insurance dollar spent.

Renewals are promptly and efficiently taken care of, eliminating dangerous lapses which might otherwise occur. This concern handles all types of auto, fire and casualty insurance and will give you prompt and courteous claim service. Regardless of what your present and future insurance needs may be, it will pay you to stop in and talk to these insurance experts. They would like to wish all a happy holiday season.

### Tagr's Gift Shop

Featuring gifts for all reasons including crystal, wedding invitations, bridal gifts, decorative accessories, candles, cards, party goods and Christmas gifts. This outstanding shop maintains competitive prices and quality products.

They are open six days per week and welcome new and old customers from the entire trade area. The management of this shop is interested in the welfare

and progress of this locality and is deserving of the fine business they have.

We wish to compliment Tagr's Gift Shop located in the Hilltop Plaza Shopping Center in Clovis, phone 763-6700, and suggest you trade with them regularly. They take this opportunity to wish all "A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year."

### Queens N' Teens

Queens N' Teens is located at 500 Main in Clovis, phone 505-763-7153, here quality reigns and style is paramount in ladies wear.

They feature individual and distinctive garments and accessories for the most fashionable ladies at reasonable prices. Their quality wear is the very latest in smartness and the styles will distinguish the wearer as a well dressed woman.

For any one firm to assume the fashion responsibilities of this section is rather a large undertaking, but

through their desire to represent only the finest and the best, they have become known as fashion headquarters for ladies in this section.

The principle upon which this store is operated is to sell individual and distinctive garments and to meet any and all competition in quality, style, and price.

We wish to compliment Queens N' Teens and suggest you visit them for your holiday shopping. They take this opportunity to wish you a "Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year."

### Lubbock Stockyards

#### Tony Mann-New Owner

It is generally accepted that it pays to do business with Lubbock Stockyards to receive the best service and results in the sale of your livestock.

This reliable concern has served the people of this section with a remarkable degree of satisfaction. They always seek to find the most advantageous market for their livestock, and this means a greater profit for you.

The increasing number of people who are doing business with them

proves how successful Lubbock Stockyards has been in offering the public a real selling and buying service. A very progressive organization, this firm has the confidence of the people throughout the community. In selling their livestock, the people of this district can do no better than to contact the Lubbock Stockyards at 115 S. University in Lubbock, phone 745-3383, for honest and profitable transactions. Sale every Thursday at 11 a.m. They wish all a very "Happy and Joyous Holiday Season."

### ENMR Telephone Cooperative

ENMR Telephone Cooperative is located at 7111 N. Prince, in Clovis, phone 505-389-5100.

We know of no other business firm or organization serving MORE CITIZENS in MORE WAYS than this esteemed company. For service 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, we extend the appreciation and gratitude of citizens in our area, all of whom are served directly or indirectly by this telephone company.

Did you know that this telephone company has the following available for monthly rental, telephone co-op maintained at no additional cost:

complete telephone systems, inter-communication equipment, mobile radio telephone and signalling systems, teletypewriters, and other equipment so valuable to many businesses throughout our area?

We take off our hats to this outstanding telephone cooperative and suggest to our readers that, when you need a lift, pick up your telephone and call your children, your parents, or an old friend. It will put you on top of the world. Try it and see! ENMR Telephone Cooperative extends "Best Wishes For The Holiday Season."