

WHITTIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Men's fashions have been knocked in this space before. This came about for no good reason except that we're hesitant about making changes and much prefer for the women-folks to worry about styles, fashions and such nonsense and for men's clothing to stay just some nice, comfortable one way.

The period of transition in style changes is never a comfortable one for us. In the first place, we don't start to make the change until too late and everybody else is already thinking about switching to something else before we get around to "trying" the last change.

Wide ties, for instance. They've been "in" for the past several months, we'd guess, but we've been ignoring them in hopes they'd go away and we could continue to wear one of our three --- two of them borrowed --- nice, narrow comfortable ties that we like.

We don't mean to leave the impression here that we wear a tie everyday. If we did we might have to borrow some more. Anyway, we'd been considering trying to make the adjustment to a wider neckpiece since our favorite of the borrowed ones, which is on loan from a south-of-town buddy, was getting frayed just about where the knot is tied from too many wearings.

We've been listening closely and said buddy hadn't said anything about loaning us another, more stylish piece of neck wear and so it was in a weak moment, probably, that we wandered in Bovina Dry Goods for what we hoped would be a friendly visit with the proprietor, Ed Isaac.

Ed was friendly enough all right, and we suspected we were trapped when we noticed an impressive new display of name brand ties prominently displayed near the front door.

The "visit" hadn't progressed far when Ed confided, "You need a couple of these new style ties. The last time I saw you with a tie you had one of those old narrow ones that looked like . . . not too good."

There was no way to tell if Ed was aware that our tie sales resistance was low, but he selected a couple from the display which he assured us were "just right" for us. We noticed they were sur-nuf wide enough to be called stylish even by today's fashions and Ed was getting real close to making a sale.

When he reluctantly volunteered to "charge 'em," he had a deal made and we were the proud owner of two new wide ties.

Now we wish we could say that happiness and satisfaction reigned forever and that was the end of the story.

But it isn't. We admired the ties in the closet for a couple of days and then, come Sunday morning, we decided to put the prettier of the two in use. Tying it like we know how to tie a tie --- and we always thought that was about as good a way as any --- didn't leave much of the fabric left over to protrude from the knot. The knot and the neck, in other words, took up about all the material and didn't leave much tie, as pretty as it is, to cover the front of the shirt.

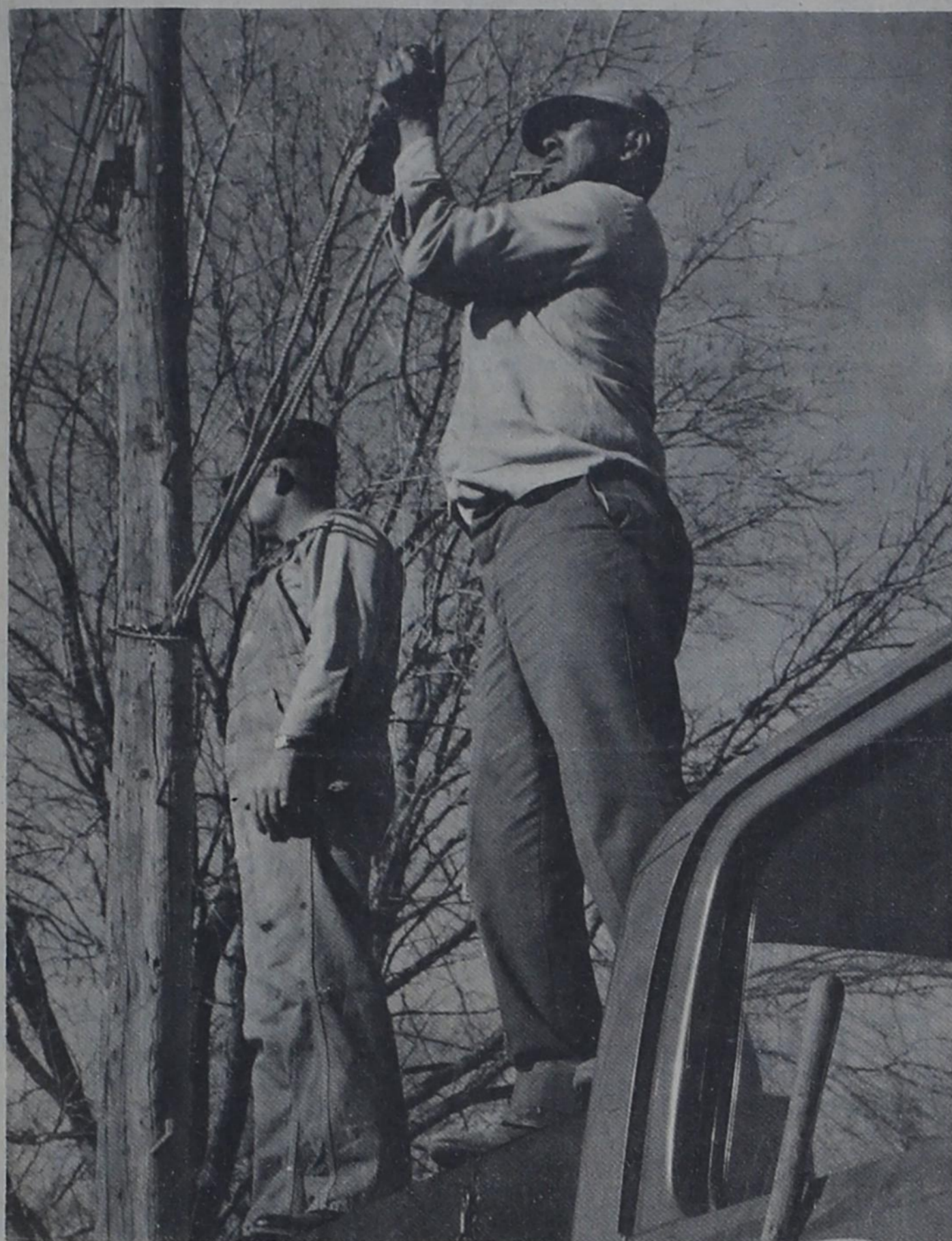
Three times we tried different knots to get the result more to our liking and three times we failed.

In disgust, that shiny new, wide job was hung back on the tie rack and one of the three old and comfortable and long-enough, but-narrow faithfuls was brought forth and worn. The comfort was great, but the style was lacking.

Bright and early Monday morning, we took our complaint to our buddy, Ed. He was loquacious, we thought, about our lack of knowledge of tying nice new modern ties and he offered explanations that we never did understand about how such ties should be tied. We kept interrupting him and asking how about bringing them back for a cash refund. He discouraged that, since they were charged in the first place, but finally agreed, "for only a few more dollars to tie the ties right" for us.

His offer was appreciated and we may take him up on it if we don't do any better the next time or two we try than we did on that original attempt.

This week marks the end of another successful Bovina Businesses Football Contest. And we say that not knowing who the grand prize winner will be, it doesn't matter. The original observation still stands. Going into the final week, three people are tied for the top



GOING UP --- Christmas lights are in the process of being installed by Darrell Read and Manuel Lopez at the city park. The city expects to have the lights around the park and on the large star turned on by Dec. 10.

Acquire C And S --

Agri-Sprayers Add Fertilizer, Chemicals

Agri-Sprayers of Bovina expanded its business Monday by acquiring C and S Chemical, located on Third Street.

The expansion was completed by 10 stockholders, all of the Bovina area, who announce that Phillips 66 anhydrous ammonia will continue to be offered by Agri-Sprayers, Inc. C and S has been a Phillips fertilizer outlet.

The centrally-located office and fertilizer storage plant will be the headquarters for the entire business operation, including aerial spraying service.

Bill Thornton will continue as manager of the business with Wayne Spears assisting him, with fertilizer being Spears primary responsibility.

Dick Thompson, pilot for Agri-Sprayers since its beginning two years ago, will continue in that capacity. Doris Strawn will be bookkeeper for the expanded business.

Stockholders of Agri-Sprayers Inc. include Thompson, Wendol Christian, Troy Christian, Leon Grissom, T. C. Wiseman, Grady Sorley, J. D. Kirkpatrick, Durward Bell, Vernon Willard and Tom Caldwell.

Agri-Sprayers Inc. began as an aerial crop spraying business. The stockholders feel the new addition of fertilizer and farm chemicals will give the

company a better position to serve area farmers.

The company already owns

its planes, hanger and run-way west of Bovina on the Pleasant Hill road.

Dec. 10-14 --

First Baptist Plans Revival

The First Baptist Church is planning toward a different approach to Christmas this year by scheduling revival services during what is often called "the busiest time of year for everybody."

