

## Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

Bovina is getting new city limit markers! The old, out-of-date 610 figure which has represented the population of Bovina since 1940 will be rubbed out and a new shining figure of something over 1100 will be put in its place.

How can you beat a deal like that? That's the word that Henry Minter gives me. The Highway Department is going to put up new signs and asked Bovina city officials to give them an estimated population so that the signs could be more up to date.

If I'm not mistaken, the number of gas meters in town was multiplied by 3.7 (an accepted figure for the number of people that are supplied by one gas meter) to obtain the new population figure.

Work on the new signs was to be started yesterday (Tuesday) but Henry did not know how long it would take to get them ready to put up.

So, in the not-too-distant-future, Bovina's population will increase by 500 overnight. Now a 500 increase is pretty good but the part that worries me about this 1100 plus figure is that it is probably so close to being right.

What I'm getting around to saying is that if a good Chamber of Commerce was in operation the number might have been increased by a 1,000 instead of 500.

Incidentally, Henry said that he did not count the Mexican Nationals as a part of the population. Now any self-respecting Chamber of Commerce would have surely counted its National citizens as part of its population.

But I'm not fussing at Henry. I will be just a whole lot prouder of the new figure than I am the old one.

Maybe we can show an increase again before long.

I think that I am just as fair as the next fellow and I don't see anything wrong with fudging just a few head on your town's population figure. If your conscience bothers you, you can just chalk it up to civic pride and go on about your business.

This weather fascinates me no end.

For 21 weeks now I've been worried about The Blade being a day late. But if something doesn't happen, it's going to be a day early before it's a day late.

That's another deal that is hard to beat. But maybe I'm prejudiced. Due to Thanksgiving on Thursday, we've decided to move the week up a day, so to speak. I hope that our subscribers and advertisers won't be displeased with a Tuesday Blade instead of a Wednesday Blade.

One feeling of disappointment and failure is when a local citizen asks me how many times a week and what day or days The Blade comes out.

The Charles family is a group of school builders. Made this little note of interest at the school dedication program last Friday. Wilbur, Harry J.'s father, was a member of the school board when the old school building was built way back when. And now Harry J. is a member of the present board that was in charge when the new building was built this year.

They are a good family to have in anybody's community.

Notice that many of the residents and property owners along Highway 86 are not waiting around on this paving situation. They are, of course, more fortunate than other residents in that they can get the state to do the paving for no cost and they only have to pay for curbs and gutters. But still they are showing definite signs of progressiveness.

I sincerely hope that they are able to get the Highway curbed and guttered from one end of the town to the other.

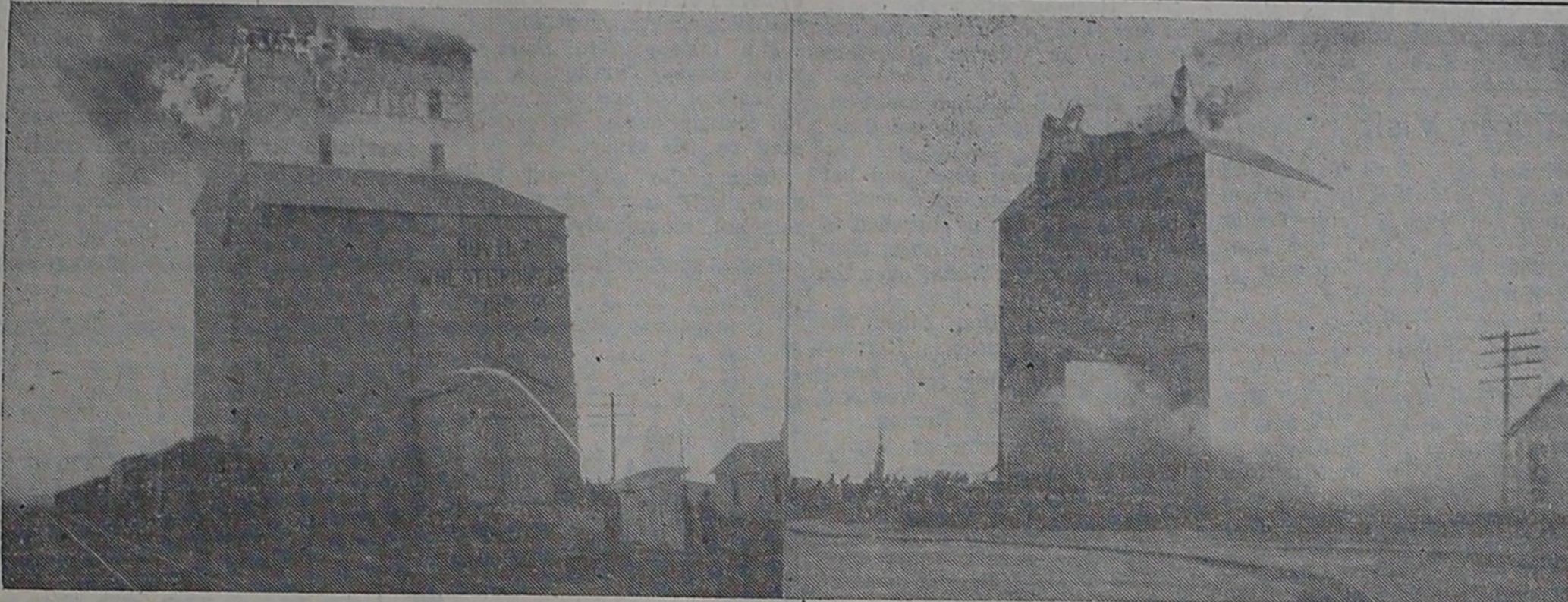
That, in my opinion, will make people who are passing through here notice where they are.

I am not sure, but I think The Blade has a reader of which we can't be proud. That reader or readers is the burglar or burglars that broke into the two Bovina businesses and tried to break into another Sunday night.

The reason that I think the culprit(s) is a Blade reader is because all three of the molested places are Blade advertisers.

I hope that story doesn't scare off any advertisers.

This story made Tom Caldwell's face red. And though it probably takes dry wit to enjoy it, I'm going (Continued On Last Page)



BOVINA WHEAT GROWERS' ELEVATOR went up in flames Friday of last week. The fire was first noticed about 7 a. m. The picture at the left shows the fire in an early stage, and the picture at the right shows the elevator after the head house had been destroyed by the fire. Fire departments from Bovina, Texico-Farwell,

Clovis Air Force Base, Friona, and Hereford helped get the fire under control Friday morning by 9 a. m. The metal portion of the building had a capacity of 45,000 bushels and the concrete portion about 50,000 bushels. Damage to the buildings cannot be determined until all the grain is removed from them.

## Fire Rips Thru Wheat Growers' Elevator

Fire, from an undetermined origin, swept through the head house of Bovina Wheat Grower's Elevator early Friday morning destroying the head house and possibly leaving the remainder of the wooden portion of the structure a total loss.

Fire departments from Bovina, Texico-Farwell, Clovis Air Force Base, Friona, and Hereford were called to help extinguish the blaze. The groups of firemen had the fire under control by 9:00 a. m. However, they continued to work on the fire for several hours after Sunday morning, about 3:00 a. m. the fire flared up again and fire departments from Friona and Texico-Farwell were called (the Bovina

firemen had never moved their equipment away from the scene since there was a threat of the fire starting again). The second flare up was under control by 7:00 a. m.

The original flame was noticed in the head house Friday morning about 7:00 a. m. by a passerby who told employees of the elevator, who were in the process of opening the elevator for the day's business, of the fire. One of the employees had checked the head house late Thursday for anything out of the ordinary and found nothing wrong.

Capacity of the wooden portion of the elevator was approximately 45,000 bushels and the concrete portion approximately 50,000 bushels. Damage to the grain in the concrete bins will be only from water.

