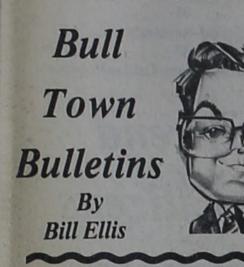


The Bovina Blade

'In The Agricultural Center Of Parmer County'

THE NEWSPAPER THAT WORKS FOR A BIGGER, BETTER BOVINA

Wednesday, December 5, 1979



THE YEAR 1980 is a census year, we were reminded this week by a piece of mail from the Bureau of the Census, which carried the slogan "We're counting on you....Census, '80."

Among the things which the everyten-years head count is expected to show will be an increase in the population of the state of Texas of roughly 16 per cent. Texas is expected to show to be one of the leaders in population growth, perhaps topping the rate of the "sunbelt" states of California and Florida.

Certain sections of the country, such as the upper midwest, are expected to show population increases of less than five per cent. New York City, once the fastestgrowing city in the nation, is expected

# David George Claims Football Contest Prize

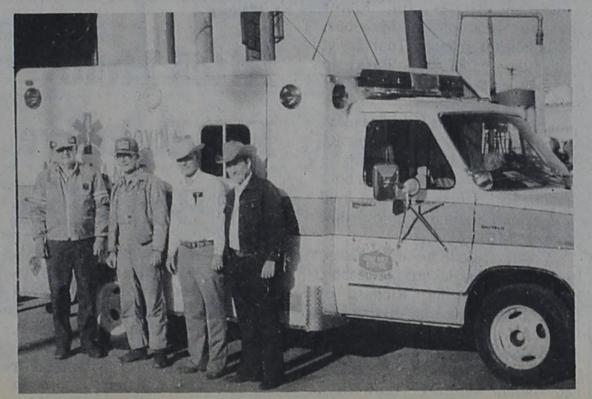
Thirteen weeks have come and gone in the Bovina Businesses Football Contest and the 1979 champion is David George. David was able to maintain his lead in the final week to win with a total of 124. For his expertise, George was awarded a check for \$100 from the Bovina Blade.

George is manager of Bovina Feeders, and this was his first time to be a regular entrant in the contest. "I thought I had blown my lead when I missed as many as I did this last week (six)," George said. But fortunately

for the winner, so did most of the other contestants.

In second place, only one point behind, was Lynn Read, with a score of 123. There were two contestants, Mike Perez and Nickie Villarreal at 121 and George Villarreal was sitting at 120.

The winners of the 13th week's contest were Ronnie Wines and Steve Cockerham. Both had ten correct and were 10 points off on the tie-breaker. Ronnie missed the Monterey-Coronado, Clovis-Eldorado, Texas-Texas A&M, and Minnesota-Los



Angeles game. Steve missed the Monterey-Coronado, Clovis-Eldorado, Kansas City-Seattle, and Atlanta-San Diego games.

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Third place went to Doug Johnson who also scored ten correct and was 17 points off on the tie-breaker. One other person scored a ten and that was Patricia Sherrili.

The Blade staff would like to thank all those who competed in the contest and congratulate the winners. We would also like to extend a special thanks to all the sponsors of the Bovina Businesses Football Contest.

The sponsors were: Bovina Pump Co., Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., Sherley Grain Co., Charles Oil Company, Bovina Feeders and the First State Bank.

Also, Big Nick Farm Machinery, Lawlis Gin Company, Horn-Clayton Insurance, Paul Jones Texaco, Dairy



**BIG WINNER....David George accepts his check for \$100** from Blade publisher, Bill Ellis, for winning the Bovina Businesses Football Contest. David edged out Lynn Read by one point for the contest title.

to show a decline of less than one per cent.

In addition to the regional population shifts, the 1980 figures are expected to reveal some other interesting facts concerning the new trend in the age breakdown, and percentages for various age brackets.

For instance, the bracket for those aged 19 and below is expected to have declined by as much as 7.7 per cent between the two census figures.

Those in the 20-29 age bracket may have increased by 31.6 per cent, and those between 30-39 should be up by 33.1 per cent.

The 40-49 year bracket is expected to be in the "decline" column, by around 6.2 per cent, but those in the 50-64 age group will have increased by 11.2 per cent, and those 65 years of age and older are expected to have grown by a whopping 24.2 per cent.

So, the new census will probably confirm what population specialists have been predicting all along-that the "average age" of Americans is steadily increasing due to a number of factors.

THE COVER STORY in the current issue of Texas Monthly gives some unusual facts about things in our state which are not so big. The article points out that the current era of limits--dwindling oil reserves, devalued dollar and shrinking candy bars--seems to put a premium on things small, rather than large.

And Texas is ready for the switch, the article points out. For instance, the University of Texas claims the world's smallest zoo, which contains almost 300 species of fruit fly.

Horticulturist Ernest Williams of Dallas has developed over 300 varieties of miniature roses, such as Popcorn, Sugar Elf and Toy Clown, which only grow to a height of three inches, the article points out.

Rockwall County, the state's smallest county with only 147 square miles, has the highest percentage of arable land, 67 per cent, while Loving County, the "wee one" in terms of population, provides the smallest drain on the national treasury. "Loving County receives no federal aid, but gets along just fine," says the magazine.

The piece recognizes famous folks who have come from small hamlets in Texas, such as Bob Lilly

NEW AMBULANCE.... The new ambulance for the Bovina Ambulance Service arrived last Sunday. Pictured with the ambulance are, left to right, Cleo Thomas, crew member; Fred O'Hair, Council member; Tom Bonds, City Manager; and R.R. Lusk, Mayor.

