

BY BILL ELLIS

IT IS STRANGE how you always measure a sports season on the basis of one game or event, and in the case of the Dallas Cowboys, that is unfortunate.

No matter what the team had accomplished previously, and it was no small achievement getting into the Super Bowl, most people will just remember that the Cowboys lost the "Big One," or that Pittsburgh won it.

It's a tough way to have to end the season, both for the Cowboys and their fans. And as you know, football is a way of life in these parts, and the admonition that "It's just a game" simply does not apply in this case.

Everyone in this section of the country who follows sports can usually be counted as Cowboy fans, and as such they felt Sunday's loss just like they were a member of the team.

Cowboy fans might be comforted in the knowledge that their team has won two other Super Bowls, but as owner Tex Schramm said, this loss hurt worse than the others, since it cost the team a place in sports history, as the first team to have won three super bowls.

THE CITY OF Lubbock has gained mention in national and international politics, through the fact that Iran's crown prince, Reza Pahlavi, is presently at Lubbock, taking pilot training at Reese Air Base.

The situation in Iran continues to command attention in our country, mainly due to demonstrations by Iranian students in the U.S. Most folks feel something should be done to limit such demonstrating.

IT IS HARD to realize that Kent Hance, who was sworn in last week as our congressman, is the first graduate of our alma mater, Texas Tech University, to gain the House of Representatives.

Perhaps it's not so unusual when you realize that retired congressman George Mahon had served as the only representative in the 19th district had ever had, from 1934 through 1978, and Mahon's old district covers the area of Texas Tech's influence.

We need to quickly add that when Tech finally produced a congressman, it gained two at once, since Rep. Charles Stenholm of Stamford, representing the 17th district, also was elected to congress last November.

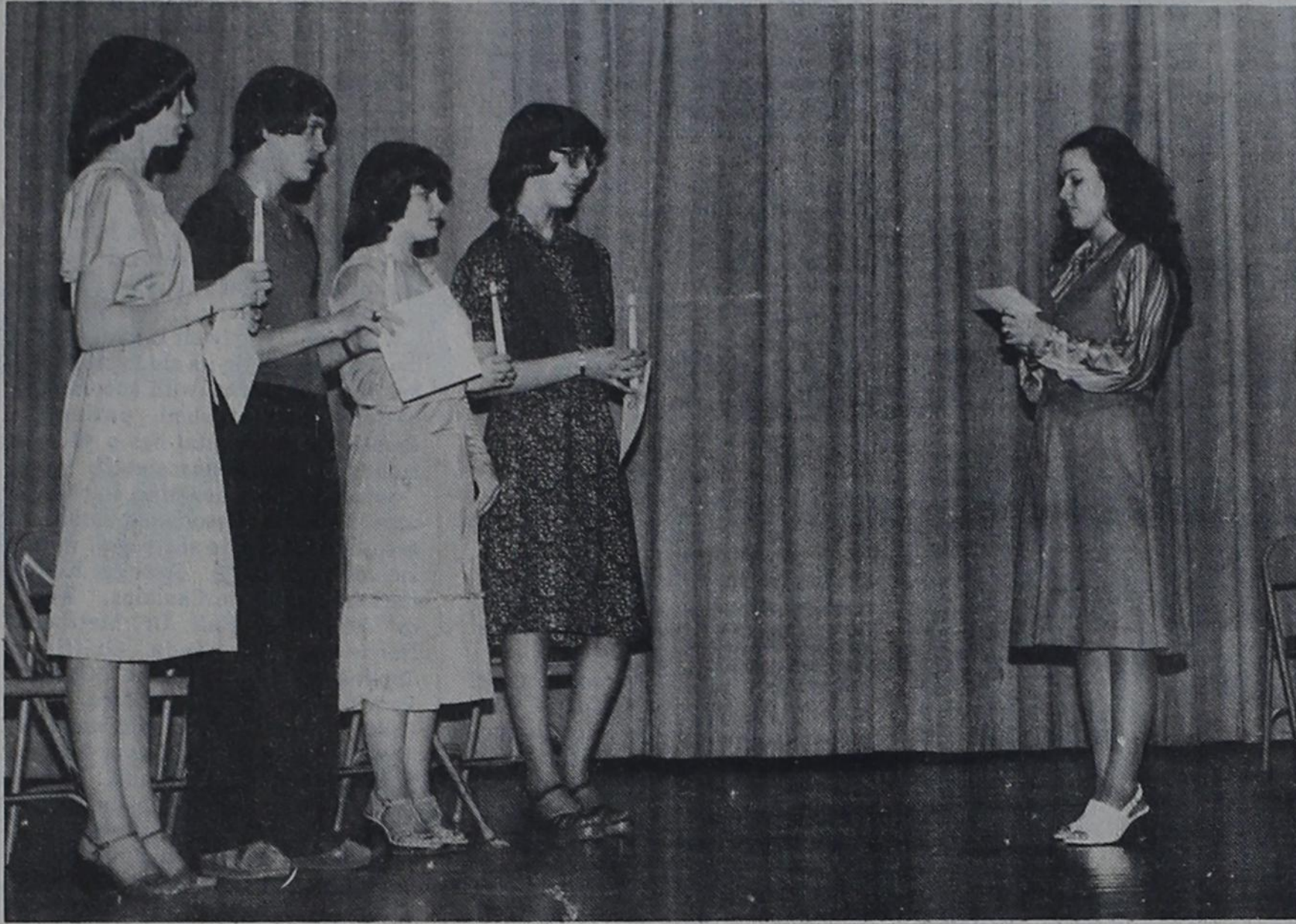
ON THE SUBJECT of politics, it looks as though politicians may have to be more careful in the future where they campaign, and with whom they appear.

Recent items in the news revealed that Rosalyn Carter campaigned at Jim Jones' People Temple in San Francisco during 1976, and also during that presidential campaign, was photographed with and even autographed a picture for mass murderer John Gacy.

These events do not necessarily imply that the Carters were knowingly associating with people with "hazy" reputations, but it underscores the fact that politicians, even on the presidential level, sometimes are not too choosy about where they go, or with whom they associate when they are seeking votes.

ANOTHER "mini blizzard" this week! Folks are beginning to wonder what we did to incur the wrath of the weatherman. Especially certain cotton farmers, who have had an unusually hard time getting their crops harvested.

Farmers were hindered by a sizeable snow on the first of the year, which had finally melted and dried enough for some stripping last week. Then Thursday, the area received a quarter-inch rain, which soaked things again. We saw a few harvesters in the field on Monday afternoon again, then came Monday night....



FOUR SWORN IN....Alicia Spring, President of the Bovina High School Honor Society, swears in four new members in ceremonies Monday, January 22. The new members are:

Kathy Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams; Blake Sudderth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenden Sudderth; Darlene Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy

Smith; and Karen Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling.

## Tractor Caravan Reaches Tennessee

American Agriculture Movement's tractorcade had reached Memphis, Tennessee, by Monday night, according to the Blade's news sources, and the project continued to run "on schedule."

The caravan had gained to over 450 vehicles from the 175 which left Bushland the morning of January 15. The tractorcade covered 130 miles on Monday, from Little Rock, Arkansas to Memphis. This was the biggest one-day move for the group thus far in their journey to Washington, D.C.

The group had reached Little Rock Saturday evening, where they staged a rally. Sunday was a rest day for the group. Another rally was held Monday night when the group reached Memphis. More vehicles were expected to join the movement as it entered Tennessee.

State AAM headquarters in Hereford said late Monday they had been in telephone contact with the caravan on Monday, and everything was going well.

"They had sunshine on Monday for virtually the first time since leaving the Texas Panhandle. The weather has not been bad, but they have been travelling in fog and drizzle much of the way," a spokesman for the state AAM office said.

Included in the vehicles making the trip are tractors, repair trucks, and pickups carrying diesel fuel.

At least six separate caravans in the national tractorcade are known to be moving toward the nation's capital, where the farm leaders plan to demonstrate for congressional support of the farmer.

The group that left Bushland, which is designated as "Route 2," had taken seven overnight rest stops as of Tuesday.

Overnight stops had been made in Sayre, El Reno, Okemah and Salisaw, Oklahoma, and Russellville and Little Rock, Arkansas.

Jay Harris, a member of the group making the trip from Bovina, called home Monday night, and said the group reached the Mississippi River and camped on the Arkansas side of the river on Monday. They were scheduled to make it to Nashville, Tenn. on Tuesday night, where another rally was scheduled.

Harris said the movement was picking up members "all along the way." The group had been interviewed by a national TV newsman on Monday, he reported. All donations in support of the trip will be appreciated, as it is taking a lot of money for fuel. Donations may be left at the AAM office on Third Street or at the Brownsabout.