The damaged grain will be railroaded to Amarillo as soon as the railroad can furnish open top cars. At Amarillo, the grain will be put through a salvaging process by Producer's Grain Corporation and all the grain that can be salvaged will be placed in government loan for customers of the elevator. The grain that can't be salvaged will be paid for at government loan price by the insurance company that had the grain insured. Therefore, customers of the elevator will not lose in any way as a result of

the fire. Damage to the buildings can not be estimated until all the grain is moved from the storage space. A. C. Teter, manager of the elevator says.

Since the grain moving equipment was destroyed with the head house, the grain will be loaded on the cars with portable elevators. The business offers its thanks to the fire departments and individuals who helped during the fires in an advertisement in this issue.

Mrs. Oakley McGill from Clovis has been visiting her daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson.

### Public Invited to Hear GOC Speaker

The general public is invited to meet at the Legion Hall in Bovina, November 22, at 7:30 p. m. to hear historical explanation of the Ground Observer Corps activity and a proposed plan for organizing an Observer Corps for this Community.

The speaker of the evening will be from Oklahoma City, who will also explain a training course on how to recognize the many different aircrafts.

### Band Gives Veterans' Day Performances

The Bovina High School Band had a busy day during the Veterans' Day festivities in Bovina November 11.

Friday morning, the band presented three numbers at the school dedication program. These included, "Star Spangled Banner," "Maroon and White," and "United Nations March." Three of the members of the band, Donnie Spring, Elmer Snodgrass and Jerry Wright, with the band director, Wayne Stevens, presented a trumpet quartet of "Loch Lomand."

In the afternoon, the band marched from downtown to the football field where they joined the Farwell High School and Friona High School bands in presenting a special Veterans' Day pre-game formation. On the south end of the field the Farwell band formed a church and played "Nearer, My God to Thee."

In the center of the field, the Friona band formed an anchor and played "Anchors Aweigh," to salute the armed forces. The Bovina band, at the north end, formed a flag and played, "America." Then the three bands formed three letters, U. S. A., and played the national anthem, "Star Spangled Banner."

During the half of the Bovina-Farwell game, the band aided the football boys in crowning Pat Burnam as Football Sweetheart of 1955-56. Darrell Read, co-captain, presented Pat with a bouquet of roses, while the band played "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," from the formation of a heart.

Miss Ellen Berry, who was escorted by Neil Smith, and Miss Janie Alverson, who was escorted by Erith Hawkins, were the attendants.

While still in the heart formation, the band concluded their performance with the school song, "Bovina High School"

## Trustee Awards Made at Dedication

Bovina's \$600,000 school building that was completed in September of this year, was dedicated Friday morning at 10:00 with the program being held in the 714-seat auditorium of the new building.

Andy Rogers, state senator from Childress, delivered the main address.

Preceding Rogers' talk was the presenting of trustee awards to the past members of Bovina Independent School District's school board. The present members were not able to receive an award because they have not served a full term.

Past members who did receive the awards, which were presented by Superintendent W. H. Wiloughby, were Arnold Hromas, M. E. Ezell, Walter Verner, Eddie Redden, Bedford Caldwell, Roy Hawkins, Earl Ware, Frank Wilson, N. E. Bonds, Alfred Berggren, O. W. Rhinehart, Reagan Looney, C. R. Elliott, P. D. Barron, A. G. White, W. E. Williams, and Wilbur Charles.

The above list is only a part of the past members who were eligible for the awards.

## Trustee Awards Made at Dedication

Present school board members are Earl Stevenson, president, Harry J. Charles, secretary, Wendol Christian, Boye Taylor, Troy Fuller, Amos Steelman and Elmo Dean.

Architects for the building were Atcheson and Atkinson of Lubbock and the general contractor was Sanders Construction Company of Sherman.

Rev. W. R. Beard, pastor of the Bovina Methodist Church gave the invocation and R. A. Hartsell, minister of the Bovina Church of Christ gave the benediction.

Entertainers, aside from Rogers, were Bovina High School Band under the direction of Wayne Stevens, Junior Wilsonaires, Kay Hartzog, a school choral group, Judy Roach, Kay Leake, Billy Charles, Nickie Woelfel, Paula Kay Kerby, Elaine Fuller, Harriet Lou Charles, Dalphin Hartsell, and Stevens.

Stevenson, president of the school board, delivered the welcome and Larry Ezell and Neil Smith of the high school student council gave the reply.

## SUNDAY NIGHT—

### Burglars Bother Bovina Businesses

Burglars, or at least a burglar, broke into two Bovina businesses sometime during Sunday night and tried to break into another. Wilson Food Store lost an estimated \$150 worth of groceries, cigarettes and chewing gum.

Five shirts and a coat were stolen from Esquire Cleaners and two screens were jerked off the windows of Paul Jones Service Station but entrance to the building was apparently not obtained, Paul Jones said.

A. M. Wilson of Wilson's Food Store estimated that \$150 worth of merchandise was taken by the thieves. Included in the loot were 30 to 35 cartons of cigarettes, one case of eggs, one leg of beef, several sticks of lunch meat, two boxes of cigars, one box of candy, and 25 pennies that had been left in the cash register. Wilson said that it was almost impossible to determine exactly what had been taken because no inventory had been taken after Saturday's business.

The back window of Wilson's had been molested some eight days

before but the building had not been entered. To gain entrance Sunday, the intruders knocked the pane out of the window.

Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace investigated the break-ins and reported finding the same footprint at at least two of the places that were molested. Neither George Trimble of the cleaners, Jones, or Wilson had any ideas about who the visitors could be. Wilson did say that it seemed funny to him why the sticks of lunch meat were taken when a boiled ham was lying beside the lunch meat.

No lead other than the footprints has been found.

