

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The following have authorized the Bovina Blade to announce their candidacy, subject to the Democratic Primary on March 10, 1992:
County Tax Assessor-Collector:
 Doris Herington (re-election)
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JANIE M. BEAUCHAMP, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Janie M. Beauchamp, were issued on January 20, 1992, in Cause No. 2091, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Thomas W. Beauchamp.

The residence of Thomas W. Beauchamp is Parmer County, Texas and the post office address is: Thomas W. Beauchamp Aldridge, Aycock, Actkinson & Hamar P.C. P.O. Box 286 Farwell, Texas 79325

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 20th day of January 1992.
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By Charles F. Aycock, Attorneys for the Estate.

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The death rate from heart attack declined 30 percent from 1979 to 1989, says the American Heart Association, but heart attack remains the number one cause of death. The AHA estimates that about 1.5 million Americans will have a heart attack in 1992, and about 500,000 of them will die.

Best Wishes

To Each Of The Young Folks Who Will Be Participating At The Parmer County Junior Livestock Show

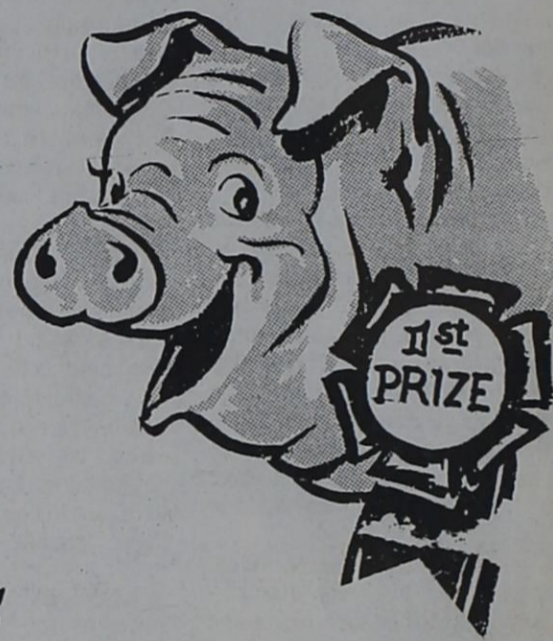


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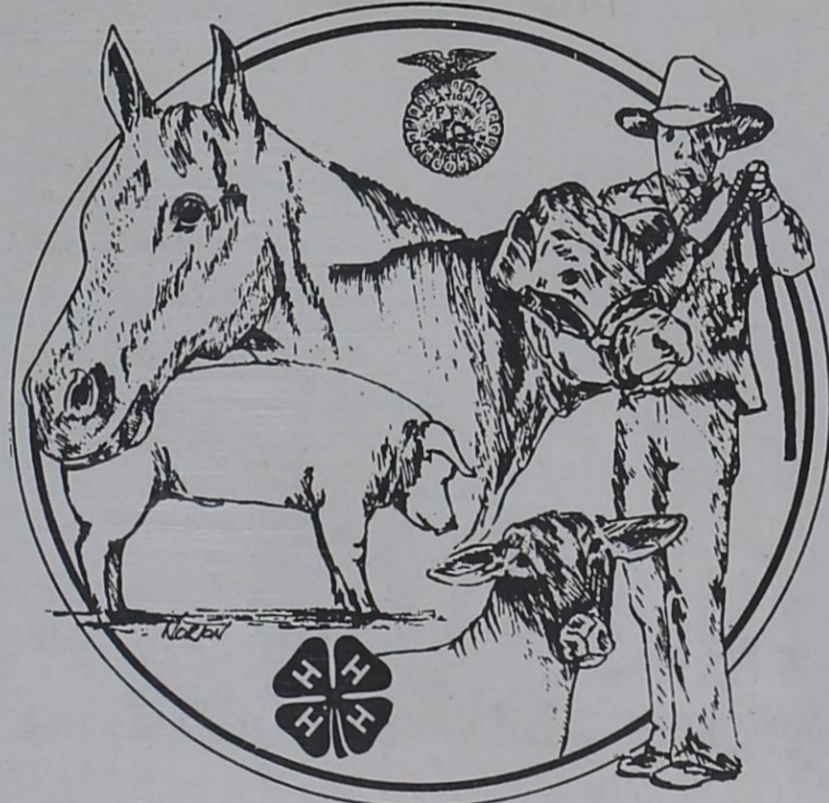
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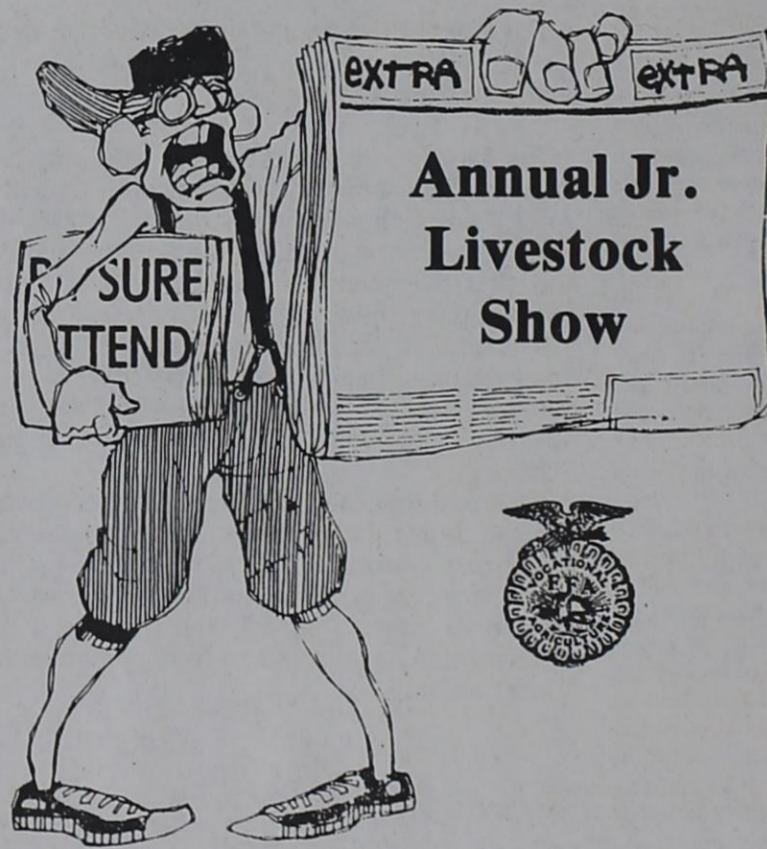


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45th Annual Junior Livestock Show Set

The 45th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show will be held January 25-26-27 at the Community Center-Showbarn in Friona.

