

IF IT'S NEWS IN BOVINA, YOU'LL FIND IT IN THE BLADE.

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### Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

#### OUTSCORED

The space which will be devoted to college football this week will be brief. . . . No comment.

Incidentally, I wish all side-walk smart alecks would take the same attitude about the subject that I have.

#### NO QUESTIONS

Friday night's football game, the last of the year, was a hard one to lose. Don't mean to say that it wouldn't have been harder to lose by a 25-0 count than to tie the score at 25-25 and then lose on penetrations. But it was certainly surprising and disappointing.

Before the officials announced Whitharral had won on penetrations, 7-5, they didn't ask me if I thought that was correct. They didn't ask me afterwards for that matter, either. So, it would probably be a smart move on my part to think nothing more of the matter.

However, I think they made an honest mistake. According to the notes I kept at the game, and I kept a play-by-play account—they had the number of penetrations figured wrong.

It would have done little good to protest and will do even less to mention it now. That incident was "just one of those things" that happens in sporting events.

Frankly, I don't see the logic in deciding the outcome of the game on penetrations, anyway. A better set-up is to declare a game that ends with the score deadlocked a tie and forget it. The only time that rule would have to be changed would be in case of two teams playing to a draw for a championship. In that case, I daresay it would be better to decide the outcome on penetrations than with the flip of a coin.

A situation like that would come up so seldom most fans wouldn't even be conscious of the rule.

#### WET WEATHER

J. P. Macon, the elevator man, says this is the wettest fall he's seen. And he started worrying about wet falls on the Plains in 1919.

That, however, probably won't impress brow-wrinkled farmers who are worrying and walking around with hands crammed deep into overall pockets and who have thousands of dollars standing out in the fields taking one drenching after another. They probably think this is the wettest fall since the Flood, and it could be.

Troy Fuller says it's impossible to complain too long in a crowd about the damp weather without some wiseguy coming up with the point that "last summer you were complaining about not getting any rain."

Troy will admit that this is the truth and he'll also admit that some people are inclined to take all the fun out of life.

Better not tell who told me this theory, but I understand that some people are blaming the Sputniks for the foul weather. It's doubtful that such is the case, but some farmers I know are going to be telling crazier stories than that if the weather doesn't get more favorable soon.

Don't forget to consider rice as a crop next time it's planting time . . . even that joke's getting old.

#### NEW BUSINESS

When a new business opens here, The Blade attempts to give it all the publicity possible in the way of a boost for the town and the community, and it has even been criticized for going overboard on such.

Along that line, I'd like to mention that three businesses, that while they're not new, have increased their stocks in order to offer better, and more, service to their customers.

They include Cicero Smith Lumber Company, with a new toy department; Parmer County Farm Supply, with additional lines of merchandise; and Wilson's Super Market, which is making preparations to offer a complete line of magazines.

It's good to see additional services and merchandise offered to Bovina shoppers.

#### IT'LL BE FUN

Bovina has a larger percentage of basketball fans than any other place I know about and the time of the year for them to start having their most fun is here.

Bob Willis, boys' coach, and Charles Don Smith, girls' mentor, both have promising aggregations that will more than offset their share of basketball thrills for their rabid followers.

Don't want to be overly optimistic, but feel that both teams will enjoy better overall seasons than did the teams of a year ago . . . and they didn't do bad. The prediction is based on the facts that both teams have more experience than those of '56-'57 and I believe both groups are also longer on material.

Time . . . and the swish of the net . . . will tell . . .

### In Auditorium—

## Junior Play To Be Friday Night

"Willie's Weekend", a three act comedy, will be presented Friday evening by the Junior Class. It will be in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock.

The play is about Willie Winkle, played by Ramey Brandon, and his affairs of the heart, both physical and of the romantic nature. It takes place in the Bide Awee Nursing Home, which is filled with a collection of rather zany patients.

The romantic interest appears in Willie's life in the form of student nurse, Eva Wood, played by Arlene Clayton. Their adventures among the nurses, orderlies and patients, as well as the mothers of both is a series of impossible coincidences which make for comedy situations all around.

Others in the cast are Nicki Woelfel, playing the part of a maid in the nursing home; Mrs. Ophelia Winkle, Kay Hartzog. She is Willie's stylish, but

### School Library To Have More Books Soon

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools, announced Monday that preparations are being made to spend approximately \$1000 on new books for the school library.

Also, Morton says, plans for complete grouping of the school's library books is under way so they will not be misplaced.

Morton feels that many books from the library are in homes. He does not blame anyone for this, but would like to have them back to further complete the selection on hand. Also, anyone having books they would like to donate to the school may contact Morton. Favorite books are of the fiction, novel and historical nature, says Morton. The cooperation of the people of the area will be appreciated, he says.

Visiting recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter was her mother, Mrs. O. L. Hamby of Clovis. Mrs. Hamby visited here for about two weeks and returned home last week.

Visiting over last weekend with the Minters were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Bell and son, Calvin, all of Tucumcari, N. M. They were accompanied by the Bells' granddaughter, Debbie Hamner, also of Tucumcari.

Mrs. C. E. Stevens left Sunday for Lorenzo where she will visit for about a month with a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Martin. Mrs. Stevens made the trip with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens and children, who returned home that night.

## Basketball Season Is Now Underway

Basketball season, the favorite of Bovina sports fans, got off to an official start this week with

### Texico Games

Teams from Bovina and Texico divided a boys-girls basketball doubleheader Tuesday night in the New Mexico school's gym. Bovina girls won the opening game, 54-31, and Texico boys took the nightcap, 45-27.

From the beginnings, there was little doubt about the outcome of either game. Both winners held the upperhand throughout.

Bovina's Fillies led 19-13 at the first quarter mark, 32-23 at halftime, and 44-27 at the end of the third quarter.

Joanie Ezell was Bovina's leading scorer with 16. Janice Richards and Nancy Cumpton had 14, Kay Leake and Mildred Young made four and Joy Redden made two.

High scorer for the game was Texico's Walsh. She had 23. Bowers had three, Day two, and Moss, Seale, and Tharp one each.

In the boys game, the score by quarters was 6-3, 20-11, and 27-18 with Texico in control all the way.

Henson was the leading scorer with 12. He was followed by Trower with 10, Hadley with nine, Spears with eight, and Brown, Stover, and Adams with two each.

Dick Horn led the Mustangs with eight. Ramey Brandon had seven, Billy Burnam five, Jerry Burnett three and James Lawlis two.

slightly extreme, mother; Mrs. Edith McDonald, played by Nita Beth Estes, the proprietor of the nursing home; and Hannah Mulligan, a practical nurse who has been with Willie all through his "illnesses". She is played by Mildred Young.

Also, two patients, Josephus Posey, played by James Lawlis, who has the misbegotten idea that he is Napoleon; and Ozro Sanders, who thinks he is Captain Kidd. He is portrayed by Donald Jones. Ferman Kelso plays the part of Samuel Preston Hedges, a retired businessman who lives at the nursing home.

Two nurses, Brenda Burton and Shirley Linton, are played by Marjorie Dane and Joan Kay Ezell. Mrs. Letitia Wood and two orderlies complete the cast. Nancy Cumpton and Gladys Dean will be in charge of ticket sales at the door and Janice Richards and Frieda Downs will distribute programs. Other members of the class will work back stage as prompters, with sound effects and the like.

Mrs. Gerry Whelan and Charles Don Smith, co-sponsors of the class, report that "finishing touches" to the play are in progress.

Advance ticket sales have been satisfactory.

Admission Friday evening will be 75 and 35 cents. Money from the play will be used to honor the Senior Class with a banquet next spring.

### Odiss Echols Show To Be Here Monday

Bovina School student council and the athletic department will sponsor the Odiss Echols Show here Monday night. It will be at 7:30 in the school auditorium. Warren Morton, superintendent, announces.

The show will feature Charlie Phillips and The State Liners, who record for Coral records, and some local talent.

Also, according to advance billing, the show will have dancers, twirlers, and other acts.

Echols, Clovis radioman, who is well known here, will be master of ceremonies for the program. The student council and the athletic department will equally divide 40 percent of the gate. Morton says. Adult tickets will be sold for 90 cents. Tickets for all students, if bought in advance, may be purchased for 50 cents each. At the door, tickets for students over 12 will also be 90 cents, Morton says.

### Blade Will Be Early Next Week

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday Thursday, November 28, next week's issue of this newspaper will be out a day early.

Publication day will be Tuesday instead of Wednesday. This will enable subscribers on rural mail routes to get their papers the day before Thanksgiving instead of the day after.



PRACTICE TEACHING—Evelyn Joyce Steelman began teacher training work in the local school's English department Monday morning. Pictured here with Doug Teter, English instructor, left, and Principal Roy Whisler, Miss Steelman is a senior student at West Texas State College. She will practice here until January 17.

### In Local School—

## Evelyn Steelman Practice Teaching

Evelyn Joyce Steelman, a senior student at West Texas State College, Canyon, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Steelman, Bovina, began practicing teaching in the local school on Monday.

An English major at WT, Miss

### Three Receive Honorable Mention—

## Horn, Brandon and Stevens All-District

Dick Horn, Bovina Mustang quarterback, was named a member of the All-District 3-B first team and Ramey Brandon, end, and James Stevens, guard, were selected for second team positions in a meet-

ing of district officials Monday night at Hart. Mustangs receiving honorable mention were Danny Morton, center, Jerry Burnett, back, and James Clayton, guard.