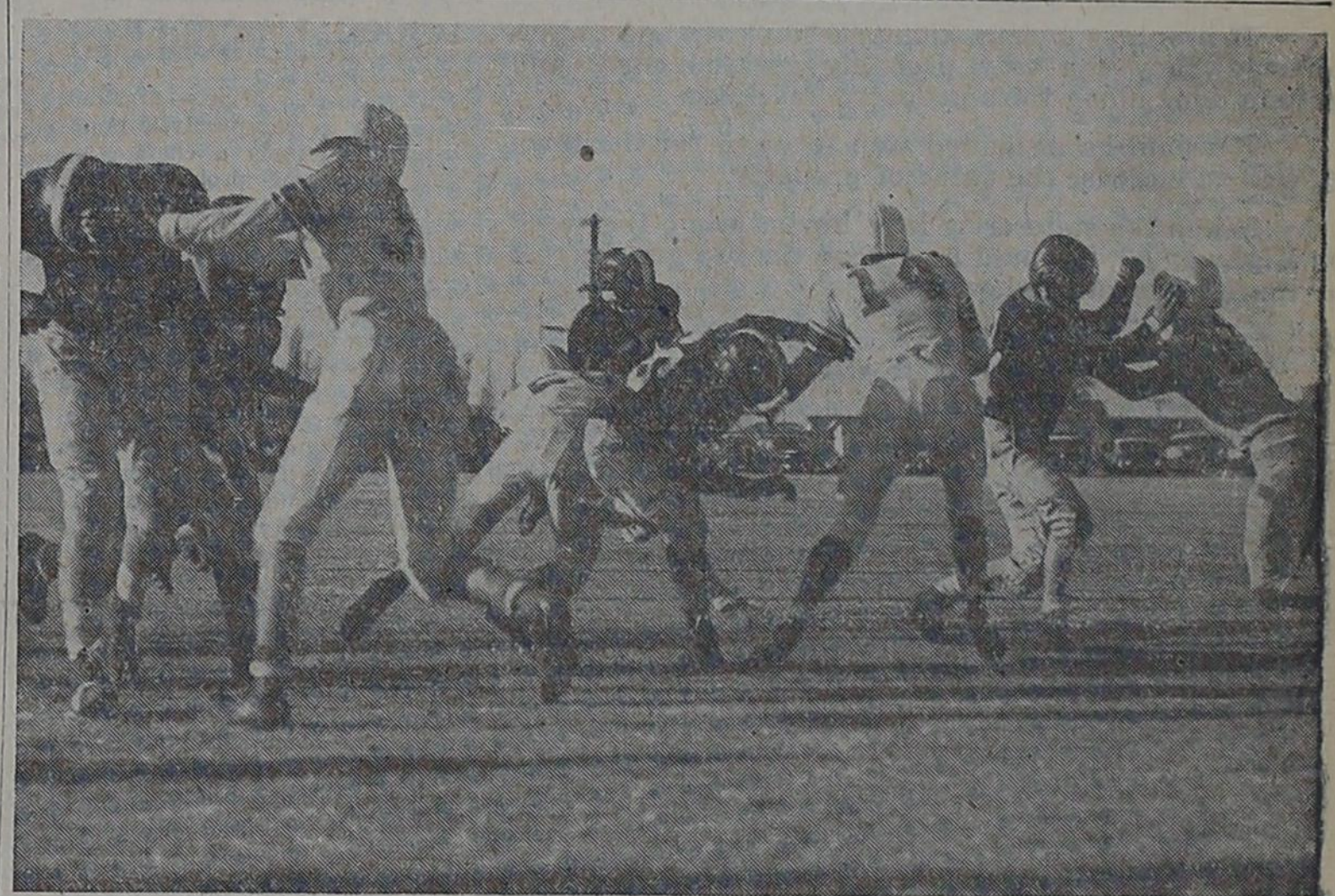
### SINGING SUNDAY

The Bovina Sunday Singing Club will meet Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles. Gene Rea, who is head of the club said that anyone interested in a club of this kind is welcome to attend. The group plans to elect officers at a later date.

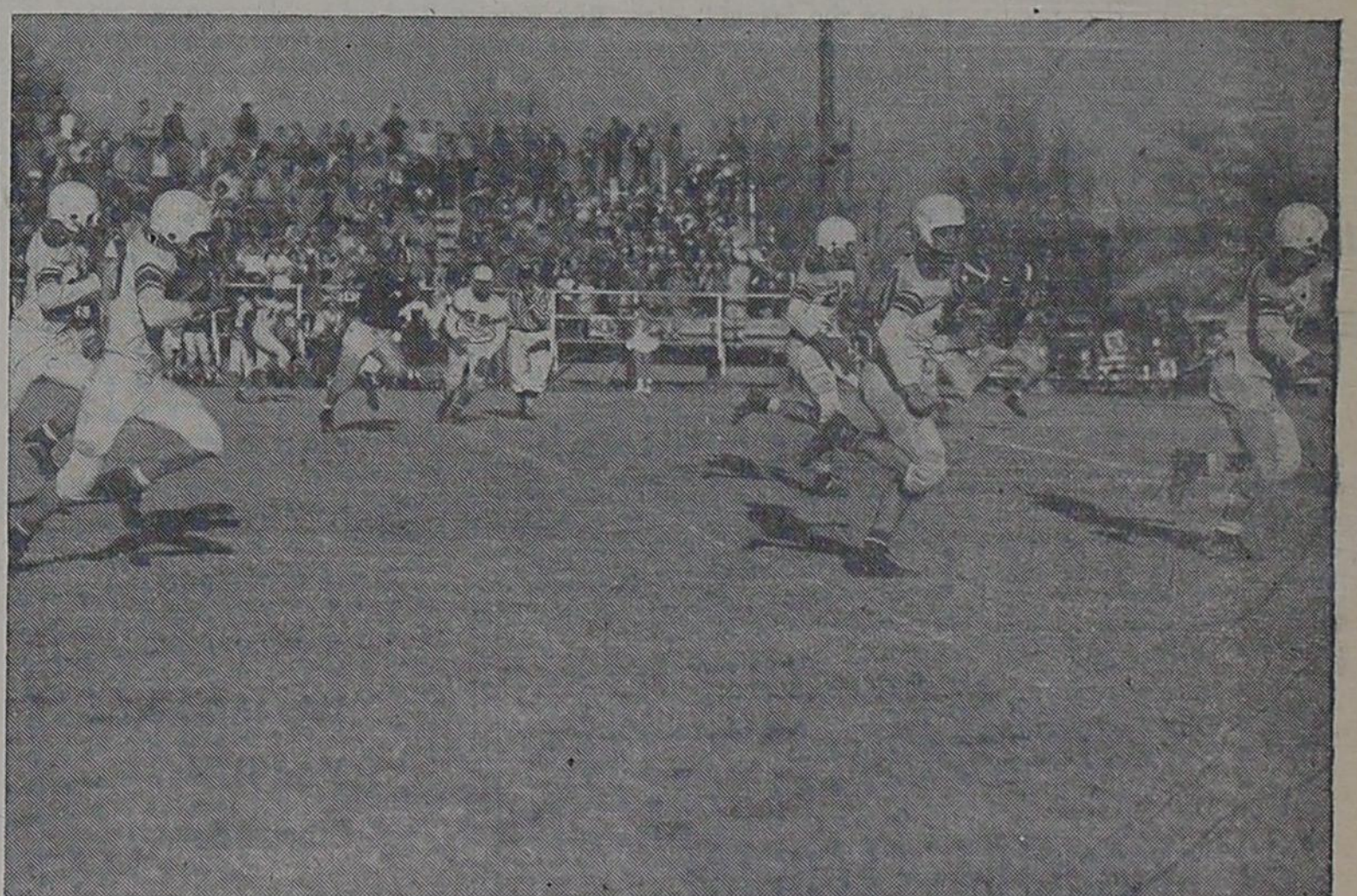
### CARD OF THANKS

We are taking this method to express our sincere appreciation for the acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the recent death of our husband and father.

Mrs. S. A. Whitesides and family



THIRD DOWN, GOAL TO GO—Larry Ezell, number 56 in the center of the picture, makes one yard in a third-down carry in Friday afternoon's game against the Farwell Steers. The play originated on the three-yard line and Ezell was stopped on the two. The Mustangs lost the ball on downs the following play when they failed to score. Lynn Isham, Mustang tackle, is number 74 and Julius Bradshaw, Mustang back, is number 66.



GOAL LINE BOUND—Truitt Hardage (with ball) is pictured returning a punt off the toe of Mustang Quarterback Darrell Read in the fourth quarter of the Veteran's Day game at Mustang field. Read punted from his own 33 to Hardage on the 37 and Hardage, aided by a wave of Steer blockers, carried the ball across the goal line untouched. The play was brought back, however, because of a clipping penalty against Farwell. Farwell won the game 6-0.

## Mustangs Can't Score, Lose to Farwell, 6-0

With no District 3-B championship in mind, and no incentive to play good, hard football other than the spine-tingling thrill of winning over the favorite rival, the Bovina Mustangs and the Farwell Steers battled scorelessly for three quarters in a Veteran's Day contest on wind-swept Mustang field in Bovina Friday before the Steers managed for a touchdown late in the fourth quarter to win the game 6-0.

Early in the fourth quarter, the Mustangs were forced to kick from their own 33 yard line. Darrell

Read, Mustang quarterback, punted to the Steer's Truitt Hardage, who took the ball on his 37 and galloped down the right side and across the goal line untouched.

However, the play was nullified by a clipping penalty that put the ball down on Bovina's 33. But the Steers weren't to be denied the score and came storming back to make a legitimate count 12 plays later without losing the ball. The drive was climaxed by quarterback Eddie Smith's sneak over the goal line from the one yard line. Smith's attempted placement

kick for the extra point was blocked by a swarm of Mustang linemen and the score remained 6-0.

The Mustangs had two chances to tie the score or go ahead following the touchdown. Julius Bradshaw returned the bouncing kick-off from the 25 back to the 32 but two plays later a Larry Ezell pass was intercepted by a Farwell defender on the Bovina 40 yard line and returned to the 30. But before the Steers could push across another score, they fumbled on the other side, they fumbled on the 26 and the Mustang's Mike Baraza recovered. But the clock ran

out after the hard charging Steer line had stopped Read before he could get the ball away in two pass attempts.

Farwell led in the first down department, 12 to five. The Mustangs had three penetrations to two for the Steers and Farwell gained a total of 180 yards to 122 for Bovina.