**Expanded** Pheasant Season To Kick Off

An expanded pheasant season will be kicked off in Parmer County Saturday morning, December 8. This year's season will span five weekends, and ends January 6.

This is the longest season since the first one was held on a one-weekend basis in 1964. The season was expanded first to a week encompassing two weekends, and then to three weekends for the past five years.

The 1979-80 season marks the 16th annual pheasant season for hunters in Parmer County.

According to observations, a good pheasant crop should be in store for the hunters.

More than 2,000 pheasants were released in Parmer County by the Parmer County Game Association in 1962 and 1963, with the population growing steadily since that time.

The more colorful male pheasant is the only legal game for hunters with the hens being protected by state laws.

The "bag" limit is the same as it has been for the past several years: two cocks per day, with four in possession. The season and rules are set by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission.

The later season for hunting pheasants has proven popular, especially with college students. Although a large number of hunters will be in the fields throughout the season, most of the hunters will be stalking the colorful bird the opening weekend of the season.

Freeze, Parmer County Spraying Service, Crop Care, Inc. and Agri-Sprayers, Inc.

# Ambulance Showing Set

It's here! That big shiny white job with the orange stripe that's been seen cruising around town the past few days is the new Bovina Ambulance as you can see by the bright blue lettering on the side.

The City's new ambulance arrived in Bovina during the early morning hours Sunday and members of the crew along with several interested spectators transfered equipment from the old ambulance into the new and maneuvered it into the parking area at the fire station Sunday afternoon.

Representatives of the Texas Department of Health inspected the new vehicle Monday and certified it ready to carry patients. Unlike the old ambulance, the new vehicle, because of its larger size, will be registered with the State as an ambulance.

All citizens of Bovina and the surrounding area are invited to come by the parking lot of the Bovina Supermarket between 2 and 5 p.m. on Sunday to look over the ambulance (unless the ambulance should have to make a call during that time). We believe you will be pleased with this big step forward in emergency care for the people of this area.



**Bill Morgan Announces** For Co. Sheriff's Office

M.C. "Bill" Morgan has authorized this announcement of his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Parmer County, subject to the Democratic Primary.

In seeking this office, Morgan states, "I feel that I am well-qualified to serve the citizens of Parmer County as their Sheriff. I have over 20 years' experience in law enforcement. I have spent 16 years of this in Parmer County. I was with the Friona Police Department for eight years, being Chief of Police for six and one-half years.

"I have been with the Parmer County Sheriff's Department for eight years, with the last two being as the Chief Deputy Sheriff.

"I am a graduate of Panhandle Law Enforcement Academy at Amarillo College and a graduate of the Texas Department of Public Safety Identification Officers School in Austin. I have also attended several other law enforcement schools during my 20 years' tenure in this field.

"I am a Certified Texas Law Enforcement Officer and hold a Jailer Qualification Certificate.

"I was born in Clovis, New Mexico, and am a lifelong resident of the High Plains. My personal knowledge of this area along with my professional qualifications will enable me to fulfill the office of Parmer County Sheriff."



**BILL MORGAN** 

Morgan is married and has three children. He is a United States Navy veteran, a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge. "I want to be your Sheriff and ask your support in the Democratic Primary," concludes Morgan.





Farwell again this year with three

cash prizes offered for the longest

The hunter turning in the longest

feather in each town will receive a \$15

cash prize with second place awarded

\$10 and third place \$5. The hunter

with the longest tailfeather in the

county will receive an engraved

plaque from the Parmer County

Game Management Association.

Hance Sets

Town Hall

Meeting Sat.

tailfeathers.

(Throckmorton), Bob Wills (the mag says Koose, we thought he was from Turkey) and Gene Autry (Tioga). It also points out that a number of our famous products have been short in stature, such as Willie Shoemaker (5-0), John Tower (height not given), Audie Murphy (5-7), and Ima Hogg. The bit calls current governor Bill Clements the shortest Republican governor in the past century (5-9). Political experts will recognize that he wins this honor hands down. \* \* \* \*

**CONGRATULATIONS TO David** George on winning the championship in our football contest. It was another good race. However, the contest was not quite the same without having Emmett Tabor's name up near the top. We missed his participation.

Tailfeather contests will be conducted in Friona, Bovina and

# **Cotton Count:** 21,309

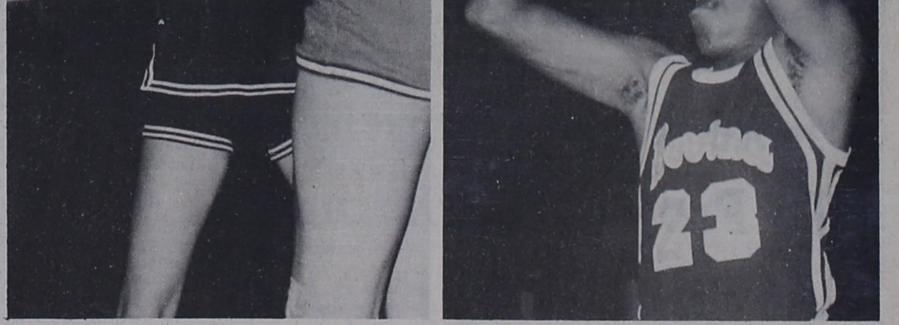
bales of cotton had been ginned in Parmer County as of Tuesday, December

Congressman Kent Hance will be in Friona on Saturday, December 8 for one of a series of "Town Hall" meetings in the area. The meeting will be held at the Showbarn/Community Center, beginning at 1 p.m.

The Congressman is anxious to visit with residents of Parmer County about their problems, according to a spokesman for his office.