Judging will be held on Saturday, so that the young showmen will not miss any school.

Steers and heifers will be shown from 10 a. m. to noon Saturday, followed by the lamb show, from 12:30-4 p.m.

The swine show will begin at 4 p.m.

Barrows and steers will be weighed in from 1-5 p.m. January 24. Lambs will be checked in and classified from 7-9 a.m. on Saturday.

Judges for the show will be Burt Williams, barrows; Chris Miller, sheep; Lance Caviness, steers and heifers, and J.D. Ragland, showmanship.

Exhibitors of grand champion animals in the 1991 show were Casey Bradshaw of Lazbuddie in the barrow show; Clay Hurst of Friona in the steer show; Shana Foster of Lazbuddie in the lamb division and Amy Hartzog of Farwell in the heifer show.

Bradshaw gave his community its 26th win in the barrow show with his Hampshire entry. It was the 16th title won by a Hampshire, adding to the breed's all-time record.

Hampshire breeds hold a wide lead in the overall history of the show with their 16 titles. Duroc barrows have won eight times; crossbreeds have won on seven occasions, Polands have been tapped six times, Chester Whites four and Yorkshire once.

Hurst won the steer title with an exotic breed. His win also stretched the lead for showmen from Friona

in the steer division to 26 titles in the 44 awarded.

Stock show boosters and buyers are urged to attend the premium auction sale on Monday, January 27 at 6 p.m. The animals placing in the upper portion of each class will be eligible for the sale.

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1948--Maurice Gaede, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1949--Weldon Massey, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1950--Herbert Schueler, Friona; 1951--Donald Jesko, Farwell; 1952--Ben Jordan, Friona (Hereford); 1953--Mary Tatum, Friona (Shorthorn).

1954--Jerry Henson, Farwell 4-H; 1955--Frankie Spring, Friona FFA (Hereford); 1956--Leon Massey, Friona; 1957--Glen Watkins, Lazbuddie; 1958--Jim Roy Wells, Friona (Hereford); 1959--Derrell Jennings, Lazbuddie.

1960--Bobby Redwine, Lazbuddie (Hereford); 1961--Craig Coon, Friona FFA (Hereford); 1962--Risa Howell, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1963--Dwain Phipps, Friona (Hereford); 1964--Rex Wells, Friona FFA (Angus).

1965--Mike Riethmayer, Friona FFA (Angus); 1966--Gary Phipps, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1967--Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1968--Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Hereford).

1969--Robert Haseloff, Farwell FFA (Hereford); 1970--Gail Morris, Lazbuddie FFA (Hereford); 1971--Carrie Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1972--Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Cross).

1973--Annette Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1974--Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1975--Mac Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1976--Joan Carson, Bovina 4-H (Charolais-Cross); 1977--David Lust, Lazbuddie 4-

H (Angus); 1978--Joan Carson, Bovina FFA (Charolais-Cross); 1979--Dean Church, Friona FFA (Limousin-Hereford Cross); 1980--Phillip Jesko, Lazbuddie FFA (Angus).

1981--Roddy Berend, Friona FFA (Angus-Chianina Cross); 1982--Jeff Lundy, Friona FFA (Hereford-Chianina Cross); 1983--Corrie Lundy, Friona FFA (Maine-Anjou Cross); 1984--Dana Berend, Friona FFA (Chianina Cross).

1985--Dana Berend, Friona FFA (Exotic Cross); 1986--Dana Berend, Friona FFA (Shorthorn); 1987--Michael Head, Friona FFA (Exotic Cross); 1988--Michael Head, Friona FFA (Exotic Cross).

1989--Rusty Simmons, Friona FFA (Chianina-Limousin Cross); 1990--Rusty Simmons, Friona FFA (Chianina-Maine Anjou); 1991--Clay Hurst, Friona 4-H (Exotic Cross).

Sheep Champions

1954--Gerald Hardage, Farwell FFA; 1955--Jackie Sheek, Friona; 1956--Jackie Sheek, Friona; 1958--Jim Greeson, Friona; 1959--Pat O'Brian, Bovina; 1960--fine wool, James Brown, Lazbuddie; medium

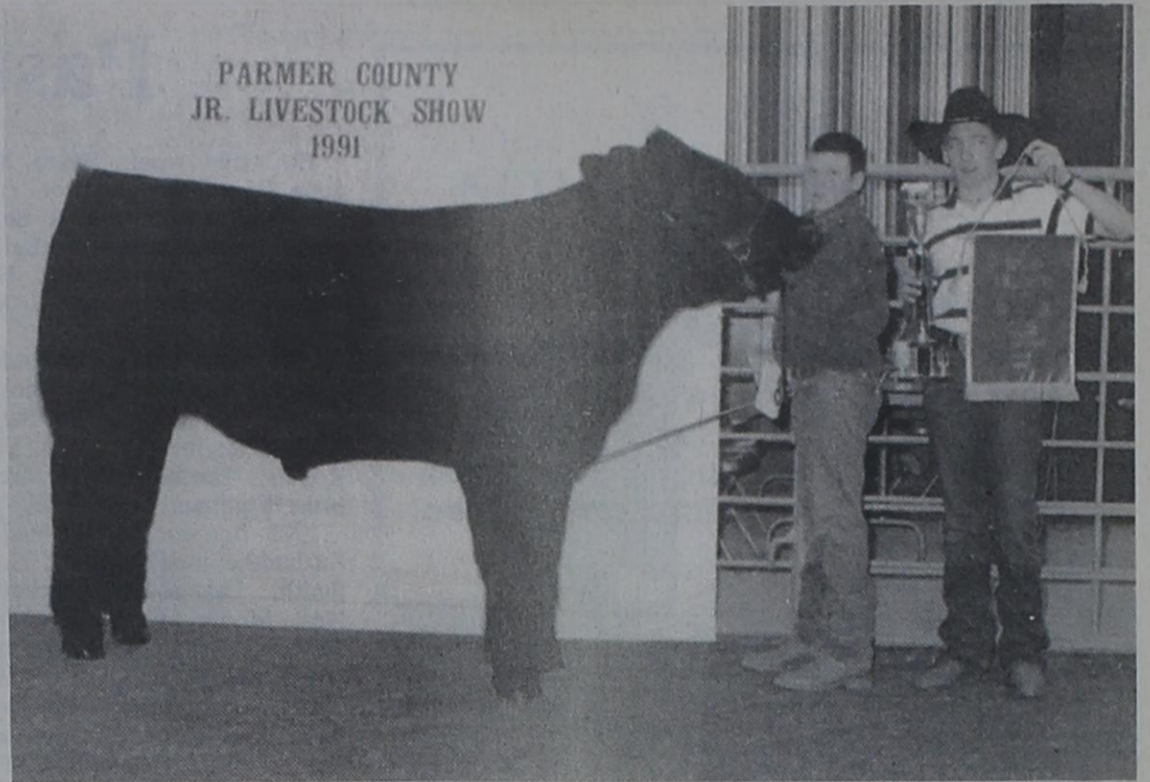
wool, James Brown, Lazbuddie; Southdown, Pat O'Brian, Bovina. 1961--medium, David Koelzer, Lazbuddie; fine wool, Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; Southdown, Jim Roy Wells, Friona; 1962--medium, Steve Young, Lazbuddie; fine wool, John Ward, Lazbuddie; Southdown, Steve Foster, Lazbuddie; 1963--medium wool, Mariana Gammon, Lazbuddie; fine wool, Dwain Phipps, Friona; Southdown, Darrell Mason, Lazbuddie.

