

Announce Feed Grain Program For '73

A preliminary explanation of the 1973 feed grain program has been or will be mailed to Parmer County farmers this week, announces Prentice Mills, executive director of the ASCS. Generally, the new feed grain program, is as follows: Crops included are barley, corn and grain sorghum. Producers may choose to participate under one of two options. There will be no additional set-aside under either option.

The options:

OPTION A ---- Requires an acreage set-aside equivalent to 30 per cent of a farm's feed grain base. Payment will be on an acreage equal to one-half of each feed grain base established for the farm. Per acre payment will be equal to the farm program yield times 15 cents for corn, 33 cents for grain sorghum and 28 cents for barley. A supplemental payment is possible if a five-month national

average price plus the payment is less than 70 per cent of parity. Feed grain acreage on farms signed up in this option will be limited only by set-aside and conserving base requirements.

OPTION B ---- Required an acreage set-aside equivalent to 15 per cent of a farm's feed grain base. Farmers electing to participate under this plan agree to limit their 1973 total feed grain acreage to the total acreage certified as planted for har-

vest in '72 and also agree to forego supplemental payments. Payment will be on an acreage equal to one-half of each feed grain base established for the farm. The per acre payment rates will be equal to the farm program yield times 24 cents for corn, 23 cents for grain sorghum and 20 cents for barley.

Under either option, substitution of wheat in excess of the allotment and soybeans planted for harvest as beans will be

considered as feed grain for purposes of preserving feed grain base history for the farm.

Commodity loans will be available to all participants in the program on the farm's entire production. National average loan rates will be \$1.08 per bushel for corn (No. 2 basis), \$1.79 per hundredweight for grain sorghum and 86 cents per bushel for barley.

The same alternate crops as approved for 1972 be grown

on set-aside in 1973. These are castor beans, crambe, guar, mustard seed, plantago ovata, safflower, sesame and sunflower. The payment reduction if alternate crops are grown on set-aside land will be equal to 30 per cent of the average payment rate under Option A. This will be the case whether the farmer is participating under Option A, Option B or the wheat program.

Sign-up period for the pro-

gram begins February 5 and continues through March 16.

Those interested in obtaining additional information about the '73 feed grain program should contact the county ASCS office in Farwell.

The new program differs from that in effect in '72 in that set-aside percentage is less for '73 and per acre payments are less.



The Bovina Blade

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THE NEWSPAPER THAT WORKS FOR A BIGGER, BETTER BOVINA

"In The Agricultural Center Of Parmer County"

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WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

This community's Project Christmas Card isn't as successful as it could be.

The idea is a good one, but as a community, we've lost a part of the overall picture. Reason for this is probably a lack of communications. In saying that, we're offering some self-criticism in that communications about community projects is a part of our business.

In spite of its shortcomings, the project is a good one. In saying that it isn't as successful as it could be, we don't mean to imply that it has no value. On the contrary, it has been beneficial as a fund-raising project in the community for years.

Bovina Woman's Study Club is the sponsoring organization. Funds collected through the project have been used for more than one worthwhile community promotion. The primary beneficiary has been the clinic fund, but some of the money has also gone to the Grace Paul Scholarship Fund.

It's a sad, but true, fact that the clinic fund, while still in the red, has lost part of its "romance." Before the clinic became a reality and when it was in the planning and construction stages, a clinic fund donation was a popular one. You just don't raise some \$40,000 in donations in one community unless that is the case. However, in spite of the fact that the clinic has been constructed and is now in use, there is still some indebtedness. Not much, but a few thousand dollars.

The Christmas Card plan can pay it off about as painlessly as any project we know about, if the people of the community will continue to participate by giving the amount of money they would otherwise spend on Christmas cards, envelopes and postage to it.

The names of people who have contributed to the fund are published in the Christmas issue of The Blade. It's as simple as that and takes care of the task of sending local Christmas cards.

We think it's a good deal for everybody and we want to encourage Bovinians to make it better in the future.

The Christmas season is upon Bovina.

If you think not, take a nighttime drive around the residential areas and view the many, many lighted houses. If you haven't tried it yet, it'll beat watching television for an hour or so.

Incidentally, winners in the Bovina Lions Club Christmas Decoration Contest will be announced in the Christmas issue of The Blade, which will be out Saturday, if things work according to the way they're now planned.

It should be pointed out, too, that all the decorated homes in the community are not entered in the contest. Entering the contest is voluntary, of course, and some people choose not to have their decorations judged. This is especially true in cases where people have been contest winners in previous years.

So, if you disagree with the judges' opinions on the contest winners, remember that not all of the decorated homes were on the entry list.

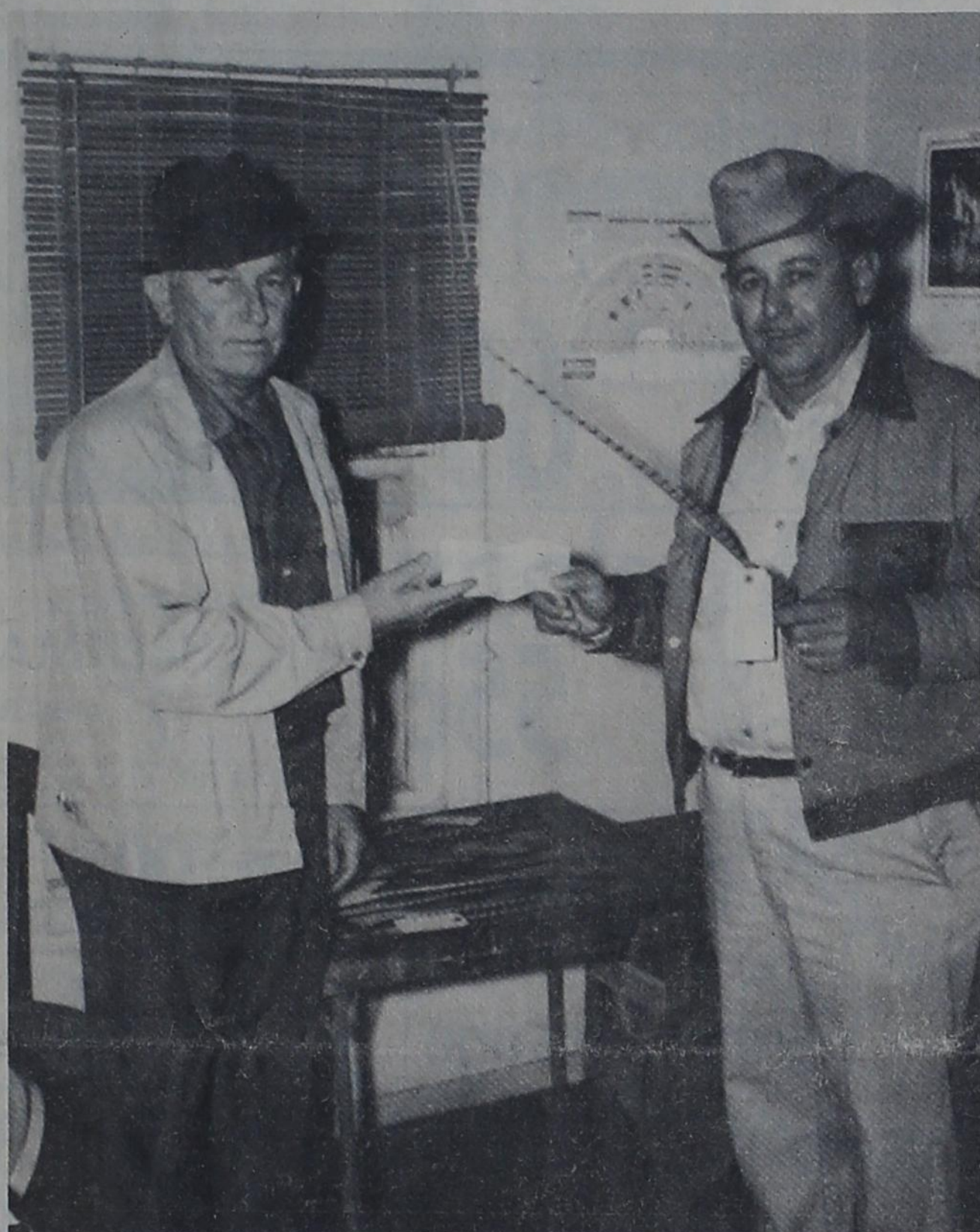
If the purpose of the contest is to encourage Christmas decorations for homes, it's a success. And if it offers financial rewards for some of the people who were going to decorate their homes anyway, it's still a good thing.

Getting next week's issue of the paper out on Saturday will allow members of the staff a brief Christmas vacation.

We'll appreciate your understanding.