Cong. Hance will speak briefly, giving an update on the situation in Iran and how it affects the country, as well as a rundown on legislation facing Congress. He will then open up the meeting for questions and answers.

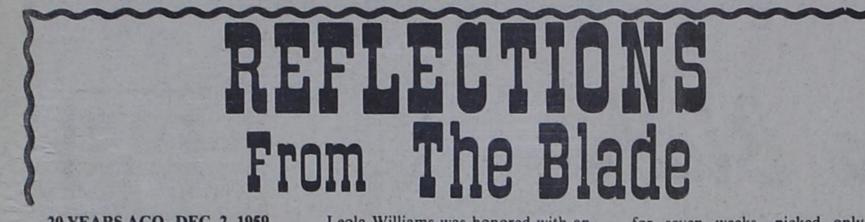
Everyone interested is invited and urged to attend the meeting. The meeting will last approximately an hour, according to the spokesman.



**ROUNDBALL ACTION....Kathy Williams** and Harvey Shepherd are shown in action in last Tuesday's games against Friona at Friona.

The Fillies won 49-30, and the Mustangs lost 55-36. The Fillies are 4-0 for the season, and the Ponies were 0-2 prior to Tuesday.

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#### 20 YEARS AGO--DEC. 2, 1959

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Killough, Norman and Sid, and Mrs. Delores Hoffer and Stephanie spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rhodes of Lubbock. Mrs. Rhodes is Killough's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford and family spent Thanksgiving in Greenville visiting with their parents, Mrs. Roy Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Browning.

In recognition of 20 years of teaching in Bovina Schools, Mrs.

# Co-op Reps **Attend Meet**

Larry Webb, manager of the Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., and Floyd Schueler attended Farmland Industries' annual meeting in Kansas City, Missouri, December 5-7.

Issues ranging from livestock marketing to rural transportation, all crucial to farmers and their cooperatives, were explored by the 21,000 persons from 15 states attending the meeting.

The traditional "state of the coop" message was delivered by John Anderson, Farmland president, at the opening session. He reviewed the past year, in which sales were \$3.86 billion and savings \$109.8 million, and shared his views for the coming year.

Leola Williams was honored with an appreciation tea Monday evening at close of a PTA meeting in the school cafeteria.

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15 YEARS AGO--NOV. 25, 1964 The Bovina Mustangs, handling the Vega Longhorns with more-thanexpected ease won the District 1-B championship here Friday night, 26-0.

Jeanne Kerby pulled into a two point lead in Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest last week over Dixie Carson, who had been in the contest lead or tied for it,



#### Dear Editor,

I do not know if all the people of Bovina really appreciate what God has so richly bestowed upon this community.

God sent a minister here who already had a concern for mans soul, but he also had a concern for the sick and the injured. He cared enough about the people of this community, as well as those traveling through, that he sought after others who also had this same concern, and through dedication, hard work and long hours of study, they gave Bovina this much needed Ambulance Service. Last night Jerry and I were among others who got to share in the celebration on the arrival of the beautiful new ambulance. The crew has every right to be proud of it, because they will be able to give you, the people, better service.

for seven weeks, picked only six winners last week while Mrs. Kerby had eight. . . . .

10 YEARS AGO -- NOV. 26, 1969 Kenneth Moore, Bovina High School junior, was the first place winner in the eleventh week of Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest.

Nothing was taken in a break-in Wednesday night last week at Western Ammonia west of Bovina, but over \$5,000 in herbicides was stolen, the same night at Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Condron of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ezer of Anahuac have been here visiting Mrs. Mary Ruth Redden and other relatives. The group, accompanied by friends, traveled on to Eagle Nest, N.M. for a vacation. . . . .

5 YEARS AGO -- NOV. 27, 1974 Funeral services for William Elmer (Willie) Williams, 79, of Bovina were held Monday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church of Bovina. A native of Johnsville, Oklahoma, Mr. Williams moved to Bovina in 1920. He owned and operated a grocery store from 1921 until the early 1930's. He established Williams Mercantile Co. in 1932 and sold the firm in November 1964 when he retired.

Master Sergeant Bobby H. Webb, son of Mrs. Bessie L. Webb of Bovina, has graduated from the Military Airlift Command's Noncommissioned Officer Academy at Norton AFB, California.

# **Contest Standings**

124 **David George** 123 Lynn Read 121 Mike Perez, Nickie Villarreal 120 **George Villarreal** 119 Danny Harris, Tom Ware 118 **Mike London** 

117 Hattie Burnett, Wes Cockerham, **Todd Ware, Billy Whitecotton** 

116 Nathan Moore, Michael Shepherd, **James Whitson** 115

George Bentley, Dorothy Harris, Jeanne Kerby, N.E.

114 Mary Hernandez, Wayne Spears, A.M. Wilson

113 Jimmie Cockerham, Manuel

Victor Isaac **Rites Held** 

## In Lubbock

Funeral services for Victor 'Mansour' Isaac, 87, of Muleshoe, were conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home. He died at 7 a.m. Tuesday, Hernandez, Jr., Bill Read, Stacey Whitecotton 112 Beverly Harris, Joyce Read, David

Villarreal 111

Kyle Harris, Bobby Johnson, Al Kerby Jr., Steve Sherrill

Carl Rea, Pat Read, Leon Schilling, Lary Sides

109 Ron Cain, Dana Harris, Gay Horn, L.E. Jarecki, Frances Johnson, Betty Shepherd

Houston Bartlett, Eric Johnston, Robbie Moody, Chris Moore, Mary Jane Wilson

107 Laura Bartlett, Lynn Caffey, Donna Beth Lide, Johnny Martinez, Larry Wiseman, Joe Wright 106

Darrell Barlow, Barbara Cockerham, Robert Fowler, Greg Hromas, Mike Spears 105

Rhonda London, Ellice Martinez, Terry Schilling, Dean Stanberry, **Johnny Villarreal** 

Rocky Bartlett, Owen B. Johnston, **Donna Malcom** 

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103 **Martha Schilling** 102

Joe Harris, Robert Hughes, Billie J. Manuel

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# Luncheon

The Senior Citizens met Wednesday, November 28 at the Spot for their luncheon with thirty-six present.