The Mustang's biggest threat came in the third quarter when they surged down to the one yard line before being held by a powerful and determined Steer line. To set up the drive, the Mus-

tangs took the ball on their 40 yard line after an out of bounds kick from the toe of Smith, who had punted from behind his own goal stripe. Led by Read and Ezell the Mustangs powered down to the nine yard line where they had first down and goal to go. Read made four yards to the five, Ezell two to the three, then one to the two, and with fourth down and still the two yards needed, Read tried a quarterback sneak that carried him within inches of the goal before he was shoved back by the Farwell line.

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# THE BOVINA BLADE

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

### Looked Good

The lack of Bovina fans following the teams up and down the field last Friday afternoon at the football game looked good and sounded better. We feel sure that the fans who had been in the habit of enjoying the game from very near the sideline enjoyed the contest just as much, and we feel surer that the individuals that make a habit of sitting in the stands or in their cars enjoyed it even more.

The unheard evil cries of loyal Mustang fans was a credit to the local fans, as well as the team they love so much.

Not so from the other side of the field where the usual inexpressive yells of unsportsmanship could be heard. And we truly feel that Bovina fans were pulling for their team as hard if not harder than those of the opposition.

Bovina fans as well as the Mustang team should be given a pat on the back for such a fine display of sportsmanship.

### Be a Good Time

Chances are good that a State Highway Department crew will come to Bovina sometime soon to curb and gutter all or part of Highway 86 where it runs through the town.

This is good and we should be proud of the citizens who are participating in this project. But maybe we shouldn't stop with just Highway 86. The Highway Department will also do its part on Highway 60 and on Third Street, which connects the two highways.

If property owners along these two roads are interested, they can very probably get the curbs and gutters done along their property lines also.

It would be an added step forward for the town as well as increase the value of property.

When the state crew is in Bovina to do the work on Highway 86, it would be a good time to get the rest of the aforementioned work done.

### Home From College

Former Bovina High School students who are now attending college and saw the annual Bovina-Farwell football game Friday afternoon were Margaret Verner, Mark Charles, Donald Lloyd, Billy Woolf, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ware of Texas Tech and Glendon Sudderth, Ted Walling, Dick Martin, Huey Lowrie, Sondra Jefferson, Charles Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Steelman, Dyalithia Bradshaw, and Evelyn Steelman of West Texas State.

### Children Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Boyle Taylor and Barbara were visited this weekend by their son, Pvt. Norman Taylor of Fort Carson, Colo., and their daughter, Mrs. Bob Jackson of Fort Worth.

### Attend Show

Mrs. Maude Trimble and Mrs. Dee Ellison attended a hair fashion show at the Crystal Ball Room of the Herring Hotel in Amarillo, Sunday.

### BOOKLET AVAILABLE

As an aid to stockmen, dairymen and poultry producers, the extension entomologists have prepared a leaflet, "Guide for Controlling External Parasites of Livestock and Poultry." It is available from the office of your local county agent.

The use of artificial lights to keep hens on the job for 13 hours each day during the short days of fall and winter is a management practice which pays dividends. The extra hours of light are needed for stimulating hormone production.

### ACCURATE DIAGNOSIS OF POLIO PRESENTS UNUSUAL PROBLEMS

Minneapolis, Minn.—Accurate diagnosis of non-paralytic poliomyelitis presents a challenging and important problem, even though the medical staff of the Sister Elizabeth Kenny Foundation has diagnosed and treated thousands of cases of the disease.

The patient with paralytic polio can be accurately diagnosed, but non-paralytic polio resembles very closely a great number of other diseases which are almost impossible to distinguish from polio. One of Sister Kenny's contributions to medical science pertained to early recognition of symptoms and necessity of early treatment.

Perfecting of a diagnostic test for polio is a tremendous problem, because polio viruses are elusive things. They are too small to be seen with the ordinary microscope and require living tissue for growth. The problem is further complicated by the fact that polio is not just a one-virus disease, but a disease caused by different viruses.

As a result of tests carried out on patients referred to Kenny treatment centers with suspected polio, a number of unusual infections of the central nervous system were uncovered. The same complicated laboratory tests would seem to indicate that many of these other diseases are indistinguishable from polio by the ordinary techniques available to doctors.

These diseases have in common the same polio symptoms of fever, headache, stiff neck and an increase in the number of white blood cells in the spinal fluid of patients.

(Released by the Kenny Foundation's Medical Staff)

## LOCALS

### Findings Given On Chest X-ray

AUSTIN—A new record of public service was established between September 1954 and August 1955 when 715,192 Texans passed before the mobile chest x-ray units operated by the State Department of Health.

Of that number 18,192 showed evidence of chest "abnormalities," the Department reported.

The tax-supported mass chest x-ray surveys, limited to persons 15 years of age and over, worked in 152 counties during the period covered by the report.

Among the abnormal findings were 9,887 cases of "suspicious, minimal, moderately advanced, or

far advanced tuberculosis," 7,276 cases of heart involvement, 1,092 cases of other "nontuberculous" cases such as tumor shadows, diaphragmatic hernias, etc.

Past experience has shown that findings of chest abnormalities in children under 15 are so few that it is not economically feasible to include youngsters in the mass surveys. Also, health authorities hold that since source of tuberculosis is in the adult population, finding a case in an adult presents sufficient opportunity to closely examine the children in that adult's family.

Although no age breakdown was available for the abnormal conditions discovered in last year's surveys, indications were that most of them occurred in persons over

55. Said Health Commissioner Henry A. Holle: "We are concentrating on this age bracket."

Both tuberculosis and lung cancer are most easily curable in their early stages," the health official stressed. "But since both are almost symptomless in their early stages, early detection is virtually impossible without a chest x-ray."

The health agency adopted the mass x-ray survey as part of its program of public service in 1946. Five units are in operation, each one staffed by two technicians.

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### Bovina WSCS Has Business Meeting

The Women's Study Club had their regular bi-monthly business session Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Church parlor. Mrs. Charles Ross and Mrs. Ike Quickel were hostesses.

In the business meeting, Mrs. Rouel Barron was appointed as temporary secretary until Mrs. E. C. Berry can serve as regular secretary. Rose McCain was appointed as chairman of the membership committee in place of Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Troy Barton was added to the committee.

Painting of the club house was discussed and it was decided to have it painted as soon as possible. The members voted to save coupons for silverware and to sell vanilla to obtain a coffeemaker for the clubhouse.

The program theme was "Crosses of the World." Mrs. Roy Fuller played the piano while the members sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs. Troy Fuller presented a talk on the "Crosses of the World." Mrs. H. N. Turner and Mrs. Arnold Hromas sang a duet, "Nailed to the Cross."

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to the members.

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## Commission Delays Selection of New Waterworks Head

Members of Bovina City Commission decided at their regular meeting Monday night at the City Hall to postpone the selection of a man to replace Water Superintendent Henry Minter for a few days so they could have more time to consider the candidates. Minter will take over the city secretary's position that is now occupied by A. B. Wilkinson.

Wilkinson has turned in his resignation to be effective as soon as the commission can get another individual to round out the staff.

Five local men have applied for the job.

The commission members also discussed the fact that Bovina's alleys will need to be opened up by January 1 so that sewer construction may begin.

Petitions concerning the Veterans' Hospital at McKinney were decided to be circulated around town to be signed by people who don't feel that the hospital should be closed by Congress. The petition signing is to be done in answer to a request by the Mayor of McKinney. The group did not decide how they would go about getting the petition signed. After it is signed, it will be used, along with others, in an attempt to encourage Congress to leave the hospital open. Mayor O. W. Rhinehart, who presided at the meeting said, "Our signing the petition may not help to a great extent, but it is a cinch that we won't help by not signing it."

Officials present at the meeting besides Rhinehart were Paul Jones and Emmett Tabor, commissioners, Minter and Wilkinson.

## Visits Mother

While her husband was deer hunting in the mountains of New Mexico, Mrs. Earnest Foster, Jr. and her children, of Clovis, N. M., visited her mother, Mrs. N. E. Bonds, Sunday.