The revival will begin with evening services Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. and continue through Sunday night. Morning services will be held Thursday and Friday at 10 a.m. with a special breakfast service Saturday at 8 a.m. sponsored by the joint Junior Sunday School Departments of the church.

The pastor, Rev. Ken Moore states that interest has been expressed to him by the membership of his church and others in Bovina in regard to such a revival. "We always seem to think in terms of revival emphasis around Easter, and Christmas has been left to the merchant.

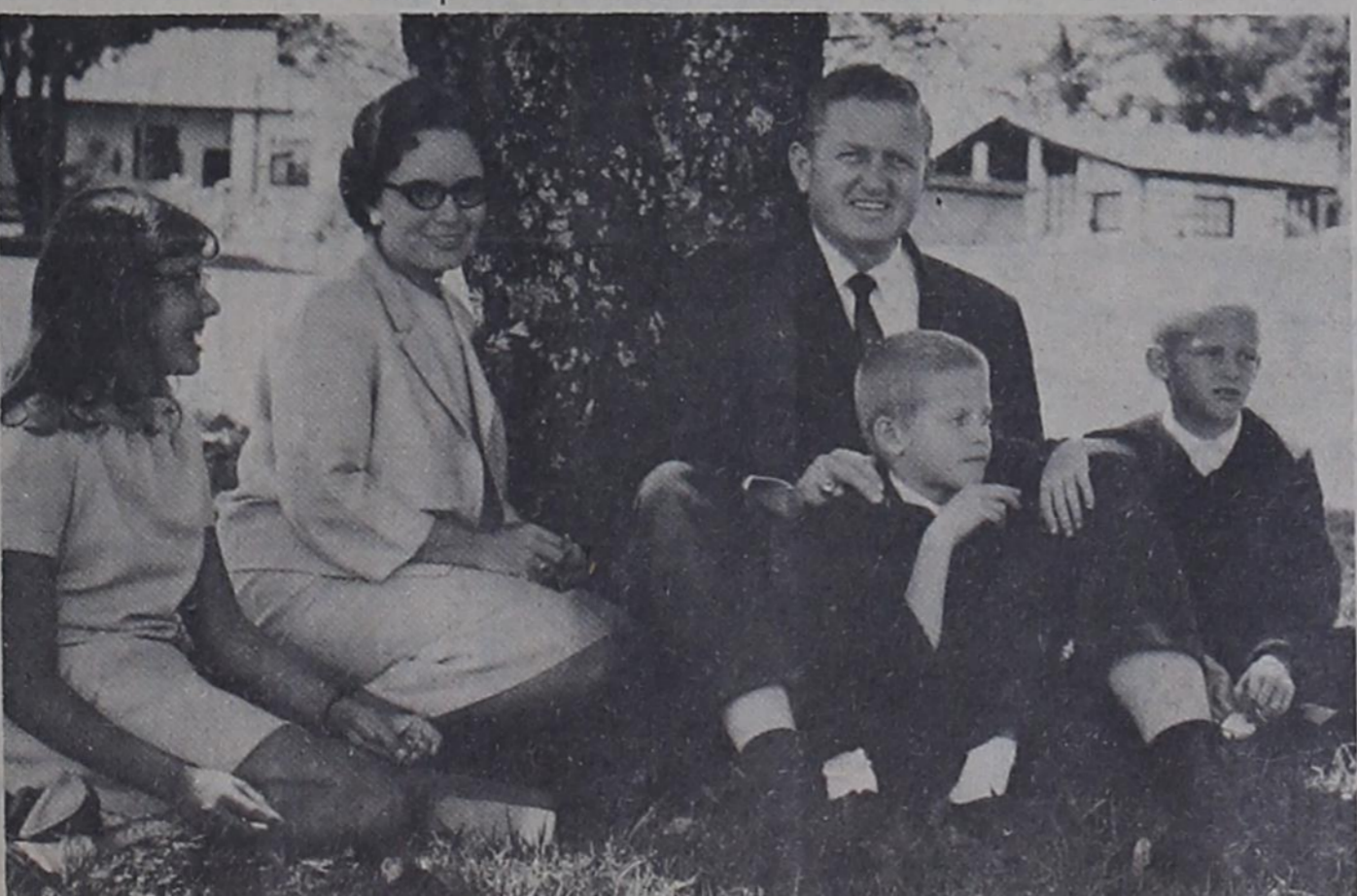
We are planning to reaffirm our faith in the spiritual significance of this time of year."

Baptist people as well as other Christians emphasize missionary work and particularly foreign missions every Christmas which makes this revival even more fitting, Rev. Moore said.

The evangelist for the meeting is James Tidenburg, a Southern Baptist Missionary to Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania, who is currently in the United States on furlough with his family. James, his wife, Parlee, and their three children are presently living in Clovis where James finished high school prior to his preparation as a missionary.

"We feel especially fortunate to have a man of this ability and insight to lead us what we feel will be one of the more

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CONDUCTS REVIVAL --- Missionary-evangelist James Tidenburg, formerly of Bovina, will conduct revival services in First Baptist Church Dec. 10-14. He and his wife, Parlee, and three children are home on furlough from Tanzania. Rev. Tidenburg surrendered for his ministry in the Bovina church.

Football Contest --

Lead In 3-Way Tie, Final Week Arrives

Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest is in a three-way tie going into the last week of the 13-week event.

This week "tells the tale," Larry Wardlaw and Mrs. W. M. Roberts of Farwell and Paul Jones of Bovina are tied for the lead with a total of 90 games out of a possible 119. Harry J. Charles won this week's contest, the only entry to name nine winners. He received the \$5 first prize.

Larry Webb was second for \$3 and Paul Jones third for \$1. Both named eight winners and were the only contestants to fall in that category this week.

Wardlaw, who has led the contest most of this year, only picked five winners this week, while Mrs. Roberts, who has been near the top most of the year, picked six.

One behind the three leaders with 89 games are Mary Jane Wilson, Mrs. J. Sam Gaines and Al Kerby. Standing at 88 is Norma Lusk.

Three behind with 87 are Frances Allen, Sandy Peterson and W. M. Roberts of Farwell. Having 86 games to their credit are Edna Baca, Darrell Read and Glendon Suddarth.

If the lead is tied at the end of the contest, the winner will be declared on tie-breakers for the entire year. The number of points "off" will be totaled and

the contestants having the smallest number will be the winner.

It wouldn't be the first time this has happened. Jones won the contest in that manner in 1963.

The grand prize winner will receive a trip for two to the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas,

including tickets, room reservations and \$55 expense money.

Last year's winner was Bill Roberts, who now resides in Lubbock. Others who have been awarded the trip since the contest began in 1960 include Nell Smith, Erith Hawkins, Emmett Tabor, Jones, Jeanne Kerby,

Allen Cumpston, Truck Lusk and Leroy Lance.

Of the 102 entries this week, 17 named seven winners, 37 named six; 27, five; 16, four; and two picked three games. These are in addition to the three contestants who received prize money.

To Visit Over Weekend --

Practice Here Interests Doctor

A doctor who is interested in moving to Bovina and practicing here will visit the community over the weekend.

He is Dr. Michael Murphy, M.D., who is presently employed by the Rusk State Hospital at Rusk.

If arrangements are worked out between Dr. Murphy and members of the board of directors of Bovina Medical Clinic, Dr. Murphy will replace Dr. Cornelius Blesius, who has practiced here for the past 18 months. Dr. Blesius has informed the board that he wants to leave his practice here, but

has agreed to help the community obtain a replacement.

In a telephone conversation with a representative of the clinic board Monday night, Dr. Murphy said he would come here Friday night or Saturday morning for a weekend visit in the community.

Dr. Murphy indicated he would be interested in leasing the clinic and equipment. At present the equipment, except for the x-ray machine, is owned by Dr. Blesius. Such an arrangement would necessitate the board purchasing the equipment.

Dr. Murphy has worked with the state hospital at Rusk for the past two years.

He indicated that he would be interested in beginning his practice here soon --- possibly before the first of the year --- if arrangements can be worked out between himself and the board.

He will be given the opportunity to look over the community and inspect the clinic here prior to meeting with the

board of directors some time Saturday.

Dr. Blesius has offered his cooperation in helping the community obtain a doctor to replace him.

'Cowpokes' On Sale At Blade

Several "Cowpokes" publications by Ace Reid are now on sale at the Bovina Blade.

Included in the collection are "Cowpokes Calendar" for 1970; the new "Cowpokes Cartoon and Cookbook"; "Cowpokes"; "More Cowpokes"; "Them Cowpokes"; "Cowpokes Wanted"; "Dragglin Cowpokes"; and "Cowpokes Comin' Yore Way."