Horn, Stevens, Morton, and Burnett are seniors. Brandon is a junior and Clayton is a freshman. Clayton, incidentally, was the only freshman in the district to receive mention. Coaches of the schools in the

district selected the all-district teams. Coach Bob Willis represented Bovina.

Also at the meeting, Happy, with a 6-0 district record was certified as the champion team. The Cowboys will meet Whiteface in the bi-district tilt in Plainview Friday at 2:30.

Following Happy in the district standings: Kress, 4-2; Hart, 3-3; Bovina, 2-4; Whitharral, 2-4; Lazbuddie, 2-4; and Amherst, 2-4.

Members of the all-district team are Gary Bowe, Happy, and Gene Freeman, Kress, ends; Richard Bowe, Happy, and Albert Eperson, Whitharral, tackles; Gene Shipman, Happy, and D. Freeman, Kress, guards; and Jerry Wright, Amherst, center.

Because of close voting, six backs were named to the team. They are Horn, Roy Vanlandingham, Lazbuddie; Jerry Theford, Whitharral; Billy Gee, Amherst; Dub Oler, Happy; and John Hindman, Hart.

The second team has Brandon, a unanimous choice, and Gerald Pair, Whitharral, at ends; D. Wilson, Lazbuddie, and Jerry Kittrell, Hart, at tackles; Fred Cole, Happy, center; and Jerry Keolzer, Lazbuddie, Howard Foster, Kress, J. Sexton, Happy, J. Lemmon, Happy, and Lonnie Bradley, Hart, in the backfield.

Next year, the Mustangs will compete in District 2-B. Kress, Whitharral, and Amherst have been moved to other districts and Vega will join the 2-B group to make a total of five teams.

### Friday—

## Brooms Are Sold To Tune of \$657

Hampered, oddly enough, by pretty weather, Bovina Lions Club members sold \$657 worth of brooms, mops and other merchandise during the annual broom sale which was conducted Friday.

The weather caused "trouble" because it was pretty and sunny and allowed farmers to go about their harvesting chores. Therefore, many Lions were unable to participate in the project.

Manufactured by Texas Blind Shops, the merchandise netted the local civic club 25 percent of the gross sales. The club's cut was \$166.25, Lion President J. W. Wright announced.

If Wright remembers correctly, "about \$1,100 worth" of merchandise was sold last year.

However, the Lion Boss believes "We did very good considering the circumstances and the small number of people who were able to work at it."

The truck which brought the goods here was parked in front of the post office and the bulk of the sales were made from that point. Canvassing was at a lower ebb than it has been in years previous because of

the lack of manpower.

To add a competitive spirit to the event, members were divided into two teams at a regular meeting the night before the sale. Aubrey Brock and Harry J. Charles were appointed team captains by Wright.

Brock's team, the Brock Broom Brokers, were winners of the contest by about \$20, Wright says.

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Featured part of the Thursday night meeting, which was held in Bovina Restaurant, was a talk by Alvie Smith, Clovis feed dealer, who is a brother-in-law of Warren Morton, program chairman of the local club.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for November 28. However, it will possibly be changed due to the conflict with Thanksgiving Day.

### School To Close For Thanksgiving

Bovina School will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29, in observance of Thanksgiving, Warren Morton, superintendent, announces.

These two days, coupled with Saturday and Sunday, were scheduled to be the longest holiday period for students between the beginning of school and Christmas. However, the flu epidemic last month gave pupils a four-day "vacation."

School will be dismissed for the Christmas holidays Wednesday afternoon, December 20, Morton says.

### Local Woman's Father Dies

J. N. Shaw, of Gainesville, died Monday afternoon. He was the father of Mrs. E. H. Moody of Bovina. Funeral services were held this afternoon (Wednesday) in Gainesville. Mrs. Moody had been with him for over a week.

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Clements went to Afton last week to attend funeral services for his grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Clements of Glen.

#### WEATHER

by

#### WILLIE

Old Sol will be seen more this week than last. Looks like some kind of storm this weekend. Hope I am wrong for once! —Willie

#### Score: 25-25

## Whitharral Penetrates Mustangs, 7-5,

district game, 12-6.

Bovina's Mustangs put a cap on the poor, yet spectacular, in-spots, 1957 football season here Friday night as they took a 7-5 penetration loss from the Whitharral Panthers. The score, which wasn't important after the final gun sounded, was 25-25.

It was a heartbreaking loss for local players and fans alike. Bovina had led in the scoring most of the way and many fans were under the impression the Mustangs would win on penetrations if the score ended in a tie. The officials, however, ruled in favor of the visitors and that was that. The only consolation for Mustang followers was that "it wouldn't have made any difference, anyway" (as far as the district is concerned), and basketball was just a matter of days away.

Thus, the team ended the season with a record of three wins and six losses. Two of the wins were in district play—Amherst and Lazbuddie. Vega was defeated in the season in a non-

It took the locals but three plays after the kickoff to draw blood in last week's melee. Ramey Brandon took the opening kick on his own 43 and returned it five yards to the 48. James Lawlis made three to shove the ball one yard inside Whitharral territory. Billy Burnam charged for four to the 45. Then, with third down and three needed, Quarterback Dick Horn attempted to pick up a first down on a QB sneak. He found a big hole in the line, broke into the clear, cut to his right and was away on a 45-yard scoring gallop. Jerry Burnett was stopped in his attempt to carry the extra point across and the score was 6-0.

Lawlis kicked off to the 20 and Billy Theford, who was the sparkplug to the Panthers that Horn was to the Mustangs, returned it to the 25. The play went for naught, however, as the visitors were offside. The following kickoff was returned to the 41.

On the first offensive play by Whitharral, a Mustang defender jarred the ball loose from the ball carrier and the Mustangs recovered on the Whitharral 48. A five yard penalty against Bovina moved the pigskin back to the 47.

From that point, the Ponies launched a 53 yard drive that ended inside the goal line. The drive featured an 18-yard jaunt by Horn and a 16-yarder by Burnett. Billy Burnam carried over from the one for the score.

Burnett's attempted place kick for the point after was low and the score stood at 12-0. Whitharral returned the kickoff from the 20 to the 41 and started a sustained, 13 play drive that netted their first score. Highlight of the march was a 22-yard pass play that was halted on the Mustang two yard line. The extra point attempt was blocked.

Early in the second period, Bovina lost the ball on downs on the Whitharral 29. The Panthers, still fired up and with

"catch up" in their eyes, clawed for another TD. After working the ball down to the Mustang 39, they sprang Theford loose on a scoring run to tie it up at 12-12. A quarterback sneak for the extra point was foiled.

The teams shared the ball equally the remainder of the half with neither making a serious scoring threat.

As the second half began, Lawlis' kick was returned from the 30 to the 43. It took 14 plays, none of which netted over eight yards, for the Panthers to score the "go ahead" touchdown. They failed again to add the extra point and the score was 18-12.

After an on-side kick, Bovina had the ball on its own 39. Burnett went for no gain and then Horn, playing possibly the most spectacular game of his career, was loose on a 61-yard run that tied the score. He also ran the extra point through the middle to make the score 19-18 in favor of the home team.

Bovina got the ball on their own 30. Horn took over from there with more determination than a tired horse going home. He passed to Brandon incomplete, then ran for two, and picked up a first down with a nine yard carry to the 41.

Again, a Horn to Brandon pass was useless. Then, Horn blew for 30 yards, from the 41 to the 31, and another first down. A five yard penalty against Whitharral was sandwiched between a one yard gain by Burnett and a two yarder by Lawlis to put the ball on the 23. After that brief rest, Horn was off and running again and didn't stop until he had covered the 23 yards and made the score 25-18. His attempt to make the extra point was no good.

Disliking the idea of being seven points in arrears, the Panthers took the kickoff on the 30, returning it to the 40. A Theford-sponsored drive moved the ball the remainder of the way in five plays. With the score 25-24, Theford carried

the extra point over to tie it.

Fumbles cost Bovina the ball twice before the game ended. After taking the final kickoff and putting the ball in play on the 48, Horn was again loose on a long run. This time he was knocked out of bounds on the six yard line. However, a fumble gave the ball to the Panthers on the next play.

Bovina got the ball on downs on its own 30 in the waning seconds, but a fumble returned it to the Panthers. They had the ball on the Bovina 29 as the game ended.

#### STATISTICS

Bovina	Whitharral
13	13
326	21
3	Yards gained rushing 410
0	Passes attempted 8
0	Passes completed 5
0	Yards gained passing 62
0	Total offense 472
326	Passes intercepted 0
0	Number of punts 1
12	Punt average 22
5	Number of fumbles 5
1	Opp. fumbles recovered 4
4	Number of penalties 10
40	Yards penalized 100





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More Quarterbacks

A new kind of quarterback is going to blossom forth in Bovina within the next few months. This new one won't be of the conventional football variety nor of the common Saturday morning type.

The new one will be a "paving quarterback."

As work gets underway on Bovina's paving, curbing and guttering project they will disagree with now it is being handled as well as the way the work is being done.

There's not much that can be done about this new quarterback. Maybe it'll be worth something to know that he's warming up now and will soon be in action.

YWA Meets Wednesday

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met at 7 p. m., Wednesday, at the church for a regular weekly meeting. The opening prayer was led by Julia Ann Lloyd and five girls took part on the program.