Plans are to have the Christmas issue, dated December 25, appropriately enough, but deliv-

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PHEASANT CONTEST WINNER --- Mayor Johnie Horn presents Henry Garza with a \$15 check from Bovina Gin Co. for first place in Bovina's annual pheasant tailfeather contest. Garza's entry, which was the best of 15 submitted here, measured 24 and seven-eighths inches. Roy Hartzog had the second place entry and Junior Johnson took third place. Contest results were announced following the close of the '72 season Sunday.

Pheasant Season Ends Sunday --

Henry Garza Wins Tailfeather Contest

Bovina's 1972 pheasant tailfeather contest was won by Henry Garza with an entry which measured 24 and seven-eighths inches.

The winning entry was considered "about average" for the best in the annual contest.

Contest results were announced following the close of the open pheasant season Sunday by Johnie Horn, who served as judge.

Garza's longest feather earned him a \$15 cash prize donated by Bovina Gin Co.

Taking second place with an entry 24 and one-half inches long

was Roy Hartzog. Second place was worth a \$10 cash award from The Bovina Blade.

Taking third place and a \$5 check from Hartzog Seed Farms was Junior Johnson with an entry 24 inches even.

Some 15 entries were submitted for official contest measuring. Horn reports. However, several other hunters declined to submit their entries after learning the lengths of some of the feathers already entered.

The pheasant season this year was conducted from Dec. 9-17. Hunting was considered good this year as the pheasant pop-

ulation continues to increase in the area. Also, there were reports that pheasants were this year populating areas of the county where they had not been previously.

Garza's winning entry here will be compared with winners in similar contests at Farwell and Friona to name a Parmer County champion for '72. Win-

ner of the county contest will receive an engraved plaque from Parmer County Game Management Association.

In last year's contest, Bruce Caldwell and Chester Brown of Tucson, Ariz. tied for the top position with feathers measuring 24 and one-half inches.

The 1970 winner was Don Bandy with an entry which measured almost 26 inches. Buddy Clements was the '69 winner with an entry 23 and one-half inches long.

Next Blade

Out Early

Next week's edition of The Blade will be early.

The edition, which will be the annual Christmas issue, will be delivered to subscribers in the area Saturday morning. The paper will carry a dateline of Monday, December 25.

The early publication date will allow members of the newspaper staff to have a Christmas vacation.

After the Christmas edition, the next issue will be published on the regular publication date, Wednesday, Jan. 3.

Weather

By Willie

Mostly fair and warmer. May have a flare-up this weekend.

--Willie

Annual Trip --

Santa Plans Arrival Here 2 P.M. Friday

Definite word has been received from Santa Claus, the jolly, white-whiskered gentleman from the North Pole, that he will be in Bovina Friday, Dec. 22, at 2 p.m.

He has fitted the visit to area children into his busy Christmas season schedule, and has announced his reindeer are ready for the trip here. Rudolph is expected to lead the reindeer team.

Since landing facilities are not available in downtown Bovina, the Volunteer Fire Department will escort Santa to Main

Street in Bovina, where he will distribute bags of candy to the children and visit with them.

By arriving at 2 p.m., Santa says he will have the opportunity to talk with school children

as well as the little tots, since classes at Bovina Schools will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. for the Christmas holidays.

School busses will stop briefly downtown while Santa is here, L. F. Jacobs, superintendent, said.

The favorite friend of children all over the world will make his visit here under the auspices of Bovina Lions Club. The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has promised to see that Santa has plenty of candy for the youngsters.

Deadline Today --

Card Project Tops \$400

Today (Wednesday) is the deadline for making deposits to the Christmas Card Fund at First State Bank of Bovina. Names of those who have contributed to the fund by that time will appear in an advertisement in the Blade's Christmas edition.

Monday morning, a total of \$447.50 had been contributed to the fund. The total is far ahead of last year at this time.

The fund will be divided 50-50 again this year between the Bovina Medical Clinic, Inc., and the Grace Paul Fund. Both have been projects of Bovina Woman's Study Club, which is sponsoring the card project again this year.

Citizens are asked to contribute the amount they would spend for Christmas cards and postage to be sent to friends in the Bovina area.

Names of those depositing their money after the deadline will be published in the next week's edition of The Blade. Several businesses, in addition to individuals, donate to the fund which benefits their community, instead of sending individual Christmas cards to their customers.



SNOW FUN --- The four-inch snow that fell so beautifully Thursday morning of last week was the type that invites snowball fights as demonstrated by, left to right, Mary Marcom, Cindy Read, Stephanie Wiseman and Honey Mast.

Milo Price 'Shaky' --

Ho Hum, One More Snowstorm Strikes

Fall weather, which has acted more like its Winter cousin this year, took another blast at the area Thursday as a snowstorm dropped as much as seven inches of the white flakes here.

The weather picture turned for the better over the weekend, however, as warmer temperatures Saturday afternoon and Sunday allowed most of the snow to melt.

The snow continued to delay the stripping of cotton, the last

major chore remaining for 1972 crops. If the weather continues to offer drying conditions, cotton harvest will undoubtedly resume this week.

Winter doesn't officially begin until tomorrow, Dec. 21, but that would be difficult to make a stranger understand had he been in the area for the past six or eight weeks.

The Thursday snow made driving conditions difficult that

day, Friday and Saturday morning as the snow was packed into ice on streets and highways by the traffic.

This was the ninth snowfall this Fall for the area.

The inflated price of milo, which is the most talked about thing lately other than the weather from an agricultural standpoint, was hanging on the \$2.80 mark here Tuesday noon, but the

market was reported as "shaky."

Indications were that the price might slip before the week is over.

The price of \$2.80 per hundred is the high mark for the year. At the beginning of harvest early in the Fall, the price was 2.15, but it has risen steadily since that time until last week when it peaked at the \$2.80 and remained at that level through Tuesday noon.

NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION 1971 AWARD WINNER CONTESTS

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Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO
December 19, 1962

Even though Monday, December 24, Christmas Eve, has been proclaimed a legal holiday in Bovina, several stores, especially those which have Christmas gift selections to offer, will remain open.

Approximately 450 attended the second annual Baptist Youth Choir Christmas Cantata Sunday evening at First Baptist Church. Title of the cantata was "The Gift," Mrs. Harold Hawkins directed the 40-voice choir.

"We had a good turnout and a lot of lookers and some buyers," A. L. Glasscock, real estate agent for Ridgelea Addition in Bovina, said this week in regard to the second consecutive Sunday afternoon sales day for lots in the addition.

Mrs. Joe Wilson and Mrs. Paul Jones hosted a progressive dinner and costume party for members of 39ers Club Friday Evening in their homes.

Mrs. Tommy Bonds entertained members of Bonds Oil bowling team with a Christmas party Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jesse Sisco hosted a party for members of the Good Neighbor Sewing Club Friday at her home.

Mac Glasscock, outstanding senior end on Bovina Mustang football team and a member of the All-District 1-B squad, has been named to a terminal position on the first annual High Plains Super football team selected by the Amarillo Globe-News.

Glasscock was the only Class B player named to the 22-man squad.

Mrs. A. M. Wilson entertained members of Wilson's Super Market bowling team with a party Friday evening at her home.

SIX YEARS AGO
December 14, 1966

Saturday is a big day in Bovina during the Christmas season when Santa Claus will pay his annual visit, and a bicycle and saddle will be given away.

Sunday will mark the opening of the Bovina Methodist Church when a full day of activities are planned, according to Rev. J. B. Fowler Jr., pastor. The new church has been constructed at a cost of \$120,000.

Ways to go about getting needed school classrooms and athletic facilities highlighted a regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of Bovina Independent School District Monday night.

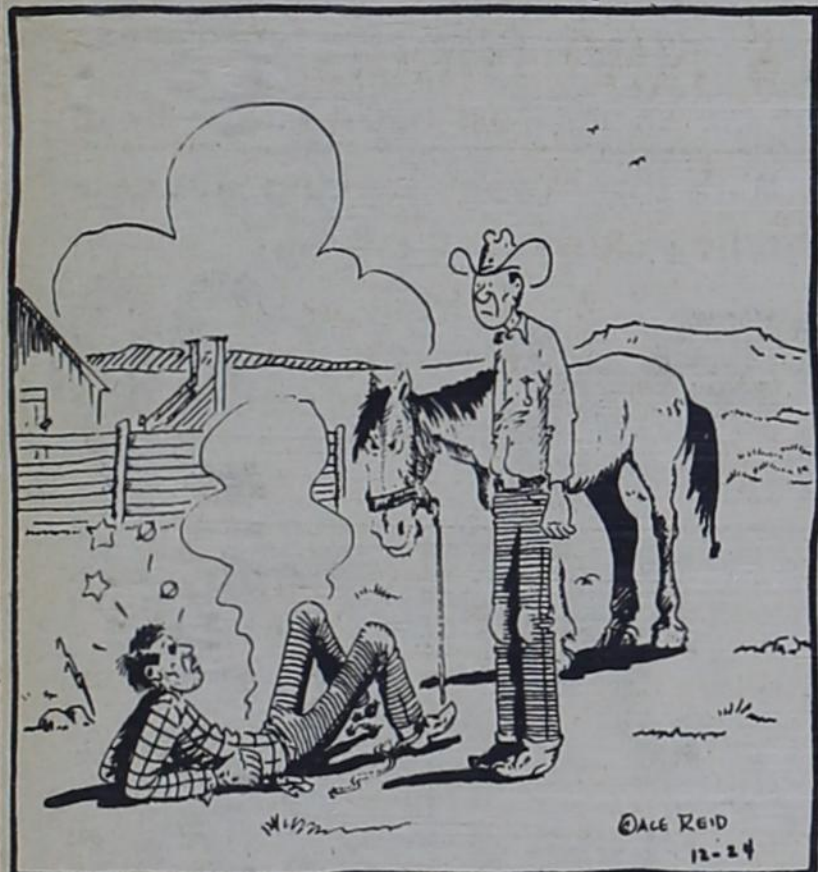
Board members reviewed results of the December 3 election which saw three school bond proposals defeated by voters of the district.