Each of the publications is \$1.50.

Ace Reid's cartoons appear weekly in First State Bank of Bovina advertising.

Burial Here --

J. H. Floyd Rites Tuesday

Funeral services for James Harvey Floyd, 89, were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the 10th Street Church of Christ in Friona.

Mr. Floyd, who was a longtime resident of Bovina and Parmer County, died Sunday night in Parmer County Community Hospital.

Leland Hutson, lay minister, and Bill Gipson, minister of the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona, officiated. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under the direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

Mr. Floyd farmed south of Bovina and lived in town for several years before moving to Friona. He was a member of the 10th Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include four sons, Otis of Levelland, Price of Garland, Cecil of McAllister, N.M. and DeVon of Clovis; three daughters, Mrs. Letha Venable of Amarillo, Mrs. Lucille Hall of LaVerne, Calif. and Mrs. Irene Gee of Friona; one sister, Mrs. Sina Raines of Chattanooga, Tenn.; 30 grandchildren, 64 great-grandchildren and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Farm Sale

Set Dec. 11

A farm auction sale will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 11, nine miles south and three and one-half miles east of Bovina on the Pete Rundell farm.

Bartlett and Potts Auction Service will conduct the sale. Offered at the auction will be three tractors, all types farm machinery, irrigation equipment, two irrigation motors and several miscellaneous items.

The Rundell farm may be reached by traveling nine miles south of Bovina on Highway 1731, three and one-half miles east on Highway 145. It may also be reached by traveling seven miles west of Clay's Corner on Highway 145, or 12 and one-half miles east of Farwell on Highway 145.

A detailed list of items offered in the sale appears in an advertisement in this week's issue of The Blade.

Offer Prizes --

Decorations Contest Opens For Christmas

Home Decorations Contest in the Bovina area will be sponsored again this year by Bovina Lions Club, Wayne Spears, president, announced this week.

Cash prizes will be \$25 for first place, \$15 for second and \$10 for third -- a total of \$50 in the annual Christmas event.

An entry blank appears in this week's Blade for those wishing to enter their decorations in the contest. All one must do is fill in the blank and mail to Bovina Lions Club, Box B, Bovina.

Deadline for entering the contest is Dec. 15. Judging will be conducted by Dec. 18. Those entering the contest this year should leave their lights on those nights between those dates.

Last year's winners were Howard Kelso, first; Billy Johnson, second; and Earl Whitten, third.

The contest is held each year to encourage the holiday spirit in the Bovina area and is open to those living in rural areas as well as in town.

Lions Club members state they feel the decorations contest has definitely been an asset to Bovina during the Christmas

season. Not only does it inspire interest, but provides additional "color" and spirit for the holidays, they say.

The Lions urge more people to enter this year, however, since the more homes are decorated, the better the contest.

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Tournament On Schedule

Bovina Mustangs and Fillies will be among eight teams in each bracket playing in the Friona basketball tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The Mustangs meet Morton at 11:30 a.m., after the Fillies play Dimmitt at 10 a.m. Thursday.

Tuesday night, Hart basketball teams come to Bovina for games in Williford gymnasium.

Plan Revival --

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significant events in our community in recent years," according to Rev. Moore. Also leading services with an emphasis on the music of Christmas will be Jesse Sutton, Music and Educational Director of the Trinity Baptist Church in Amarillo, a revival leader in many services throughout the Panhandle.

County Teachers Association Holds Christmas Meeting Here

A Christmas chalk drawing by Mrs. Anita Moore and music by the Baptist Youth Choir was the program presented Monday night at the Parmer County Teachers Association dinner meeting in Bovina Schools cafeteria.

Mrs. Moore drew the shepherds in the field for her chalk drawing. Rev. Ken Moore sang "Ivory Palaces," accompanied by Sheryl Moore, as lights were changed on the chalk drawing, emphasizing the appearance of the star.

The youth choir, directed by Betty Hawkins, presented a variety of musical numbers. Sheryl Moore was the piano accompanist, Deborah Hawkins and Larry Webb, on the guitar, and Royce Grissom at the drums. Gary Cox, president of the county association, presided at the business meeting. A report was made by Mrs. Declinae Beene of Friona on the state convention in San Antonio.

She reported that strides are continuing for continued salary increases for teachers over the next three years, progress in the task force program. She also announced that District 16 has endorsed Patsy Duncan for TSTA president next

year and asked that all teachers work toward her election. Cox announced that changes have been made in the annual district and state meetings. State meetings have been changed from fall to spring, with the next one scheduled for spring of 1971. District meetings will be changed to the fall. However, the spring district meetings will

be held this term and another in the fall before the next state meeting.

Possibly 10 representatives from Parmer County schools will attend an appreciation dinner in Amarillo on Dec. 9 for state legislators of this area. The county unit received two complimentary tickets and voted to buy the eight remaining ones for anyone wishing to attend.

School Menus

Dec. 8-12

Monday: Italian spaghetti, cabbage and carrot salad, apple sauce, cornbread, butter, bread pudding, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken pot pie, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, pineapple slices, milk.

Wednesday: Beans and tamales, parsley potatoes, beet pickles, cornbread, butter, purple plum pie, milk.

Thursday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, buttered corn, brownies, peaches, milk.

Friday: Fish, tartare sauce, au gratin potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, apricots, milk.

An old-fashioned Christmas was the theme of the decorations supplied by Mrs. Janie Potts and Mrs. Terry McFarland, Bovina teachers, and members of FHA. Tables were decorated with greenery and lighted with kerosene lamps. The invocation was given by Rev. Ken Moore, pastor of First Baptist Church. The dinner included ham, roast and trimmings.

Four Games --

Junior Highs Down S'Lake

Junior high basketball teams from Bovina brought home four victories from Springlake-Earth Monday night, ranging

During Week --

Mustangs Split Games With Bula, Three-Way

Mustangs from Bovina downed a young Bula team, 73-50, there Wednesday night of last week, but were unsuccessful in an attempt to get revenge at Three-Way Monday night. The Three-Way squad won its second game from Bovina, 61-49.

At Bula, Sophomore Tommy McCormick came unbound and led the Bovina squad in the scoring department with 29 points.

The Mustangs held a 15-4 first quarter lead and a 35-16 halftime margin. Third period score was 60-29.

There was no doubt whose ball game it was from the beginning.

Able working on the basket were Beauchamp with 10 points, Tony Foster nine, Bobby Mc-

Means eight, Randy Barrett six, Roy Ramirez, five, Greg Hromas and Mike Hough, two each. D. Risinger paced the losers with 16.

The Three-Way game was a different story. The host team led the Mustangs 13-8 when the first quarter ended and held onto a seven point lead at the half, 30-23.

The winners found comfort at the end of the third stanza with a 45-29 score.

Tony Foster hit the basket for 20 points with McCormick adding six, Barrett and Benny McCain five each, Hromas, Jimmy Harris and Kim Rundell four each and Carrol Foster one. Mike Roberts led his winning team with 18.

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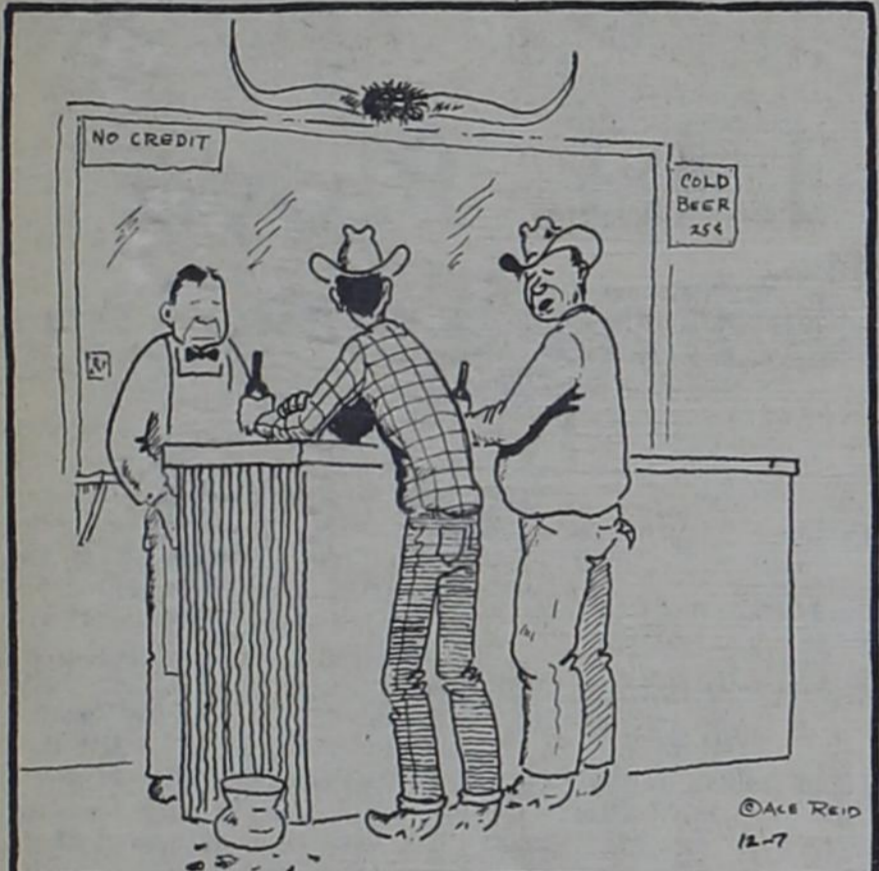
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spot and three more are just one notch behind, putting them in a great position to grab the expense-paid trip for two to the Cotton Bowl. That makes six and then when you consider there are four more within three points of the top spot, you can determine that at least 10 are still in the running for all the marbles going into the final lap. That makes for a good contest, according to our way of thinking.