The study for the evening was titled, "How to Organize a YWA," and Mrs. Leslie McCain, counselor, assisted. Names were drawn for Christmas gifts and tentative plans for a social were made. Refreshments of chocolate cakes and lime sherbet punch were served to Myrna Downs, Sue Moody, Sue Estes, Nancy Cumpston, Julia Ann Lloyd, Barbara Taylor, Avis Williams and Mrs. McCain.

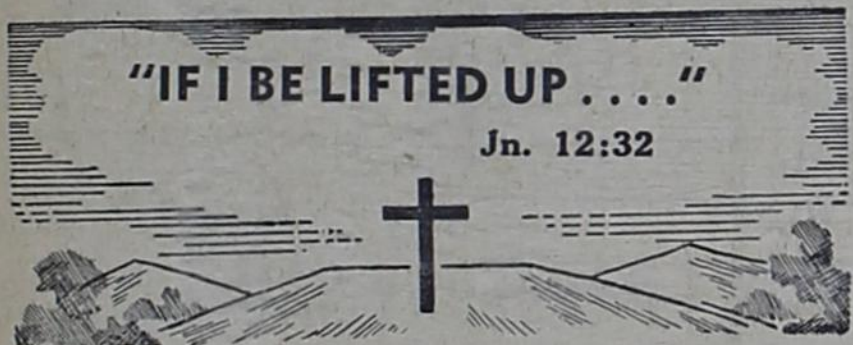
Dorcas Circle Meets with Mrs. G. A. Bandy

The home of Mrs. G. A. Bandy was the site of the regular monthly meeting of the Dorcas Circle of the Methodist Church. Members gathered in her home for a covered dish luncheon and a program on worship and fellowship.

Mrs. Frank Wilson gave the devotional, which was titled, "We Believe," and Mrs. Elmer Lowrie was in charge of the program.

Her subject was "Fellowship

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THE GREAT COMMISSION

In the great commission delivered to the disciples, Jesus said, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you; and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." The first part was to teach the lost the gospel which would save their souls from past sins by obedience (2 Thess. 1:8). The second part which we will study at this time is teaching the saved the observance of the law of Christ for Christians.

It is truly amazing that people will believe false teachings when this passage of scripture is so plain. Why would the Lord tell his disciples to teach the OBSERVANCE OF HIS COMMANDMENTS if a child of God cannot fall from his steadfastness? If a Christian is ETERNALLY SAVED upon obedience to the gospel, Jesus was wasting his breath. It is just as far fetched to believe in the eternal security of the believer as it is to believe that man is totally depraved and that it takes more than the teaching of the gospel (Rom. 1:16) to save that soul. Man has a choice whether he will become a Christian or remain a sinner. Paul stated, "Know ye not, that TO WHOM YE YIELD YOURSELVES SERVANTS TO OBEY, HIS SERVANTS YE ARE TO WHOM YE OBEY; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?" Again Peter said, "SAVE YOURSELVES FROM THIS UNTOWARD GENERATION" (Acts 2:40) If man is totally depraved and cannot "work out his own salvation with fear and trembling" (Phil. 2:12), Jesus wasted a lot of energy teaching his disciples to preach the gospel. Even so, man is promised A HOPE OF ETERNAL LIFE, not the possession of it. Paul stated, "That being justified by his grace we should be made heirs

Without Barriers." Mrs. L. M. Grissom gave a meditation, called, "When We Win the World for Christ, Conquest Will Be Achieved Through The Church."

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Lloyd C. Batey. Mrs. Pat Kunselman will be in charge of the worship services and Mrs. L. H. Pesch will begin the study, "Christ, The Church and Race."

Those attending were Mrs. Mabel Newberry, Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. I. W. Quickel, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Pesch, Mrs. Lowrie, Mrs. Wilson and the hostess.

Thrifty Club Has Social

Members of Bovina Thrifty Club had their annual Thanksgiving social Monday evening. It was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and families of members were special guests.

The highlight of the evening was a covered dish supper, with games of "42" and visiting following.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lowrie and David and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ware.

Also, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Clarence Gauntt, Mrs. Lois Sparks and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

Special guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rogers and baby. The next meeting of the Thrifty Club will be Wednesday afternoon, December 11. It will be the club's annual Christmas party.

Ketch-all Corner

By Sally Whitesides

Bovina was put on the map, so to speak, a few weeks ago. With the release of the December issue of the magazine, "Radio-TV Mirror" on the stands, it was discovered that a picture of local people was displayed.

It all came when two local girls, Marilyn Brandon and Janice Leake, were asked to be guest singers on the Saturday morning "Breakfast Club," sponsored by radio station KCLV, Clovis. The girls, accompanied by their vocal teacher, Mrs. Doris Wilson, their mothers, Mrs. C. R. Brandon and Mrs. Clifford Leake, and Sherri Langer, attended the same fateful morning that pictures were taken for the national magazine.

The article accompanying the assortment of pictures in the magazine spoke highly of the "Breakfast Club" host, Odie Echols who has helped many young people toward success.

The story "broke" in Bovina about two weeks ago when Echols called Mrs. Wilson. Shortly thereafter, the sale of the magazine in this area skyrocketed. To my knowledge, this is the first time any of our local talents has been seen in a national magazine. It would have been even better, though, if mention of their names had been made. Better luck next time to two girls that are sure to go farther.

The girls, by the way, are still hard at work with their singing. Before that important breakfast, they had participated in the March of Dimes Telethon last winter; have made several guest appearances over radio and television, as well as many, many appearances at organizational meetings and socials. For a couple of 14 year old girls, they have made notable progress in the two years they've been singing together.

They are just another example of the talent of which Bovina can be proud.

Ever heard of Scripture Fruit Cake? Jack Baker, who lives over on my side of town, brought in a recipe for one last week. I've seen recipes along this line before, but must admit I've never baked one. Will make a point of accomplishing this before Christmas. Here is Mr. Baker's recipe.

- 1 1/2 cups JUDGES 5:25
2 cups JEREMIAH 6:20
1 1/2 cups I KINGS 4:22
2 cups I SAMUEL 30:12
2 cups NAHUM 3:12
1 cup NUMBERS 17:8
1/2 cup JUDGES 4:19
2 tsp. I SAMUEL 14:25
2 tsp. AMOS 4:5
6 whole JEREMIAH 17:11
Pinch of LEVITICUS 2:13
Season to taste with II CHRONICLES 9:9
METHOD: Beat Judges 5:25 until creamy; gradually add Jeremiah 17:11, one at a time. Mix together I Kings 4:22, Amos 4:5, Leviticus 2:13, and II Chronicles 9:9; reserve a small amount; gradually add balance to Judges 5:25 mixture. Add Judges 4:19 and I Samuel 14:25. Mix I Samuel 30:12, Nahum 3:12 and Numbers 17:8, and coat with reserved portion of I Kings

Future Homemakers Get Practical Knowledge

By Sally Whitesides

As a climax to two months of intensive study, three members of the second year homemaking class of Bovina High School made a trip to Amarillo Friday. There, they, Verna Marie Estes, Frieda Downs and Charlotte Morris, assisted in the choice of furniture for the homemaking cottage. They were accompanied by Mrs. Geraldine Whelan, homemaking teacher, and Mrs. Lady Armstrong of Gaines Hardware Co.

The girls of second year homemaking have been studying about furniture for about two months. Quality, styles, craftsmanship, have all been stressed in the study. They got a chance to use it on the trip, which was to select furnishings for the living room of the cottage.

Among the furnishings they ordered were a rock maple drop-leaf table with two side chairs to match; a long divan of toast-colored knobby linen; two rock maple lamp tables, a matching set table and two occasional chairs, aqua in color.

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ing the living room and the foyer. They have also selected colors for draperies and carpets to complement the room and chosen furniture.

The living room isn't the only area which has received attention from the girls this fall. They also have helped choose furniture to complete the bedroom and four dinette sets for the foods laboratory.

The four dinettes will accompany each class as they work in "family size" groups in food preparation. By breaking the class into four groups, each student not only receives personal attention from Mrs. Whelan, but also learns to work through experience.

The dinettes are of charcoal color, with bronze and have tubular legs. They will be delivered this week and the other furniture will arrive within a month.

Other modern equipment already in the cottage are seven sewing machines; some conventional stitch and others of the "zig-zag" variety; an automatic washing machine, an electric clothes dryer and an ironer. They also have access to four cooking areas, each being complete with a stove, sink, cupboards, and all essentials for modern preparation of food.

There are about 30 girls taking homemaking in Bovina High School this year. They are two groups—first and second year students. They cover, each year, a total of six areas of study. They are family relationships, clothing the family, feeding the family, housing the family, health home care of the sick (first aid) and child development.

The girls of the first year class have just completed the area on family relationships and child development. They will take up feeding the family this week. In this study, first they take lessons from their texts and then, through actual cooking, they learn to prepare simple foods for breakfast, lunch, and snacks.

Second year girls have completed a series of food preservation studies in which they learned the three accepted ways to can foods and modern methods of freezing foods. They have also completed the housing sections and are now working on clothing the family. In this, they are making clothes for themselves, using "dressy" cotton material for school clothes.

In the second semester, both classes will complete the other areas of study, thus giving them a complete instruction on homemaking.