1964--medium wool, Mariana Gammon, Lazbuddie; fine wool, Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; Southdown, Darrell Mason, Lazbuddie; 1965--fine wool, Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; medium wool, Royce Barnes, Lazbuddie; Southdown,

Jerry Roach, Bovina. 1966--fine wool, David Nelson, Farwell; medium wool, Daryl Kirkpatrick, Bovina; Southdown, Royce Barnes, Lazbuddie; 1967--fine wool, David Nelson, Lazbuddie; medium wool, Wesley Barnes, Jr., Lazbuddie; Southdown, Carol Foster, Bovina.

1968--medium wool, Monte Barnes, Lazbuddie; fine wool, Pablo Mendoza, Lazbuddie; Southdown, Monte Barnes, Lazbuddie; 1969--fine wool cross, Randy Waggoner, Friona; fine wool, Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; Dorset, Charles Bentley, Friona; Hampshire, Stephen Sherrill, Bovina.

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GRAND CHAMPION STEER....Clay Hurst of Friona exhibited the Grand Champion Steer at the 1991 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show. His brother, Clint, is shown holding the banner.



GRAND CHAMPION BARROW....Casey Bradshaw of Lazbuddie is shown with his Hampshire barrow that was named the Grand Champion at the 1991 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

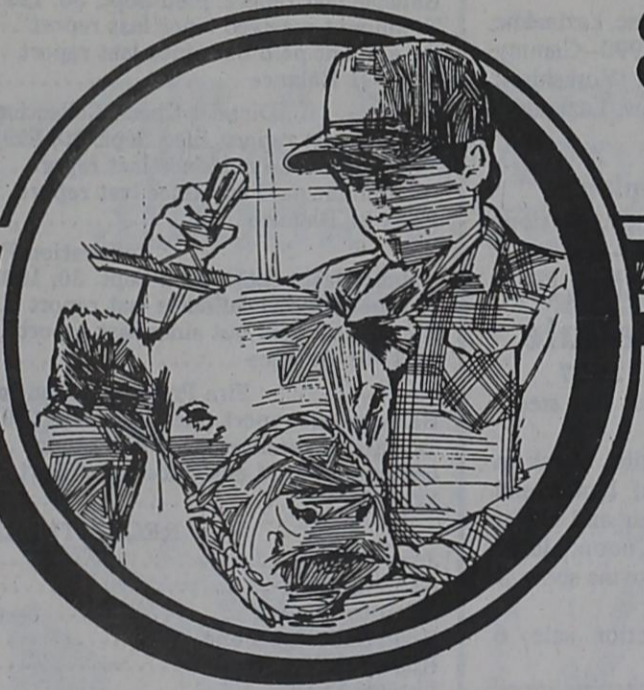
Stock Show Scoreboard

Champion Trophies Won Since 1948

School	Steers	Heifers	Sheep	Barrows	Other	Totals
Lazbuddie	6	1	48*	26	0	81
Friona	26	8	14*	11	2	61
Bovina	2	0	22*	2	1	27
Farwell	10	1	2*	5	1	19