Back at the outset, we probably made some remark about how easy it was to win the contest: Just pick seven and a half winners each week and you'd have a good chance, we pointed out.

Don't look now, but the present leaders have a percentage of .756. And that could slip this week.

See, it's easy. Easy or not, our personal percentage dipped under the .700 mark last week as we hit only six of the 10. That left us at .697 for the 12 weeks up to now --- 83 out of 119.

We'd sure like to finish on the top side of seven hundred. Here's our final effort: IOWA PARK vs. Reagan County --- IP has our nomination as the best AA team in the great state of Texas.

LAZBUDDIE vs. Throckmorton --- The Longhorns lost to this same team in last year's regional playoff. We're guessing they won't let such happen again. Lazbuddie's only loss this year has been to you-know-who.

Monahans vs. BROWNWOOD --- When the Lions clawed Lubbock Estacado, they had the state championship in their sights.

Wichita Falls at ABILENE COOPER --- AC might take the state AAAA title.

Clarendon vs. SONORA --- Sonora impressed us with its decisive win over powerful Seagraves last week.

TEXAS at Arkansas --- This one will turn out to be easier for the Teasips than most people think. Anybody who can score 39 points in the first half against the Fightin' Texas Aggies can dang sure beat Arkansas, national ranking or not.

Minnesota Vikings at LOS ANGELES RAMS --- This is a toss-up if we ever tried to pick one.

New York Jets at HOUSTON OILERS --- Let's use this for the upset. We don't much like Namath, anyway.

Green Bay Packers at CLEVELAND BROWNS --- The Pack is not yet back, even with Donny Anderson's ability.

Chicago Bears at SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS --- This is anybody's game, but we don't have the nerve to pick a tie.

Basketball --

Bula, 3-Way Defeat Fillies

Bovina's Fillies lost by one point, 46-45, to Three-Way Monday night after Bovina's top scorer, Twyla Hutto, fouled out in the third quarter.

Bula downed the Fillies 79-43 Wednesday night there. Bovina led 10-8 and 24-21 the first two periods of the Three-Way game. The Fillies held a 40-23 lead after three minutes of the third quarter when the fifth foul was called on Twyla Hutto, Bovina held on to a 41-36 third quarter lead, but Three-Way outscored the Fillies in the last stanza to win by one point.

Twyla Hutto tossed in 23 points for Bovina, Barbara Griffith 13, Cindy Barrett six, Jan Gromowsky four and Loy Christian two.

High point for Three-Way was Abbe with 31.

Bula took an early 13-9 lead over the Fillies and continued control of the game, 38-21, 58-27 and 79-43.

Twyla Hutto again headed the list with 28 points, Jan Gromowsky made nine, Cindy Barrett and Barbara Griffith three each.

Sharon Thompson sank 32 points for the winners. Guards Lea Looney, Crissy Mast and Jan Gromowsky have had trouble fouling also, but otherwise continue to turn in good performances.

Community Conversator.

Mrs. W. E. Williams spent Thanksgiving holidays in Dallas visiting her children.

Bookmobile

Texas State Library High Plains Bookmobile will be in Bovina from 12 noon until 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Mrs. Lorene Sooter, Librarian, announces. Also to be visited that day will be West Camp from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. and Lariat from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

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Reba Bonds Wins Prize

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She was the recipient of a \$10 gift certificate during the observance at the dress shop owned by Bobbie McFarland of Farwell.

Mrs. Ophell McDonald of Farwell received a \$25 gift certificate and Mrs. Carl Williams of Clovis, a \$15 gift certificate.

FARM SALE

THURSDAY, DEC. 11, 1969 Time: 1:30 p.m.

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PROOF --- Herman Grissom, Ken Moore and Jack Patterson displayed their catch of Kokanee salmon after a morning's outing in Northwestern New Mexico recently. They think the salmon, planted in the Rocky Mountain areas, are even "better eating" than trout.

3 Fishermen Find Kokanee Top Sport

In a recent trip to northwestern New Mexico, three Bovina fishermen found the thrill of Kokanee salmon fishing. Herman Grissom, Jack Patterson and Ken Moore, while on a trout fishing trip to the San Juan River heard of the sport of fishing for Kokanee during the spawning season. Traveling just a few miles up river to the dam of the Navajo Lake, the three men took 54 Kokanee ranging from one to two pounds in less than four hours one morning. "We checked with the Game and Fish Department and found that we were fishing at the very first of the spawning season and that later the fish would be even more plentiful," the men said. All of the men agreed that the salmon is truly one of the fiercest fighters and best eating fish that one might have occasion to go after in this part of the country.

Church Sets Schedule For Christmas

A series of programs is being planned for the Christmas season at First Baptist Church, according to Rev. Ken Moore, pastor. The season began with the youth choir and Mrs. Ken Moore presenting the program at the county teachers meeting here Monday night. From Dec. 1-7, the Week of Prayer for Foreign Mission, including daily devotions and prayer at the church, will be held. The annual offering for foreign mission will be made Dec. 7. A revival has been set for Dec. 10-14 with Rev. James Tidenburg conducting the services. A Christmas party has been planned for the married young people on Dec. 16. On Dec. 21, the Belen Baptist Mission will have a Christmas program. Dr. Franklin Swanner, Southern Baptist missionary to Caprock-Plains area, will preach his final sermon on Dec. 28, prior to his retirement. He began his ministry in Bovina 22 years ago.

Board Okays Audit Report

In a called meeting Monday night, board members of Bovina Independent School District approved the audit report for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1969. Bob Zenor met with the board representing Cornell & Company, Amarillo, auditors. A statement of cash receipts and disbursements will be published in next week's edition of The Blade.

Christmas --

Nativity Set By Methodists

A Christmas program will be presented at 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 14, at United Methodist Church in Bovina under direction of Mrs. Bedford Caldwell. Titled "God's Son Is Born!" the program has been adapted from one presented at St. Paul's Methodist Church in Amarillo last year. A live nativity scene will be portrayed by boys and girls of the church. Scripture will be read by a narrator and the congregation

Write Santa Letters Now

With the arrival of the Christmas season, children of the area are asked to write their letters to Santa Claus. If sent to The Blade, the letters will appear in the Christmas edition of the newspaper. Children are assured, however, that the letters will be forwarded to Santa in plenty of time before Christmas.

Net \$131 For Boosters

A total of \$131 was Bovina Boosters Club's part of the income from Zogi Variety Revue, which appeared here Tuesday in two performances. Wayne Spears, president of the club, said the proceeds would be applied to the exercise machine recently purchased for the athletic department of Bovina Schools. The revue was jointly sponsored by the Booster Club, Bovina Lions Club and Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. Under the contract with the show, the Zogi Variety Revue got the first \$150, then split the remainder 50-50. Spears said \$180 was taken in at the matinee performance, which took care of the \$150 initial fee. A fair turn-out was reported at the night time performance.

Harlem Stars Play Here

The Harlem Stars will meet the men's faculty of Bovina Schools in a basketball game in Williford gymnasium at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 10. The Stars are billed as highly skilled and entertaining on the basketball court. Admission will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students.

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A 30-year resident of Bovina, Mrs. Odis (Lula) White is as much a part of the town as the sidewalks, themselves. Although she claims no fame as a cook, Lula feeds more people during a day's time than the average woman. That's because the Spudnut Shop, which she operates, is one of the town's favorite coffee drinking hang-outs.