During the Sunday stopover in Little Rock, the group camped at the State Fairgrounds, and held church services on Sunday in one of the fairgrounds buildings. One of the members of the AAM group, who is a lay preacher, held the service, which was well-attended.

Ralph Roming contacted the Blade Tuesday morning, and praised the help and support the caravan had received both from state and local police, as well as motorists and residents they encounter along the way.

"The police have gone out of their way to help us. They have saved us bottlenecks, such as at Memphis, where there was a road under construction. They led us around the construction site.

"You just can't visualize the support we've gotten along the way. Folks who didn't make the trip don't know what they have missed. It is real heart-warming. Even the truckers and motorists with CBs have indicated their support. Oh, there are a few complainers, but not many," Roming said.

Roming said there were 21 units from Parmer and Bailey Counties, traveling together, including ten tractors and 11 service units. He said

between 20 and 30 tractors joined the caravan in Arkansas. "Several have trucked in at night catching up with the group," he said.

Among the farmers from the Bovina area who have been on the tractorcade are Jerry McClaran, Larry Scott, Hugo Falkenburg, Sonny Pipes, Ralph Roming and Harris. Scott and Falkenburg drove back to Bovina early this week, but one or both may rejoin the group later.

Bovina's local group has reserved 15 rooms in Washington, D.C. and 30 plane tickets. Anyone interested in making the trip to Washington to meet the tractorcades when they arrive should contact either Edwin Lide or Gene Scott.

The farmers' tractors are be-decked with all types of slogans, such as "Farmers are an endangered species," and "Misguided policies break 1,000 farmers per day."

"All is going ship shape. We need everyone to contact our congressman and senators, and let them know we are on our way, and why we are coming," said a spokesman for the AAM.

## Junior High Announces Honor Roll

The honor roll for the third six weeks was announced this week for Bovina High School, by principal H.A. (Pat) Connor.

Those making all As were: sixth grade-Casey Riddle and Kathy Moore; seventh grade-Stephen McClaran; eighth grade-Kenny Carrell, Robbie Moody, Griselda Ortiz, Jon Riddle, Lisa Schilling, Patti Sherrill, Bret Whitten, Karl Willard and Joe Pat Wright.

Students on the A&B honor roll were:

Sixth grade-Shana Gober, Sonya Mayfield, Julie Rockwell, Tommy Hutto, Misti Booser, Tamie Nabors and Margarito Vasquez.

Seventh grade-Mark Clayton, Rande Cupit, Denver Redwine, Stacey Whitecotton and Kelly Wilson.

Eighth grade-Beverly Barrett, Lynette Bentley, Billy Joe Black, Vilina Dutton, Dale Gilbreath, Wendy Hall, Clara Koelzer, Greg McClaran, Jerry Soliz and Jeff Steelman.

## Monthly Sales Tax Received By Bovina

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said the January allocation of the local option one per cent sales tax to Texas cities will exceed \$18.1 million.

This month's rebate is about \$300,000 less than the state paid to some 900 Texas cities during the same one-month period last year.

The City of Bovina reported receipts of \$824 for their first check for 1979 under the sales tax reimbursement program.

Texas cities received a record \$424.8 million during 1978 as their share of the city sales tax, an increase of 17 per cent over the previous year, Bullock said.

Houston will receive \$3.5 million for this reporting period, an 11 per cent drop compared to the city's 1978 payment for January.

Dallas will get a check for \$2.2 million, which is one per cent less than the amount paid during the same period last year.

Fort Worth's check for January will be \$756,596 compared to \$761,375 received by the city during the first month last year.

San Antonio's rebate check is up by about seven per cent over its 1978 January allocation. The Alamo City will receive \$1.05 million.

Austin will get \$641,992 this year, compared to a payment of \$600,346

## Nominees Are Given For Co-op Board

The Nominating Committee of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative met January 9, at the REC Headquarters Building in Hereford and selected five members to run for three slots on the Board of Directors of the electric cooperative.

Sloan Osborn, the President of the Board is up for re-election this year. "Because of Mr. Osborn's long tenure of dedication to the betterment of the Cooperative, and the completion of this three-year term will extend his service to 40 years, the Nominating Committee felt it appropriate not to nominate an opponent as a tribute to Mr. Osborn," explained James Hull, Manager of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

Those selected from Deaf Smith County are incumbent Clark Andrews from the Frio area, and Jerry Sublett who lives south of Hereford. Castro County nominees are incumbent Noel Gollehon and Donald Wright of the Dimmitt area.

Nominations from the floor at the 1979 Annual Membership Meeting to be held March 3, at the Hereford Bull Barn are also encouraged by the Nominating Committee.

Those comprising this year's official Director Nominating Com-

mittee are: Pat Robbins, chairman, Hereford; D.L. Carmichael, Friona; Allan Dobmeier, Nazareth; Norman Hodges, Hereford; Carl Kleushens, Hereford; Clarence Martin, Friona; and Dan Petty of Dimmitt.

## Two Students Are Honored

West Texas State University has announced the students on the President's and the Dean's Honor Rolls for the fall semester, 1978.

Students named to the President's Honor Roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 (4.0-A) or higher for a completed minimum semester load in residence of 12 semester hours.

The Dean's List represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a completed semester load of 12 hours or more.

The students named to the Dean's Honor Roll from Bovina are Ida Nelson, senior elementary education major, and Betty Sherrill, sophomore business education major.

## NHS Inducts Four Members

At ceremonies Monday, January 22, the Bovina High School Honor Society inducted four new members into its ranks.

The program included an explanation by Honor Society members of the functions and aims of the organization. Society president, Alicia Spring then swore in the new members and the ceremonies

adjourned. A reception was held afterwards for members, new members and parents.

Those inducted were Karen Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling; Darlene Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith; Blake Sudderth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenden Sudderth; and Kathy Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams.



AUTOGRAPH PARTY....A reception was held Sunday night, January 21, at the First Baptist Church of

Bovina honoring Dorothy and Grady Sorley. The Sorleys are shown above autographing records and tapes of

their recording, "Sweet 'N Easy" for those who had purchased them.



# Reflections From The Blade

20 YEARS AGO—JANUARY 28, 1959

Mrs. Hester Sweinke and her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry May, all of Gary, Ind., visited recently with relatives in Bovina. They were Sunday and Monday guests in the home of A.G. White and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson. Other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Bovina, also visited with the guests there.

Mrs. Lady Armstrong of Gaines Hardware Co. invites people of the area to eat cake and pie and drink coffee Saturday and contribute to the March of Dimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Mast, Cathy, Crissy, Honey and Buzzy returned home Friday from a visit in California.

15 YEARS AGO—JANUARY 22, 1964

Bovina Volunteer Fire Department snuffed out a grass fire some three miles west of town Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rea of Weatherford, Okla. visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rea over the weekend.

Cortez Dowlin of Canyon, Grand Visitor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, attended a salad supper and regular meeting of Rainbow Monday evening at Masonic Lodge Hall.

Mrs. Floyd Schueler hosted Rhea Home Demonstration Club in her home last Monday.

10 YEARS AGO—JANUARY 22, 1969

About \$180 in damage to the building of Hammonds TV was the result Wednesday afternoon when an automobile driven by Mrs. A.E. Crump hit the front of the structure on Main Street.

Glenn Hromas is in Parmer County Community Hospital following a one-car turnover Monday night between Missouri Beef Packers and Friona.

Harold Dean McCallum, of Bovina has been honored by Waddell & Reed, Inc., national distributor of the United Funds group of mutual funds, for outstanding achievement as a Representative.

Manuel D. Garcia, 24, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Delgado, live in Bovina, was promoted December 27 to Army specialist four in Vietnam, where he is serving with the 101st Airborne Division.

5 YEARS AGO—JANUARY 30, 1974

Weldon Taft Williams, 32, a former resident of Bovina, was killed Monday when the truck he was driving collided with a freight train about a mile west of Summerfield in northwest Parmer County.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bonds of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gunnels of Clovis, N.M. departed Sunday for a tour of London, England, Rome, Italy, and Morocco in North West Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cockerham, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Read and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling, all of Bovina, departed Tuesday morning for a tour of cities in Italy.



**RETIREES....**Mabelle Hartwell, longtime nurse aide at Parmer County Community Hospital, retired this year after 28 years with the local hospital. Mrs. Hartwell retired on Monday, January 15, which also was her birthday. She holds an engraved silver dish which her associates presented her.

## Former Resident Ends Nursing Career

Mabelle Hartwell ended a 28-year nursing career at Parmer County Community Hospital on Monday of this week, when she officially retired.

Mrs. Hartwell was honored last month with a retirement party, and was presented an engraved silver dish noting her service to the hospital.

By coincidence, Monday also was the birthday of the retiring employee, and she surprised some by announcing that the birthday was her 80th.