Included was fellowship after the luncheon and a business meeting. Some played games. Some progress has been made on the new building.

The next meeting will be December 19, a little early due to the Christmas holidays. Please notice the change for this month only.

At the business meeting it was decided to have a bake sale Friday, December 7 at the Community Room of the First State Bank beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Speakers at the general sessions included Mike Wallace, CBS News Correspondent and co-editor of the weekly CBS Television Network "60 Minutes'' show, and Orion Samuelson, ag services director for WGN Radio in Chicago, who reported on his recent trip to China.

The meeting closed December 7 with a business session and election of directors.

Farmland, a regional farm supply and marketing cooperative headquartered in Kansas City, serves more than 500,000 farmers and ranchers

Jerry and I want to thank each member for your unselfish dedication and sacrifice in serving the sick and injured.

May the "Great Physician" always be your guide.

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**Bill Ellis**, Publisher R.D. Looney, Editor November 27 at the University Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness. Victor Isaac was born in Ramallah, Jordan, and had lived on the South Plains and in Muleshoe for the last 18 years.

Survivors include his wife, Helen; four sons, Charles of Muleshoe, Edward of Bovina, Richard of Lubbock and Lawrence of Chicago, Illinois; a daughter, Delores Abdelnour of Detroit, Michigan; two brothers, Sadallah Moses of Lubbock and Naoum Mousa of Brownfield; two sisters, Hanna Mousa of Brownfield and Yasmine Kahlil of San Francisco, California and several

grandchildren.

**For Relative** 

# **Of Bovinian**

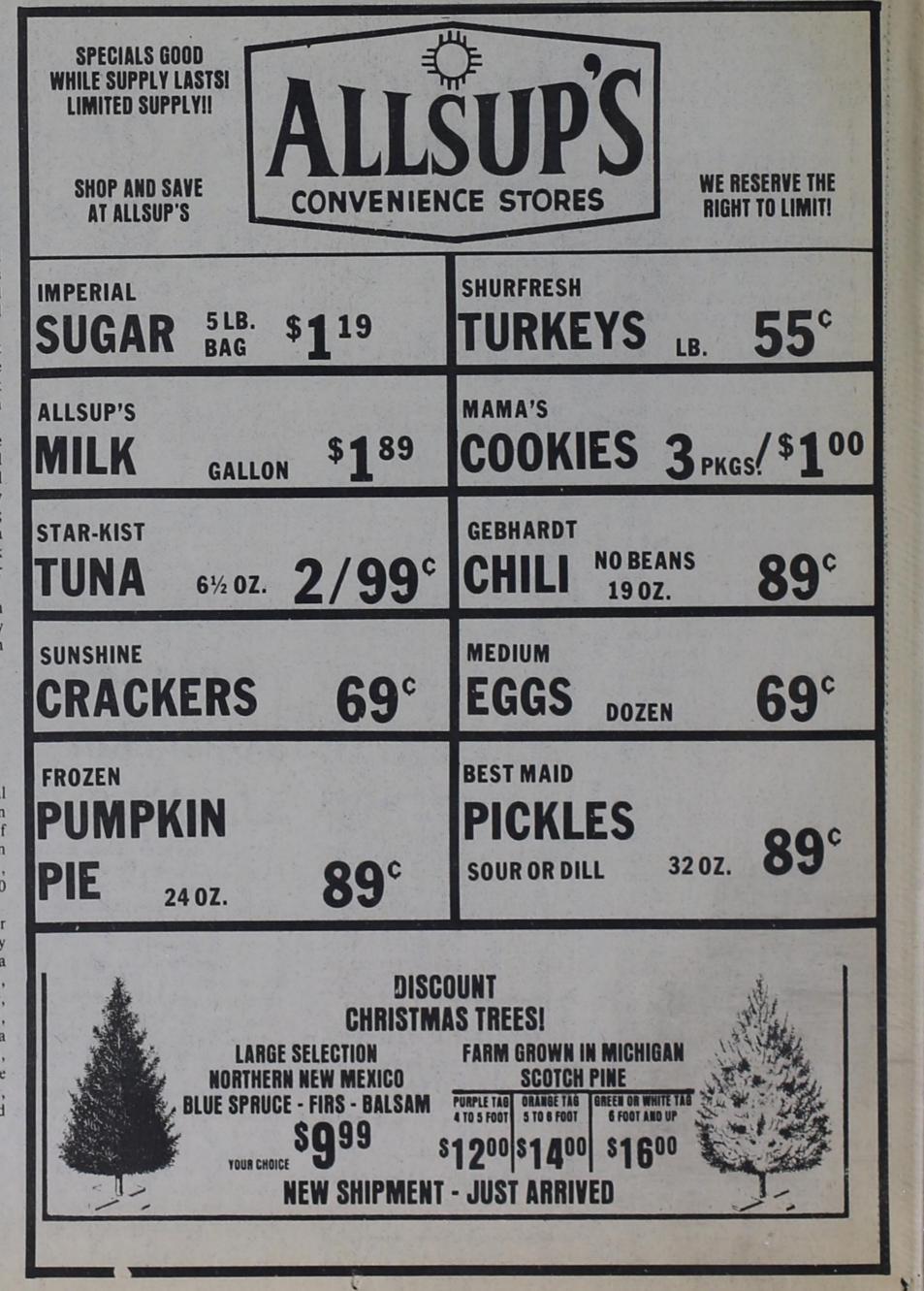
Mrs. Loretta Sullivan Crider, 41, cousin of Mrs. Chester Haney of Bovina, passed away November 29 in Dallas. Mrs. Crider was born January 21, 1938 in Muleshoe.