## START BASKETBALL

The seventh and eighth grade boys of the local school under the leadership of Coach Bob Willis have started the fundamentals of basketball in preparation of their coming season. Their schedule has not been made up as of yet.

## Visits Sister

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiggins of Lorene, and their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wiggins and Robert of Morton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Nat Read, Sunday. Mrs. Wiggins is Mrs. Read's sister.

## Digestive Disorders Cause Time Lost

AUSTIN—Digestive disorders rank second only to the respiratory diseases, primarily colds and influenza, as the leading cause of time lost on the job, declares Dr. Henry A. Holle, Commissioner of Health. Even though indigestion may not make one actually ill, or miss work, it may hinder your work, or interfere with your sleep and pleasure in living. It may turn one into a grouch.

The digestive tract, especially the stomach, is very sensitive to disturbances in other parts of the body. Indigestion can be due to one or more of many causes which make self diagnosis pretty difficult. Don't try to doctor yourself but see your physician if you have repeated attacks.

The cause of indigestion may be irregular habits of eating and drinking. It may be a symptom of a disease of the digestive system such as gall bladder, appendix, ulcer or cancer. It may be caused by nervousness or emotional tensions. Sometimes the beginning of a disease of the heart, kidneys, liver and other organs is indicated by indigestion. In children a sudden upset stomach may be the advance notice of a cold, influenza or some other contagious disease.

If you want to avoid indigestion, take a look at some of your everyday living habits. Do you eat a variety of well prepared foods at regular meal times? Having good companionship at meals helps you to relax, and have a good time. Rest a little while before eating if you are overly tired. Balance your work with a reasonable amount of play, so that you have the recreation you need. But do not over do it; get plenty of rest and sleep each night.

A person can probably eliminate recurring indigestion by using common sense living habits; if indigestion persists, see your doctor and follow the treatment he prescribes. You will then feel ready for work, meals and recreation.

The Panama Canal was officially opened on July 12, 1920.

Buffalo Bill and William F. Cody were the same person.

## HERE'S HOW . . .

### MAKE A HUTCH TABLE-BENCH

An old-fashioned hutch is a useful and unique piece of furniture.

The entire hutch may be made of 1-inch finished lumber. Edge-glue boards to make the large panels. The table top may be of hardwood plywood. Cut out the parts as shown.

Notch the end pieces to the actual width of the side pieces. Do not cut the seat base, the lid or the hinge board behind it until after partial assembly of the other bench parts. These pieces may then be fitted more exactly.

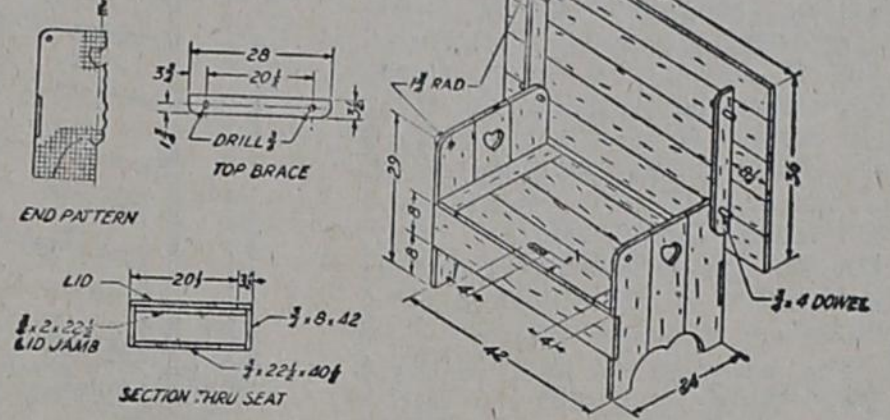
Use glue at all joints and No. 5 wood screws, 1 1/4 inches long, or 6-penny finishing nails. Counter bore for the screws.

and fill the holes with glued dowel plugs.

Assemble by fastening one side board to the ends, add the bottom of the hutch, and then the other side piece. Attach the lid jambs to the under sides of the seat borders, allowing a 1/2-inch extension to support the lid before setting the borders in place.

Then add the hinge board. Attach the lid to the hinge board with butt hinges. Center the top braces beneath the table top.

Sand the hutch, rounding all sharp edges. Stain and varnish, or paint, as desired.



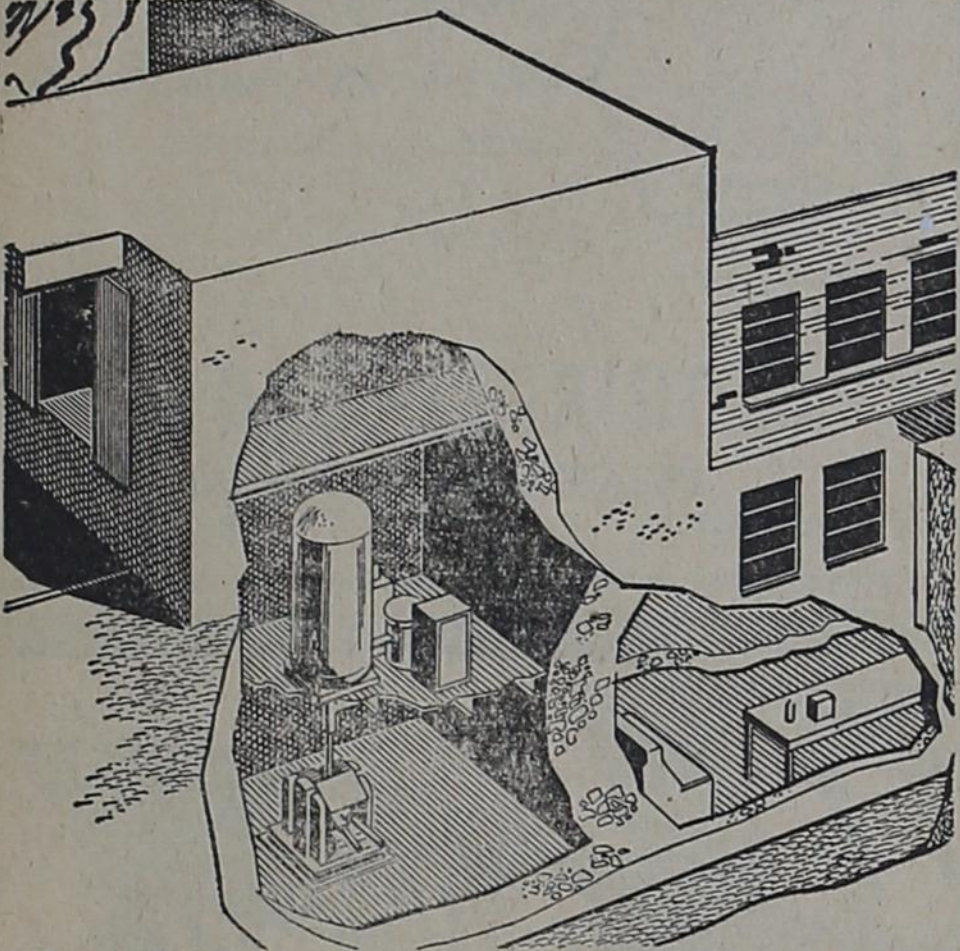
## DON'T GRAZE TOO EARLY

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set for December 1 should be of special interest to rural families because motor vehicle accidents account for more than 40 percent of all accidental deaths of farm people.