Mrs. Hartwell, whose special responsibility has been the hospital nursery for the past several years, began her duties at the Friona hospital on January 1, 1951.

When Mrs. Hartwell began work, the hospital was in its old location in the army barracks, with accommodations for 11 bed patients. Presently the hospital has a 40-bed facility, with a 30-nurse staff.

Some of the names Mrs. Hartwell recalls as being associated with the hospital at the time she began work include Dr. Paul Spring, Kelly Harrelson, Margie Caulkins, "Woody" Mrs. Dean Hall, Dr. Metzner, Nettie Collier, Zada Griffith, Thelma Jones, Francis Collier Parvin, June Spring, and Mrs. G.A. Collier, Sr., whom she said was the "best cook the hospital ever had."

As to her future plans, Nurse Hartwell said she was planning to attend a Schlenker family reunion in Albuquerque in April, and then plans to return to Philadelphia with her daughter, Jeanette Taylor, for a visit. The former Bovina resident

has a son, Tom, who lives in Dalhart, eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Another son, John Hartwell, died last March.

Mr. Hartwell passed away in August of 1951, when the family was living in Bovina.

## SPS Names New Officer

Bert M. Springer, president and chief operating officer of Southwestern Public Service Company, has announced that at a meeting of the Board of Directors held January 10 in Amarillo, Bert Ballengee was elected executive vice president of the Amarillo-based utility company. A native of Amarillo, Ballengee is a graduate of Amarillo High School and the University of Texas where he earned a degree in Business Administration.

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## St. Ann's Society Plans Annual Sausage Meal

St. Ann's Society met in Parish Hall on January 15 with eight members, one guest, Mrs. Sheryl Engleking and Father Ron McGovern present.

Mrs. Eugene Schacher reported on Freedom Rally, being held in Lubbock on January 18 along with debate between ex-NOW head and Anti-E.R.A. leader urged all to attend.

Members of St. Ann's will be selling roses to wear on your lapel on Sunday. Profit will go to Pro Life.

Sausage Dinner is being planned

for March 4 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. A homemade quilt is being made by members to be given away at the dinner.

Members voted to renew their subscription to the W's (Women Who Want to be Women) newsletter, which keeps us informed of the various bills coming up in government.

The guest, Sheryl Engleking, gave a demonstration on oil painting. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Mrs. Wayne Jesko and Mrs. Gene Brito.



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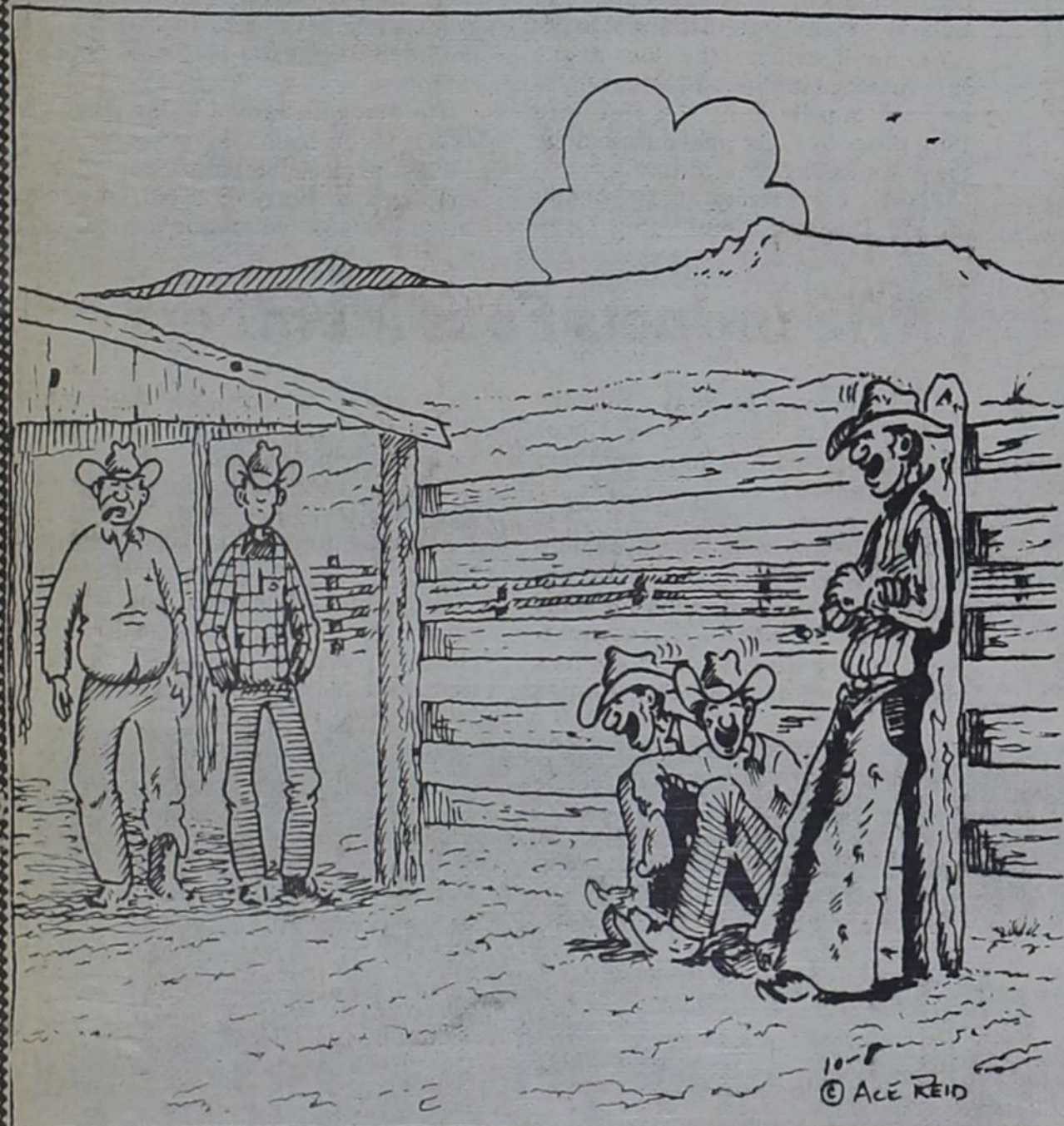
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## Junior Teams Win Four Games

The Bovina Junior High teams played a total of ten games this last week and came out on the short end with four wins and six losses.

In action against the Springlake-Earth teams, the Bovina Junior High School teams won three and lost one. The eighth grade boys won their game 36-26. The eighth grade girls won 25-15, and the seventh grade boys won, 31-14. The only loss of the series was suffered by the seventh grade girls as they lost 15-18.

The seventh grade girls and boys played in the Olton Junior High Tournament last week. The seventh grade boys won their first

game against Abernathy, 20-10. In their second game of the tourney, the boys lost to Tulla, 25-31.

The seventh grade girls were eliminated from the tourney after losing their first game to the Abernathy girls, 17-37.

In other action, the eighth grade teams lost three games to Texico teams. The eighth grade boys lost to the Texico seventh boys, 24-33. They also dropped one to the Texico eighth grade, 30-52. The eighth grade boys had divided into two teams for the games.

The eighth grade girls also lost to the Texico girls, 27-37.

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### Box Scores

8th Boys 36, S-E 26  
Riddle 14, Gilbreath 11,  
Wright 7, Steelman 2,  
Landry 2.

8th Girls 25, S-E 15  
L. Shepherd 15, Bentley 4,  
Barrett 2, Dutton 2, Schilling 2.

7th Boys 31, S-E 14  
Shepherd 11, Cara 6,  
Wilson 4, John Gomez 3,  
Jose Gomez 2, Englant 2,  
Robledo 2, Griggs 1.

7th Girls 15, S-E 18  
Whitecotton 6, Cupit 5,  
DelaRosa 2, Hodnett 2.

8th Boys 24, Texico 7th 33  
Moody 6, Gonzales 6,  
Carrell 4, Whitten 4, Flores 3.

8th Boys 30, Texico 8th 52  
Wright 15, Riddle 7,  
Steelman 4, McClaran 2,  
Gilbreath 2.

8th Girls 27, Texico 37  
L. Shepherd 12, Bentley 9,  
Dutton 6.

7th Boys 20, Abernathy 10  
John Gomez 8, Wilson 6,  
Shepherd 4, Clayton 2.

7th Boys 25, Tulla 31  
Shepherd 18, Wilson 3,  
John Gomez 2, Englant 2.

7th Girls 17, Abernathy 37  
Gonzales 8, Whitecotton 6,  
Cupit 3.

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## Attention --- All Corn Growers

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The committee believes that anything less than \$6 for yellow food corn and \$7 for white food corn will be a loss for the grower considering inflation in costs of production. Plans are being made to consider ensilage contracts and high moisture corn contracts.