Mrs. White was born in Sweetwater, Okla. She finished high school there in Sweetwater's first graduating class. Lula says the little town has one of the last remaining rural schools.

Odis White was born in Erick, Okla., 15 miles away from Sweetwater. They didn't meet in Oklahoma, though. It was after Lula moved here in 1939 from Earth that the couple met and married. White is in the electrical and plumbing business here. They bought the Spudnut Shop in December, 1962.

This week's cook has one son, Bob Kelley, a graduate of Bovina High School and West Texas State University. He played football at both places, played two years in the Marines, then for the next five years played professional football for the Philadelphia Eagles and Hamilton, Canada Tigers.

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Double ring marriage vows were read for Mrs. Glenda Kay Urban and Charles Douglas Mead at 9 p.m. Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilmer of Clovis, N.M.

A. T. Kerseys Have Reunion

Thanksgiving was a time for a family gathering at the home of the A. T. Kerseys in the Oklahoma Lane community. Children and grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvo Kersey of Hobbs, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Vance Knowles of The Dalles, Oregon, now of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Kersey of Portland, Oregon and their son, Wesley, who is on leave from the Air Force, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kersey, Tommy and Gloria of Albuquerque, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ross of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Page, Michael and Steven. The latter two are great grandchildren.

Webbs Visit For Holiday

Mrs. Bessie Webb and Sammy, Mrs. Steve (Pamela) Taylor and Melissa returned home Sunday from a trip to Fort Worth and Cleburne to visit members of their family.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sikes, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Webb and families in Cleburne, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and family in Fort Worth. Also on the agenda was a visit to Mrs. Webb's granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carr and children in Fort Worth.

Twenty-seven members of the family had Thanksgiving dinner in the Wayne Webb home.

He is currently football coach at Hartnell Junior College in Salinas, Calif. Last spring he was named the college's athletic director.

This year Kelley is director of the state play-offs, to which his own team has advanced. Mrs. White has two grandchildren, Tim who is 13, and Traci, nearly seven.

Dr. Herbert E. Bergstrom, pastor of Parkland Baptist Church, read the ceremony. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Norman of Dodson, Tex. and Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Mead of Lovington, N.M.

The bride wore a powder blue dress of double knit featuring a V-neckline and long sleeves. Covered buttons were fastened with self fabric loops on bodice, which was accented with a long waistline. She chose accessories of white lizard. Her corsage was a white orchid.

Mrs. Taylor Hansel of Dallas was matron of honor. She wore an off-white double knit suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage. Serving as best man was Bill Gilmer.

A reception was held following the ceremony with arrangements of yellow chrysanthemums adorning the home. Also attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell and Donnie of Clovis and Taylor Hansel of Dallas.

The bride teaches Junior High English in the Bovina Schools. She is a graduate of Dodson High School and West Texas State University.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Albany High School and attended Eastern New Mexico University and the University of Florida. He is employed by Dick Russell Ford in Clovis. The couple will reside at Riverside 8, Apt. 207, 1021 Thomas in Clovis.

Girl Born To Flores

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores are parents of a daughter born at 6 p.m. Monday, Nov. 24, in West Plains Hospital, Muleshoe.

Weighing five pounds eight ounces, the new arrival has been named Sylvia.

She has a brother Eloyd, five, and a sister Elizabeth, two.

The father is employed by Oakley Stevenson.

Kin Surprise Mrs. Wheeler

Mrs. U. B. Wheeler of Bovina was surprised with a family get together here Sunday, Nov. 23.

Her three children, their wives, seven grandchildren and one great grandchild, all girls, arrived here that day and brought dinner.

Mrs. Wheeler says it was a happy day, since it was the first time for the family to be together in quite a while.

Burnt Sugar Cake

1 1/2 c. sugar
Put in skillet on medium heat and burn. Must come to a boil. When completely melted, add 1 cup boiling water. Let cool.

Cream together 1/2 c. shortening or butter and 1 1/2 c. sugar. Add 1 c. cold water, 2 1/2 c. flour sifted with 2 1/2 t. baking powder.

Beat six minutes in mixer. Add yolks of three eggs. Beat egg whites, add to mixture.

Add 1 t. salt, 1 t. vanilla, and 1 c. burnt sugar liquid. Keep remainder for icing.

Icing

Make in skillet with remainder of burnt sugar liquid. Add 1 c. sugar, 1/2 c. cream. Boil until mixture reaches soft ball stage. Add 2 T. butter. Beat until creamy.

Don't call Lula.

Bob's Ice Box Nut Cookies

1 c. brown sugar
1 c. white sugar
1 c. Crisco (heaping)
3 eggs
4 c. flour

1 heaping t. soda
1 t. cinnamon
1 t. nutmeg
1 t. salt
1 c. nuts

If dough is too stiff add small amount of water. Make into roll, put in refrigerator overnight. Slice in thin slices and bake in moderate oven.

Angel Biscuits

2 pkg. dry yeast
1 c. lukewarm water
2 T. sugar
1 t. salt
1 t. soda
3/4 c. cooking oil
2 c. buttermilk
5 c. self-rising flour

Dissolve yeast in lukewarm water, add remaining ingredients. Pinch off amount needed, bake as any biscuit. This recipe will keep in refrigerator for one week.

Bessie Wells Cake

Cream 1 1/2 c. sugar and 3/4 c. butter. Add 1 c. sweet milk, 2 c. flour with 2 t. baking powder. Add one egg at a time until three are used, beating two minutes between each egg. Add 1 t. vanilla.

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Marriage Licenses

Two marriage licenses were issued from the office of Parmer County Clerk Bonnie Warren last week. The permits to wed went to Parker Newton Stewart and Martha Alice Shodgrass on November 26; and to Timothy Rankin Fischer and Janis Dean Goggans November 26.

Lee Hoplingardner was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital Tuesday morning by ambulance. He is suffering from a bad cold and possible respiratory ailment.

Scoopin' By Pat Jacobs

Ben and Odessa Finch have been in Bovina a long time. They were in the reception room of Bovina Medical Clinic the other day, along with Pearl Moore and several others.

The conversation got around to the best way to make dressing. From then on it was "Katie, bar the door." Ben and Odessa recalled dishes we hadn't heard mentioned in these parts for years.

Ben said one of his favorites is jackrabbit. Odessa stated she could cook up the best batch of jackrabbit anyone ever tasted. "The main thing about cooking jackrabbit that most people don't know about," she explained, "is that you have to remove the second skin."

"It's been a long time," Ben said, "since I had a good plate of jackrabbit." Having only been exposed to cotton tail, we had little to offer to the conversation, so switched it to frog legs. Ben likes them, too, but advises the leap-frogs seen around here lately are not the right kind. "They have to be real bull frogs," he said.

One of the waiting patients was a Big Spring native. He asked Ben if he'd ever eaten craw-dad tails.

"That's the best of all," Ben said, "but craw-dads in West Texas don't measure up to those we used to get down near Louisiana. There, they were that big," he said measuring out the size of a saucer.

"They looked kind of like crabs," he continued.

Odessa and Pearl, meantime, were discussing the best way to make biscuits. Odessa said she never uses shortening in biscuits --- always buttermilk. "Except to grease the pan," she continued.

"Never did like biscuits much," Ben piped up. "Just give me hoe cakes every time."

There was something wonderful hearing them talk about the food most of us have tried to forget since the depression days.

---Like they still appreciate the world around them --- the down-to-earth, simple things.

Joe Wilson and Vernon Ward have circled March 6 on their calendars. That's the day it's supposed to rain --- 100 days from fog.