She is survived by her husband, Paul, two children of the home, her mother, Lila Sullivan, a brother Charles and her grandmother, Mrs. C.S. Sullivan of Muleshoe.

Services were conducted December 2 in Dallas.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Kelso, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake, Elbert Kelly, Sid Lloyd, Lillian Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Lide, Charlsie Eubank, Jerry Ware, Bertha McGrew, Oma Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney, Allene Russell, Willie Mae Ross and Maurine Bell.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson, Sophia McDaniel, Bessie Trimble, J.J. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson, Monte Turner, Belle Willard, Maesie Flynn, Ola P. Epperly, Thogal Stanberry, Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Grissom, Lola Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hancock and Elva Teague.





Jake tell me one more time how much fun we're havin on this huntin trip.

# Make Your Donations To Project Christmas

# At First State Bank

FIRST STATE BANK

115 3rd Street Member FDIC Of Bovina 

the First State Bank in Bovina on Saturday, December 8 at 3 p.m. til 4:30 p.m.

Hostesses for the shower will be Shelby Rhodes, Suezy Smith, Juanda Murphy, Era Jamerson, Carolyn Pruitt, Nita Dale, Martha Garner, Jan Heard, Laura Bartlett, Molly Griffin, Patricia Turner, Esther Steelman, Carde Scott, Darlene Caldwell, LaQuita Garner, Marilyn Carole, Joyce Read and Amy Hromas.



# **Band Parents Elect Officers**

The Bovina Band Parents met Monday night, November 26 to elect new officers and to discuss goals and projects.

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New officers elected were: Mrs. Earl Whitten, president; Mrs. Leon Schilling, vice president; and Mrs. Dick Richards, secretary-treasurer.

Band director, Jim Little, met with the parents to discuss the semi-annual band trip. The High School Band hopes to travel to Nashville, Tennessee by way of chartered bus in May. The trip will cost approximately \$200.00 per person. This will include: fare, lodging, one meal per day and tickets for entertainment such as Opry Land. The Band will have six

Sr. Citizens Set Bazaar

## The Senior Citizens will have a bake sale and bazaar at the First State

Bank Community Room Friday, December 7 beginning at 8:30 a.m. Baked goods and hand crafts will be sold.

sold.

days for the trip. They will be accompanied by 15 sponsors.

Each board member will have numerous opportunities to earn money towards their expenses through sponsored projects.

Immediate projects are picking up corn in a joint effort with the Bovina Ambulance Service, (half the proceeds going to the band and half towards the new ambulance for Bovina), selling tins of Kathryn Beich candies and party nuts; and another turkey raffle before Christmas. Band Parents will be selling Texas Manor fruit cakes.

Mr. Little will record each person's participation and money earned so that the work will be equally distributed.

We wish to thank the community for their support in buying the family portraits and raffle tickets on the turkey. We ask your continued support in the coming months.

There are several other projects being planned and considered. If you have any fund raising ideas suitable for the band students please contact Mr. Little or a Band Parent.

# Hospital Report

#### ADMISSIONS-

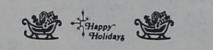
Lance Scott, Hereford; Stormy Davison, Muleshoe; Mariano Garcia, Hereford; C.E. Trimble, Bovina; Wade Schueler, Friona; Holly Campbell and baby girl, Friona; Josie Gonzales and baby boy, Friona; Vandra Milloy, Springlake; Duane Baize, Friona; Dale Cooper, Bovina; Kathleen Caylor, Hereford; and Donald Phelps, Friona.

#### **DISMISSALS--**

Frank Truitt, Eusebio Marquez, Maria Madrigal, Rachael Esquivel, Lance Scott, Stormy Davison, C.E. Trimble, Wade Schueler, Vandra Milloy, Duane Baize, Dale Cooper, Mariano Garcia and Donald Phetps.

#### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Gladys Lee, Drucilla Paul, A.E. Baize, Josie Gonzales and baby boy, Holly Campbell and baby girl, Nettie Charles, Kathleen Caylor, Joseph Mendiaz and Nina Watkins.



### Girl Born To Andersons

Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson of Lazbuddie have announced the birth of their first child, Alexis Lee. The baby girl was born November 12 and weighed seven pounds, eight ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Penny Anderson of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dobson of Amarillo. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderson Sr. of Farwell.

### Kunselmans

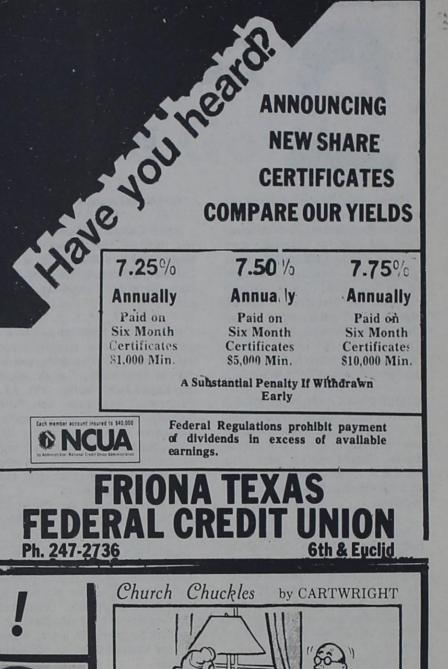
### Have Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Arty Kunselman of Lazbuddie announce the birth of their first child, Gina Nichole.