After lengthy discussion, the board voted to have a public meeting Monday, January 9, to hear what plans citizens have for the growth and improvement of school facilities.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sherrill last week became the owners of Cicero Smith Lumber Company in Bovina and the new name will become Sherrill Lumber Company.

A total of \$190 had been deposited Tuesday morning at First State Bank in Bovina for the Christmas Card project for the purpose of raising funds for a medical clinic and doctor in Bovina.

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES By Ace Reid



"Wul, I knew better than to walk up to his heels, but I knew he kicked, so I went up to his head and danged if he didn't paw me in the face!"

Carefree Banking . . . Via the Mail



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FDIC

Long Time Farwell Teacher --

Amos Tatum's Rites Tuesday

Funeral services for Amos Tatum, 56, of Farwell, a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kidd of Bovina, were held Tuesday morning in Farwell High School Auditorium.

Mr. Tatum died about 10:30 a.m. Sunday following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Tatum, a resident of Farwell since 1956, was a former school principal in Farwell, but was serving in a teaching position at the time of his death.

Officiating at the services was Rev. J. L. Bass of Odessa, formerly of Farwell. Burial was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery at Farwell. Masonic graveside rites were conducted by the Bovina Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Tatum was a veteran of World War II, a 32nd degree Mason and a member of the Texas State Association of Teachers.

He is survived by his wife, Lenora; his mother, Mrs. Amanda Tatum of Durant, Okla.; one daughter, Mrs. Patricia Chandler of Canyon; one brother, Charles Tatum of Fort Worth; and two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Yeager of Durant, Okla., and Mrs. D. L. Green of Ore City.

A memorial fund has been established at the Security State Bank in Farwell for the Amos Tatum Fund for Farwell High School.

Services Held In Friona For Pedro Garza

Funeral services for Pedro Garza, 61, of Bovina were held Monday morning in St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona with Rev. John Coppinger, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home in Friona. Mr. Garza died about 12:30 p.m. Friday in an Amarillo hospital.

A resident of Bovina for the past 15 years, Mr. Garza was a retired farmer.

He is survived by his wife, Julia; a stepson, Jessie Soliz of Friona; and six grandchildren.

COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending December 13, 1972 in County Clerk Office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, Floyd L. Rector, Rosemary F. Pankratz, 7.67 ac, out NE 1/4 Sec. 8, T4S; R4E

WD, Nettie A. Sharp, et al, Lonnie Sharp, N 1/2 Sec. 44, Bk. A, Synd.

WD, O. W. Rhinehart, Winston Allison, SE 60 ft. Lot 3, Bk. 58, Bovina

WD, Panhandle & South Plains Dev., J. D. Terry, Lot 11, Eastview, Add. Bovina

WD, Jimmy Snead, Clyde Woodward, 1/2 Int. in 1.721 ac. in Sec. 7, T5S; R4E

Do you know the meanings of the modern terms "artsy-craftsy," "beta fiber" and "biodegradable"?



If your present dictionary does not enter these terms, you probably need a new, up-to-date one such as the Second College Edition of Webster's New World Dictionary, the newest of the college dictionaries and the only one to be published in the 1970's. Here are the words and their meanings:

Rev. Stump Dies In Calif.

Funeral services and burial were held Tuesday in Indio, Calif., for Rev. Fred A. Stumpp, 60, Rev. Stumpp died Saturday in a Palm Springs, Calif., hospital.

He was a pastor of First Baptist Church here from 1946 to 1948. He moved from Bovina to Gainesville before moving to California.

Survivors include his wife, Peggy; two daughters, Mrs. Norman (Peggy Joyce) Ford of Visalia, Calif., and Mrs. Dan (Becky) Durocher of Germany; a son, Alan Stumpp with the U.S. Air Force in San Antonio; and four grandsons.

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ered to you Saturday, the 23rd. Then, there will be no paper on the normal Wednesday publication day, which will be the 27th.

After the Christmas issue, the next Blade to be published will be out Wednesday, January 3rd.

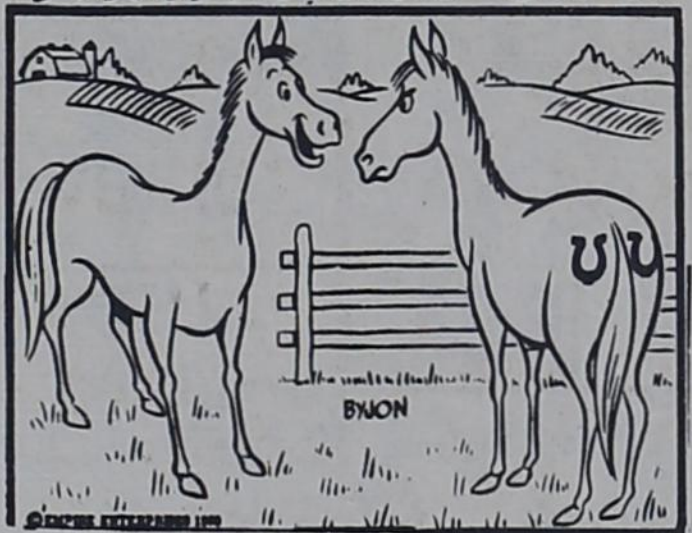
This will, no doubt, be one year when folks around here won't have their hearts in wishing for a white Christmas.

With something like eight or nine snowfalls already this year, and winter not even officially due until tomorrow, a sunshiny Christmas 1972 would probably suit most Farmer Countians just fine. That's doubly true if they still have cotton in the field that needs harvesting.

Don't be disappointed, Dallas Cowboy football fans, when your team doesn't earn a second consecutive Super Bowl victory. You'll have to remember that you won it last year and you just can't be the best in the business each and every year.

It sez here that this year's version of the Cowboy team just won't be able to repeat last season Super Bowl Championship. We hope that's not right, but we think it is.

FARMLAND FUN



HEY, HAVE YOU MET THAT CUTE FILLY DOWN THE ROAD YET?

For Your ---

Wheat Pasture Cattle

- Staley's Sweet Lix
- *Bloat Blocks
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Bovina = **COOP**
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MOBILE BUFFET KEEPS GUESTS SMILING



COFFEE POPULAR

The typical American coffee lover drinks about 750 cups of non-instant coffee a year, and is now enjoying them more because new Star coffee filters keep tiny grounds out of the brew and eliminate bitter taste.



Where the guests are—that's where a party buffet-bar should be. While guests are discovering each other, you can bring the buffet-bar to them. And with Meat Ball Stroganoff and dry Manhattans on the menu you won't want to pass up these tasty tempting items.

Arrange food and drink on a rolling cart or tea wagon to make mobile serving easy. Then your buffet will be conveniently close at hand wherever guests congregate—and it can move when they move.

MEAT BALLS STROGANOFF

- 4 pounds ground beef
- 2 cups bread crumbs
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 2 eggs
- 1 tablespoon salt
- pepper to taste
- 6 tablespoons butter
- 2 large onions, chopped
- 1 pound mushrooms, sliced (or 1 8-ounce can)
- 1 tablespoon flour
- 1/2 cup liquor of choice
- 2 cups sour cream

Have lean chuck or sirloin ground twice for extra fineness. Soak crumbs in milk, add eggs, beat well. Blend with meat, adding salt and pepper to taste. Shape into small balls. Melt 2 tablespoons butter in large skillet, brown meat balls on all sides, shaking the pan to keep them round. Remove meat balls to heavy pan. Add remaining butter to skillet, cook onions and mushrooms until just tender and translucent. Sprinkle with flour, stir a minute or two. Add liquor and cook, stirring into brown bits, until the sauce thickens slightly. Stir in sour cream and heat. Keep hot until serving time. Makes 32 hors d'oeuvre servings.