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Pat Robbins-Hereford  
Wayne Clark-Dumas  
A.W. Anthony-Friona

## Residents Warned Ice Play Dangerous

As winter's cold forms a layer of ice on ponds and lakes, children are filled with visions of their northern and western neighbors enjoying winter sports. The novelty of ice, however, lures many youngsters to their death.

"Ponds around here seldom freeze thick enough to support the weight of even small children," Mack Mauldin, district conservationist with the USDA Soil Conservation Service (SCS) in Friona, said.

The most dangerous ponds, he stressed, are those that freeze fairly thick in areas around the edges.

"Usually the down-wind edge of the pond will freeze first, and the ice may support a large person for several feet from the edge in that area. But, over deeper water and on the up-wind side of the pond, the ice is usually very thin," Mauldin continues.

There is no really safe ice thickness for skating, according to the National Safety Council, because

ice conditions are always changing. For example, four inches of new ice can support more weight than four inches of "old ice" that has been subjected to the effects of the sun, refreezing after thawing, wind, and changing water levels under the ice.

Realizing how hard it is to curb the natural curiosity in children, Mack suggested that children be made aware of the dangers of thin ice. He has warning posters available free of charge for this purpose.

Also, children should be taught rescue techniques.

"Some pond owners keep a life ring or other flotation device attached to a long rope handy at the pond. A long pole can also be used to rescue victims of broken ice," Mack said. "If you must go onto the ice to help a drowning person, be sure to use a large board, ladder, pole, or sheet of plywood to distribute your weight. If none is available, lie prone on the ice and slide gently."

## January STOREWIDE CLEARANCE Curtis Mathes

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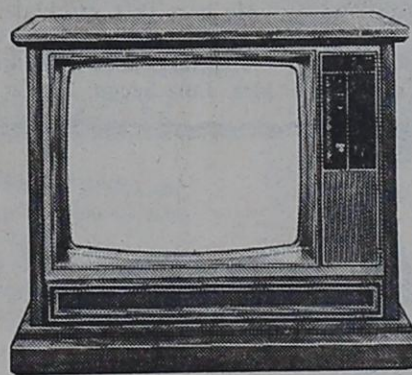
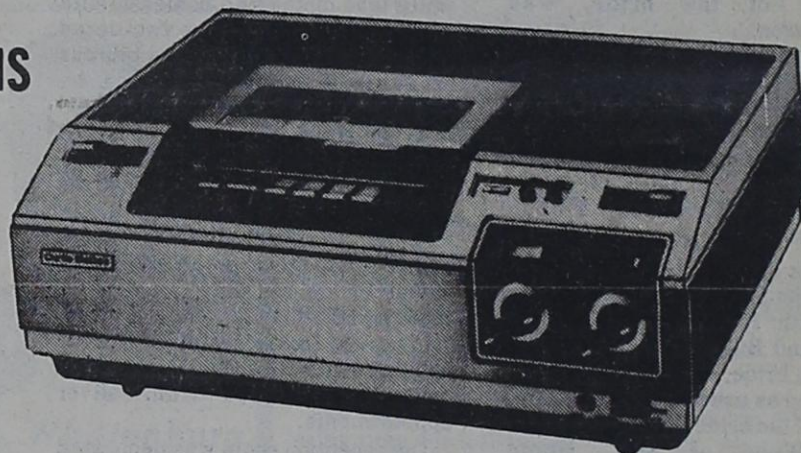
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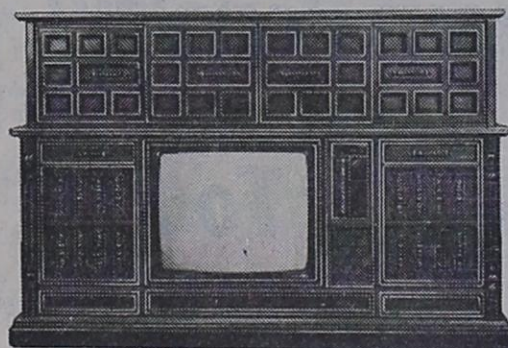
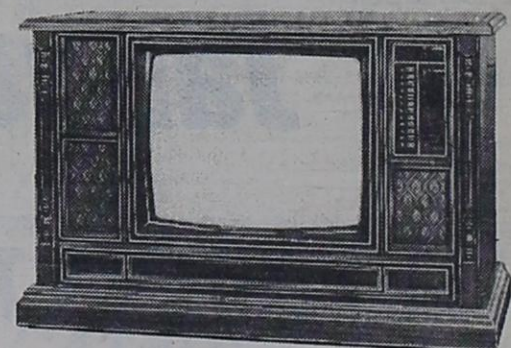


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## Tracy Russell, Clay Wright United In Church Ceremony

Miss Tracy Russell and Clay Wright were married by Justice of the Peace Edward Greenford October 7 in the Wedding Chapel of Elko City, Nevada. The couple repeated their wedding vows at 7 p.m. December 25 in a formal double ring ceremony in the Congregational Church of Mountain Home, Idaho with family and friends attending.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Wright of Mountain Home.

Rev. Stuart Olbrich, pastor, read the vows before a setting of seven-branch candelabra holding white tapers and centered with red poinsettias, white starbursts, greenery and red ribbon streamers. Pews were marked with matching arrangements.

Marian Ritter, organist, presented traditional selections including "Because," "Thine is the Glory," and "Perfect Love." Clive Lindsay, soloist, was accompanied by his daughter, Katy, at the piano, as he sang "You Light Up My Life."

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white Chamese Quiana designed along princess lines with empire waistline full sleeves gathered to deep cuffs, collar and hemline which swept into a chapel length train. The gown was made by the bride's mother. Her veil of bridal illusion was sprinkled with lace cutouts and attached to a Juliet cap. She carried a bouquet of red poinsettias, white starbursts and red ribbon streamers on a white lace covered Bible which her mother and sister Janee carried in their weddings.

For something old, the bride carried a lace handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother, the late Mrs. W.F. Mullin; something new was her bridal ensemble; something borrowed, the Bible; and something blue was the traditional garter. In her slippers she carried pennies minted in the years of the couple's birth and a 1978 penny.

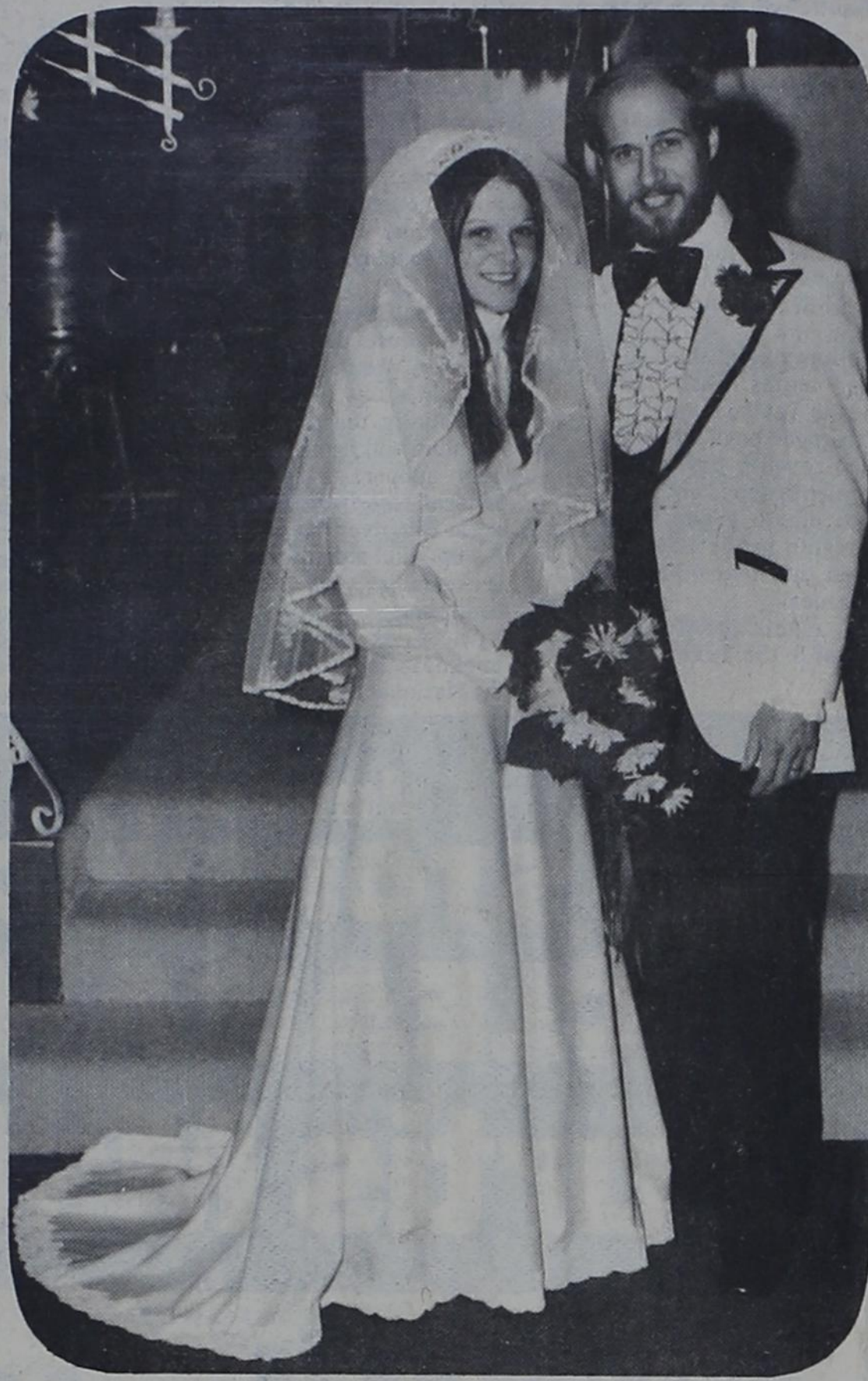
Janee Griffin of Mtn. Home, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Tami Kunselman of Lazbuddie, also a sister of the bride, was bridesmatron.