As well as their regular duties, it is the duty of each group to keep the cottage neat, clean, and tidy. To sum it up, the girls learn; first from their books and then through practical application, the things they will need to know when they begin to take care of a home of their own.

The organization, Future Homemakers of America, is made up of members of the homemaking classes and girls who have taken homemaking. Each year, they have a project with which they make money for their treasury. In the past, this has often been bake sales. This year, for the first time, they sponsored a demonstration party in the cottage.

Wednesday afternoon of last week, the party was held in the cottage with Mrs. Lloyd C. Batey in charge. There were about 30 girls and 14 guests present.

The FHA organization received about \$50 for their efforts on advance sales. Gifts were given to the five girls who had the highest sales. They were Charlotte Morris, Barbara Rea, Patricia Patton, Patsy Richards, and Brenda Jones.

Mrs. Whelan termed the party a "success" and says that plans are now in the making to have the party as an annual money-raising project.

The cottage, built several years ago, is located across the street from the main school building. It has a large foyer, with the living room opening off to the right of the entrance. There are also two bathrooms, a utility room, bedroom and a conference and reading room.

The two large rooms are provided for the actual work by the students. One, complete with long tables, chairs, sewing machines, etc., is where the girls do their sewing and studying. The other is the cooking laboratory. Throughout, the building is modern, efficient, yet homelike. Here the girls of today receive their training so they will make better homemakers for tomorrow.

Non-Farm Employment Up in County

Parmer and other counties in this vicinity followed the West Texas trend in increasing population, non-farm employment and factory jobs in 1956, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Employment Commission and released in a recent issue of "West Texas Today."

The overall rate of increase for the area was four percent in population and non-farm employment and eight percent in factory jobs. The Commission estimates a gain of 115,854 for a total of 2,957,274 for the area.

Parmer County's increase is estimated at 214, bringing the total to 10,139. Of this number 3,780 are employed; 2,090 are farm workers, and 1,690 are non-farm workers. Fifty are in manufacturing jobs.

Deaf Smith County netted the largest increase with 1,050. Its total of 5,600 employed persons breaks down into 2,022 farm workers and 3,578 nonfarm workers. Factory employees number 210.

An increase of 485 is charted for Lamb County and brings the total to 23,935. It has the largest number of farm workers, 3,000, and 5,200 non-farm workers. The 150 in manufacturing jobs complete the total employed population.

Bailey County gained 250. Farm workers account for 1,235 of the total 2,875, while 1,640 are non-farm workers. An additional 100 are factory employees.

The estimates were made over a period of time extending from June to December. The drought precipitated some shifting from rural to urban employment, but diversified resources in the area proved sufficient to take care of the situation. Industrial counties netted gains substantial enough to balance the 50 counties which either lost population or held stationary.

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Larger population centers such as Fort Worth and El Paso naturally made the largest numerical gains, but smaller cities made more impressive jumps percentage-wise. Odessa put Ector County at the top with a 16 percent gain. Other sizeable population centers with continued growth in 1956 were Amarillo and San Angelo.

Ever since this part of the Western Plains was opened to settlement, it has been predominantly agricultural. In recent years, Parmer County has become one of the state's leading producers of agricultural commodities, owing chiefly to the rapid development of irrigation.

Big economic changes have been wrought in the county economy, but they have nearly all taken place immediately within the agricultural and service-to-farming classifications.

In fact, the only manufacturing business in Parmer County is Gifford-Hill-Western of Farwell, which itself is a producer of products directly related to the farming economy.

Attempts are being made by community developers to encourage diversification of employment in the direction of light manufacturing industries, although little headway has been evidenced.

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# The Bovina Blade Society

SALLY WHITESIDES, Editor

## R. N. Willifords To Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, December 8. An open house and reception will be held in the annex of First Baptist Church of Bovina from 2 until 5. Hosts will be a nephew and wife of Lubbock and friends in Bovina.

## YWCA Honors Lyla Lloyd at Shower

Fellow members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of First Baptist Church honored Miss Lyla Ann Lloyd with a lingerie shower Wednesday evening of last week. The shower was held in the church annex and took the place of the regular meeting.

Carrying out the bride elect's chosen colors of blue and white, the hostesses served a white cake, trimmed in blue, with blue punch.

Those attending were Sue Moody, Avis Williams, Sue Estes, Myrna Downs, Nancy Cumpston, Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mrs. Don Murphy, the honoree's mother, Mrs. Travis Lloyd and Miss Lloyd.

Julia Ann will be married Thursday morning, November 28, to Weldon Moody, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moody. The wedding will be in the First Baptist Church.

## T & C Club Meets With Mrs. Sudderth

The home of Mrs. Wanda Sudderth was the site of a regular monthly meeting of the Town and Country Club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Mittie Jo Moore, president, was in charge of the business meeting.

A discussion was held and plans were made for the members to have a brush sale throughout November and December. Money derived from the project will be used on the club's new project. It will be spent for necessities and some luxuries for children in the Christian Children's home in Portales, N. M. Each member will be responsible for the sale of ten brushes.

Mrs. Sue Charles and Mrs. Reba Bonds were appointed as a committee to complete year books. Members were reminded that election of officers will be held at the December meeting. Tentative plans for the club's

annual Christmas party were made. It will be held Friday evening, December 13, in the home of Mrs. Glenn Hromas. Mrs. Carolyn Foster, Mrs. Modene Boardman, Mrs. Moore, and Mrs. Hromas will be in charge of food for the party.

As is the custom of the members, they each brought a small gift for the orphanage. This month each brought pins and needles which will be sent to Portales by the hostess. Each member is asked to bring a headscarf to the regular December meeting.

The hostess served cookies, soft drinks, and coffee to Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Bonds, Mrs. Virginia Rhodes, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Carolyn Owens, Mrs. Hromas, Mrs. Carolyn Foster, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Norma Embree and Mrs. Jeanine Grissom of Taiban, N. M. Mrs. Grissom is an associate member.

The next meeting will be on Thursday, December 12, in the home of Mrs. Boardman.

## Thrifty Club Meets in Ware Home Wednesday

Mrs. E. M. Ware was hostess to a regular monthly meeting of the Bovina Thrifty Club Wednesday afternoon of last week. Members spent the afternoon making quilts, one for Boys Ranch and one for the hostess. They also made aprons for the hostess and handwork for themselves.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and hot tea were served and plans were made for the annual Thanksgiving supper for club members and their husbands.

Those present were Mrs. Vernon Campbell, Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Mrs. Dollie Williams, Mrs. Clarence Gaunt and the hostess.



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**WSCS Has Luncheon Tuesday Afternoon**

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday afternoon for a regular monthly meeting. The meeting was held in the fellowship hall of the church, in the form of a luncheon, followed by a program and business.

Mrs. I. W. Quickel was in charge of the program, the theme of which was, "The Mind That Was in Christ." It dealt with the emphasis on the different phases of church work in recent years, its improvement and advancements. Mrs. L. M. Grissom led the devotion, which continued along the same theme.

Mrs. Warren Morton, WSCS president, presided at the

business meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Billie Sudderth, recording secretary, and were approved by those present.

Mrs. S. E. Redden made a report on her recent trip to a children's missionary institute in Plainview. The trip was made by Mrs. Redden and Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp and was for teachers of the younger children's church school classes. Those present were Mrs. R. G. Barron, Mrs. Grissom, Mrs. Quickel, Mrs. L. H. Pesch, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Redden, Mrs. Sudderth, Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. Jimmie Clements, and Mrs. John Dixon.

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**Arrive for An Extended Visit**

Arriving last week for an extended visit with her husband's parents was Mrs. Paul Richard Lloyd and son, of Fort Worth. Mrs. Lloyd is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Lloyd. Her husband, Sp. 3 Lloyd, is stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C. She expects to stay here until February.

Also visiting over the weekend and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Hair, Jr., of Lubbock. Another daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Joe Magness of Farwell, were Sunday evening supper guests.

**To Childress**

Visiting last week in Childress were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd and family. They were guests in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley. The local family was accompanied by Mrs. Lloyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kelley, who stayed in Childress for about a week's visit with relatives there.

**G. A.'s Meet In Church Annex**

Members of the Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday evening in the church annex for a regular weekly meeting. Mrs. Vernon Ward, counselor, was in charge of the program. She assisted the girls in a skit, "The Need Clinic," which was

used to inform the members of work being done by Baptist missionaries throughout the world.

Those present were Frances Fuller, Margie Fuller, Joyce Hudson, Lou Ann Goodwin, Elaine Fuller, Patsy Cumpston, Roxie Hutto, and Janie Lou Hawkins.

**Donna Jean Hobby Elected Radio Guild Secretary**

Denton—Miss Donna Jean Hobby, sophomore journalism major and former resident of Bovina, was recently elected secretary of the Radio Guild at Texas Woman's University, Denton.

The Radio Guild is an organization to acquaint students interested in radio and tele-

vision with important developments in these fields and to provide an opportunity for participation in all phases of production on the campus radio station, KTWU.

Miss Hobby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hobby of 2713 Erskine, Lubbock. She graduated from Bovina High School in 1956.

**To Workshop**

Two members of Bovina Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club are attending daily sessions of a workshop in Farwell this week. Mrs. J. D. Stevens, president of the local club, and Mrs. Willford Sikes are taking a course on upholstery. It is under the direction of Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, Farmer County home demonstration agent. The workshop is held each day between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. Covered dish lunches are served at noon. About 10 club members are taking the course. It will be given the first of December in Friona, also with Miss Wainscott in charge.