The baby girl was born at the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford on December 1. She weighed five pounds, thirteen ounces and measured eighteen inches long.

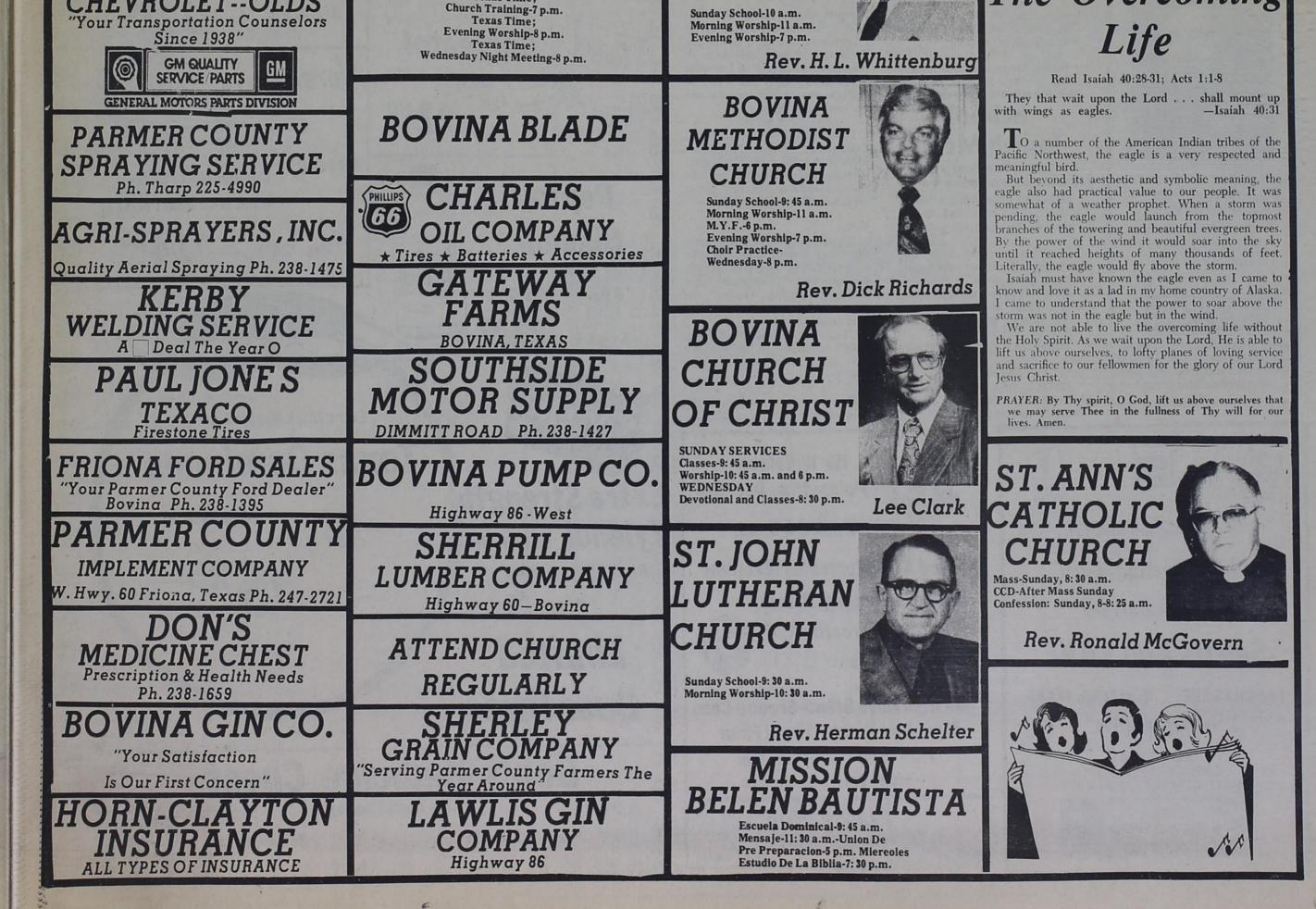
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kunselman of Bovina. Great-grandparents are Doris Wilson of Bovina, Meca West of Hereford, Mae Russell of Hereford and Kay Kunselman of Pennsylvania. Gina Nichole also has a great-

great-grandfather, A.G. White.



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Scooter's Scoops

### **By Scooter Russell**

The month of December started off with a banner event for the Russels and the Kunselmans...Our children, Tami and Arty, of Lazbuddie gave birth to our granddaughter, Gina Nichole, born Saturday, December 1st at the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford .... Cotton harvest is still going strong in our area...Good weather prevailing ... Christmas not far away .... kiddos-hurry with your letters to Santa so we can forward them to the North Pole. ....

#### **OTHER NEWS AROUND TOWN...**

Kelwin King, son of Mr. and Mrs. D.T. King suffered injuries when he was involved in a truck wreck in Kansas. Kelwin spent a week in a hospital in Ulysses, Kansas but is out of the hospital and back at his home in Friona.

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Martha and Wendell Garner had a house full of company Thanksgiving Day: their children and their families, Dickie and Joyce and son Richard; Donna and Larry Mitchell and children, Keri, Kory, Kelli, and Kevin; Susan and Bobby Hix and Bobby's sister, Darla of Eunice, New Mexico.