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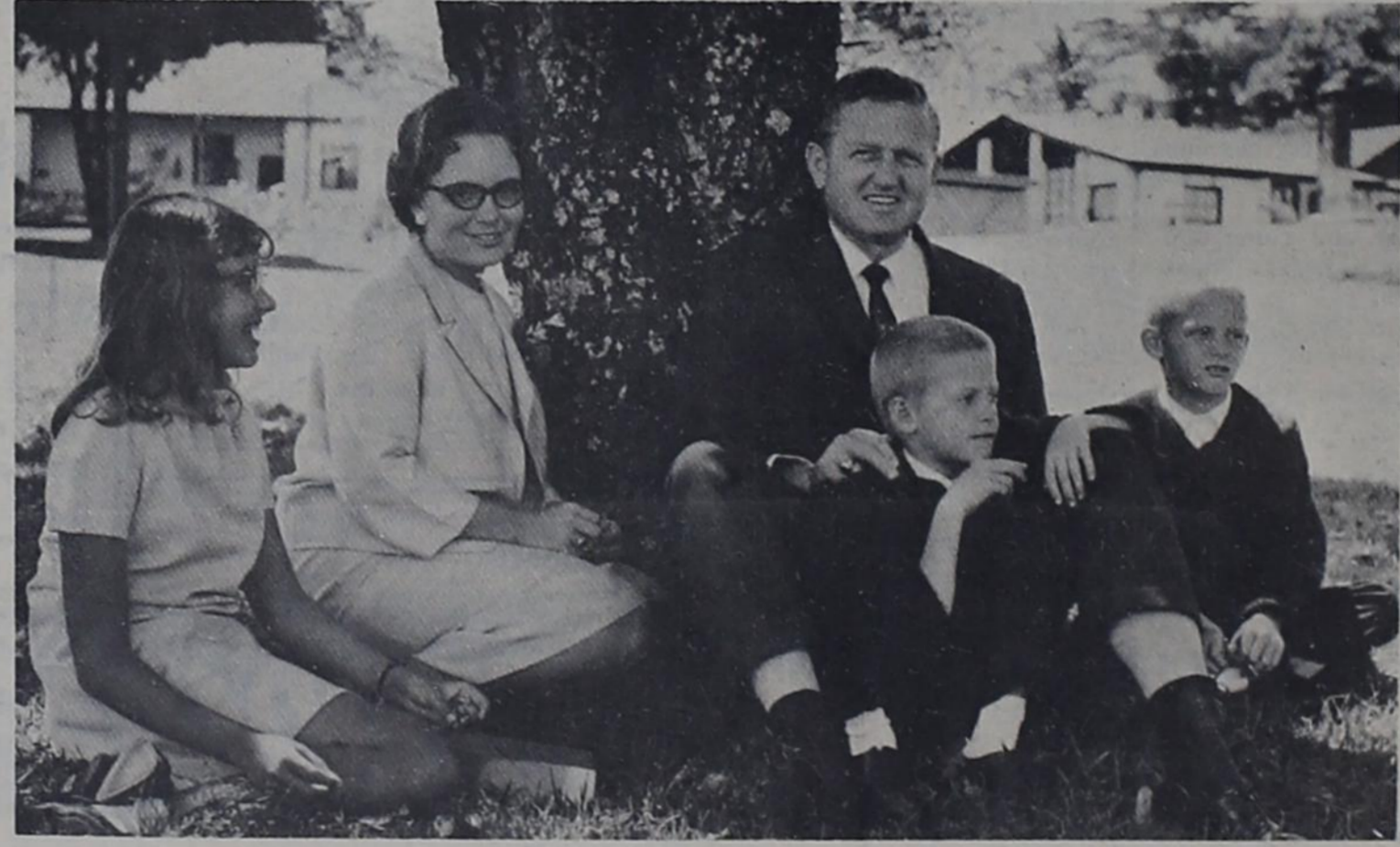
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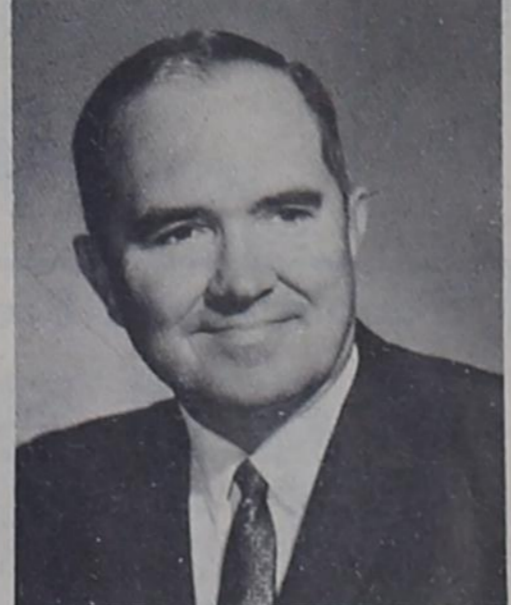
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Thursday Nite, Dec. 11: W.M.U. Emphasis
Friday Nite, Dec. 12: Baptist Men Emphasis
Saturday Nite, Dec. 13: Junior Emphasis
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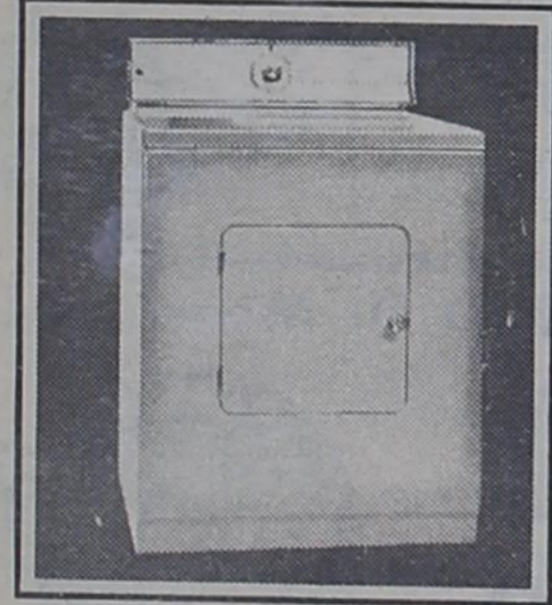
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We often discount the influence of a person or group. We influence others whether we intend to or not. We ourselves are influenced by what we hear and see whether we intend to be or not.

Being part of church life is one of the influences we undervalue. A neighbor's teen-age son was a regular attendant at church. The son of another neighbor was associated with a group inclined to be delinquent and who never attended church. One Sunday I saw the two boys together in church. I saw them there on several other occasions also.

I asked the first boy why his friend had decided to go to church regularly. He said that he had invited his friend and he had accepted. He liked the church service and continued to attend.

All of us, no matter what age, have some kind of influence. What kind of responses are we encouraging in others?

PRAYER: Heavenly Father, we thank Thee for the good influences that others have exerted upon us. Help us to think daily of the influence we have on others. We pray that it will be for good. In the spirit of the Master. Amen. From Upper Room