**To Meet**

Members of Bovina Widow's Club will meet Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. Sam Gaines for their annual Thanksgiving dinner and program. They will gather in Mrs. Gaines' home at 11:45 a. m. for the covered dish luncheon and Mrs. Pearl Hastings will be in charge of the Thanksgiving program.

**WMU Has Royal Service Program**

"Three Knocks in the Night" was the name of the program Wednesday evening when members of the Blanch Grove and Rea Buster Circles of the Woman's Missionary Union held a joint meeting. It was held in the annex of the First Baptist Church and members of the Blanch Grove Circle were in charge of the program.

Mrs. P. A. Adams gave the devotional and Mrs. R. N. Willford led the study. As it was Royal Service week in WMU, the program was about medical missions on the home as well as foreign fields. They spoke on what was being done toward better physical and spiritual health for those who are in

need. Others on the program were Mrs. Johnnie Horn, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. Don Murphy, and Mrs. Glenn Kelley.

Also present were Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and Miss Lillian Fisher.

**Shower Planned**

Miss Julia Ann Lloyd will be honored with a pre-nuptial shower in the annex of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Miss Lloyd will become the bride of Weldon Moody, Thursday morning, November 28. The wedding will be in the First Baptist Church.

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Nov. 26	AMHERST	here	Jan. 17	NAZARETH	here
Dec. 3	TEXICO	here	Jan. 21	ADRIAN	here
Dec. 5-6-7	FARWELL Tournament		Jan. 28	HAPPY	there
Dec. 10	FRIONA	here	Jan. 31	LAZBUDDIE	here
Dec. 12-13-14	BOVINA Tournament		Feb. 4	NAZARETH	there
Dec. 17	FRIONA	there	Feb. 7	VEGA	there
Dec. 20	FARWELL	there	Feb. 11	ADRIAN	there
Jan. 2-3-4	AMHERST Tournament		Feb. 14	HAPPY	here
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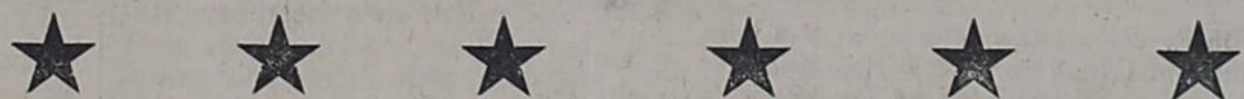
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## Harvest Outlook Much Improved

Four straight days of sunshine—a record—has sent area farmers scurrying to the fields this week, as they anxiously push into what they hope will be a big harvest movement.

Drizzly weather has virtually sowed up harvesting operations for over a month, and this is the first sustained break in the weather that has occurred since milo cutting and cotton picking began.

Parmer County area farmers have \$20 million or more out in the fields, yet to be taken in to the barns, elevators, gins, and warehouses. Never before in the area's history has so much been at stake at this time of year. This is the first time that comparable weather has occurred since this part of the High Plains developed its irrigated, high-cost, high-yield farm economy.

The returns are high, but the stakes are always high, too, and to lose all or even a substantial part of this year's produce would mean financial disaster for the big majority of farmers.

Some winds have kicked up during the week, which have brought more worries to farmers. They are now reporting falling in amounts that can be termed serious. Especially hard hit are some corn-growing farmers who haven't been able

to cut their crop yet, and quite a bit of the corn is going to the ground.

Unless foul weather returns, the milo harvest is expected to zoom today and this weekend, and log-jams at elevators will be commonplace. The cotton harvest will mesh gears again, and some farmers will probably begin stripping this weekend.

The sunshine is finally opening bolts in the upper part of the plants, even though many of these "top crop" bolts have been nipped by frost and soured by the wet weather.

Most farmers agree that both yield and quality of cotton will be curtailed in the area this year, and that the crop will be comparable to that of 1955 in its returns.

The few reports of grain sorghum yields that have trickled in indicate that yields of that crop will hold up well, even though some loss has occurred due to lodging.

If the clouds do not return to interrupt activities again, there will be the biggest and most rushed harvest this area has yet seen. There were only two days of cutting available for producers last week, and even then, they rushed into the fields in huge numbers to combine test loads—many of which turned out too wet.

### NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Well, by the time you read this, the 24th Annual Texas Farm Bureau Convention will have been held and policies for the organization determined for the next twelve months.

Now, community and county Farm Bureau people will begin compiling suggestions for improving the lot of the American farmer next year. Like other worthwhile things, the work of Farm Bureau is never done, but is always being done.

It appears at this time that the Texas Farm Bureau quota of 72,500 members will have been reached this year. Millard Shivers, organizational director, believes the goal has been reached but had to wait for completion of total tabulations to be sure.

Jack Patterson, and others on the membership committee of PCFB, are well pleased with the response so far to the draft authorization requests they sent out to all members. Some people don't like the draft system, while others welcome it as another means of freeing them from details. Their purpose in offering this plan of paying dues is to cut down on overhead expenses incurred in sending out billing.

The money and time saved can be used to give better service to members in other fields, they say. They would appreciate your returning your card with or without signature as soon as possible, with any remarks or suggestions you may have to improve your organization and its service to you.

Consider this: A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children; and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for the just. Proverbs 13:22



Elmer Lowrie, who farms west of Bovina, got a taste of combining sesame this year—somewhat by accident. Lowrie, although terming his combining harvest this year successful, says he'll still stick with cutting and shocking, then threshing—as the safest procedure year after year.

## Combining Sesame Paid Off For Elmer Lowrie

Many farmers hopped on the sesame band wagon this year, as they continued their search for new and more profitable field crops. It has been a rugged season for the sesame grower, just as it has been hard on cotton and grain producers.

However, the 3,000-some-odd acres in the Parmer County area are turning out quite well this year, and if threshing can be completed successfully, sesame will have taken a big step in its growth on this part of the High Plains.

Since sesame is so new, one would not think that farmers would be already adopting new methods of producing it. Such experimentation would wait, one might suppose, until a farmer felt sure he understood many things about the crop. However, conditions sometimes dictate a farmer's ac-

conventional manner, and is still awaiting threshing. However, the seed that was combined has long since gone to market, and the yield turned out almost 1,000 pounds per acre—surprisingly good considering conditions.

"I came out a lot better than I hoped I would," says the Bovina man. "I was afraid that 50 acres of sesame was a complete loss, but it sure wasn't."

On the basis of that yield, Lowrie will gross about \$100 an acre, and his production costs are comparable with raising milo. At such a figure, his 1,000-pound sesame is equivalent to about a 6,000-pound milo crop.

Lowrie is pretty pepped up about sesame prospects, and he says he's coming back with a substantial acreage increase for next year, probably around 200 or 250. However, he isn't making plans to combine his next year's crop, even though it worked out all right this season.

Weather conditions have to be just so-so before a venture such as this can prove feasible, and risks of high losses in shattering are too great when the usual shock-and-thresh method is available and almost fool-proof.

When shatter-proof or shatter-resistant varieties are perfected, things may change. At least, one farmer has proved that sesame can be combined successfully—even if he didn't plan to do it that way!

### Four County Men On TRF Council

Increased interest in the agricultural research activities at the High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation at Halfway has resulted in the appointment of new members to the advisory council for the station.

These appointments were made to give more widespread representation on the council and to give recognition for efforts made in behalf of the station.

Warren Embree, Bovina, is a new member. Other members on the board re-appointed for 1957-58 are Dick Gerles, Farwell; W. L. Edelman, Friona; and Woodrow Fleming, Hub.

### THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

One of the traditional dishes on any Thanksgiving table is pumpkin pie. A new version of this favorite is Apple-Kin pie. This pie can be made with a variety of toppings. Whipped cream and colored candies make a very pretty garnish.

#### Apple-Kin Pie

- 1 cup cooked pumpkin
  - 1 cup canned apple sauce
  - 1/2 cup light brown sugar
  - pinch of salt
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon
  - 1 teaspoon nutmeg
  - 1 teaspoon ginger
  - 1/2 teaspoon cloves
  - 4 eggs
  - 1/2 cup heavy cream
  - 1/4 cup milk
  - 1 9" unbaked pastry shell
- Combine pumpkin, apple sauce, sugar, salt, and spices. Beat eggs; add scald milk and cream; add slowly, mixing well. Pour into unbaked pastry shell. Bake in hot oven 45-50 minutes, or until inserted knife comes out clean. Cool. Garnish with whipped cream and candies or your favorite topping.

homes more attractive to our children, they would spend more time at home.

Making homes attractive includes a lot more than interior decorating. A home should be a place where each member of the family feels free to invite friends in without fear of being criticized for upsetting the household schedule. Entertaining need not be a lot of work or expense.

If given a little cooperation, some freedom to plan the activities of the evening, and not too much supervision, children of almost any age will enjoy entertaining their friends.

None of us know all the answers, but it is something we should think about seriously. Could your child make the same complaint about you? All criticism isn't bad for us. In fact, there is nothing that helps us grow in any vocation like constructive criticism.

Someone has listed the seven national crimes as:

1. I don't think.
2. I don't know.
3. I don't care.
4. I'm too busy.
5. I "leave well enough alone."
6. I have no time to read and find out.
7. I am not interested.

Every homemaker should strive to keep her name off the list as being guilty of any of these crimes.