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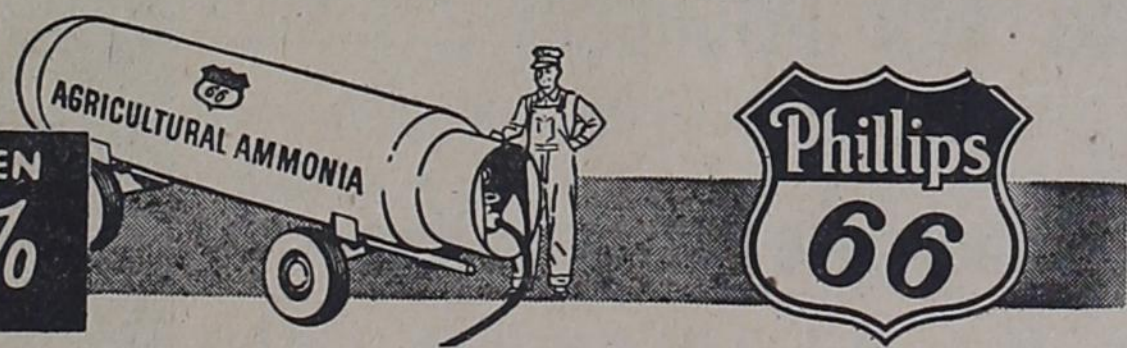
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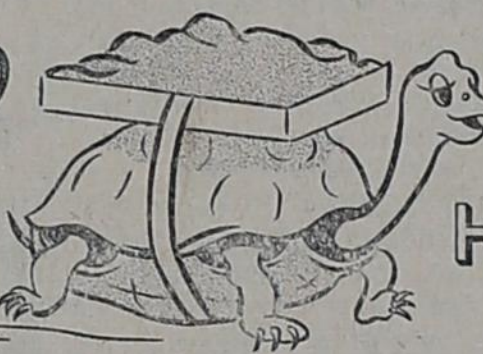
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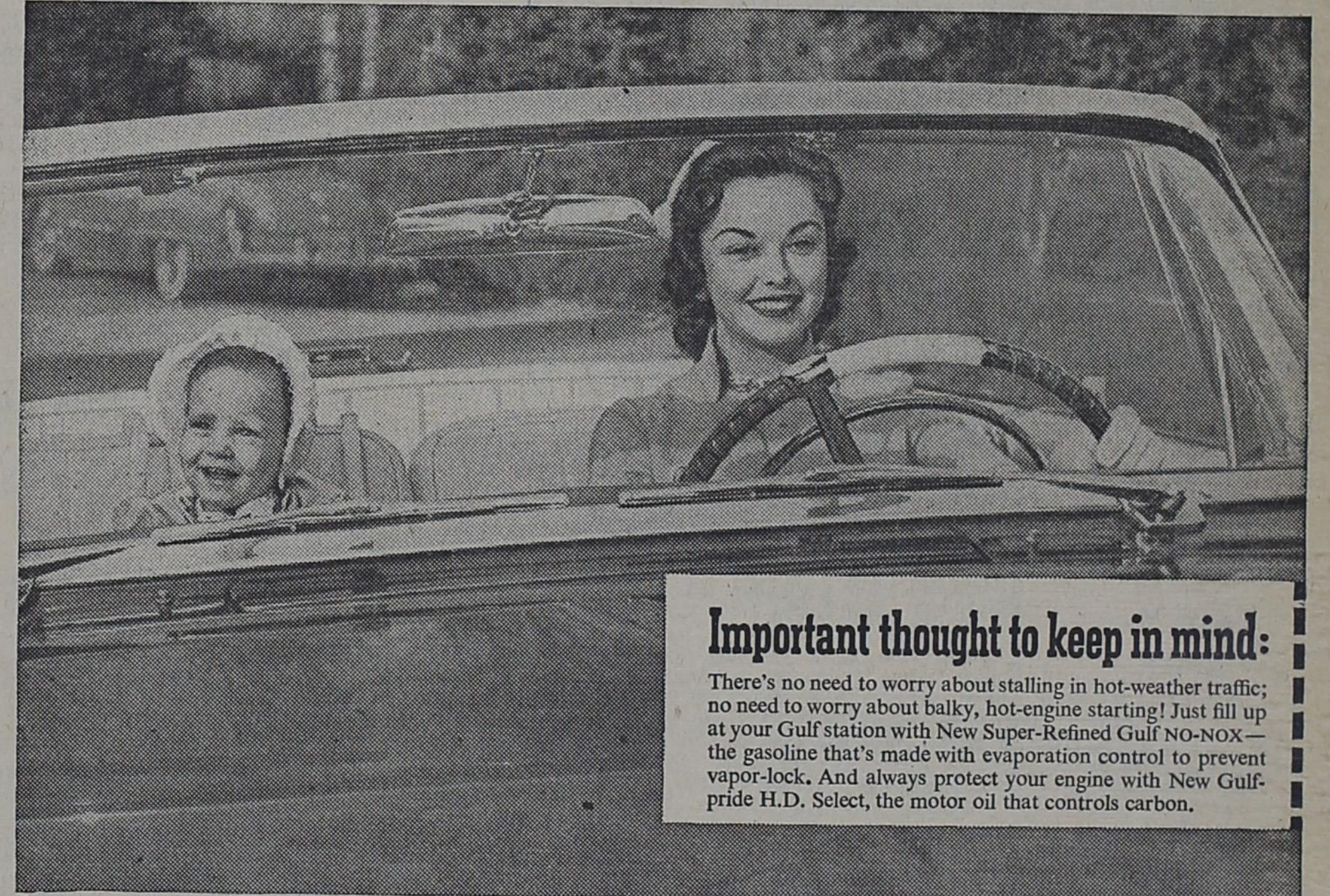


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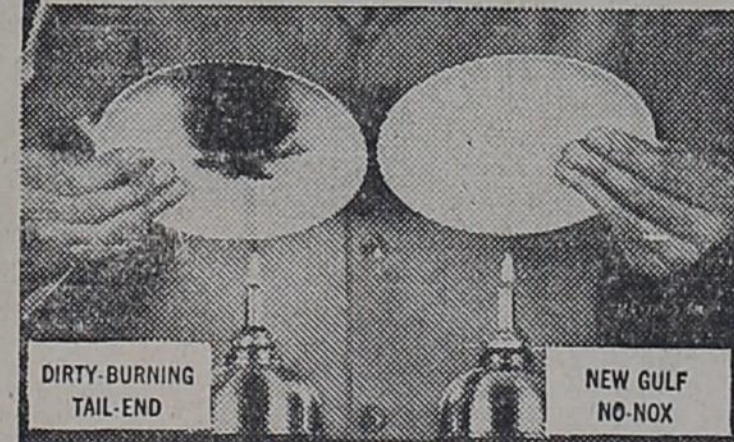
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# Girl Basketballers Win Four Games

The Bovina High School girls' basketball teams played four non-conference practice games Tuesday and Thursday nights and were victorious in all.

Tuesday night, the "A" and "B" teams met the Littlefield Wildcats. The "B" team, led by Janice Richards and Nancy Cumpton, won from the visitors, 42-29. The scores by quarters were 14-12 in the first, 22-15 at the half, 32-23 at the end of the third, and the final score of 42-29. Janice Richards kept up her record with 24 points, Nancy Cumpton had 16 and Nickie Woelful had two. Jean Carry made 17 points for the Wildcats and Pat Caldwell made 9.

In the "A" game, which was a closer contest, the scores by quarters were Bovina 11, Littlefield 6, in the first, 17-16, at the half, 27-23 in the third, and 41-36, at the end giving Bovina the victory. Dee Pounds and Mary Sue Moody scored 10 points each, Ellen Berry racked up 8, Pauline Lloyd had 7, and Kay Leake made 6.

Patsy Pickrell scored 15 of Littlefield's points, Bobbie Cowen made 16 and Sue Weaver accounted for 5.

The games against Hart, which were played Thursday night in Williford Gym were also won by Bovina.

In the "B" game, Bovina kept the ball most of the time. The scores by quarters were 14-3, 28-11, 48-13, and 61-19. With such a high score in the third quarter, the guards got a chance to try their luck as forwards and vice versa.

Joyce Lorenze, regular post guard, made 4 points for the girls, and Nita Beth Estes made a field goal for two points. Janice Richards made 16 points for the girls in less than three quarters of play. Joan Kay Ezell made 14 points and successfully guarded the Hart team in the 4th quarter. Nancy Cumpton made 12 points, Nickie Woelful made 8, and Mildred Young made 5. Sandy Johnson made 8 of Hart's points, Robbie Robertson also made 8, and Ruby Featherston made the last three.