DRY MANHATTANS

- 1 fifth (25 oz.) rye, bourbon or blend
- 1 cup (8 oz.) dry vermouth
- Garnish: twists of lemon peel

Combine whiskey and vermouth in a tall pitcher with ice cubes. Stir and pour into cocktail glasses. Garnish with lemon twist. Makes about 17 drinks.

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Borden's

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Soffin NAPKINS

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Shurfine

Blackeye PEAS

5 17 oz. cans **\$1**

Cozy Kitchen

Devil's Food **CAKE** 24 oz. size **89¢**

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Cream Style
or Whole Kernel **CORN**

5 17 oz. cans **\$1.00**

Sweet Potatoes 3 23 oz. cans **\$1.00**



Shurfine

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Cigarettes \$3.99 Carton | Longs **\$4.09**

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ESCAPE SNOW --- Three Bovinians escaped the snow and sub-freezing weather here last week for a fishing trip at Falcon Lake. Holding a string of black and white bass averaging about two pounds each are, left to right, Dickie Clayton, Gaylon Rhodes and James Clayton.

Here Last Week --

Business Burglarized; Two Shotguns Stolen

A burglary of a business and theft of two shotguns from a pickup were reported here last week, according to City Marshal Ronald Mitchell.

Bovina Service Station and Grocery, owned and operated by Joe Pesch, was burglarized sometime Thursday night of last week. Entry was gained through a window on the west side of the building. An undetermined amount of cigarettes, candy, pastries and other foodstuffs were taken in the break-in. While in the store, the burglars threw a bottle through a window in the front door.

Mitchell arrested Abram Sierra, 18, Luis Sierra, 17, and a 13-year old boy Saturday morning. The three suspects were charged with burglary and held in Parmer County jail in lieu of \$1,000 bond each. The juvenile will be tried in county court. The Sierras will be held

over for grand jury action in the case.

The shotguns, both Remington 12 gauge pumps, model 870's, belonging to Larry Jesko and Gene Schacker of Lazbuddie, were taken from Jesko's pickup between 5:30 and 6 p.m. Wednesday. The vehicle was parked in front of Bovina Supermarket at the time of the theft.

Parmer County Deputy Sheriff Henry Minter investigated the incident. Mitchell arrested Antonio Chavez of Bovina Friday afternoon. He was charged with burglary of a motor vehicle. Parmer County law officials issued a warrant for the arrest of another suspect in the case. The shotguns have not been recovered.

"It would be a great help to law officers in these cases if gun owners would record the serial number of all their firearms," said Mitchell. "A rifle

belonging to a resident was recovered recently at a pawn shop in Irving because the owner had recorded the serial number," he continued.



AT THE NORTH POLE, THE NIGHTS ARE 6 MONTHS LONG.



Water Ways! by THOMPSON
 YOU MAY NOT KNOW IT, BUT NATURE IS THE ORIGINAL PRACTITIONER OF WATER CONSERVATION. EVER SINCE THE BEGINNING OF TIME, SHE'S BEEN "RECYCLING" THIS PRECIOUS RESOURCE BY EVAPORATING IT AWAY FROM ONE PLACE AND CONDENSING IT TO FALL ON ANOTHER.



IF MAN IS TO SURVIVE ON THIS PLANET, WE MUST LEARN TO CONSERVE WATER TOO. ONE WAY TO DO IT, AND SAVE MONEY IN THE BARGAIN, IS TO FIX ANY LEAKY FAUCETS THAT YOU MIGHT HAVE IN YOUR HOME.
 TO REACH THE WASHER IN A LEAKY FAUCET, REMOVE ITS HANDLE, TAPE THE CHROME CONNECTION (SO THE METAL WON'T GET SCRATCHED) AND THEN LOOSEN IT WITH A CRESCENT MULTI-PLIER WITH A QUICK ADJUSTING JAW. THIS PLIER ACTUALLY GETS TIGHTER AS YOU TURN IT, WHICH LETS YOU EXERT LOTS OF FORCE WITHOUT WORKING TOO HARD.

Plenty of room at the top.
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The Army Reserve. It pays to go to meetings.

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 5 lb. bag **49¢**
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Gold Medal Flour 5 lb. bag **49¢**
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Shop These Specials At **WILSON'S** Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Dec. 21-22-23
 Wilson's will be Closed Christmas

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Fisher's Mixed Nuts 13 oz. can **89¢**
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 City Secretary

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Tender Crust Brown & Serve ROLLS pkg. **25¢**
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Happy Pig Whole Hog Hot or Regular Sausage 2 lb. sack **\$1.49**

Chiquita **BANANAS** lb. **10¢**
 Fancy California **CELERY** lb. **12¢**

USDA CHOICE BEEF
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 Sirloin Steak lb. \$1.09
 T-Bone Steak lb. \$1.29

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 *Olive Loaf
 *Bologna
 *Pickle Loaf
 Center Cut **Pork Chops** lb. **98¢**

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At Home In Parmer County

By Jana Pronger
County HD Agent

If St. Nicholas, or Kris Kringle, was as good as legend supposes, his success surely was based on care and common sense.

Today's shoppers could take a hint from him. A specialist with the Extension Service stressed the need for careful consideration in shopping for Christmas toys.

Selecting play materials for children requires the same selectivity as any other Christmas item.

Safety is the utmost of importance. Toys should be built so that nothing can be pulled off and swallowed or be broken off, leaving sharp edges.

Choosing well-constructed play materials is advised. For example, toy hammers and mallets should have securely fastened handles, and the wheels on wooden toys should be fastened well, preferably with screws.

For cords and strings, non-conducting materials such as cotton should be utilized; however, any string can carry electricity when wet.

Toys having keys should be made so the key won't revolve when the toy is working.

Another consideration is the child's use of the toy. The child needs to be able to manage it by himself.

A toy for any age should give the child a feeling of adequacy and set the appropriate standard for physical and mental development. Most mechanical toys are too intricate for children under four years of age.

Not should toys be too restrictive. Instead, they should stimulate imagination and make-believe, encourage quiet play and/or vigorous body activity, and allow for playing alone and in group activity.

Pets and toy gardening equipment fit this category.

The toy also needs to fit the child's stage of development. Although toys are usually marked with an age range, this can vary with the individual child's development.

Pre-schoolers, for example, need activities to develop large muscles. Thus, their toys should stimulate imaginative play and require use of their hands.

Young elementary children also need play materials which develop large muscles. In addition, they require activities and toys that help encourage social development, such as stories, arts and crafts also can help the child coordinate fine muscles.

Team sports offer group development for older elementary children. Also, through hobbies, painting and musical toys, these

youngsters may acquire other skills.

Toys are instrumental in role playing, an important part of the child's development which helps him identify with his parents. Because of this, puppets, dolls, dress-up clothes and house-keeping kits are popular.

Role playing is especially important for boys who need to identify with men and their occupations.

Often the son is unaware of just what his father's job is. Therefore, it is sometimes difficult for him to identify with his father except through role-playing toys, such as fireman, policeman, engineer, pharmacist and doctor.

A reminder to shoppers is to keep in mind where a particular toy gift will be used and stored. If the family lives in a small apartment, chances are there is not enough room to set up a big play house or store a hundred-piece farm set.

Santa may have two lists he checks twice, and toy shoppers might follow his example.

Another specialist with the Extension Service suggested a checklist on toy construction, safety, and suitability.

The lure of the toy counter is sometimes overwhelming, so before you buy, ask the following questions:

Is the toy well made? If it isn't, don't buy it.

What will the toy do for the child, or to the child?

Why should the child be interested in it? Keep in mind the child's age, interests and abilities.

How long will he be interested in it?

Is the toy safe, strong, durable, sanitary and attractive?

Is it simple in construction, not too large, too small, too heavy, too complicated, or too difficult to handle?

Can the toy be used in a variety of ways (mechanical toys often limit the things a child can do with them)?

Can the child manage the toy himself?

Is the toy suited to the child's stage of development?

Does the toy offer variety to meet some of the child's needs?

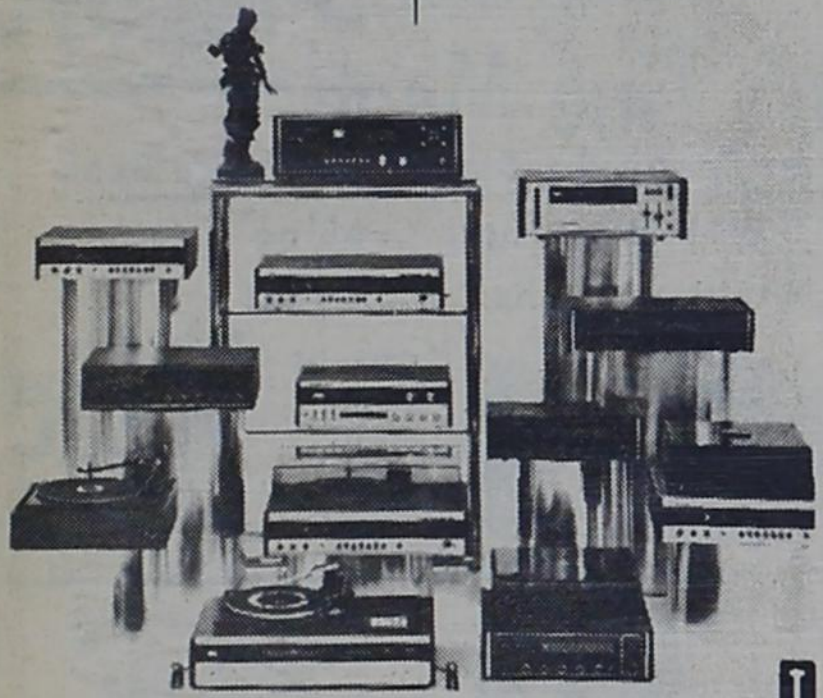
For instance, does it stimulate imagination and make-believe, encourage quiet play or vigorous body activity, or include experiences with nature, such as pets, gardening, water or sand?