Also attending the Thanksgiving celebration were: Keith and Laqueta Garner and children, Tim, Doyle, and Donell, and Martha's mother, Joycie Blevins of Garland and Wendell's mother, Leora Garner of Plainview.

of the hospital sometime this week. . . . .

Senior Citizens are asked to bring your items early for the bake sale and bazaar which will be held at the Community Room of the First State Bank, December 7 beginning at 8:30 a.m.

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Jack and Ona Patterson and Jack's niece, Nancy Dunn, returned home last Thursday after spending several days in Chatsworth, Georgia where they helped Jack's mother, Mrs. J.L. Patterson, celebrate her 90th birthday. The celebration was held at the school cafeteria with over 200 family and friends present. Jack said all thirteen children in his family were present, about 39 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

On the way home the Pattersons and Nancy took in the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City.

. . . .

Our congratulations to Penny and Annita Anderson on the birth of their first grandchild, a little girl born to their son and his wife, David and Rica Anderson of Lazbuddie. She was born November 12, named Alexis Lee and weighed seven pounds, eight ounces.

Bessie Trimble returned home last Wednesday from an enjoyable trip of ten days in Arizona visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Rosa Lee and John Tabor who have recently Friends say he is getting along fine and was released Tuesday of this week.

Tana Nix, daughter of Nancy Mith Knight, was treated and released following a one vehicle accident two miles south and one mile east of Bovina Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Hastings spent the weekend with their daughter and 710 son-in-law, Mike and Lajuana McMeans of Amarillo and their children, Lisa and Chris. Juanita said they attended church with them and enjoyed seeing films centered on family living.

Our deepest sympathies to Ed Isaac in the loss of his father, Victor Isaac Mility of Muleshoe. Mr. Isaac passed away last Tuesday at the University Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness. He is survived by his wife, four sons, one daughter, and several grandchildren. ....

Mr. and Mrs. T.S. Hancock anniversary with friends and family at the Fellowship Room of the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon.

Children who hosted the event were: Glen and Carol Hancock of Paris, their son Rodney and daughter Stacey, their daughter Janie and husband Matt Mosley of Muleshoe and their children and grandchildren:





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Mrs. Loretta Crider, 41, died of cancer and services were held December 2, in Dallas. She and her husband Paul and children, also her mother, Lela Sullivan and her grandmother, Mrs. C.S. Sullivan lived in Muleshoe several years ago. She was Bobby Haney's cousin.

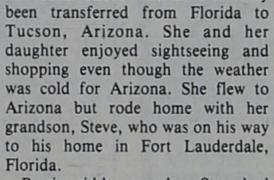
Ed Ross, who lived in Bovina for several years and is now living in the nursing home in Dimmitt, entered the hospital in Dimmitt last Thursday. Friends say he is expected to get out



Bridal Shower Honoring Sharon Steelman Community Room First State Bank, Bovina Saturday, December 8 From 3-4:30 P.M.



+ Fieldcrest Linens +Pyrex +Oneida Stainless+Corning Ware Faberware Cookware & Appliances Noritake China and Crystal



Bessie said her grandson Steve had been to Los Angeles, California, and had been in dance competition with over 400 competing. He won six gold trophies and his student was awarded the "supreme" rating of the entire contest.

Christopher Harris, five-year-old grandson of Furne and Jay Harris, flew to Dallas Sunday after spending several days with his grandparents. Christopher is the son of Carla and Wesley Harris of Louisville. . . . .

Nathan Moore underwent surgery in the Levelland Hospital last week. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

## School Lunch Menu

**WEEK OF DECEMBER 10-14** \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

MONDAY -- Barbecued weiners, potato salad, pork and beans, cornbread, butter, mixed fruit and milk.

TUESDAY .- Turkey and rice, frozen English peas, hot rolls, butter, pear halves and milk.

WEDNESDAY -- Hamburgers, potato rounds, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, mustard, chocolate chip cookies and milk.

THURSDAY -- Burritoes, cabbage slaw, buttered corn, cornbread, butter, fruit jello and milk. FRIDAY--Tuna pie, green beans, buttered corn, hot rolls, butter,

Marty and Linda Mosley and daughter Marcella; Arelia and Glen Morris and daughter LaChell; Renea and Presly Newton of Muleshoe and Greg of Ozona; the Hancock's daughter Janett and Johnny St. Clair daughter Janett and Johnny St. Clair and children Jana and Wilton Cox of Monahans and their sons, Trenton, Brandon, and Devon and also Johnny Lee St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson will be honored with a reception for their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, December 9 at the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ from 2 until 4 p.m. All friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Baptist Men's family night was held at the Fellowship Hall at the First Baptist Church in Bovina last Wednesday. Reports were given on progress of the Rancho De Los Ninas in Quadamale where Jeann and Bo Bartlett are coordinators for the children's home there. . . . .