The attendants wore gowns of red jersey styled along princess lines with empire waistlines, short fully-gathered sleeves and stand-up collars attached to a vee-neckline. They carried bouquets of white poinsettias with white ribbon streamers.

Ed Zack of Mtn. Home was best man. Groomsman was Curtis Clark, also of Mtn. Home.

Clark and Bill Griffin, brother-in-law of the bride, lighted the candles and served as ushers. Jason Griffin, nephew of the bride, was ringbearer. Marie Wood of Mtn. Home registered guests.

The mother of the bride selected a formal gown of red crepe designed with stand-up collar and fully-gathered sleeves. She wore matching accessories and a corsage of white mums.



Mr. and Mrs. Clay Wright

Following the ceremony, the couple greeted guests in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with white lace cloths and centered with the bride's bouquet. The two-tiered cake stood atop tall white columns over a red fountain encircled by cherubs. The first tier was trimmed with red roses with a cluster of red roses in the center. The top tier was decorated with tiny red rosebuds and topped with a bride and groom figurine. The bride's mother made and decorated the cake. White punch and green and red Christmas mints, made by the bridegroom's mother, was served from crystal and silver appointments. A groom's cake and coffee was served from silver appointments.

The reception room was decorated with greenery, mistletoe and white wedding bells with white ribbon streamers.

Maureen Balfour assisted with the reception.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Gary Brown of Loman,

Ida., Dianne Sherwood of Boise, Ida., Curtis Thornberg of Moscow, Ida., and Arty Kunselman of Lazbuddie.

The bride, a 1978 graduate of Bovina High School, is employed by the Mountain Home News. The groom is a 1973 graduate of Mountain Home High School and is associated with his father in the C&C Harley Davidson in Mtn. Home.

The couple now reside at their new home, 520 E. 2nd S. in Mtn. Home, Idaho.

### Serna Enlists

Sgt. Antonio Serna, whose wife, Terisa, lives in Bovina, Texas, recently re-enlisted in the Army for three years while serving as an assistant tank commander with the 13th Armor in Germany.

Serna entered the Army in May 1975.

He is a 1974 graduate of Bovina High School.

The sergeant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luis Serna, live in Bovina.

## Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



We have had cold, windy weather in Bovina during the past week with some traces of snow. Everyone complains about the weather but we don't really have it so bad. I received a letter from my niece, Vicki (McBeth) Shelton who lives in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and she said they have 32 inches of snow on the ground--the most in Wisconsin's history. So see, it could be worse....Reports are that the tractorcade is moving on schedule and will reach Nashville Wednesday.

Other news around town....

Todd Glasscock underwent an appendectomy last Thursday in the West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe. He came home Monday and his mother says he is doing fine. He is the nine-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Glasscock of Bovina.

Lola Parsons entered the Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview last Monday and returned home Sunday. She said she is feeling some better.

The Lawrence Jamersons spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law and grandson, Kelly, Gwin and Lance, in Plainview. Said they just enjoyed a good visit.

The Jack Pattersons have had company recently: their daughter, Sandra Blackston and Donny of Amarillo spent a weekend while Sandra's husband and another son went skiing at Angel Fire. This past weekend their other daughter, Cynthia and husband Dr. James McDaniel, children Cara and Russell of Abilene stopped for a visit on their way home from Aspen, Colo., where they had been skiing.

Cash Raynes, 76, of Littlefield died last Wednesday and services were held in the First Baptist Church of Littlefield. He is survived by his wife and two daughters. He was A.T. Morgan's brother-in-law.

Bobby Patton, Juanda Murphy's brother from Ballinger, visited with the Murphys for three days last week.

The Senior Citizens will meet

Wednesday, January 31 at 11:30 a.m. at the Spot for their regular luncheon. They asked that you come and bring a friend.

Furne Harris enjoyed a good day Sunday with her sons and their wives and her grandson in Lubbock watching the Super Bowl, while husband Jay is on his way to Washington with the tractorcade.

Everyone is invited to share in the celebration of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilcox, Sunday, January 27.

Melton Crisp, 32, of Lubbock died at 7:15 p.m. at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, after he suffered smoke inhalation during a fire at his home.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Crisp of Lubbock, and former residents of Bovina.

I talked with Mr. L.M. Grissom this morning (Tuesday) and he said his son, Leon, is scheduled to come home this afternoon. He has been hospitalized in Amarillo since January 1 after suffering a broken leg in an accident on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink May of Whiteface visited Sunday with their daughter and her husband, Sandra and James Clayton in Bovina.

Bessie Combs remains in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock-Room 314. Juanda Murphy talked with her Tuesday and she said she didn't know when she'd be released.

Tootsie (Stallings) Stewart, formerly of Bovina, remains in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, Room 372. I talked with her daughter, Vicki, this morning (Tuesday) and she said her mother is getting along fine and will probably be released from the hospital in two weeks.

Tootsie suffered a broken back in a one-car accident December 30.

A man walked into a drug store and entered a phone booth. "Hello, Allied Manufacturing?...Mr. Frederickson, please...Mr. Frederickson, I understand you have an opening in

your firm for an office manager...Oh, I see. You hired a new man six months ago and you're very happy with him. Very well, thanks anyway."

The druggist approached the man as he left the phone booth. "I couldn't help overhearing your conversation," he said. "I'm sorry they didn't have an opening."

"Oh," replied the man, smiling. "I'm not really looking for a job. That was my boss, and I'm his office manager. I was just checking to see how I'm doing."

Initials on pajamas are a waste of time. If you don't know who you are by bedtime, you had better quit.

Have a good week and thank you for calling....

Scooter

## Hospital Report

### ADMISSIONS--

Leonar Aries, Friona; Mariano Garcia, Hereford; Jesse Aragon, Friona; JaDan Sudderth, Farwell; Susie Cunningham, Friona; Estella Riley, Tucumcari; Ray White, Friona; Opal Spring, Friona; Benito Gonzales, Friona; Kevin Gregory, Friona; Arthur Brock, Friona; Janie Olivo, Friona; Elva Matlock, Friona; Janie Vallejo and baby girl, Hereford; Olivia Gonzales, Friona; and Cecelia Steelman and baby boy, Amarillo.

### DISMISSALS--

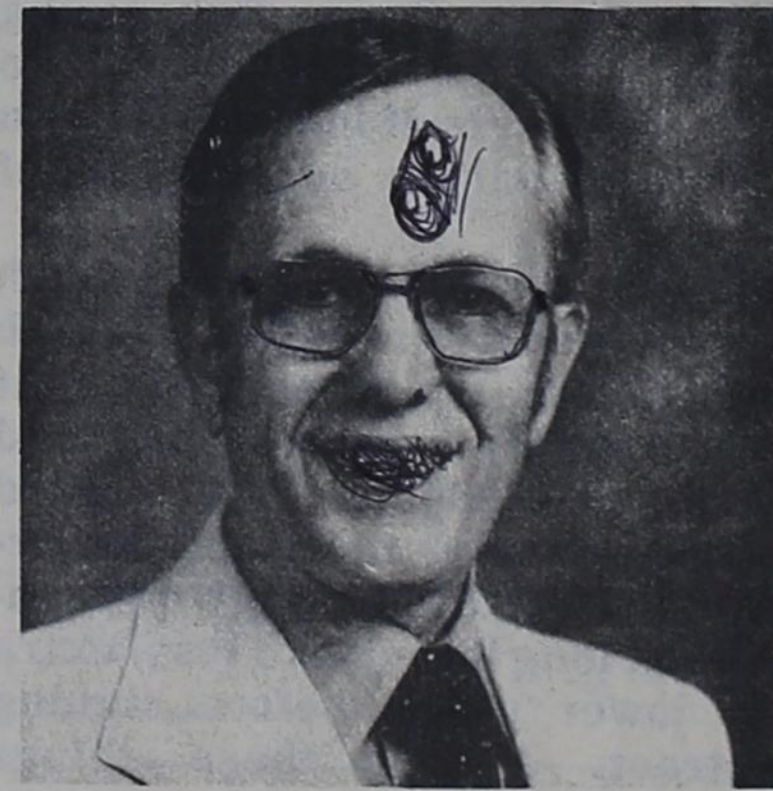
A.V. Warren, Kevin Phelps, Sue Kent, Janie Villanueva and baby girl, Olga Weeks, Leonar Aries, Jesse Aragon, Mariano Garcia, Teresa Kendrick and baby boy, JaDan Sudderth, Kevin Gregory, Opal Spring, Arthur Brock, Susie Cunningham and Estella Riley.