The "A" game was close, as the quarter scores prove 10-9, 14-17, 21-23, and 38-37. In the last quar-

ter, the game became a scoring duel between the two teams, as Bovina would make a shot, then Hart would tie the score. Although Bovina made only two free shots, they breached the gap with field goals.

Ellen Berry saved the game by making 5 field goals in the last quarter. She had previously made one field goal in the 2nd quarter giving her a total of 12 points. Dee Pounds scored 13 points, Pauline Lloyd made 11, and Sue Moody and Kay Leake each made 2. Ruth Smitherson scored 13 points for Hart, Ione Van Wliet made 16, and Brenda Dyer made 8.

The "B" team has won all four of their practice games, while the A team, with stiffer competition, has won three of the four played.

## 4-H 'ers have Achievement Day Program in Bovina

Over 100 4-H club members and parents from over the county attended the 4-H achievement program held at the Bovina School Saturday, November 12.

Films were shown of the boys' camps of the past two summers. Parts of the program were prepared by the clubs of Bovina, Farwell, Lazbuddie and Friona.

The pre-party program was by Lazbuddie, get acquainted games by Bovina, sing-song games by Friona, and the good-by portion of the program was by the Farwell group.

## J. T. Hammonds Speaks to PTA

"Pride in Community Progress—Through Loyal Citizenship" was discussed by J. T. Hammonds, speaker for the evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Bovina Parent-Teacher Association. The group met Monday night at the school auditorium.

A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Vernon Estes. Students of the third grade under the direction of Mrs. W. R. Beard, Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes and assisted by Wayne Stevens, music and band instructor, presented a group of folk games. Mrs. Beard gave a brief background of the games and explained their origin.

In his speech, Hammonds stressed the necessity of cooperation in any work toward community progress, especially as it pertained to the Parent-Teacher Association.

Refreshments were served in the cafeteria at the conclusion of the meeting.

## Wesleyan Guild Has Mission Study

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Tuesday evening, November 8, in the Methodist Church Parlor for Mission Study. The study, led by Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, was on American Indians. Members taking part were Miss Grace Paul, Mrs. Wayne Stevens, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. E. O. Norton, and Mrs. Wayne Young. The devotional was given by Mrs. W. R. Beard. Others present were Mrs. H. J. Charles, Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, and Miss Rita Caldwell.

## Attend Past Masters Night

Six Bovina Masons were among the 350 Masons who attended the Past Masters Night at Clovis Tuesday. The guests were served a turkey dinner. Those attending from Bovina were E. R. Barry, A. B. Wilkinson, M. H. Carson, A. J. Routh, R. A. Hartsell and A. P. Hobdy.

## WSCS Meets November 9th

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the Methodist Church parlor with 11 members present Wednesday, November 9. Mrs. Jimmie Charles, president, presided at the meeting and Mrs. Lewis Pesch had charge of the devotional.

The theme of the program was on "Women in the Church."

Mrs. Jimmie Charles gave the highlights of the district meeting which was held in Dimmitt recently. She reported the Week of Prayer offering from the WSCS and WCG was \$54.50.

The following committees were appointed to serve November 17 when WSCS is to prepare a Thanksgiving lunch for the home demonstration clubs of the county.

Menu committee: Mesdames Vernon Estes, Earl Ware, I. W. Quickel, and Lewis Pesch; table committee: Mesdames Earl Richard, O. Jones, Earl Ware, Floyd Dunavant, and Rouel Barron; dish committee: Mesdames Lloyd Battey, William Thornton, and Dean Hastings; kitchen committee: Mesdames Wilbur Charles, John Booher, Mable Newberry; coffee committee: Mesdames Billie Sudderth and George Turner.

The hostesses for the meeting, Mrs. Wilbur Charles and Mrs. Jimmie Charles, served apple pie and coffee to Mesdames Earl Ware, Floyd Dunavant, George Turner, Ike Quickel, Della Ezell, Vernon Estes, L. C. Moore, O. Jones, and Lewis Pesch.

## METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. W. R. Beard, Pastor  
Church school, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; group meeting, 6:30 p. m.; Marzie Lynn Circle, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.; choir practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

A cordial welcome awaits you at all of these services.

## Lord's Acre Project

At the meeting of the official board Monday night it was decided to ask all who are participants in the "Lord's Acres Project" of the Bovina Methodist Church to do their best to bring into the Church by Thanksgiving Day the proceeds of God's Acres. J. T. Hammond's is treasurer of this fund. See him, won't you?

## District Conference

The Plainview District Conference will assemble at Turkey November 30, 1955. Rev. Luther Kirk, the district superintendent, will preside. The delegates from Bovina Methodist Church are as follows: Rev. W. R. Beard, Robert E. Wilson, Mrs. Jimmie Charles, Frank Hastings, E. B. Caldwell, W. T. Thornton, Mrs. Vernon Estes, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Quickel, and Vernon Estes. The reserve delegates are Mrs. Floyd Dunavant and Mrs. H. J. Charles.

## Visit Wilsons

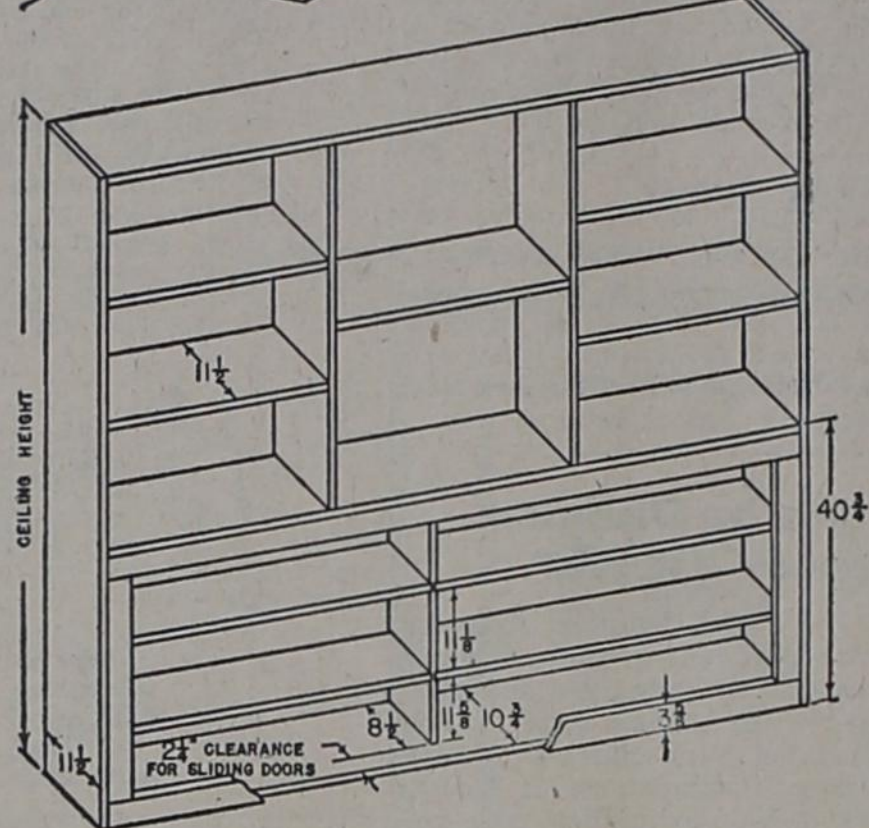
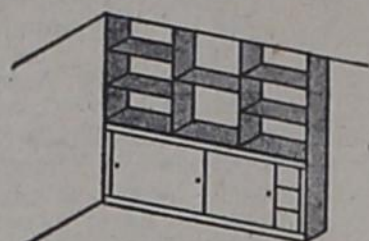
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phipps visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Phipps who are good friends of the Wilsons, brought Mrs. Wilson's step-father, H. B. Worden to Bovina. Worden is from San Antonio.