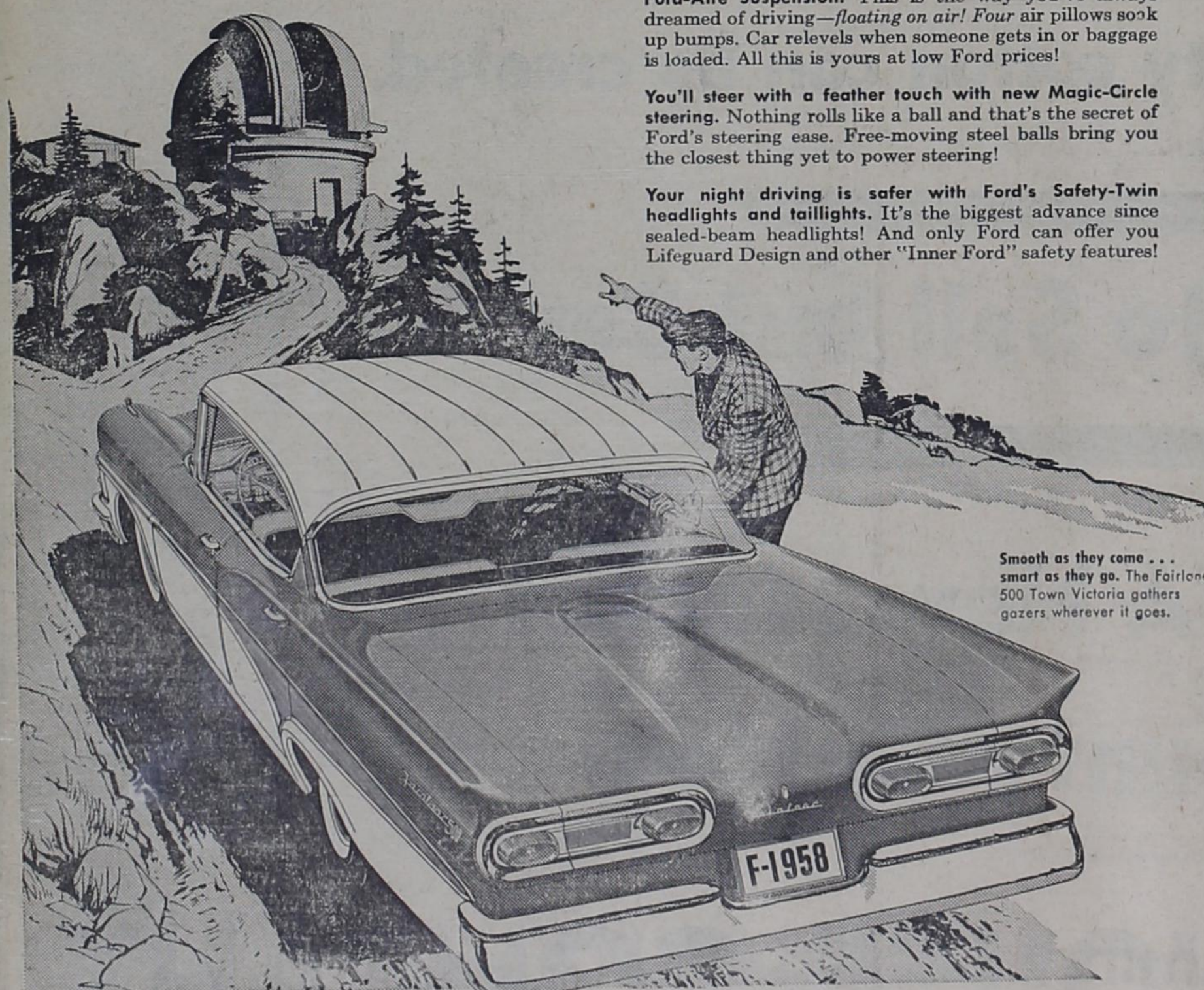
One of the things we wonder about is, "Why do American people spend money they don't have for things they don't need to impress people they don't like to begin with?" Read that somewhere, but have forgotten where.

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## THE PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT CO. NEWS

"The Place Where Most People Trade" Wednesday, Nov. 20, 1957 Friona, Texas

Couples Bridge Club met at the club house Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thomas of Hereford as guests. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas directed a duplicate bridge session which everyone enjoyed. The east-west winners were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring and the north-south winners were Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williams. Forty-four persons were present. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reeve Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sheehan, and Dr. and Mrs. Loyd Shackelford.

#### Anti-Freeze For Sale

Chatter at our house: (On a school morning) Do I hafta get up? Will you get my clothes? Where's my tooth brush? Hey, mother, I can't find my sock! I don't like eggs for breakfast! I hafta read my lesson! I can't find my cap. I'll need a quarter today. Could I take teacher some candy? It's almost eight-thirty! Yes, I did, too, wash my hands. Bye, see you at three. (Gee, but it's quiet at our house).

#### Anti-Freeze For Sale

Mrs. Lucy Welch is visiting in Philadelphia with her daughter, Mrs. Rex Johnston and family. The Johnstons' daughter, Joy, has been ill but Mrs. Welch says she is improving rapidly now. Dr. Johnston is establishing a new Church of Christ College in Philadelphia. He hopes to have it in operation by 1960.

#### Anti-Freeze For Sale

The experts estimate that today's average home owner needs about 6,000 gallons of hot and cold water each month for the family needs. That's a long way from the old bucket and dipper days when it just seemed like you carried 6,000 gallons of water each

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#### Anti-Freeze For Sale

By the Pint Or by the Barrel

A rubber fishing net which adjusts itself to the weight of the fish being landed is now on the market. Called "The Shark" the new net is tangle-free and eliminates the mix-up of net, hooks, and feet in the bottom of the boat.

#### Have You Bought Your Anti-Freeze?

How's your battery? Don't tempt trouble. Cold weather is coming, so play safe. Let us replace your old, worn-out battery now before trouble starts.

#### We Have Plenty Of Anti-Freeze

At the last meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary, someone

suggested that the ladies might advertise for rummage at every Home Demonstration Club, at all the Federated clubs, and at Lions Club. Then one member of the Auxiliary spoke up: "Oh, No! Not at a man's club. Rummage sales should be kept secret from all husbands. They never will agree to sell that fifteen-year-old suit you'd planned to donate."

(Note to husbands: If you've lost anything you might find it at the Hospital Auxiliary rummage sale at the O. F. and O. building Friday afternoon or Saturday.)

#### Have You Bought Your Anti-Freeze?

One day last week we left a note taped to the refrigerator door for our second grader. It read: "John Bill, I am at Ethel Ruth's." When mother got home, she found the following carefully printed below what she had written: "Mother, I can't read writing. I am at Ronnie's." It was signed in a little boy's printing, "John Bill."

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There is a simple electrical device being tested by USDA which may someday be able to tell farmer's when their crops need irrigating. The device measures moisture stress, an indicator of a plant's moisture needs.



# Friona Girl Heads County 4-H Council

Election of officers was the first item on the agenda of the organizational meeting of the Parmer County 4-H Council Saturday at the courthouse.

Margaret Mabry, Friona, is council chairman. Co-chairmen are Richard Chitwood, Lazbuddie, and Judy Billingsley, Farwell. Other officers include Barbara Rea, Bovina, secretary; Gladys Dean, Rhea, treasurer; and James Stevens, Bovina, reporter.

Miss Mabry was named girls delegate to the district council. The boys delegate will be elected later. The council members adopted a group of standing rules and set the dates for several future events.

Achievement day will be in January. Details will be planned by a committee headed by Miss Dean. Members are Jim Roy Wells, Friona; Maurice Smith, Farwell; and Chitwood. Stevens

was appointed chairman of the program committee and members are Pat Chitwood, Lazbuddie; Virginia Rea, Bovina; Bonnie Cochran, Farwell; and Roy Donaldson, Farwell.

Junior and senior county-wide parties will be December 7 and 14. Both will be at the Hub Community Center.

The council sent a vote of thanks to Gene Rea of Bovina who donated a record player to the county clubs for use at their parties.

Council members present were James Stevens, Ronnie Sudderth, June Gay Douglas, Virginia Rea, Barbara Rea, and Gladys Dean from Bovina; Gary Mac Brown, Richard Chitwood, James Brown, Linda Gleason, and Patsy Chitwood of Lazbuddie; Jim Roy Wells, Margaret Mabry, Dixie Chitwood, and Joe Bob Johnson of Friona.

Farwell members are Roy Donaldson, David Watkins, Ronny Henson, Maurice Smith, Judy Billingsley, Bonnie Cochran, Sherri Austin, and Sylvia Smith. Adult leaders present were Joe Jones, county agent; Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, home demonstration agent; and Sterling Donaldson and Gilbert Watkins.

Next council meeting will be January 18.



**OFFICERS ELECTED**—Chosen to head the Parmer County 4-H Council organized Saturday were these six boys and girls. They are, left to right seated, Gladys Dean, Rhea, treasurer; Margaret Mabry, Friona, chairman; and Barbara Rea, Bovina, secretary. Standing left to right are Richard Chitwood, Lazbuddie, co-chairman; Judy Billingsley, Farwell, co-chairman; and James Stevens, Bovina, reporter.

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That is true for several reasons. One is sheer economics. When pumping lifts increase and well capacities decline, the point of diminishing returns for many crops now enjoying big acreages and lots of water will be reached, and consumption will taper off proportionately, thereby lengthening the amount of time it would take to deplete our reserves.