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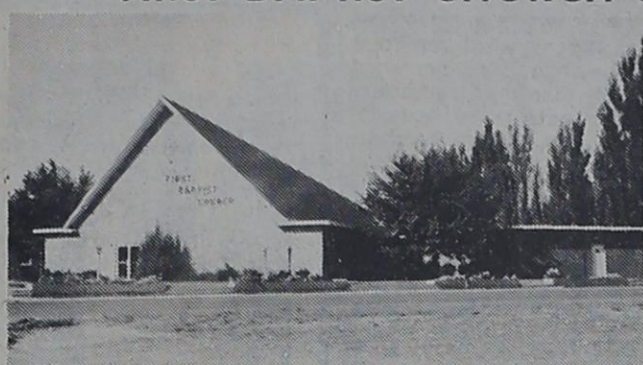
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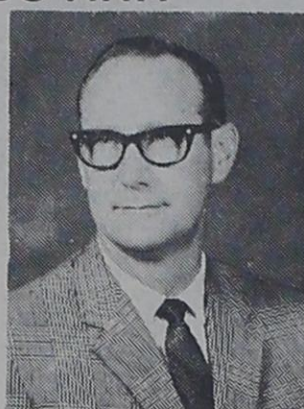
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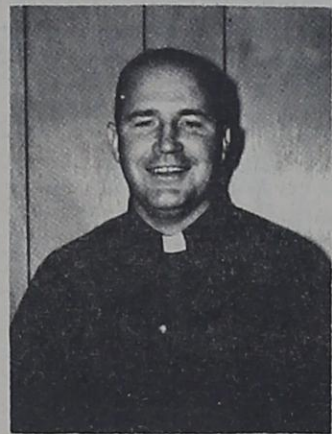
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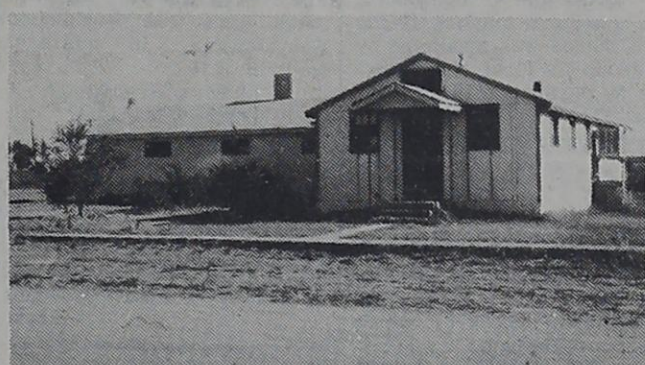
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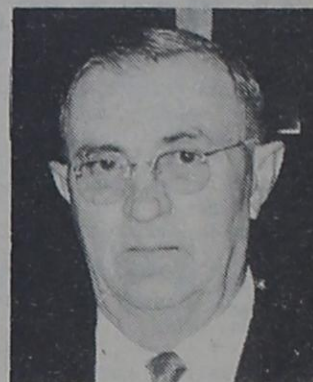
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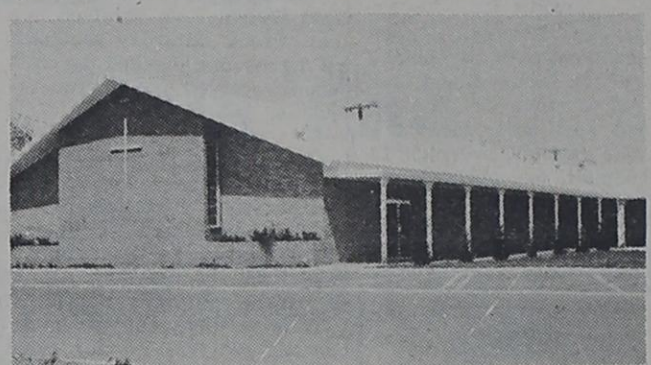
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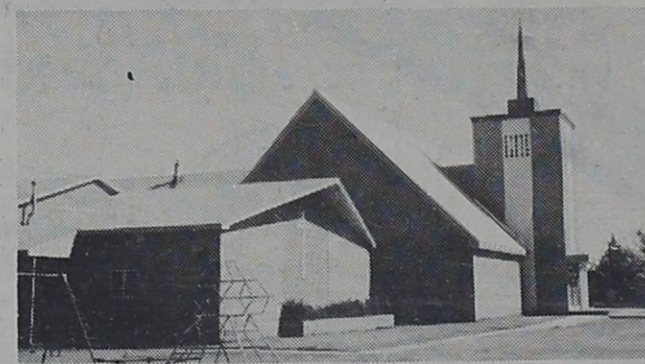
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Training Union - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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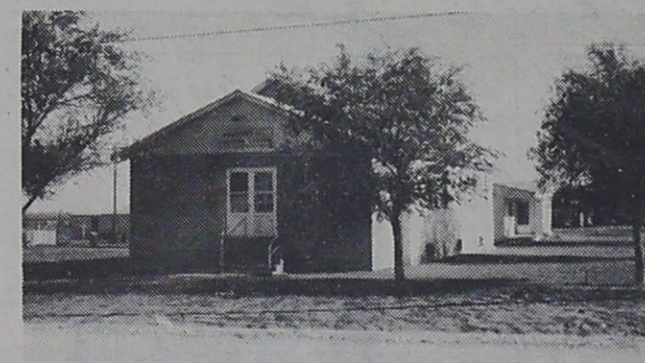
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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Lazbuddie News

Lazbuddie Longhorns Advance In Play-Offs

By Mrs. Marshall Williams (Editor's Note: Lazbuddie Longhorns defeated Groom 14-0 and earned the right to play for the Class B regional championship this weekend. Throckmorton will be the Longhorn's opponent for the regional title Friday night at Crosbyton. This is as far as Class B advances in state play-offs.)

FHA girls held bake sales at several grocery stores, Saturday. The Young Homemakers had a bake sale Tuesday, Nov. 25 at the Lazbuddie Grocery store. Young Homemakers proceeds will go for the Portales Baptist Childrens' home, Christmas. Robes and housecoats are going to be made for some of the children December 4 by these Young Homemakers' Bazaar is December 2 at the basketball game.

Elementary school principal, Fred Wilbanks suffered a mild heart attack early Sunday morning. He was reported resting well in the Muleshoe hospital.

Mrs. D. A. Tarter, mother of Mrs. Alton Morris went to the hospital Sunday morning. She is being held for x-rays, and observation.

All football fans urged to go to Panhandle, Tex. and back to the Lazbuddie Longhorns Friday night at 7:30 p.m. for 2B BI-District title against Groom. The team is doing fine and needs your support. Radio KMUL FM will carry the football broadcast live.

Miss Kim McDonald, daughter of J. J. McDonald spent a few days in the Friona hospital with an asthma attack.

Mrs. Darla Ivy, wife of Beanie Ivy was in an Amarillo hospital with phlebitis.

Mrs. Jan (Mitchell) Phipps was involved in a car-butane truck wreck in Levelland. Jan received a minor cut on a leg and had neck pains for a few days. She was held overnight in the hospital for observation. Her car was a total loss. She attends college in Levelland.

Weekend guests in the Johnny

Mitchell home were his grandmother, Mrs. J. J. Williams, an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Eston Graham, and Denise, all of Littlefield.

Mrs. Keith Menefee was hostess to her Sunday School Class monthly meeting Thursday Nov. 20 in her home. Those attending were Mrs. Jeanetta Precure, Donna Smith, Pearl Tims, Joyce Johnson, Rita Hawkins and Sherry Menefee. Plans were made for their annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Carrie Withrow turned her car over Saturday afternoon south of Lazbuddie. She received a cut under an eye and bruises.

Mrs. Dorothy Wright, wife of Don Wright, was involved in a car wreck Saturday southeast of Lazbuddie. She and the children received no serious injuries.

Lazbuddie Longhorns captured their ninth win of the year and District 2-B title Friday night at Matador. The Longhorns hooked the Matador Matadors to a 28-8 victory.

Darrell Matthews got the first TD on a 17 yard run in the second quarter. Try for extra point was no good. It remained 6-0 until after the half. There was lots of action in the third quarter. Matador ran a 3 yard TD. EP no good, score 6-6. Matthews ran a 3 yard TD and Arthur Graves made the two point conversion, score 14-6. A few plays later, Rene Flores blocked a Matador punt, and Jim Noland scooped up the ball, and galloped 25 yards for another TD. Graves ran the extra points making the score 22-6 with five minutes left in the third quarter.

Later Graves was hit behind the goal line for an automatic safety, making the score 22-8. Monte Barnes' long pass to Charlie Lee was incomplete in the fourth quarter. Matthews recovered his own fumble with 6 minutes 37 seconds left in game. Larry Hodges recovered a Longhorn fumble. On a third down, Monte Barnes tried another long pass to Mike Cas-

Hospital Notes

PARMER COUNTY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Nov. 25-Dec. 1

Admissions

Mrs. Johnny Northcutt and daughter, Friona; Kay Jenkins, Friona; Joyce McCormick, Friona; Mark Owen, Farwell, surgery; Lacey Ann Osborn, Friona; Jesus Lumbreira, Bovina; Tommy Mars, Friona; Lou Jean Hobbs, Bovina; Linda Dozier, Friona; Sheryle A. Moore, Friona; Jim Mears, Friona; Berta DeLeon, Friona, surgery; Benita Bunudez, Hereford, surgery; Ted Tompkins, Hereford, accident; Andres Carrillo, Friona, accident; Robert Chandler, Bovina, accident; Deward Armstrong, Texico; Mrs. Victor Martinez and son, Hereford; Robert W. Jones, Friona.

Dismissals

Mary E. Selman, Clovis; Benita Castillo, Friona; Mrs. Anastacio Rodriguez and daughter, Black; Mrs. Julian Mendoza and son, Friona; Kay Jenkins, Donna Kim McDonald, Friona; Mrs. Johnny Northcutt and daughter; Mark Owen; Tommy Mars; Boyd Pipes, Texico; Sheryle Moore; Lou Jean Hobbs; Linda Dozier; Jesus Lumbreira; Mable Newberry, Bovina; Ted Thompkins.

ey, incomplete. On the fourth down, Barnes punted the ball from 40 yard line into end zone. Ball was moved to 20 yard line. Jim Noland recovered a Matador fumble on the 37 yard line. With one minute 30 seconds on clock, on a pitchout from Barnes on the 30 yard line, Matthews carried the ball to 12 yard line. On the second down following, Barnes handed to Hodges who ran ten yards with power, for the final TD. Donny Coker tried for EP, no good. Score 28-8 with 42 seconds on the clock.