Is the toy designed for playing alone or for group activity?

Is the toy suitable for the play space and storage facilities?

And finally, are you buying the toy for a child or for yourself?

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Miss Miller To Be Feted With Shower

Miss Suzanne Miller of Scottsdale, Ariz., bride-elect of Jerry Barron of Shreveport, La., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rouel Barron of Bovina, will be feted with a bridal shower from 3 to 5 p.m., Friday, Dec. 29, in the home of Mrs. Vernon Estes at 1011 Avenue H.

Hostesses are Mrs. Mary Ruth Redden, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. Billy Smith, Mrs. H. J. Charles, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. Chester Rogers, Mrs. Joe Fowler and Mrs. Estes.

UMW Meets For Luncheon

Mrs. Bob Fillpot presented a Christmas program at the Tuesday noon meeting of the United Methodist Women.

During the brief session, Mrs. Vernon Estes proposed that the organization adopt a child through the Christian Children's Fund. After discussion, the group voted to adopt the child and designate their monthly collection to the fund.

Mrs. Joe Fowler, president, presided at the business session. Mrs. W. E. Williams read the minutes of last month's meeting. Mrs. Dean Hastings, treasurer, reported that the pecan sale and bazaar netted the group approximately \$309.

Attending the luncheon-meeting were Mrs. Estes, Mrs. Fillpot, Mrs. Jerry Ware, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Miss Rita Caldwell, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Myrtle Perry, Mrs. P. O. Dixon, Mrs. John Dixon, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. Williams.

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Dec. 12-18

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Of Interest To THE WOMEN

In a shell

by Lou Nuttall

Well, here it is --- nearly Christmas. The parties are going in full swing, the kids are jumping with excitement, the Santa lists are growing longer, everyone is scurrying around purchasing last minute gifts, the stores are running out of things we needed and we've about run out of "ho, ho, ho's."

One fellow told us his little daughter had changed her mind four times about the kind of doll she wanted Santa to bring, and each time they had already seen to it that Santa had the "just right" doll.

We swiped the following from Bill Ellis over at the Friona Star:

Here are some modern definitions of humbug --

HUMBUG . . . is getting caught under the mistletoe by your aunt Bertha.

HUMBUG . . . is opening your gifts and finding none of them fit.

HUMBUG . . . is Christmas store displays in August.

HUMBUG . . . is being served eggnog with no nog in it.

HUMBUG . . . is having your hubcaps stolen by Christmas carolers.

HUMBUG . . . is trying to have a good old-fashioned Christmas with an aluminum tree, aerosol pine scent, artificial yule log and plastic mistletoe.

We were talking with one of the coaches at school Monday morning. He wanted, in a nice way of course, for someone to mention the conduct of fans and students at basketball games.

Seems one of the officials warned the coach Friday night about some of the students throwing ice on the court.

Students, and fans alike, should remember that it was only last year that we were playing under probation for misconduct during the basketball season. The school's, meaning students, parents, teachers and residents of the community, reputation suffered in that incident and it seems to me we should be trying our best to redeem ourselves.

We hate to think that Bovina has acquired the reputation we hear about in other schools. We have a good bunch of kids here, but there is always some sorehead in the crowd that gives everyone a bad name.

It's not fair, but that's how it is.

And, anyhow, we do like ice in our soft drinks, and we just got that little deal reinstated this year. One more ice throwing incident and we probably will be back to warm soft drinks.

Well, we guess our brood will be heading north for the holidays. The way the weather has been here, we can just see ourselves stuck in some one-service station town somewhere on the prairie in Kansas, Ho, ho, ho.

It was once a novelty to be in South Dakota for a white Christmas, but not anymore. At last report, we've had at least as much snow in good ole Bovina as they have had up near the Canadian border.

Glenns Host Party For 4-Hers, Guests

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Glenn was scene of a party for 4-H Club members, their guests and parents Friday night.

The group exchanged "goofy" gifts and played games during the evening. Refreshments of Christmas candy, pop corn balls, cookies and soft drinks were served to Kathy Williams, Pam Rhodes, Jimmy Rhodes, Connie Merrill, Mandy Roach, Kelly Mitchell, Pam Spring, Don Paul Spring, Ann Stokes, Mary Stokes, Cheryl Whitecotton,

Debbie Whitecotton, Eddie Don Lide, Melissa Allison, Al Kerby Jr. and Joan Carson and guests, David Merrill, Bobby Wayne Englant, Brent Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitecotton, Kenny Whitecotton, James Whitecotton, Mrs. Tommy Williams and Mrs. M. H. Carson.

Miss Carson, reported for the club, said that approximately \$42 was made by the club at the bake sale held Saturday.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, Jan. 3, in Bovina Schools cafeteria.

130 Attend Yule Party Friday Night

Employees of Parmer County Cattle Company and their families were feted with a Christmas party Friday night at Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Charles Turner provided dinner music at the organ for the pot luck supper.

Mrs. Jim Lookingbill was in charge of decorations for the hall which featured a white flocked tree with red decorations.

Santa Claus arrived to the tune of "Here Comes Santa Claus," and passed out gifts to the 75 children present. The children sang carols around the tree before St. Nick's appearance.

Approximately 130 attended the event.

Poor George!

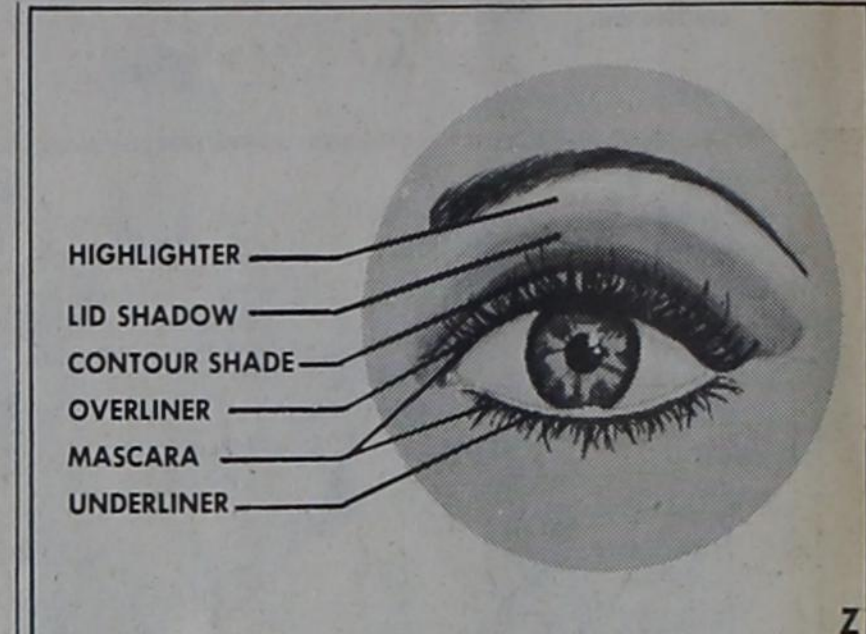
Did you know that the Father of Our Country wore false teeth? That's right, our own George Washington had a custom-made pair of wooden false teeth. Unfortunately, back in those days dentistry was not the art it is today and George suffered a great deal --- rumor even has it that he often went without! (No wonder all his portraits show him closed mouth.)

The makers of Cushion Grip, a soft, pliable denture adhesive, must have had George in mind. The adhesive assures a comfortable, secure seal by natural suction. Poor George really was ahead of his time --- today he could wear his teeth with assurance. Z



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NEW YORK (ED) --- Parties . . . parties . . . parties! The bridge club luncheon, the Optimist Club dinner and John's office cocktail-dinner-dance gala affair. And what a lucky year --- all the "must attend" functions are on different dates! Now to get yourself ready to go.

The holiday fashion-scene is not what it used to be. Everything from your eye make-up to your wardrobe has softened. Soft-tone pastels and soft-touch fashions have overpowered the traditional bright reds and greens . . . so make the most of the trend. Think fluffy.