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Claude Osborn, Gertrude Allen, Ray White, Benito Gonzales, Janie Olivo, Elva Matlock, Olivia Gonzales, Janie Vallejo and baby girl, Cecelia Steelman and baby boy.

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## County Holds Rank In Barley Production

Parmer County remained the top barley producing area in the state this year, producing 16.7 per cent of Texas' 1,080,000-bushel crop, according to the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Total production in Parmer County was 180,000 bushels.

Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service records showed a 68.2 per cent decrease from the 1977 crop, which hit 3.4 million bushels. The decline was primarily due to prolonged drought over the state.

"The crop got off to a good start, helped along by August, 1977, rains," commented Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown. "But rapid depletion of available

moisture caused stands to deteriorate shortly after the crop was up, and continuing drought conditions from October to May caused prospects to decline.

"Only 40,000 acres of barley were harvested this year," he continued, "even though 110,000 acres were planted. Yields were cut from 40

bushels per acre last year to only an average 27 bushels per acre."

The top 10 barley producing counties included: Parmer, first; Hansford, second; Young, third; Deaf Smith, fourth; Pecos, fifth; Sherman, sixth; Randall, seventh; Wilbarger, eighth; Moore, ninth; and Castro, tenth.

## Theatre Has Open House

The Country Squire Dinner Theater, located at I-40 and Grand in Amarillo, will be holding an open house Sunday, January 28, from 1-5 p.m.

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Lee Clark

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Rev. Herman Schelter

### MISSION BELEN BAUTISTA

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

### Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"We ought to go on strike time-and-a-half for overtime and double-time for Sundays!"

## The Scriptures

The disciples were not losing time when they sat down beside their Master, and held quiet converse with Him under the olives of Bethany or by the shores of Galilee. Those were their school hours; those were their feeding times. The healthiest christian, the one who is best fitted for Godly living and Godly labors, is he who feeds most on the Scriptures. Here lies the benefit of Bible reading. J.W. Alexander said, "The study of God's Word, for the purpose of discovering God's will, is the secret discipline which has formed the greatest characters."

The scriptures teach us the best way of living, the noblest way of suffering and the most comfortable

way of dying. They are a stream where the elephant may swim or the lamb may wade. The Psalmist proclaims, "Where withal shall a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed there to according to thy word. With my whole heart have I sought thee: O let me not wander from thy commandments. Thy word have I had in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee: (Psa. 119: 9-11)." Again the Psalmist expounds upon the part the scriptures should play in our lives. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. (Psa. 119: 105)."

Lee Clark Minister Church Of Christ

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 Thursday, February 1, 1979  
 at 3:00 p.m. in the Bovina  
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 Bovina, and comments of  
 citizens concerning the City  
 of Bovina's intent to apply  
 for a \$250,000.00 grant from  
 the Small Cities Program,  
 Community Development  
 Block Grants, Department  
 of Housing and Urban  
 Development, for the paving,  
 to include gutters and  
 curbs, of all unpaved streets  
 within the City of Bovina,  
 estimated at approximately  
 two miles. Other basic  
 eligible activities for which  
 such funds can be applied  
 include: Senior centers;  
 parks, playgrounds, and  
 other recreational facilities;  
 centers for the handicapped;  
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 sewer facilities; foundations  
 and platforms for air rights  
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 walkways; flood and drain-  
 age facilities; other public  
 facilities and improve-  
 ments. It is a fact that more  
 preapplications will be  
 submitted to the Depart-  
 ment of Housing and Urban  
 Development than can be  
 funded. All citizens are  
 invited to attend this public  
 hearing. A Spanish-English  
 Interpreter will be in  
 attendance.

R.R. Lusk  
 Mayor  
 27-2tc

**Legal Notices**

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

**SUBJECT: Pioneer Natural Gas Rate Increase**  
 The Steering Committee and consultants are recommending an increase in revenue to Pioneer of \$11,500,000 as compared to the \$19,800,000 they requested. This is a percentage increase of about 15.5 per cent versus the 26.3 per cent requested. The cost of gas pass-through provision will remain as it is. They presently have what is known in the industry as a 100 per cent pass through on raw gas costs. They had requested what is known as a true 100 per cent pass through. This would have been what they have plus approximately 10 per cent to cover state tax, franchise tax, line loss, and gas used in compressor stations. At present they do not get to pass these increased costs on through.

The new rates would be effective with gas delivered and sold on or after February 15, 1979.

The public is invited to discuss these matters with the city Council at 7 p.m. February 8, 1979.

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**NOTA LEGAL**

La Ciudad de Bovina tendra una junta para el publico el Jueves, Febrero 1, 1979 a las 3:00 p.m. en el Bovina City Hall, 323 Calle Norte, en Bovina, Texas. El proposito de esta junta es para que la gente nos den sus idellas, y sugestones continiando a la Ciudad de Bovina que esta intentando a aplicar para un prestamo de \$250,000.00 del Programa para Cuidades Peqenas, Prestamos de todas las calles de tierra en la ciudad de Bovina, presupuesto aproximado de dos milas. Estos fondos tambien son elijebles para centros para anyanos, parques y otros facilidades recreasonales; centros para los desabelitados; centros para ayudar la gente; facilidades para la proteccion de lumbres; el improvemento de las calles; y muchos otros emprovementos; Todos son evnitados a que atiendan esta junta. Tendremos un enterpete que hable Espanol.