But, happily, there are kinder forces at work which will help conserve our greatest natural resource. One is our increasing understanding and use of recharge principle that can, on an average rainfall, help to sustain moderate pumpage rates rather indefinitely, provided maximum use is made of all recharge opportunities.

Also, as the years roll by, distribution of water to the

growing plants is certain to improve in efficiency, both for economic and conservation reasons. There is a great and challenging field open here, which is being only partially solved by even our underground tile systems, which we now consider the epitome of application efficiency.

Wasting water by running it down the ditches in the form of "tailwater" is a visible and very noticeable sign of careless use of our water, but it isn't necessarily the biggest waste we have.

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Furthermore, just suppose that no water could ever be returned to our underground sands, and that we could precisely calculate that in 2007 our water would be gone, period. Is that such a startling outlook?

Today, we recognize the communities based on an oil economy as among the most prosperous of the Southwest. Yet the oil reserves which they sit atop of are certainly exhaustible—and they are not renewable. At the present rates of withdrawal of crude, most of the giant fields of Texas will be greatly depleted within another 50 years. Certainly, we are no worse off than they!

And, who knows what the future will bring, anyway? Within the next 50 years, power from the atom is certain to drastically curtail the use of petroleum as a fuel. In agriculture, we certainly will have the desalting of sea water in a plentiful and inexpensive form. We may even see large scale "laboratory" farming where great amounts of food are produced in plastic containers filled with water and chemicals.

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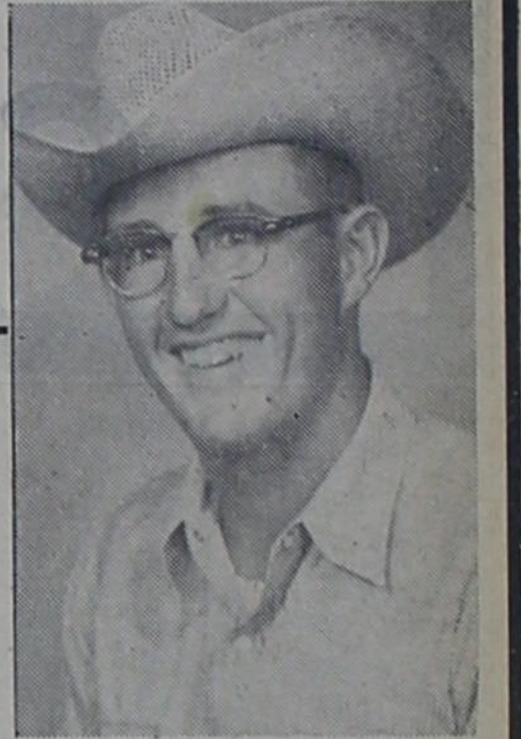
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Taking an active interest in their community life, Mr. Clements takes time during the rush of the summer to assist in directing the summer baseball program of the Friona Pony League. Mrs. Clements is a member of the Parmer County Community Hospital Auxiliary.

Jim Roy and Don are both members of the Friona Future Farmers of America chapter. Jim plays football for the district-winning Friona Chiefs, and younger brother Don helps with managing chores for the Chiefs.



Don and Jim Roy with bulk milk tank for dairy.

Included in the enterprises on the Clements farm is a herd of quality Holstein dairy cattle. About 250 acres of the Clements farm is devoted to dairying, and the cattle of the herd maintain a production average of approximately 14,400 pounds a year.

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## ★ ★ ★ Sheep Do Well On Seale Farm

Just a few short generations ago, sheep were the scourge of the range, and Parmer County, in the giant XIT ranch then, probably has a natural, though unconscious, resistance to the woolly animals, even though the plow has put the cow to rout.

But, encouraged by depressed prices for other livestock, and lower prices for cash crops, sheep are trickling back a few at a time into the Parmer County area. These lost sheep that are returning to the fold are being welcomed by a favorable government incentive program, too, that provides a guarantee of around 100 percent of parity or better for wool from their backs. That has its effect on the transition.

Last year, Charles Seale, who farms east of Farwell, had some sheep. However, that is a rather unhappy part of the story. Charles lost quite a few of his lambs to natural and unexpected causes and his venture ended up

in the red. For one thing, the sheep got onto the railroad track one day, and, well, that's a sad story. Let's look at a brighter one.

Charles' brother, Frank, watched the sheep project with interest. Although its hazards were painfully apparent, he noticed that sheep held some promises, too. For one thing, "they love weeds," says Frank, "and that's the thing I noticed the most to begin with."

So, in July this year, Frank took the plunge and bought 596 head of lambs, most of them of the Rambouillet breed, that averaged about 60 pounds each. Two loads were purchased. One came from Stanton, the other from San Angelo. A sheep dealer handled the trade for Seale.

Part of the sheep were acquired at 18 cents a pound, and a later shipment went at 19½ cents. That gave Seale an initial investment of several thousand dollars. But he was off in the sheep business in great style.

Seale had the good fortune of having almost ideal pasture conditions on his farm. He did something rather unusual in turning the sheep loose in his corn patch, and discovered, happily, that they caused virtually no damage.

They would graze off the low-growing leaves as far as they could reach, and besides, would eat every weed in sight.

That went on for a good while, and the lambs did well and put on weight satisfactorily. Seale had no trouble with sickness. In fact, the vet has never visited the flock.

About October 1, the sheep were shorn, and the wool clip averaged about four pounds per head across the flock. The wool, worth about 40 cents a pound fresh clipped, is in storage in San Angelo, awaiting what Seale feels sure will be better prices.

"Wool stores easily," he says. "All you have to do is keep it dry and you're all right."

When the wool is sold clean, Seale figures it will bring about 55 cents a pound, and then he will receive the government incentive payment of 20 cents a pound on top of that. USDA has for the past year or two underwritten domestic wool production with a direct subsidy to stimulate production.

Right now, the sheep are in what probably is a sheep's "seventh heaven." They are virtually turned loose on the farm, and can choose from either the wheat or barley for fresh pas-

ture, or can graze in a nearby field to get roughage. Seale even lets them nibble on some nearby sesame shocks which he didn't get fenced off in time to protect.

Seale says his expenses so far have been very nominal. The 25 acres of wheat and the 25 acres of barley pasture are all volunteer from this year's crop, and he wrote the cane off as a loss this year when wind toppled it.

Only slight damage was inflicted to his corn, and he feels that if he had given the grazing sheep more attention, he could have prevented that loss. He's just now making plans to begin feeding cottonseed meal as a supplement, as the natural pasture is about depleted.

Seale would have sent his sheep to market earlier, but because of favorable feed conditions on his place, he is keeping the flock long enough so that they will be ready for slaughter when he lets them go.

That will be about December 1, he figures.

They will then weigh an average of about 110 pounds, and will hit the market at what Seale hopes will be about 21 cents. The market is good right now, and should continue steady.

If that pans out, it will mean

that Seale will have a spread between the price he paid for the sheep and what he sold them for, plus his gain, plus his wool clip. On paper, that looks mighty good, and the gross profit could be somewhere around \$6,000.

Labor, feed, death losses, transportation, and so on would have to come off that, of course.

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"I'm sure sold on my sheep," says Seale, who has every intention of getting right back into the business next year. "I have always heard how hard they are to raise and how much trouble they are, but I have had better luck with them than anything I have ever raised."

The Farwell farmer refutes sheep are tender animals and often die for no reason at all. "My sheep have been as tough as anything," he maintains.

The only trouble with disease Seale has encountered has been with screw worms. Sheep love goatheads, but sometimes they

get their mouth injured with the stickers, and then are open to attack by flies that carry the worms.

Seale says he has had good luck in treating and caring for his animals, though, and that he is planning on going to market with 570 head.

## Allotments Being Processed For Cotton

Acreage allotments for the 1958 upland crop are now being established for all eligible farms in Parmer County.

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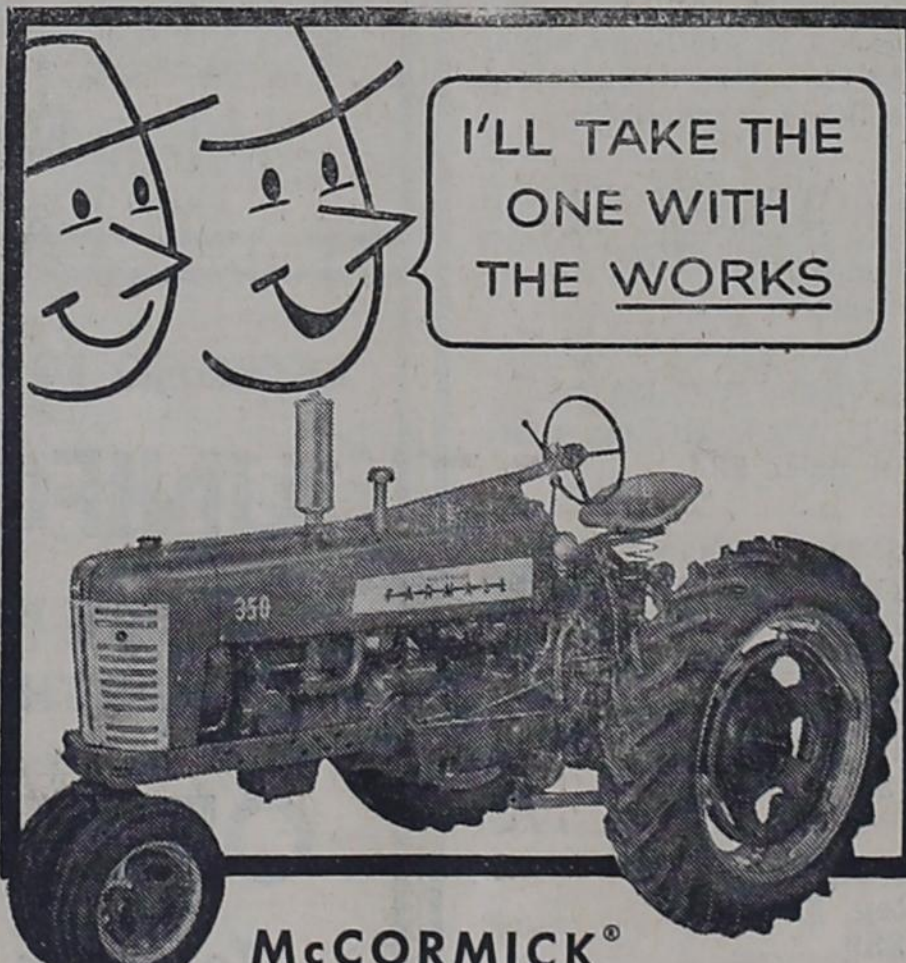
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## Officers Elected By County-Wide 4-H