For a delicately stunning "party-time" look --- start with your eyes. Adorn them with eye shadow shades of soft-tone pinks, blues, lavenders and limes. Shade, contour and highlight your eyes with velvety radiant hues to compliment or accent your new holiday wardrobe. Make the most of your eyes --- change your shadow shades when your party atmosphere dictates a change in your dress.

Multi-shadow compacts, such as Maybelline Shadows Ten, offer all the subtle pastel shadows to mix or match with the fluffy fashions. Your "holiday eyes" will speak tenderly, yet excitingly of "party-time".

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Continue to emphasize your eyes with one of the new soft-touch fashions in angora or mohair. Or, how about the downy seductive appeal of a long sweater-dress. Accentuate these new fashions and apply one of the modern-blend perfumes to pulse spots.

This holiday party-time season promises to be exciting with the fashion break-away from the traditional. Become part of the excitement . . . make-up, dress-up and be merry.

Alice Snodgrass Feted On Ninetieth Birthday

Mrs. Alice K. Snodgrass was feted Sunday, Dec. 17, with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas of Bovina in honor of her 90th birthday.

Attending the birthday celebration were her four children, Mrs. Bill (Eula May) Clynch of Childress, Mrs. Douglas (Louise), Gene Snodgrass and Mrs. Owen (June) Patton, all of Bovina.

Others attending the dinner and afternoon of visiting included Douglas, Owen Patton, Bill Clynch, Mrs. Snodgrass, Carol and Gene Snodgrass and Mrs. Lillie Trostle.

Mrs. Snodgrass resides with her son in the Oklahoma Land Community. She has seven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

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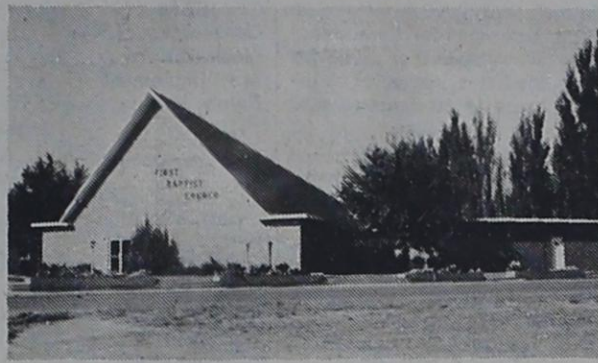
THE MOST BEAUTIFUL THING

An artist wanted to paint the most beautiful picture in the world. First, he asked a minister, what do you think is the most beautiful thing in the world? Faith, said the Minister; you find it at every altar. Second, he asked a young bride the same question. Love, she replied. Love builds poverty into riches; sweetens tears; makes much of little. Without it there is no beauty. Thirdly, he asked a weary soldier the same question. Peace is the most beautiful thing in the world, stated the soldier. War is the ugliest thing in the world. Wherever you find peace, you find beauty.

Faith, Love, and Peace pondered the artist. How can I paint them? Entering the door of his own home, he saw Faith in the eyes of his children and Love in the eyes of his wife. And there in the confines of his home he saw the Peace that Love had built. So he painted the picture of the Most Beautiful Thing in the World and he called it Home.

Cecil Bunch, Minister,
Bovina Church of Christ

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BOVINA



First Baptist Church - Bovina



Larry Heard

SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Training Union, R.A.'s - G.A.'s - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - Prayer Meeting - 8 p.m.
Children's Choir - 8 p.m.

OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



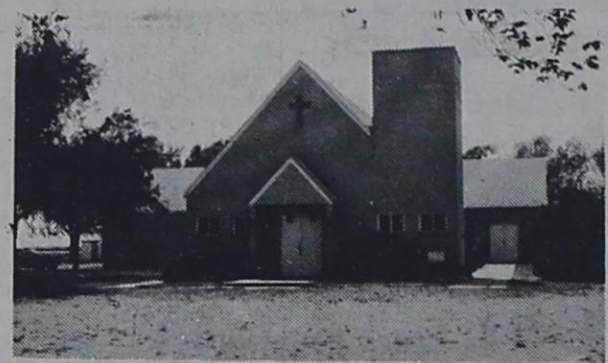
Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church



Rev. Oran D. Smith

Sunday - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH



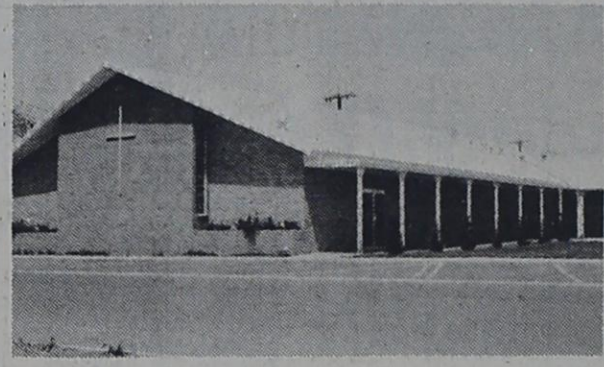
St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, Texas



Rev. Martin Platzer

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

BOVINA CHURCH of CHRIST



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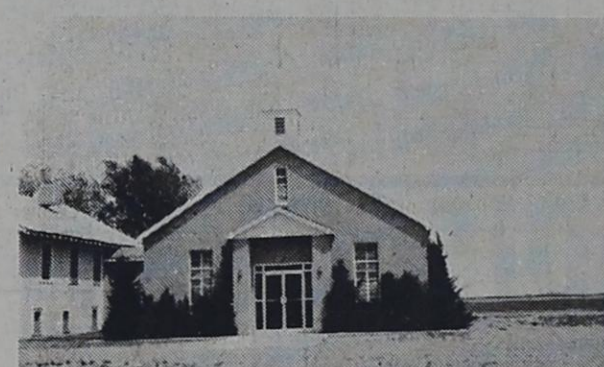


Cecil Bunch

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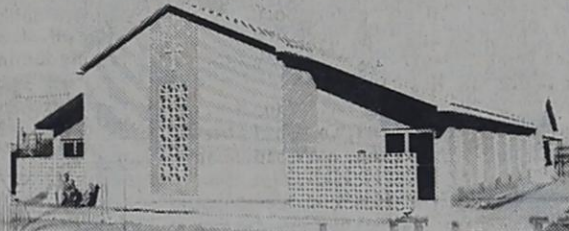


Rev. Bob Roberts

Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

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

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH



St. Ann's Catholic Church - Bovina

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Monday & Wednesday - 8 p.m.
Confession: Sunday - 8 to 8:25 a.m.

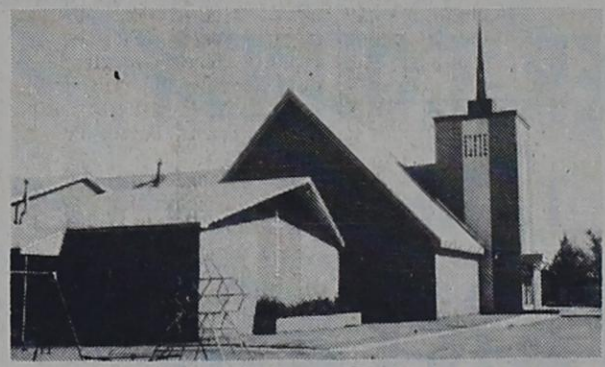
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Mision Belen Bautista

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

BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



Bovina United Methodist Church



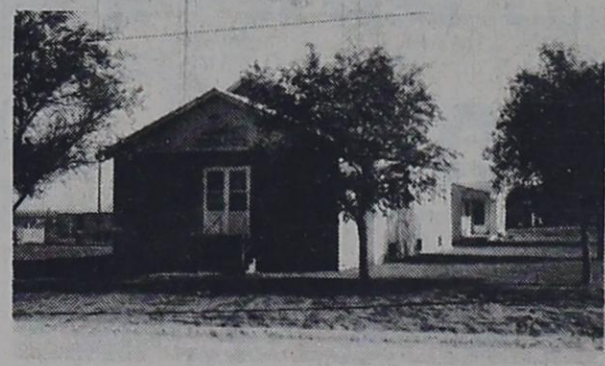
Rev. Howard Marcom

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Choir Practice -
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BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH



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On The Farm In Parmer County

By R. MACK HEALD
County Agent

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Texas imports nearly five million Christmas trees annually, some as far away as Western Canada. As a result, the trees are stored in boxcars that undergo temperature extremes.

Those exposed to warm temperatures for a period of several weeks may already have dried out by the time they are put on our Texas markets.

To keep a Christmas tree fresh and green, follow these guidelines:

1. Buy your tree early. This will enable you to be selective in purchasing a reasonably fresh tree. Check for signs of needle shedding and brittleness which indicate excessive dryness.
2. Store the tree outdoors in the shade until ready for use. Spray it frequently with water.
3. Once the tree is brought indoors, make a diagonal cut, removing one to two inches of the base. Stand the tree in water and keep it there until it is discarded. Check the water level daily.