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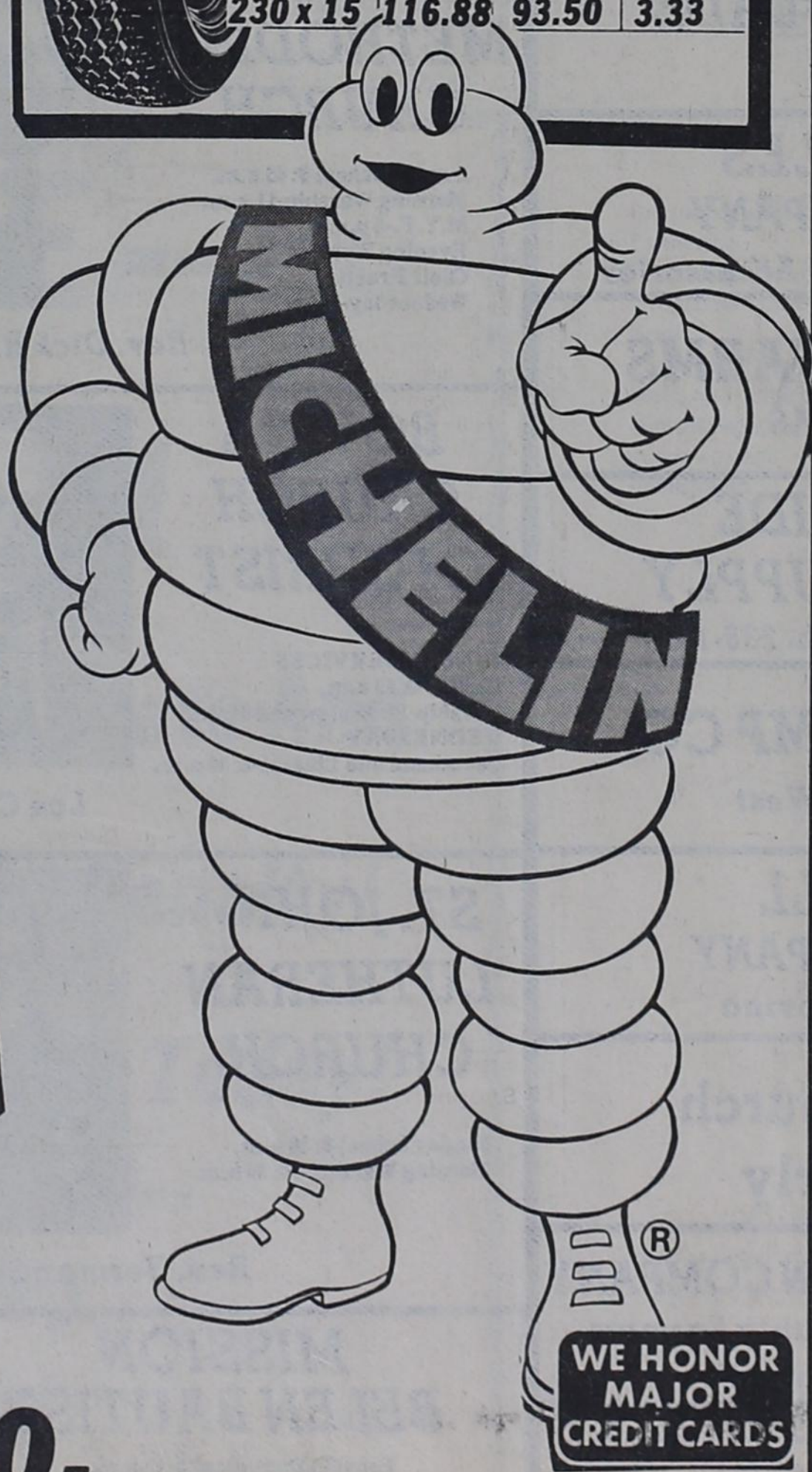
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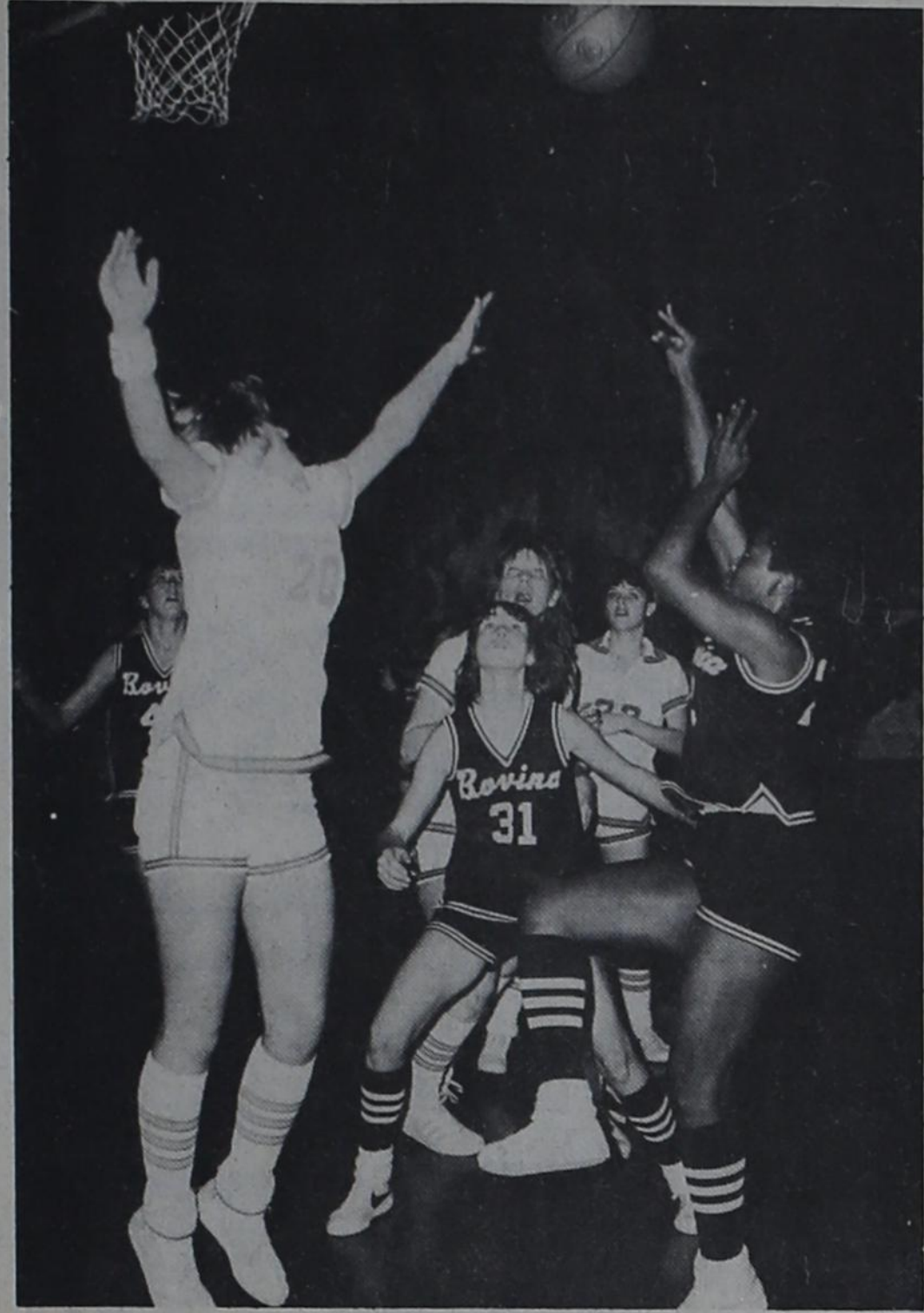
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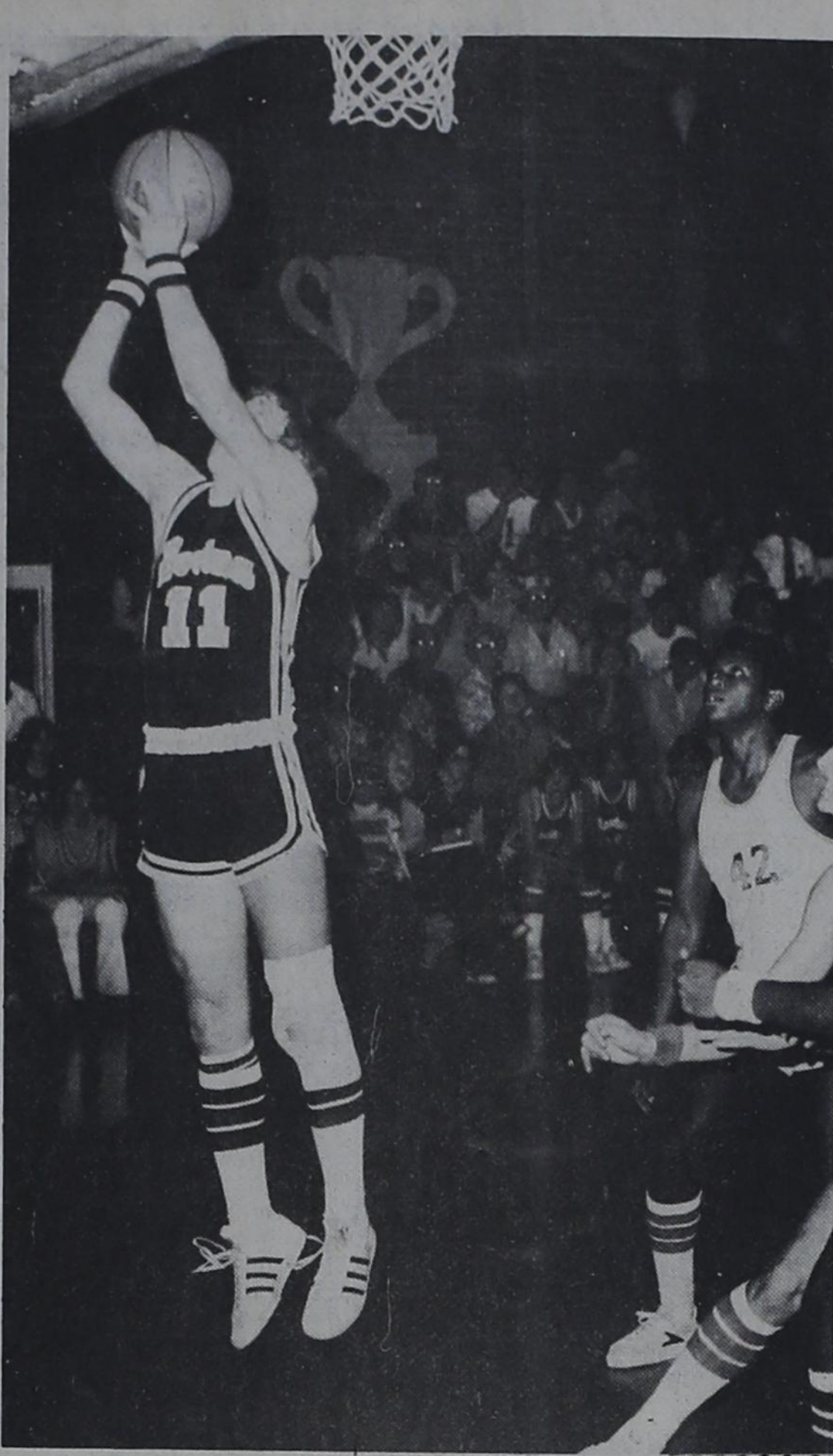


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BELINDA SHELBY puts in two against the Farwell Steerettes last Friday night, January 19. The Fillies won the game 45-34. Kathy Williams (31) stands by for the rebound.