Business conducted at a session of the County-wide Girls 4-H Club Saturday afternoon included electing officers and planning demonstrations for the district 4-H Elimination Contest.

Margaret Mabry is president of the group and Barbara Rea is vice-president. Other officers are Judy Billingsley, secretary; Virginia Rea, reporter; and Beverly Smith, council delegate.

Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott was hostess to the club and demonstrated the preparation and serving of a simple luncheon. On the menu were hamburger patties, spoon sauce, peas and carrots, olive slaw, French bread, iced tea and peach delight. The luncheon and meeting followed the meeting of the County 4-H Council.

The next meeting is set for 7:30 p.m. Monday, November 25, at the home of Judy Billingsley.

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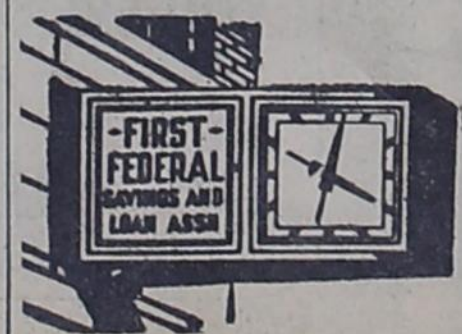
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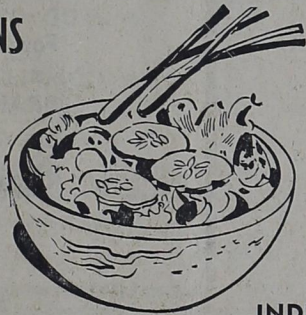
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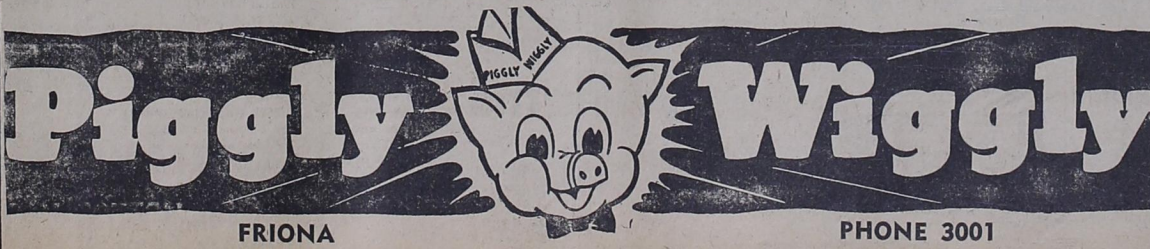
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Con't. from Page One

Ramey Brandon, 6'1"; Dick Horn, 5'9"; Jerry Burnett, 5'7"; James Lawlis, 5'7"; Ferman Kelso, 5'10"; and Billy Burnam, 5'11".

The lettermen, of course, along with Danny Morton, 6'2", who was ineligible last year, will have the inside tracks for starting berths.

Others showing promise include Sid Killough, 5'9", sophomore, Rober Ezell, 5'11", freshman, and Jon Lynn Riddle, 5'6", freshman.

Managers of the team are Duane Rea and Junius Williams.

The Fillies biggest handicap will be lack of height, Smith believes. With six lettermen, an experienced team can be fielded and the speed is sufficient.

Girls most likely to see action include Kay Leake, 5'8", senior, who is captain of the team and can play either forward or

guard; Sandra Martin, 5'4", senior guard; Janice Richards, 5'7", junior forward; Nancy Cumpton, 5'3", junior forward; Nita Beth Estes, 5'3", junior guard; Joan Kay Ezell, 5'5", junior forward; Kay Hartzog, 5'5", junior guard; Arlene Clayton, 5'3", junior guard; Mildred Young, 5'6", junior forward; Marjorie Dean, 5' junior forward; Lexie Stevenson, 5'4", sophomore guard; Joy Redden, 5'5", sophomore forward; Celia Berry, 5'3", sophomore guard; and Verna Marie Estes, 5'2", sophomore guard.

Lettermen are Leake, Richards, Cumpton, Estes, Ezell and Hartzog.

There are three team managers, Barbara Taylor, Nicki Woelfel, and Virginia Embree.

The season's schedule appears elsewhere in this issue.

**METHODIST CHURCH NEWS**

Rev. W. R. Beard, Pastor

Church School, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; MYF and Junior

Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; commission on education, Monday, 7:30 p. m.; Marzie Lynn Circle, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. and choir practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**THANKSGIVING SERVICE**

A cooperative Thanksgiving service will be held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday, November 27, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Virgil Goodwin will preside and music will be rendered by the choir of the Baptist Church. Rev. W. R. Beard of the Methodist Church will bring the message of gratitude. Don't forget this important service. Be present!

—Bro. Beard.

**Congratulations**

Relatives in Bovina received word Friday morning of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bob McMeans of Amarillo. The little boy weighed 8½ pounds and was named Jeffery Brian. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney of Bovina.

Mrs. McMeans and baby were released from the hospital today (Wednesday).

**Guild Meets in Church Parlor**

The parlor of the Methodist Church was the site of the regular meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild, Monday evening, November 11.

Mrs. Bedford Caldwell was in charge of the program, which was a continuation of the study in progress, "Christ, The Church and Race." Following her introduction of the evening's chapter, a discussion was held between Mrs. W. E. Williams and Mrs. Caldwell on the subject of racial questions on the

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**WMU Has Missions Program**

Members of Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met in separate meetings last week for programs on Community Missions.

The Blanch Grove Circle of the WMU met Tuesday afternoon for a short prayer service and spent the afternoon in visitation. Those attending were Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mrs. Wayne Garth, Mrs. Roy Fuller and Mrs. P. A. Adams.

Members of the Rea Buster Circle met Wednesday evening in the church annex for a study on "Alcohol." Mrs. Bobby Englant led the study and was assisted by Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. H. N. Turner and Mrs. Alvin Glasscock.

Others present were Mrs. Hodge Rigdon, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. J. S. Williams, Miss Milly Holden and Mrs. J. W. Gooch.

**Is Released**

Mrs. Lee H. Sudderth was released from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Sunday. The local lady had been in the hospital since Wednesday, undergoing tests. Relatives report that she is much better at this time.

**With Sister**

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rhinehart were her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sisk of Lamesa. Sisk is a former resident of Bovina, moving here about six years ago.

**HD Club Plans Party Friday**

Members of Bovina Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met Friday to plan their annual Christmas party. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. Charles Don Smith and Mrs. J.



**THE END OF AN ERA**—Fire, origin unknown, wiped this building, one of the few outdoor toilets left in Bovina, off the slate Monday afternoon. The unsightly structure was located in the alley between the railroad and North Street. The fire department did not come to the scene, feeling that the flames were bringing about good riddance. One North Street businessman commented, "I don't know who started it, but I wish I did. I'd like to buy him a malt."

D. Stevens, president, was in charge of the meeting. Plans for the party were made. It will be Thursday evening, December 12, in the home of Mrs. C. L. Murray. It is an annual affair at which the families of members are special guests. There will be a covered dish supper, followed by games and visiting.

Mrs. J. A. Taylor was in charge of a short program Friday afternoon. Refreshments of lime sherbet punch, cookies and mints were served by the hostess.

Mrs. C. E. Stevens was a guest for the day and others present were Mrs. Mabel Newberry, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Williford Sikes, Mrs. David Springs, Mrs. Don Benard, Mrs. Howard Looney, Mrs. D. H. Wilkerson and the hostess.

**To District Meet At Tulia**

Three local women went to Tulia Thursday to attend a District Workshop for local officers of the Woman's Society of Christian Service. The meeting was held in the First Methodist Church and Mrs. Luther Kirk, district president; Mrs. Sam Billingsley, district vice president; and Mrs. Billie Sudderth, district recording secretary, were in charge of the program. Mrs. Sudderth is from Bovina and Mrs. Billingsley is from Oklahoma Lane.

The three district officers met with other local officers of the district and trained them on new program techniques and ways to promote interest in WSCS work.

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