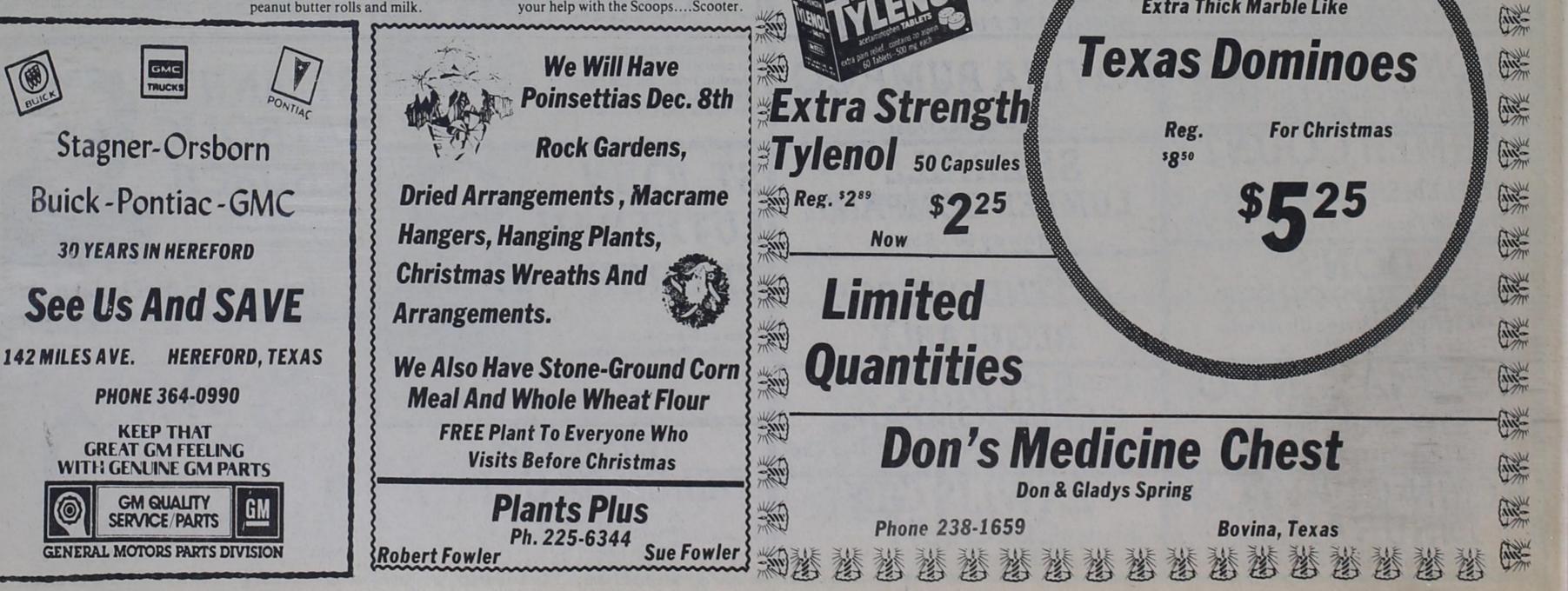
Thirty-five men attended the Men's Community Prayer Breakfast Monday morning at the First Baptist Church. Galen Hromas was the featured speaker. The next prayer

breakfast will be held January 7.

Smile: The exhausted husband put down the heavy suitcase and dejectedly looked down the track at the departing train. "If you hadn't taken so long getting ready," he admonished his wife, "we would have caught that train."

"Yes," she answered, "and if you hadn't rushed me so, we wouldn't have to wait so long for the next one."

Have a good week and thanks for your help with the Scoops....Scooter.



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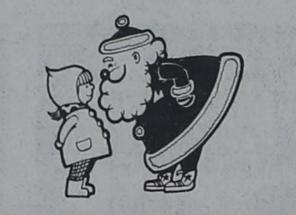
NOTICE TO BIDDERS.... Notice is hereby given that 20-8tp bids will be accepted for

construction of 12 rental units in Bovina. Bids must conform to guidelines approved by the Farmers Home Administration. Plans and specifications may be picked up at the Bovina City Hall. Bids will be opened at the Bovina City Hall on Friday, December 21 at 1:30 p.m. Bids will be received until that time. The Housing Authority of the City of Bovina, Texas, reserves the right to accept or reject any 22-2tc

# Fillies, Mustangs **Keep Streaks Going**

The Bovina High School Fillies basketball team remained unbeaten after traveling to Friona last Tuesday night, but the Mustangs failed again to get into the win column.

The Fillies started slow in the first quarter, scoring only 5 points, but they were able to hold the Squaws to



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only 3 points. In the second quarter, the Fillies opened up their offense and went into the dressing room at halftime with a 22-14 lead.

In the second half, the Fillies kept up their attack and outscored the Squaws 27-16 to take a 49-30 win. Connie Shelby led all scorers with 12 points and her sister, Linda, scored 10.

In the boys game, the lack of rebounding on the part of the Mustangs was the telling force as the Mustangs recorded their third loss in as many outings.

The Chiefs opened up a ten point lead in the first quarter before Bovina ever got on the scoreboard. In fact, the Mustangs could only come as

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close as 13 points for the rest of the game.

### **Statistics**

FILLIES 22 36 Squaws 3 14 22 30 B--Karen Hughes 1-0-2; Kathy Williams 0-5-5; Denise Read 4-1-9; Laura Widner 3-3-9; Karen Schilling 1-0-2; Linda Shelby 4-2-10; Connie Shelby 4-4-12. F--Dana Miller 1-0-2; Karen Patterson 2-1-5: Jiselle Malouf 0-5-5; Sylvia Bermea 2-1-5; Kenna Noland 1-1-3; Lynn Blackburn 0-1-1; Sarah Mears 2-0-4.

MUSTANGS 2 13 25 36 Chiefs 16 26 43 55 B--Ricky Shepherd 5-0-10; Blake Sudderth 4-0-8; Eddie Garcia 1-1-3; Harvey Shepherd 5-0-10; Ed Chisom 2-0-4. F--Kyle Barnett 2-0-4; Tony Jackson 2-0-4; Randy Kerr 7-5-19; Joe Malouf 3-2-8; Jerry Harrelson 7-2-16; Jim Evans 1-2-4.

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