EASY TWO....Ronnie Cary goes up for an easy two points during the Mustang-Farwell game last Friday night. The Mustangs won the game, only the second time since 1966, by a score of 67-48. The other win was this year during the Muleshoe Tournament.

## Ponies Take Second Win Over Farwell

The Bovina High School Mustangs, Fillies and Junior Varsity teams travelled to Farwell Friday night, January 19, and came away with three wins and one loss.

The only loss of the night was suffered by the Fillies Junior Varsity as they dropped their game, 24-40.

The Mustangs beat the Steers for the second time this year after a 13-year

drought of losing to the Farwell team. The Ponies were led by balanced scoring attack with three of the Mustangs in double figures. The Mustangs are now 3-1 in district after their 67-48 win.

The Fillies, also 3-1 in district, beat the Steerettes, 45-34. Sandi Sides and Denise Read both poured in 12 points during the contest. The Mustangs Junior

Varsity squeaked by the Farwell Junior Varsity, 47-45. It was a nip and tuck game right to the end, but the Ponies Junior Varsity held on for the win.

**BOX SCORES**  
Mustangs 14 38 47 67  
Farwell 6 22 34 48  
Cary 17, Read 12, Shepherd 10, Salazar 8, Shelby 6, Mayfield 4, Quiroga 3, D. Sudderth 3, Johnson 2, B. Sudderth 2.

**Fillies** 8 18 32 45  
Farwell 4 18 24 34  
Read 12, Sides 12, Shelby 8, Naegle 7, Moody 4, Williams 2.

**Mustang JV** 8 21 39 47  
Farwell 10 26 32 45  
R. Shepherd 18, Mayfield 11, Lowe 8, Trimble 4, N. Shepherd 3, Hughes 2, Turner 1.

**Fillie JV** 4 7 13 24  
Farwell 4 21 29 40  
Griffin 11, Spring 10, Serna 2, Hughes 1.

## HS Scores Three Wins Over Hart

The Bovina High School Mustangs, Fillies, and Fillies Junior Varsity won all their games against Hart last Tuesday, January 16.

The Mustangs won big over the Longhorns, 64-27. Roy Shelby led in the scoring with 15 points, but something of interest was that every player but one on the team contributed points to the effort.

The Fillies boosted their record to 15-8 with a 51-39 win over the Longhornettes. Sandi Sides was high scorer for the game with 17 points. The Fillies shot 53 per cent from the free throw line and 35 per cent from the field.

The Fillies Junior Varsity also added another win to their record which now stands at 8-3. The Fillies

J.V. beat the Hart girls 55-38. Connie Shelby was high scorer for the game with 19 points.

**BOX SCORES**  
Mustangs 14 33 51 64  
Hart 12 18 25 27  
Shelby 15, Cary 10, D. Sudderth 6, Read 5, Quiroga 5, Villarreal 5, Mayfield 4, B. Sudderth 4, Shepherd 4, Salazar 3, Johnson 3.

**Fillies** 21 32 37 51  
Hart 12 25 27 39  
Sides 17, Moody 11, Naegle 8, Read 6, Schilling 4, Widner 1.

**Fillies JV** 16 32 34 55  
Hart 6 16 29 38  
Shelby 19, Griffin 10, Spring 10, Serna 8, Hughes 2, Morais 2, Henson 2, Espinoza 2.

## JC's Host Trap Shoot

The Bovina Jaycees will hold a trap shoot this Sunday, January 28, from 1-5 p.m. The shoot will be held at the regular place which is located two miles east of Bovina on Highway 60. There will be signs to direct anyone wanting to attend.



### LUNCH MENU

WEEK OF JAN. 29-FEB. 2

**MONDAY**-Corn dogs, potato salad, carrot sticks, cornbread, butter, pear halves, orange juice and Borden's milk.

**TUESDAY**-Meat and vegetable soup, peanut butter, cabbage slaw, brownies, crackers, raisins and Borden's milk.

**WEDNESDAY**-Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, mustard, potato rounds, chocolate clusters and Borden's milk.

**THURSDAY**-Lasagne, spinach, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, butter, mixed fruit and Borden's milk.

**FRIDAY**-Fish and tarter sauce, macaroni and cheese, green beans, hot rolls, butter, peaches, raisins and Borden's milk.

## Roming Wins HPUWD Spot

Complete but unofficial returns from the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 election held Saturday, January 20, show that Floyd Reeve of Friona and Ralph Roming of Bovina have been elected as County Committeemen from Parmer County.

The two men will serve four-year terms on the committee that represents Parmer County residents at Water District meetings and activities. They will join Troy Christian, Farwell; Dalton Caffey, Friona; and Ronald Elliott, Muleshoe, on the five-member committee that handles approval of water well drilling permits and other related activities in Parmer County.

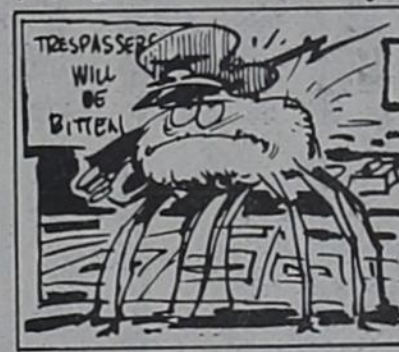
Also at the election Webb Gober of Farwell was elected to the District's Board of Directors from Director's Precinct 3 which consists of Bailey, Castro and Parmer Counties.

## McCain On Dean's List

Butch McCain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain, was recently named to the Dean's List at West Texas State University in Canyon. The twenty-year-old Junior is majoring in Mass Communications with a minor in Business.

McCain is employed by KGNC Radio in Amarillo. A grade point average of 3.00 is required to make the Dean's List at W.T.S.U.

### IT'S A FACT!



The rate for most major crimes in the U.S. declined in recent years. Some of the decrease may be due to the efforts of a San Francisco jewelry store: it has a tarantula and a sign noting "this area is patrolled by a tarantula."

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(Including Domestic Subsidiaries)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK			
First State Bank of Bovina			
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Bovina	Parmer	Texas	79009
STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
1980	11	December 29, 1978	

ASSETS	Mil.	Thou.			
1. Cash and due from depository institutions	2	589	1		
2. U.S. Treasury securities		240	2		
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		200	3		
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		823	4		
5. All other securities		None	5		
6. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		400	6		
7. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	5	058	7a		
b. Less: allowance for possible loan losses		107	7b		
c. Loans, Net		4	951	7c	
8. Lease financing receivables		None	8		
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		79	9		
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises		None	10		
11. All other assets		25	11		
12. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 11)		9	307	12	
LIABILITIES					
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		3	672	13	
14. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		4	087	14	
15. Deposits of United States Government		16	15	15	
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		696	16	16	
17. All other deposits		None	17	17	
18. Certified and officers' checks		80	18	18	
19. Total Deposits (sum of items 13 thru 18)		8	551	19	
a. Total demand deposits		4	113	19a	
b. Total time and savings deposits		4	438	19b	
20. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None	20	20	
21. Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money		None	21	21	
22. Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		None	22	22	
23. All other liabilities		None	23	23	
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 19 thru 23)		8	551	24	
25. Subordinated notes and debentures		None	25	25	
EQUITY CAPITAL					
26. Preferred stock	a. No. shares outstanding	None	(par value)	None	26
27. Common Stock	a. No. shares authorized	2400		240	27
	b. No. shares outstanding	2400	(par value)	320	27
28. Surplus		196		28	28
29. Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		756		29	29
30. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 26 thru 29)		9	307	30	30
31. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 24, 25 and 30)		9	307	31	31
MEMORANDA					
1. Amounts outstanding as of report date					
a. Standby letters of credit, total		None		1a	1a
b. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more		284		1b	1b
c. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		None		1c	1c
2. Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date					
a. Total deposits (corresponds to item 19 above)		7	951	2a	2a

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.

I/We, the undersigned officer(s) do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT	AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO.	DATE SIGNED
Stephen N. Sherrill	806-238-1442	January 19, 1979

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Stephen N. Sherrill, Vice-Pres. Cashier

WE, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR
[Signature]	[Signature]	[Signature]

State of Texas County of Parmer

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19 day of January, 1979.

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

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Notary Public.

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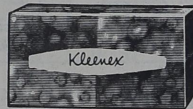
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