*Class winners only, 1960-1976

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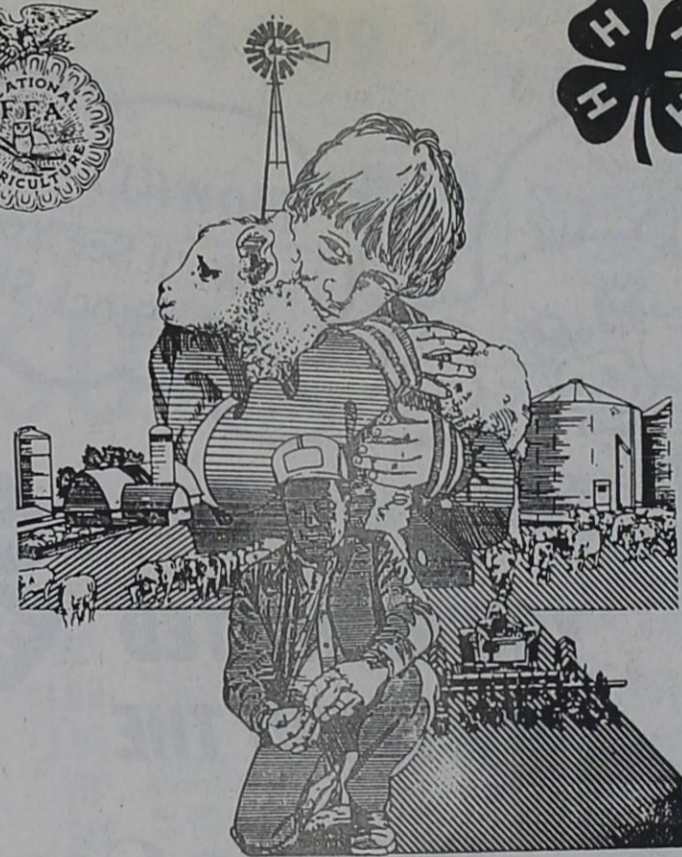
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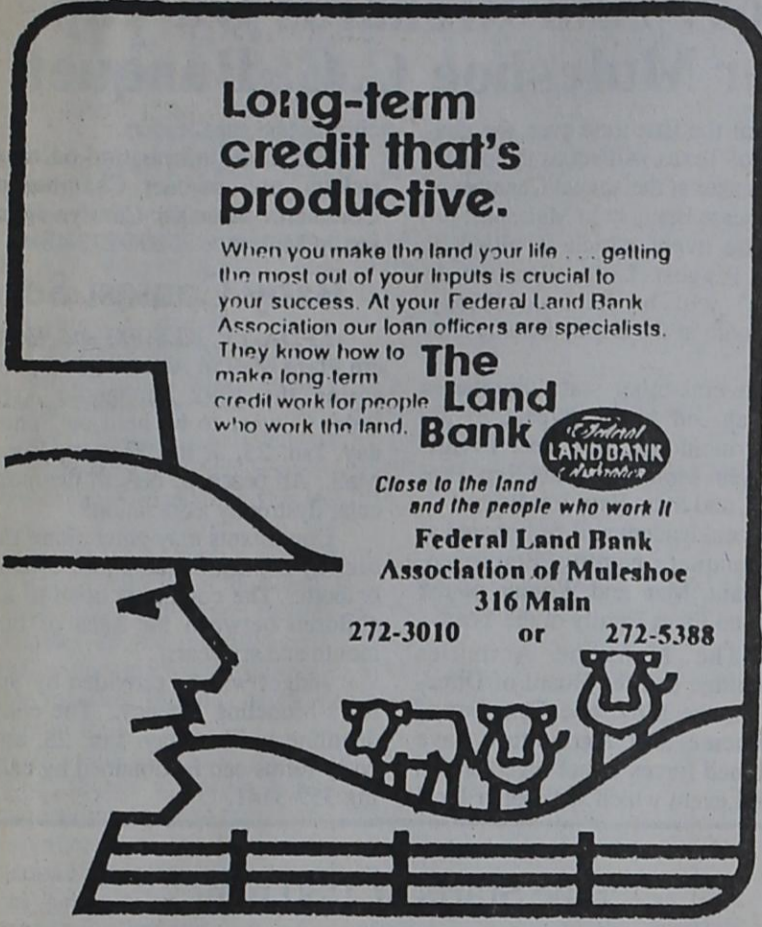
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GRAND CHAMPION LAMB... Shana Foster of Lazbuddie poses with her Suffolk lamb that was tapped for Grand Champion honors at last year's Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

NOTICE TO PARMER COUNTY TAXPAYERS

January 31, 1992 is the deadline to pay all personal and property taxes in Parmer County. Checks must be postmarked by January 31 or penalty and interest will occur.

If you turned 65 as of January 1, 1992, then you need to apply for "65 and over" Homestead Exemption. This is a permanent exemption, so if you already have signed up for it, you don't have to re-apply.

If you purchased a home since you signed up for Homestead Exemption, you do need to re-apply for this exemption.

Agricultural Use Exemptions are available for all who have purchased ag property. If you purchased ag property during the past year, you need to apply for this exemption.

Call or drop by our office for your application(s). They will be mailed to you upon request.

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Fire Workshop Set February 3 In Canyon

The Texas Forest Service and the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission are co-sponsoring a series of fire prevention workshops aimed at helping local community leaders and fire departments develop a community awareness of the danger that will develop in early spring due to grass-fires. The goal is to reduce the number of fires and the amount of lot property experienced each year in many of our local communities.

lowed by a distribution of free prevention materials for those in attendance.

City and County Officials, homeowners, ranchers, firemen, and any other individuals involved with fire prevention activities will benefit from attending one or more of these workshops. As an additional incentive, all participating firemen will receive two hours of certification credit in fire prevention.

In this area, the workshop is scheduled to be in Canyon on Feb. 3, 1992 at the Fire Station at 310 16th St. at 7:00 p.m.

Each workshop will consist of a two-hour presentation. The first part deals with the problems associated with fire hazards and specific steps both homeowners and ranchers can take to protect their property. The second hour is aimed at developing a prevention plan fol-

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53 Texas Counties Are Declared Disaster Areas

Low-interest emergency loans are available to eligible farmers and ranchers in 53 Texas counties declared disaster area, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry has announced.

U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Edward Madigan issued the disaster declaration for counties that suffered adverse weather conditions in 1991, making affected producers eligible for emergency assistance from the Farmers Home Administration.

These counties were declared disaster areas due to hail, drought, heavy rain, heat and humidity damage throughout 1991. These designations do not include the recent heavy rains.

Each loan application will be considered on its own merits, taking into account the extent of losses, security available, repayment ability and other requirements.

The following nine counties were designated as primary disaster areas, which means a certain percentage of the county's economic base was lost

Crosby County suffered from agricultural losses from drought and hail between Jan. 1 to July 19, 1991, and continuing. Drought during the same time period damaged crops in Andrews, Dawson, Dickens and Duval counties. Heavy rains between Jan. 1 and July 19 damaged crops in Bowie and Liberty counties. Heavy rains, high temperatures and humidity from July 1 to Aug. 23 also resulted in El Paso and Leon counties being designated as primary disaster areas.

All other counties were declared contiguous disaster areas because they were adjacent to the primary disaster areas, but did not have the same extent of losses. Drought and hail from Jan. 1 to July 19, and continuing wrecked havoc in the cotton-producing counties of Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Kent, Lynn, Lubbock and Motley.

Drought from Jan. 1 to July 19, and continuing caused agricultural damage in Borden, Brooks, Cottle, Crosby, Ector, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Howard, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Kent, King, La Salle, Live Oak, Lynn, Martin, McMullen, Midland, Motley,

Stonewall, Terry, Webb, Wheeler and Winkler.

Heavy rain in the same time frame damaged crops in Cass, Chambers, Hardin, Harris, Jefferson, Montgomery, Morris, Polk, Red River and San Jacinto.

Excessive rain, heat and humidity from July 1 to Aug. 23 damaged crops in Anderson, Brazos, Freestone, Houston, Hudspeth, Limestone, Madison and Robertson.

For more information about the loans contact your local FmHA county office.

Gober Is Re-Elected

Parmer County voters residing within Precinct Three of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 elected a District Director and five County Committee members during a special election, Saturday, January 18th. Those elected will represent Parmer County residents in Water District matters and concerns for four-year terms.