See George Long



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NEW BRAKE AND LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS FOR COTTON TRAILERS

New lighting and brake requirements for cotton trailers have been enacted by the special session of the Texas Legislature, replacing a law passed in August, 1971.

An analysis by the Department of Public Safety lists the following specific provisions for cotton trailers.

Trailers under 15,000 pounds gross weight when operated during the daytime with visibility more than 1,000 feet:

Trailers less than 80 inches in width and under 30 feet in length:

Two red reflectors, one on each side of the rear.

Trailers less than 80 inches in width and more than 30 feet in length:

One amber reflector on each side centrally located on trailer body.

Two red reflectors, one on each side of the rear.

Trailers more than 80 inches in width and under 30 feet in length:

Two amber reflectors, one on each side near the front.

Two red reflectors, one on each side of the rear.

Trailers more than 80 inches in width and more than 30 feet in length:

Two red reflectors, one on each side of the rear.

Trailers that are operated at night and when visibility is less than 1,000 feet are required to have the following electric lights and reflectors:

Trailers more than 80 inches in width and under 30 feet in length:

Two amber clearance lamps on front, one on each side near corner.

Two amber side marker lamps, one on each side near front.

Two amber reflectors, one on each side near front.

Two red stop lamps, one on each side near the rear.

Two red reflectors, one on each side near the rear.

Two red tall lamps, one on each side on the rear.

Two red reflectors, one on each side on the rear.

One white lamp on rear to illuminate license plate.

Electric turn signal lamps on rear.

Two red or amber flashing hazard warning lamps, one on each side on rear.

Trailers more than 80 inches in width and more than 30 feet in length:

All lamps described for shorter trailer plus:

One amber reflector on each side centrally located on trailer body.

One amber side marker lamp on each side centrally located on trailer body.

(A combination lamp will fulfill several lighting requirements. For example, one lighting unit is available to fit on the corners of the trailer body which furnishes front and side clearance and marker lamps.)

The requirement for the three identification lamps was eliminated from the law.

Brakes are not required on trailers up to 15,000 pounds gross weight when operated under 30 miles per hour. The combination of trailers and towing vehicle must be capable of stopping within 50 feet when traveling 20 miles per hour. Slow Moving Vehicle emblems are required only on trailers towed by vehicles which by design go slower than 25 miles per hour (trailers towed by pickup trucks would not require the SMV emblem; those towed by tractors would have to have the SMV sign).

Trailers weighing over 15,000 pounds gross weight require brakes on all wheels.

Trailer owners are urged to check their vehicles, installing new equipment if necessary in order to conform to the 1972 law. For information about the

new enactment, trailer owners can contact the nearest Department of Public Safety office.

The first cotton sample of the 1972-1973 season was classed September 14, by the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service Cotton Classing Office in Lubbock. W. K. Palmer, Officer-in-Charge, reported that only 1,191 cotton samples from the current crop had been received through Friday, November 3.

This compares to a total of 1,757 samples at this time last year.

Most of this early cotton has been harvested in Dawson, Lynn and Gaines counties but first bales have been harvested over the entire area.

The seasonal classing offices at Brownfield and Levelland are expected to begin receiving samples for classification on Monday, November 13.

Most of the early harvested cotton has been long staple cotton which was machine picked and hail damaged and chemically defoliated cotton which was stripped.

Quality of this early cotton varied widely depending on the condition of the fields at the time of harvest.

Grades of these first bales have been predominantly Middling and Strict Low Middling. Staple length has averaged approximately one inch and micronaire of most cotton has been in the premium range of 3.5 to 4.9.

Price quotations on the Lubbock market for cotton in the premium micronaire range of 3.5 to 4.9 ranged from the low for low grade, short staple cotton to \$27.50 per bale over the low for high grade, long staple cotton. Prices quoted by the Lubbock Cotton Exchange for the most predominant qualities were: Middling 31/32 - 23.05, Middling 1" - 24.25, Middling 1-1/16 - 27.50, Strict Low Middling 31/32 - 22.30, Strict Low Middling 1" - 23.50, and Strict Low Middling 1-1/16 - 25.00.

Prices paid farmers for cottonseed ranged from \$42 to \$50 per ton and averaged \$46 per ton.

It's partly up to hog producers whether the hog production industry must go through the profit wringer again or can maintain reasonably profitable market prices. The hog outlook is quite favorable through the first eight months of 1973; then prices will be determined largely by the size of the 1973 spring pig crop.

This year is shaping up as the all-time best price and profit year which could spell gloomier times ahead. Historically, the hog industry has not been able to withstand prosperity. Following a year of good prices, sow farrowings are typically increased over the next 12 to 24 months until supplies become burdensome and prices drop to unprofitable levels.

The market can possibly withstand a 5 per cent increase in December-through-May farrowing and another 5 per cent increase in the June-to-November 1973 crop without a sharp

drop in the late 1973 - early 1974 prices. If farrowings are much larger, profit margins by late 1973 will be poor.

In general, the hog outlook is quite favorable for the rest of 1972 and into the third quarter of 1973. Pig crop estimates for the February-to-May period indicate that the volume for the rest of this year should run at least 6 per cent to 7 per cent below last year. A sizable gilt and sow holdback for 1973 farrowing could reduce slaughter a bit more.

Basic demand conditions should continue strong this fall, especially in view of further improvement in economic activity. Nevertheless a seasonal pickup in marketings will cause prices to trend lower.

Looking at 1973 market prospects, intended farrowings point to at least some reduction in slaughter supplies during most of the January-to-June 1973 period. Possibly, the first quarter 1973 prices of barrows and gilts on the Midwest interior markets will start at a \$25 to \$26 per hundredweight range then work down to a \$23 to \$24 range.

Prices are likely to weaken still more during April, then show seasonal strength and reach the \$25 to \$26 level at the Midwest markets by July. After that, the outlook depends largely upon the size of the 1973 spring pig crop.

WANT ADS

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Gladys and J. W. Wright
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drop in the late 1973 - early 1974 prices. If farrowings are much larger, profit margins by late 1973 will be poor.

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The restructuring of cattle feeding from the Corn Belt to the Southern Great Plains has been perhaps the most significant change in agriculture during the last 50 years.

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For Parmer Co. Students --

Essay Contest Deadline Feb. 1

The annual conservation essay contest for students of Parmer County Schools, sponsored by Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, was announced this week by Herb Evans, district conservationist. Deadline for entering the contest is Feb. 1, 1973. Entries may be taken to, or mailed, to Parmer County SWCD, Box 788, Friona, Texas 79035, said Evans. Winners in the contest will receive cash prizes. "The contest and cash prizes do not affect participation in interscholastic league events," said Evans. Title for this year's contest will be "Natural Resources -- Meeting the Needs of People." The essay may be up to 300 words and must be written in ink and longhand. Essays will be judged on content (80 per cent) and grammar (20 per cent). A cover sheet is required for each entry. The essay must contain the following information: full name of contestant, home address and telephone number, name of school and number of local SWCD (Parmer County SWCD, No. 140), and name of parents. The contest is open to boys and girls 18 and under. Students desiring further information may contact the SCS office in Friona, Evans said.

FOIL BICYCLE THIEVES FOUR WAYS

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DENTAL FACTS: Hypersensitive Teeth

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--One of every seven dental patients has one or more hypersensitive teeth.
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--A specially formulated toothpaste called Sensodyne is reported to effectively desensitize teeth and with proper brushing helps get rid of plaque.
--Virtually everyone experiences dental hypersensitivity at some time. Adults after age 35 are particularly susceptible because of receding gums. However, children have the problem, too.

In Parmer County --

20 Accidents In November

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 20 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of November, according to Sergeant W. E. Wells, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area. These crashes resulted in no persons killed and six persons injured. The rural traffic summary for this county during the first 11 months of 1972 shows a total of 146 accidents resulting in four persons killed and 79 persons injured. Records in Region 5 of the Texas Department of Public Safety show a total in November, 1972 of 584 accidents, resulting in 14 persons killed, and 265 persons injured as compared to the same month in 1971 with 576 accidents, resulting in 20 persons killed and 292 persons injured. This is eight more accidents, six less fatalities, and 27 less injured in 1972, compared to the same period of time last year. The Highway Patrol supervisor reminds you that the signs and signals on the roads are put there for your safety and convenience. Drive Friendly, the Texas Way! The 14 deaths for the month of November, 1972 occurred in the following counties: Floyd, five; Cochran, Crosby, Hockley, Lubbock, Terry, Wise, Castro, Dallam, and Moore, one each.

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Fillies Lose Heartbreaker --

Mustangs Impressive In Initial 3-A Action

District 3-A basketball action for the '72-'73 season began here Friday night at Willford Gymnasium with the Mustangs picking up an easy win and the Fillies dropping a heartbreaker in a couple overtime hits.

In the initial game of the evening, the Filly Junior Varsity took a 32-24 win over the S-E JV.