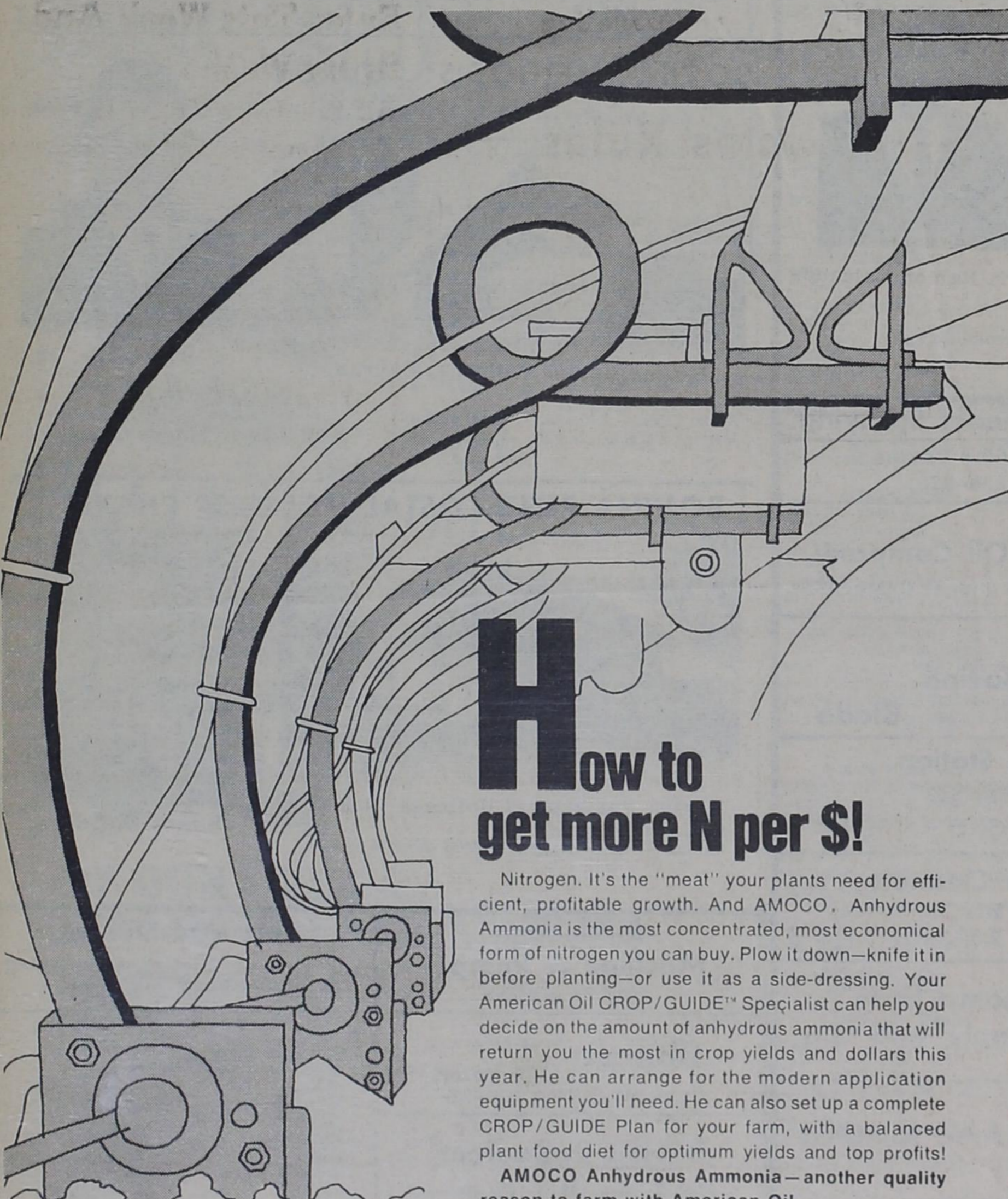
Last play of the game, Matador recovered their own fumble. Roque Flores was in on last tackle of game.

Darrell Matthews broke the South Plains scoring record with his two touchdowns in this game. Terry Bridge, Springlake, finished his season with a total of 147 points and Matthews' 12 points gave him a 152 season total. The community is proud of Darrell and all the Longhorns.

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A Christmas concert will be presented at 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 15, by Bovina High School band under direction of James Andrews.

The Bovina Schools auditorium will be the site for the presentation. The 61-piece concert band will play both light popular and Christmas music, Andrews said. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. Proceeds will be applied to the band's spring trip to Enid, Okla.

Board Sets Meeting Date

The Bovina Neighborhood Center advisory board will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at the United Methodist Church, according to Mrs. Pearl Cervantez of the office here.

It will be a community meeting and is open to the public. Officers of the board are Rev. J. B. Fowler, chairman; Rev. I. S. Ansley, vice chairman; Mrs. Earl Stevenson, secretary. Other members include Mrs. Jesse Walling, Mrs. Ben Rejino, Mrs. Pearl Lee Flemings, Mrs. Neal Mager, Joe Flores, Larry Gorman, Rita Villareal, Rev. Paul Mohr, Thomas Rhodes and Vernon Estes.

At the first meeting of the board, Estes was appointed by the group as local representative to the area board in Amarillo.

Three Leave For Vietnam

Three Bovina servicemen have been here during the Thanksgiving holidays before leaving for Vietnam.

Pvt. Jessie Stone arrived home Nov. 22 while his brother, Pvt. Wayne Stone came in Thanksgiving Day. Both are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stone.

Pvt. Tommy Sol, who entered the U. S. Army at the same time, also arrived here Thanksgiving Day.

Jessie is scheduled to leave for Vietnam Dec. 7 from Oakland, Calif. Wayne and Tommy will leave from the same point on Dec. 17.

All three attended Bovina Schools.

Kick Off Fund Drive

Twenty-five workers attended the Boy Scout fund drive kick-off breakfast Tuesday in Bovina Restaurant, Lewis McDaniel, drive chairman said.

The breakfast was held preceding the drive which is hoped to be completed by Monday.


Those attending were captains and their workers. They have approximately 200 people to contact in their drive here, McDaniel said.

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YF Meet Thursday

Young Farmers Chapter in Bovina will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Vocational Agriculture Department of Bovina Schools.

Ralph Roring, president, urges all members of the organization and potential members to attend.

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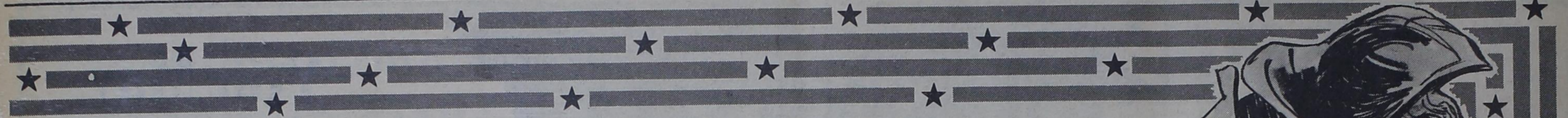
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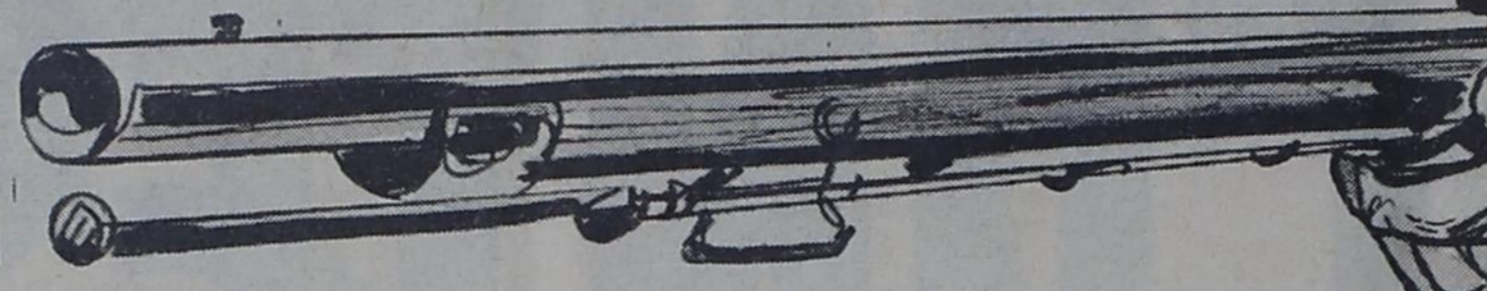
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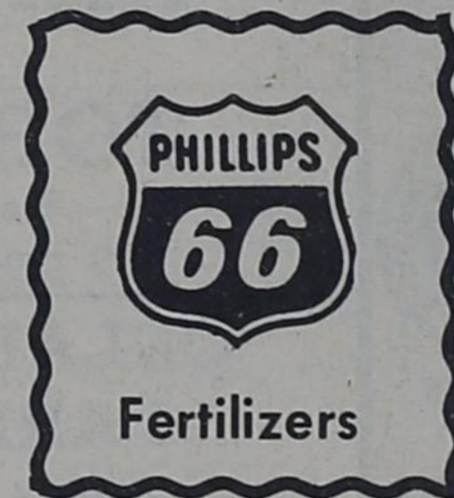
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