A.W. "Webb" Gober of Farwell was re-elected to serve as Precinct Three District Director representing Parmer County and the portions of Bailey and Castro Counties within the Water District boundaries. Gober was first elected to serve on the Water District's Board of Directors in 1973.

Robert Gallman was re-elected to a four-year term as the Precinct Four representative on the Parmer County Committee. Joining him are newly-elected committee members Carroll R. Cook of Friona, member-at-large; Alan Monroe of Friona, Precinct One; Dale E. Gober of Bovina, Precinct Two; and Vick Christian of Farwell, Precinct Three.

County Committee members serve as a "grass roots" liaison between the District's Board of Directors and the residents of their local community. Among the County Committee's responsibilities is to recommend the approval or denial of water well permits and agricultural water conservation equipment loan applications to the Board of Directors.



RESERVE CHAMPION LAMB.... Cody Clark of Lazbuddie is shown with his Suffolk lamb that was named Reserve Champion Lamb at the 1991 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

Windbreak Trees Are Available At SWCD

Living in the Texas Panhandle, everyone knows the wind never stops blowing. That's why there are many values to having a properly planned windbreak. An effective windbreak may provide protection from the hot, dry winds of summer to the icy winds of snow and winter.

A windbreak may reduce wind speed to one-third its normal velocity, thus saving up to 30 percent on home heating and cooling costs. Not only will the fuel bill be less costly, a windbreak will also be helpful in preventing wind damage by protecting homes, gardens, and even lawns, as well as livestock.

A windbreak is an excellent method of protecting livestock from the icy blasts of winter winds and snow.

Location and arrangement are important considerations in planning an effective windbreak. A windbreak is most effective when placed in a shape of an "L," or a "U," or an "E" around that which is to be protected. By planting a

windbreak, this will also furnish a nesting place for numerous types of birds as well as other wildlife.

In short, an effective windbreak is an inexpensive way to not only beautify a home, but also to reduce home heating costs by providing protection.

The Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District can assist you in planning and designing your windbreak. This free technical assistance provides you with a design and cost estimate. To keep your windbreak growing healthy, full and beautiful, a trickle watering system is easily installed and can be used for flower beds and gardens, as well as windbreaks.

Windbreak trees and trickle systems can be ordered through the Parmer County S.W.C.D. All services are offered regardless of sex, race, creed, color, national origin or handicap.

For more information, call (806) 247-2220 or come by 1306 West Ninth Street in Friona.

Deadline for ordering trees is March 2, 1992.

Gov. Ann Richards On Tap For Muleshoe C.C. Banquet

For the first time ever, the governor of Texas will act as the principal speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet in Muleshoe.

The event which is billed as "The Biggest Little Banquet In Texas" will be held on Friday, March 6th at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Several other state dignitaries have agreed to participate in the event, including Sen. Teel Bivins, Sen. John Montford, State Rep. Pete Laney, and State Rep. Jim Rudd.

Local leaders will be honored at the banquet, naming Employee, Merchant, Man and Woman of the Year and Farm Family of the Year.

The Muleshoe Activities Committee and the Board of Directors for the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture have combined forces to put together this special event which will honor local

citizens and state leaders.

For more information on time, tickets, etc. contact Chamber of Commerce Manager Carolyn Johnson in Muleshoe at 806-272-4248.

Baby Contest Set

KFDA-TV, KLS-FM and Western Plaza Mall in Amarillo are sponsoring the 1992 Panhandle Area Baby Contest to be held on Saturday, Jan. 25, at the Western Plaza Mall. All proceeds benefit the muscular dystrophy association.

Contestants may enter either the runway contest or the photo contest or both. The contest is open to all children between the ages of one month and six years.

Judges will be provided by Susan's Modeling Agency. The entry deadline is Thursday, Jan. 23, and entry forms can be obtained by calling 359-3141.

Sale Starts at 1:30 p.m.

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REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade,

35 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 23, 1957
A large stock of bundled feed on the A.V. Warren farm at Oklahoma Lane was partially destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. However, Bovina Volunteer Firemen were able to save approximately two-thirds of the feed.
Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools since September, has been awarded a two-year extension on his contract by the school board. The action was taken at the regular meeting of the board.
Jack Clayton was elected commander of the recently organized Bovina American Legion at a regular meeting Monday night in the Legion Hall.
Neil Smith and Mike Barraza received plaques for being named the outstanding football player and best sportsman of the 1956 Mustang squad Thursday night at the annual Lions Club banquet for Mustang footballers and their dads.

30 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 24 1962
Paula Howard has been selected from Bovina FHA Chapter to be a candidate for area first vice president.
Third Street is one of three roads in Bovina slated to receive curbs and gutters and additional paving in the next few months.
Two Bovina teachers are new members of Delta Kappa Gamma teachers sorority. They are Mrs. Myrna Hammonds and Mrs. Doris Carter.
Forty-five boys and girls attended their regular Lazbuddie 4-H Club meeting January 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lazbuddie School cafeteria. Along with the enthusiastic members, also attending were 22 parents and friends.

25 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 25, 1967
Voter registration has "picked up" in Parmer County with a total of 1680 citizens from 21 to 60 filing an application for a "free" vote in Texas this year, as of early this week.
Howard Ellison will graduate from Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock at 6 p.m. Sunday.
Instructions in traffic laws and

driver's safety began Tuesday night in the office of Justice of the Peace Wilbur Charles, who took office here January 1.
Marine Sgt. Boyd M. Gilreath, a 1960 graduate of Bovina High School, was injured January 14 in VietNam. Gilreath sustained a fragmentation wound to the head from a hostile round while on patrol.

20 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 26, 1972
Plans for Bovina's proposed community center-parking-swimming pool complex were altered at a called meeting of the city council Thursday night.

15 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 26, 1977
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Webb left Bovina on Sunday, Jan. 9, for a trip to Acapulco, Mexico, and returned to the city on Thursday, Jan. 13.
Jay Be Barrett, Bovina FFA student, was named this week as winner of the 1976 Funk's Seed "304 Bushel Challenge" contest from the local level. Barrett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Barrett of Bovina.
Despite rumors which have been heard circulating about the future of Bovina's Gateway Produce Co., the local vegetable processing company will continue to operate, according to R.R. Lusk, local manager.