Cathy Trimble was high scorer for the Junior Fillies with 19 points. Fran Jacobs added six, Mary Marcom five and Dian Roming two. Also

seeing action at forward post was Georgia Terry.

Coach Roy Donaldson alternated Connie Ware, Carolina Espinoza, Kay Beardain, Fontella Cox, Alice Fragoza, Rita Nuttall, Anna Delgado and Sue Monk at the guard positions.

The Fillies led 13-8 at the end of the first stanza, 24-16 at half-time, 30-18 at the end of the third stanza and by eight at the end of the fourth period.

The Fillies came from eight points behind late in the final stanza of their math with Christi Trimble's two-pointer throwing the game into a deadlock in the final seconds. However, the S-E girls went on to win in the second three-minute overtime period, 53-45.

Miss Trimble was the high scorer for the Fillies with 23 points, followed by Nancy Hutto with 15, Connie Terry with five and Darla Hawkins with two. Gay Ellis sank 23 and Lesa Morgan 19 for S-E.

Seeing action at guard posts were Heidi Corn, Pam Wilson, Terri Willard and Evanna Johnston. Also seeing action as a forward was Rhonda Rhodes.

Miss Corn and Miss Hutto left the game via the foul route late in the last period.

The Mustangs trailed by four, 14-18, at the end of the first period of play, and by seven, 22-29, at intermission. They pulled to within three points, 30-33, at the end of the third stanza and Miss Trimble's field goal tied it up at 41-41 at the end of regulation play.

Each team scored four points in the first overtime with Miss Terry hitting the basket for two points to send the game into double overtime.

In the second three-minute overtime, S-E hit four of six free throws and sank two field goals for the victory. The Fillies were in the one-and-one foul shot situation four times in the period, but failed to score.

Using substitutions freely, Coach Eugene Boaz' Mustangs racked up an impressive 65-49 win over the S-E Wolverines for their first district win of the year.

Ben McCain led Mustang scorers with 23 points, followed by Rundell with 18, Billy Shelby with two, Jeff McCormick with

eight, Larry Wiseman with six and Mike Ware and Widdy Gromowsky with four points each. Also seeing action were Chuck Gilbreath, Roy Hartzog and Randy Kirkpatrick.

Thomas scored 18 and Sanderson 10 for S-E.

Rundell pulled down 13 rebounds and Shelby 11 in the contest. The Mustangs converted on three of six free throw attempts.

The Ponies led at the end of the first stanza, 17-2, and at half-time, 29-14. The Bovina crew pulled into a 19-point lead, 49-30, at the end of the third period.

Coach Eugene Boaz commented that he thought the team had improved from previous games. "I thought we had real good floor balance in the game and our rebounding had improved."

Next game on tap for the squads was last night (Tuesday) with four games at Farwell. Dec. 29, the varsity squads travel to Lazbuddie and Jan. 2, the varsity squads and the Filly JV play at Kress. Next home game will be Jan. 5 when Sudan will be here for four games.



"Alcalde Boy" CHARLES TRIMBLE OWNER BOB E. ARNETT TR. 6 FUR. 1:11 DEC. 10, 1972 DAVID WHITED UP FLEETINGLY (2nd) NEBEL ABBEY (3rd) SUNLAND PARK, N.M.



WINS BY HALF A LENGTH --- Alcalde Boy, owned by C. E. Trimble of Bovina, was the winner by half a length in a race Sunday, Dec. 10, at Sunland Park, N.M. Trained by Bob Arnett and ridden by Jockey David Whited, the Trimble horse streaked to the six furlongs win in a time of 1:11. It was the horse's sec-

ond win in two weeks at Sunland. Fleetingly was the second place horse and Djebel Abbey placed third. Arnett is kneeling beside the horse, Trimble is at left; Mrs. Trimble in the dark glasses and Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Gleason of Mulshoe is at the far left.

School Menus

Jan. 1-5
MONDAY -- No School.
TUESDAY -- No School.
WEDNESDAY -- Cheeseburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce and tomatoes, potato chips, brownies, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY -- Fried chicken, gravy, creamed potatoes, buttered broccoli, hot rolls, butter, blackberry pie, milk.
FRIDAY -- Tuna and noodles, green beans with cheese sauce, cabbage, pineapple and raisin salad, hot rolls, butter, chocolate pudding with topping, milk.

Last Week --

Dimmitt Bests Bovina Teams

Bovina basketball teams dropped four games to Dimmitt squads Tuesday night of last week at Dimmitt.

The Filly Junior Varsity was downed, 36-41, by Dimmitt's JV.

Cathy Trimble was high scorer for the Fillies with 23 points, followed by Connie Ware with seven and Mary Marcom with six. Also seeing action as forwards were Fran Jacobs and Georgia Terry.

Seeing action at guard posts were Caroline Espinoza, Kay Beardain, Fontella Cox, Dian Roming, Rita Nuttall and Anna Delgado.

Gilbreath scored 19 points for Dimmitt.

Dimmitt led by five at the end of the first period, 9-4, and by six at half-time, 18-12. The Fillies pulled into the lead for a short time in the third quarter and finished one point behind at the end of the third stanza, 26-27. Once again gaining a several point lead in the fourth quarter, the Dimmitt Bobbies started connecting on free throws to pull into the lead and the five point victory.

The Mustang Junior Varsity dropped its game to Dimmitt's JV, 64-27.

Two Ponies hit in double figures with Dennis Willard scoring 11 and Elbert Shelby 10. Alton McCormick and Robert Pesch added one point each and Kyle Jones and Danny Lusk added two each. Travis Hampton Jr. and Brad Sanders scored seven points each for the Bobcats.

The Mustangs scored only two points in the initial period to trail 2-21, and trailed at half-time, 17-33. The Bobcats pulled into a 20 point lead at the end of the third stanza, 45-25.

The Fillies were defeated by the Class AA Bobbies, 45-53, in the third match of the evening.

Christi Trimble led Filly scorers with 17 points in the contest, followed by Connie Terry and Darla Hawkins with eight each and Nancy Hutto with five. Also seeing action was Jana Barrett. Three Bobbies hit in double figures with Dawn Parker scoring 14 points.



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On A-J Team --

Shelby Receives Area Grid Honor

Billy Shelby, stellar linebacker and running back on the Bovina Mustangs' District 3-A Co-Champion football team, was named this week to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's Class A All-South Plains Team as compiled by the sports writers.

Shelby, a junior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Shelby. Several other players from District 3-A teams were named to the team.

Selected on the offensive unit were Roby Lynn, junior, Sudan, end; Jerry Goodrum, senior, Kress, guard; and Jimmy Brown, junior, Hart, running back.

Selected to the defensive unit were Goodrum, defensive line-

man; Stan Dyer, senior, Hart, linebacker; Shelby, linebacker; and Barry Street, sophomore, Kress, secondary.

Honorable mention went to Wayne Ethridge, senior, Hart, defensive lineman; Terry Stark, senior, Kress, linebacker; Erasmo Castillo, senior, Hart, end; and Larry Thomas, senior, Springlake-Earth, secondary.

Dyer of Hart was the only returnee from the 1971 All-South Plains team.

Shelby was also named to the 3-A All-District team last week as linebacker and offensive end. His selection as linebacker was unanimous.

Shelby quarterbacked the Mustangs during the '71 season as a sophomore.

BICYCLING CROWD PLEASER

Concerned about the increasing incidence of cycling accidents, Nabisco is promoting a bicycle safety campaign. It's geared mainly to children but it's equally important that grownups follow bicycle safety rules, too.

Fun minded adults often take longer bicycle trips in small groups on weekends. Why not extend the fun and invite the biking crowd to your place afterward for dessert and coffee? The dessert we have in mind is pictured here. It's a cheesecake, that year-round favorite, in a pumpkin flavored guise with a hint of spice. FIG NEWTONS Cakes make a perfect convenience crust. Serve with cinnamon whipped cream.

- PUMPKIN CHEESECAKE
24 FIG NEWTONS Cakes
1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese, softened
1/4 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
1 1/8 teaspoons ground cinnamon
1 (1-pound) can solid pack pumpkin
3 eggs, separated
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped

Grease bottom and sides of 9-inch springform pan; arrange 16 FIG NEWTONS Cakes around edge, filling side touching. Crumble remaining FIG NEWTONS Cakes over bottom. Beat cream cheese in large bowl of electric mixer until fluffy. Add 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, pumpkin, egg yolks, nutmeg and salt; beat until well blended. Beat egg whites in separate bowl until soft peaks form; gradually add remaining brown sugar and continue beating until stiff. Fold into pumpkin mixture. Pour into prepared pan. Bake in preheated moderate oven (350° F.) about 1 hour and 10 minutes or until knife inserted midway between edge and center comes out clean. Cool completely and remove rim. Whip cream with remaining cinnamon until stiff; serve with cheesecake. Makes 12 (about 2 1/4-inch) wedges.

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