10 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 1982
Karla Mills, a senior social work major from Bovina, is among 163 students making the Dean's List for the fall semester at Lubbock Christian College.
Cecil and Jessie Sisk spent the holidays in Minnesota and spent time ice fishing.
Furne Harris closed the Browns about after several years serving Bovina people.
Doris and Norvell Strawn attended the FFA stock show in Amarillo where their grandson Scott showed a steer.
Our city marshal, John Detten, picked up 46 animals during the month of January. Only three animals were claimed and 43 were destroyed.

Grissoms Have New Baby Boy

Chip and Rhonda Grissom of Farwell are parents of a baby boy, Callen Dale. He was born Monday, January 20 at 7:10 p.m. at Clovis High Plains Hospital.
The infant weighed seven pounds, ten and one-half ounces and measured twenty-one and three-fourths inches long. He is the second child for the Grissoms who also have a two-year-old daughter Cally.
Grandparents are Mardie Grissom of Farwell, and Cyrus Dale of Farwell.
Great-grandparent is Lora Dale of Muleshoe.
Chip Grissom is a former Bovina resident.

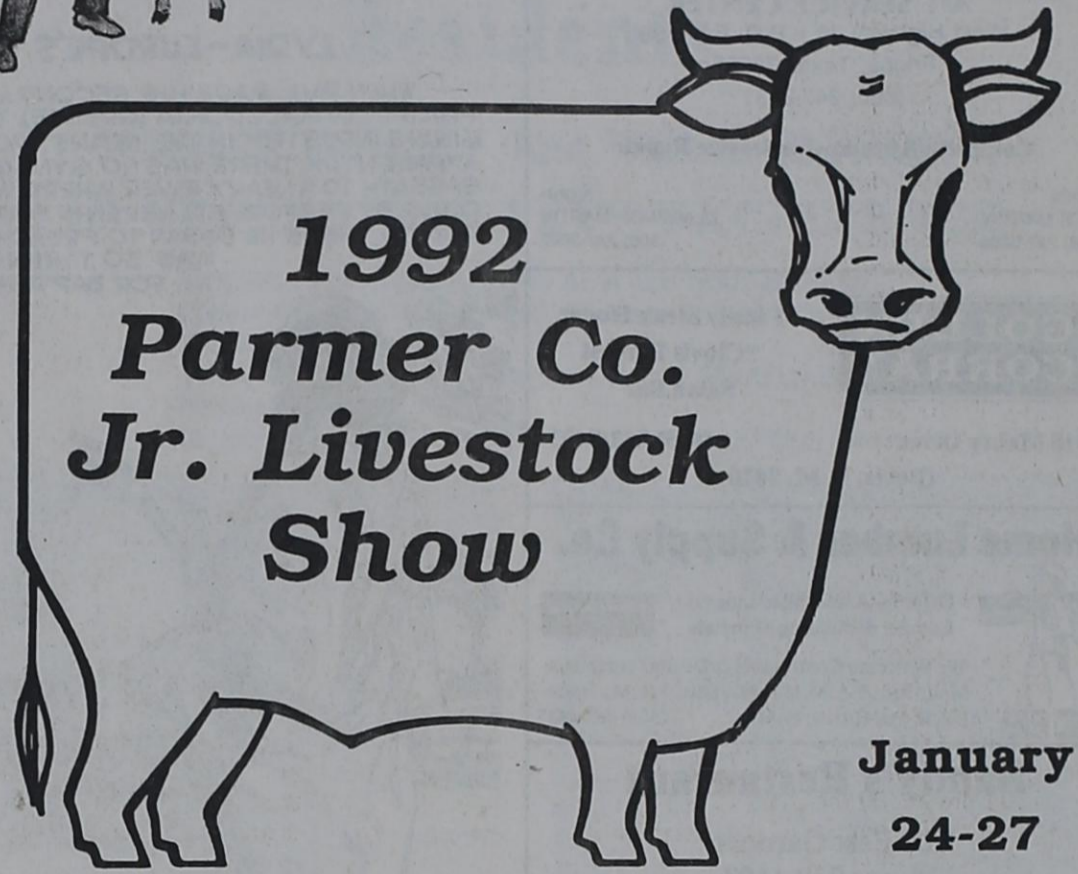
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5 Yrs. Ago--Jan. 1987
An electrical explosion occurred at Friona's Excel Plant at an early hour with the Friona Fire Department being called to extinguish the blaze of undetermined cause.
Bobbie Pierson was promoted to Assistant Cashier at the First Bank of Bovina.
Lions District Governor Jimmy Ross from Quitaque, Texas visited the local Lion's Club.
Wendol Christian, Parmer County Democratic Party chairman went to Austin to give viewpoints of Parmer County residents.
A bridal shower was held at the bank for Galen and Elaine Carson.
Bonnie Clayton, J.P. for Parmer County Precinct 3 was among 96 justices of the peace who recently attended a 40-hour seminar in Austin conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.



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WEDNESDAY--Chicken fried steak, potatoes, gravy, rolls, green beans, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY--Mexican casserole, salad, beans, crackers, fruit bars, milk.
FRIDAY--Hot dogs, fries, baked beans, cookies, milk.
Breakfast:
MONDAY--Little smokies, biscuits, juice, milk.
TUESDAY--Cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
WEDNESDAY--Ham bars, biscuits, juice, milk.
THURSDAY--Cream of wheat, toast, juice, milk.
FRIDAY--Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.

Farwell Couple Has New Son

Michael and Paula Nance of Farwell are parents of a baby boy, Alan-Michael. He was born Monday, Jan. 6 at 6:44 p.m. at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. The infant weighed nine pounds, eight ounces and measured nineteen and one-quarter inches long. This is the couple's first child. Grandparents are Dwain and Lovey Nance of McAdoo, Texas and the late Patsy Nance. Also, Ben and Toni Marquez of Bovina. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Nance of Idalou, Texas.

Looking Up!

By Richard L. Grisham

If I could pray one prayer for each of the people of Bovina in 1992, it would be the Apostle John's words in III John 2: "Beloved, I pray that you may be in good health, and that you may prosper even as your soul is prospering." John had great confidence that those he was writing to were

being blessed of the Lord. Perhaps we should all ask ourselves this question as we begin this New Year: "If I prospered physically and materially in the same proportion as I do spiritually, how prosperous would I be?" I am afraid that too many of us would be financially bankrupt and physically disabled, because that is the condition of the heart! Do you remember the words of Jesus as he spoke about a certain wealthy farmer who thought he had it made materially, but whose soul was destitute? God said, "You fool! This very night your soul is required of you; and now who will own what you have prepared? So is the man who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God!" (Luke 12:20-21, NIV).

As we began this New Year, I would urge each of us to be sure we spend enough of our time **looking up!** We need the spiritual nourishment of life, as well as the physical. We must prosper in our souls, or else the material blessings of life will be meaningless. This means I must take time for God and my church, and my family. It means I need to pray daily, worship with God's people each week, and spend my time wisely and purposefully in order to be a blessing to others.

Yes, my prayer for each of you is III John 2. And may 1992 find you **prospering** and **looking up!**

Shower Will Honor L. Thomas

There will be a bridal shower for Linda (Kelly) Thomas, bride of Steve Thomas, on Saturday, Feb. 1, from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

It will be held in the home of Mary Jane Wilson, 806 Sherwood Lane.

Hostesses for the shower are Pat Turner, Francis Willard, Sarah Owen, Barbara Charles, Gladys Spring, Kathy Graves, Sue Fowler, Judy Hromas, Pam Bell, Tammy Willard, Trish Sherrill, Celeste Olvera, Leigh Burleson, Pat Read, Shirley Garrison, Tina Sides, Margaret Durben, Janie Sudderth, Phyllis Steelman, Chris Cupit, Sue Nuttall, Brenda Jansen, Kathy Rundell, Colletta Young, Debra Beauchamp, and Patti Johnson.

Wedding selections for the couple are available at local stores.

It's A Girl For Couple

Larry and Sheila Futch of Bovina are parents of a baby girl, Britany Ann. She was born Tuesday, Jan. 14 at Clovis High Plains Hospital.

The infant weighed seven pounds, four and one-half ounces and measured twenty and three-fourths inches long. The couple has two sons, Tristan eight-years-old and Brandon ten-years-old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson of Hartley and Martha Futch of Amarillo, Texas.

Great-grandparents are Reatha Guston of Dalhart, Texas and Pearl Johnson of Dalhart Texas. Also, Ernest Abbott of Wellington, Texas.

L. Norton Deceased At Age 87

Services for Lester L. Norton, 87, of Farwell were held Jan. 16, at Primitive Baptist Church in Clovis with Elder Bernard Gowens, Pastor, and Elder C.V. Venable officiating. Burial was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery in Farwell.

Norton passed away Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992 at Farwell Convalescent Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Camp County and married Frances Ruth Carpenter March 7, 1937. He moved to Farwell in 1920 and attended schools at Oklahoma Lane School and Farwell. He owned and operated School buses at Oklahoma Lane in 1923 and at Texico NM during World War II.

He began farming northeast of Clovis in 1932 and moved to the Norton homeplace in 1942. His first wife, Lovysa Frances Sheets, died in 1935; a son, James Harold Norton died in 1967.

He is survived by his wife; four sons, Gerald and David of Farwell, Darrell of White Deer and Charles Wade of Artesia, NM; two daughters, Alta Gerles of Texico and Wilma Jamison of Marble Falls.

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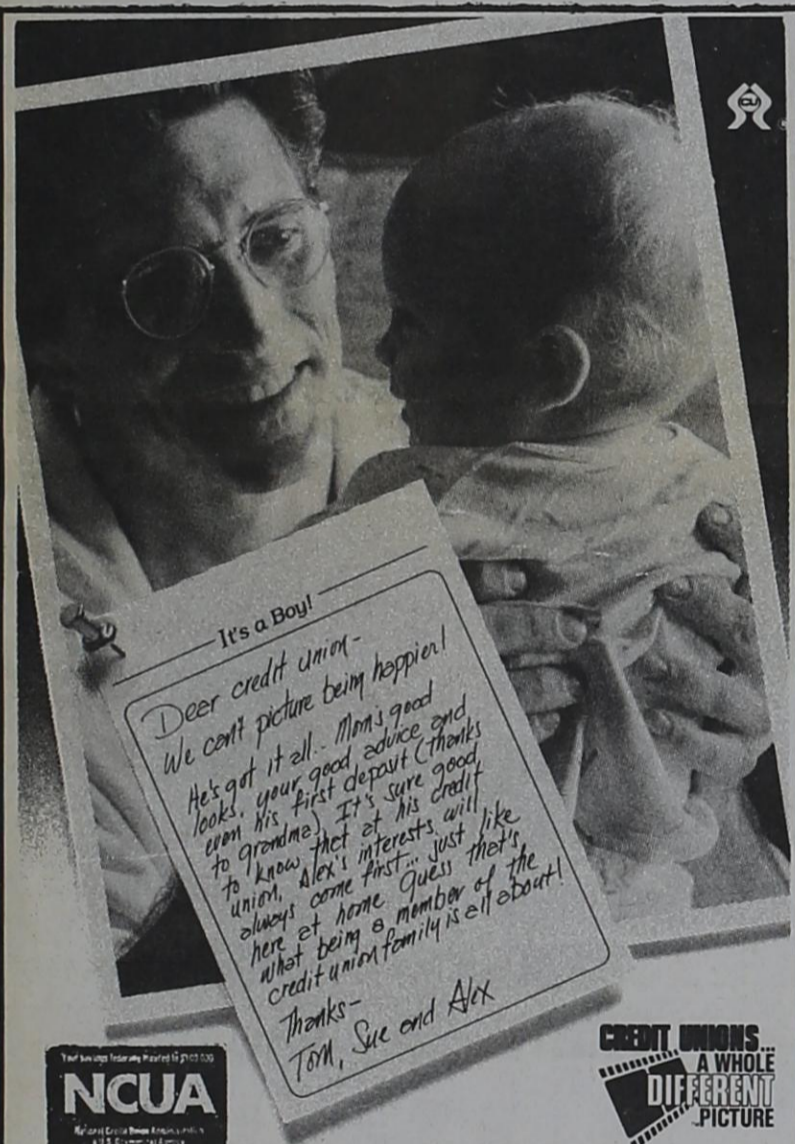
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Bovina Scoops

Happy Birthday Bovina!

We appreciated the letters to the Editor in the Friona Star concerning the stand of the Catholic Church from Father Timothy and also the response from Bill Ellis. Many have seen the letters and had their own opinions. This sort of thing should make us all aware of the opportunity and piveledge of living in a country where we can express our opinions publicly and know we won't be executed or shot for where we stand. We may not have the most perfect legal system in the world, but you'll have to agree that it is the best by far. . . think about it!

Henry and Nelline Spicer had a

wonderful Christmas with their daughters and families Kay and Joe Stanton and daughter Kristy of Farwell and Nena and Mike Veazey and daughter Kylee of Hereford. They spent five days in the beautiful snow covered hills and had fun skiing and sledding on the slopes.

Jim and Scooter Russell went to Hereford on Sunday evening and had fun visiting with their moms, Mae Russell and Meca West, and enjoyed all eating out together.

Mace Cochran went into the hospital in Kerrville on December 26 for one night and then went on to the hospital in San Antonio for

testing. She was released December 31 and is staying with her daughter, Joann Mason in Kerrville, Texas. I visited with Mace's daughter, Bonnie Clayton, and she said Mace hopes to return to Zapata by the end of the week. Bonnie went to Kerrville January 8 and 9 to visit her mother. For those of you who would like to contact Mace, her address is Mrs. E.L. Cochran, c/o Lakefront Lot, Box 5901, Zapata, Texas 78076.

John Dixon was in the office recently and was telling us about his daughter-in-law, Bobby who received her Master's Degree back in August 1991. She had been employed at High Plain Hospital in Amarillo for the past thirteen years and after receiving her Master's, the opportunity arose for advancement to the Amarillo Diagnostic Center. She is the wife of David Dixon. John and Elouise have two daughter-in-laws who are Registered Nurses. Sharon, who is the wife of John Dixon, is an R.N. in Lubbock and John said the two are dedicated nurses and they are sure proud of them. Sharon is the wife of Mike Dixon.

Mina Horn is still a patient at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She has been moved to room East 494 and friends say her condition is slightly improved.

Congratulations to Chip and Rhonda Grissom of Farwell on the birth of their second child, a boy, named Callen Dale born on January 20. The couple have a daughter, Cally, who is two years old. Chip grew up in Bovina and attended school here. Also congrats to the grandparents and great-grandmother. Tiny and Maggie Moore attended funeral services Thursday morning for Tiny's sister, Ann, who died ealy Wednesday morning. She was survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of Childress; one sister, Linda Loter of Childress; and one brother, George Moore of Childress.

We talked to Janie, daughter of Gwen and Jimmie Clements and

daughter of Bonnie and Dickie Clayton and Lynn is the son of Bill and Joyce Read.

The difference between education and experience is really quite simple: Education is what you get from reading the fine print. Experience is what you get from not reading it.

Thanks for the Scoops....Joyce

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Jan. 30--Amy Hromas, Lillian Warren, Levi Steelman, Jessie Kyle, Lacie Young.

Jan. 31--Rose McCain, Don Murphy, Randy Stone, Denise Jones.

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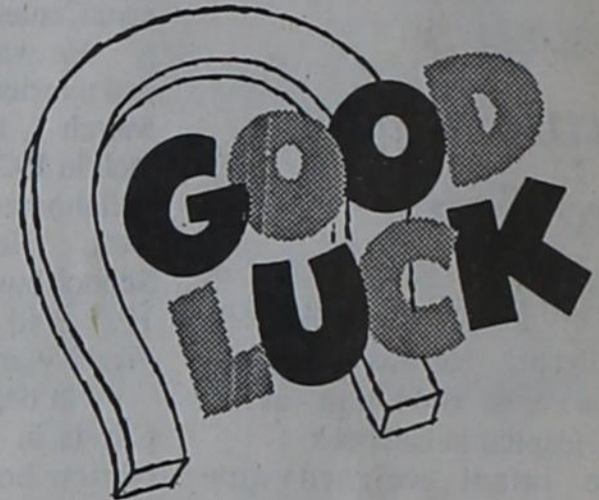
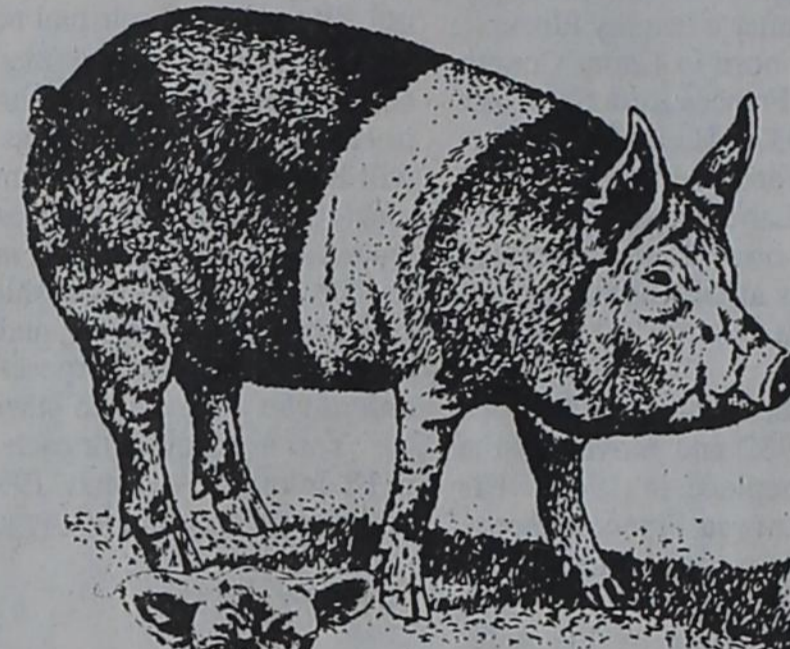
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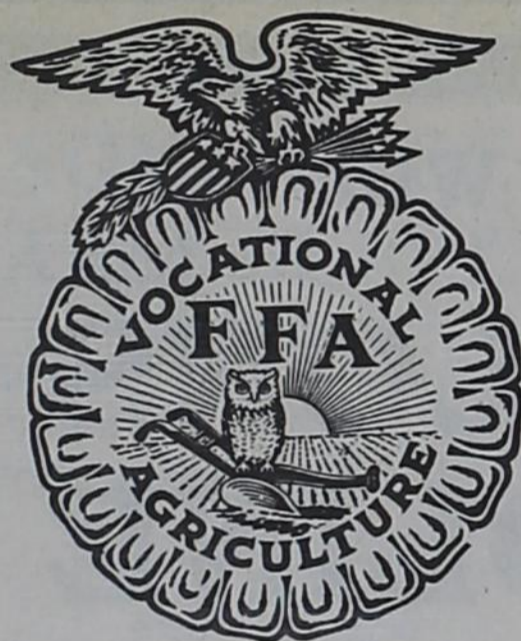
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