## HERE'S HOW . . .

### MAKE A ROOM DIVIDER

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## Pep Squad Gets Results From Sale Of Mums

The Pep Squad, under the leadership of Janie Alverson, president, and Pat Burnam, head cheerleader, sold mum corsages for the Bovina-Farwell football game. The corsages were made by Marcum-Claborn Funeral Home of Friona. The girls report a good sale and a profit of \$50 which will be used to fete the football boys at the end of the season.

Mrs. Bill Venable returned Saturday to Bovina from Odessa where she has been staying for about a week.

Mrs. Ike Quickel is visiting Mrs. I. W. Quickel in Woodward, Oklahoma, this week.

United Nations Day is Oct. 24.



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#### Collect With Your Camera

It's fairly safe to say that practically everybody has some kind of pet hobby—whether it's collecting rare stamps and coins or old fishing hats and string! And we've always felt that one of the nicest things about photography is the way it can aid and complement the pursuit of almost any other hobby.

In fact, it is only by means of picture-taking that many hobbies can become "collecting" hobbies at all. If you're interested in bridges, old buildings, art treasures, railroad engines, aircraft, sailing vessels or old automobile models, your camera is the only method by which you'll be able to bring home items for your collection.

Many "collector's items"

fairly small objects, and you'll be shooting them indoors. The easiest method of providing the artificial light you need is using a synchronized flash attachment on your camera. But, if you prefer, you can illuminate your collection with photoflood lamps or ordinary household light bulbs and then make a time exposure.

In either case, if the items are small, you will want to take close-up shots. With a box-type camera, you'd normally be shooting at a distance of about six feet from your subject. If, at this distance your subject seems lost in the middle of the viewfinder, you'll do well to get a simple close-up attachment that will allow you to move in to three and a half feet.

—John Van Gulder

### Rainbow Girls to Sell Christmas Cards

A call meeting, to make up for the regular meeting postponed because of bad weather, of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, Assembly No. 158, was held in the Masonic Hall in Bovina, Monday night.

In the business session held, the members voted to sell candy for the King Candy Company. Also they voted to sell perfume, and to take orders for Christmas cards. Plans were made for initiation to be held Monday night, November 28. All members are reminded to come. Plans for the annual Christmas supper to be held in Clovis were formulated.

Those attending from Farwell were Misses Judy Garrett, Phyllis Magness, L'Orchid Latham, Merlene Crook, Sharon Coffman, Sherry Vestal, and Gari Lynn Crook.

Bovina members included Misses Janie Alverson, Carole Hammonds, Jo Carol Wiley, Patsy Richards, Kay Leake, Harriet Charles, and Donna Jean Hobby. Mary Hartsell visited the chapter. Mrs. Alton Hobby, who is Mother Advisor, and Harry J. Charles also attended the meeting.

### Parmer County Residents Attend FB Convention

Eleven Parmer County residents attended the Farm Bureau Convention held in the Texas Hotel at Fort Worth last week.

The voting delegates from Parmer County were Gilbert Kaltwasser, president, Jack Patterson, Roy Grace, Harry Hamilton, Ralph Smith, E. T. Ford, and Les Bruns. Also attending but not as delegates were Mrs. Kaltwasser, Mrs. Bruns, Raymond Euler, and Aubra J. Ellison.

Two thousand farmers attended the Convention, and of these, 620 were voting delegates.

The program of the convention included speeches by Senator Anderson of New Mexico, former U. S. Secretary of Agriculture, Senator Albert Gore of Tennessee, and Charles Sherman, president of the American Farm Bureau.

Aubra Ellison said of the convention, "I consider it the largest, and one of the best Farm Bureau Conventions held. A congenial atmosphere prevailed all during the convention. I personally feel the convention will be instrumental in helping solve the farmer's problems as we know them."

### Girls' Auxiliary Has Mission Study

Wednesday night, the Intermediate and Junior Girls' Auxiliary met at First Baptist Church for Community Missions.

The junior girls, Lou Ann Goodwin, Frances Fuller and Elaine Fuller worked on their forward steps.

In the Intermediate Auxiliary, Susie Estes received her Maiden award, after being examined by the reviewing council of Mrs. Charles Hawkins and Mrs. Roy Fuller. Barbara Taylor and Nancy Cumpston also attended the meeting.

### Visits Daughter

Mrs. W. E. Williams returned home Sunday after visiting her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnett, in Fort Worth. Mrs. Williams also visited her uncle, W. E. Caldwell of Fort Worth and an aunt, Mrs. W. W. Jenkins, also of Fort Worth.

Ira S. Levins of Texico visited his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Levins and children Saturday.

## Curbing May Start Soon on Highway 86

The residents and property owners on Highway 86 in Bovina have an excellent chance to get more paving and curb and gutters along their property, O. W. Rhinehart, who lives on the highway, reported earlier this week.

The work will be done by Texas Highway Department and will cost the property owners approximately \$1.50 a foot if they want it. The Highway Department will pave all of its 120 feet right-of-way.

Rhinehart said that all the residents on the highway that had been contacted were in favor of the project. However, he said that all residents had not been contacted.

The state will lay curbs and gutters for as short a distance as three blocks. If enough owners are willing for the work to be done it is possible that the work can be started in the next week or 10 days. The pavement, however, cannot be laid until spring because asphalt (of which the pavement would be composed) is not put down in winter months.

Rhinehart estimated that the property will be increased by ap-

proximately \$10 a foot if the project is carried out.

### Entertains With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Johnston, Jr. and family, Jo Carol and Linda, entertained in their home Wednesday night with a buffet supper. After dinner, pictures were taken and the guests visited.

Their dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Venable, Radford and Margaret Jo; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bonds and Tommy Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Moten; and Mr. and Mrs. Bass Elliott, Vance and Gail.

### Deer Hunting

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, Ike Quickel, C. W. Grissom and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ayres of Clovis are deer hunting in the mountains near Ruidoso, N. M., this week. They are staying in the Ellisons' cabin that is located there.

### Lubbock Firm Bids Low on Sewer Contract

Panhandle Construction Company of Lubbock put in the low bid for Bovina's sewer system construction at a special meeting of the City Commission Wednesday, November 9, at 2:30 in the City Hall.

The bid was for \$78,284.95. Bonds totaling \$100,000 were voted for the sewer construction back in the summer.

A total of five bids were opened by Mayor O. W. Rhinehart and read by Coleman Hasie of Hasie and Green Engineering Co., engineers of the sewer system. Other bidders and their amounts were Charles Ramsey of Lubbock, \$98,093; S. E. Lanier of Haskell, \$84,994.65; and S. G. Stockton Construction Company of Amarillo, \$85,699.45 and R. B. Hodgson of Lubbock, \$88,764.72.

Construction of the sewer system will begin within 100 days from the time the contract was let and the contractor must, according to the contract complete the job within 90 days after it is started.

Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Loflin, and son, Larry, visited with Mr. Loflin's sister, and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Juan Eskew, of Clovis, Sunday.

### BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Last week the pastor was one of a team in a School of Missions in Collin County, Texas; speaking in six churches on stewardship. The other speakers spoke on other phases of missions.

Next Monday night the Brotherhood will meet at the church at 7:30 for a program that will be given by the men of the Brotherhood, under the direction of Henry Minter, who is program chairman.

Sunday morning a special offering will be taken to make the second payment on the educational building which was used for the first time the first Sunday of June 1954. Five hundred dollars is in hand, two thousand nine hundred and nineteen is needed. Last year when we took the offering we went well beyond that needed in just one offering, we are hoping to do the same thing this year.

Weldon Moody, French Crook, and maybe some other boys helped with the fixing of the Shuffle Board equipment, and since we have it the young people have surely enjoyed playing on it. Thanks to these young men.

Last Sunday we had 204 in Sunday School, which was an increase of three over the previous Sunday; however the Training Union dropped from 108 the previous Sunday to 98 last Sunday night.

We wish to express our APPRECIATION to the Volunteer Fire Departments of

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For their help in extinguishing the fires at the elevator over the weekend.

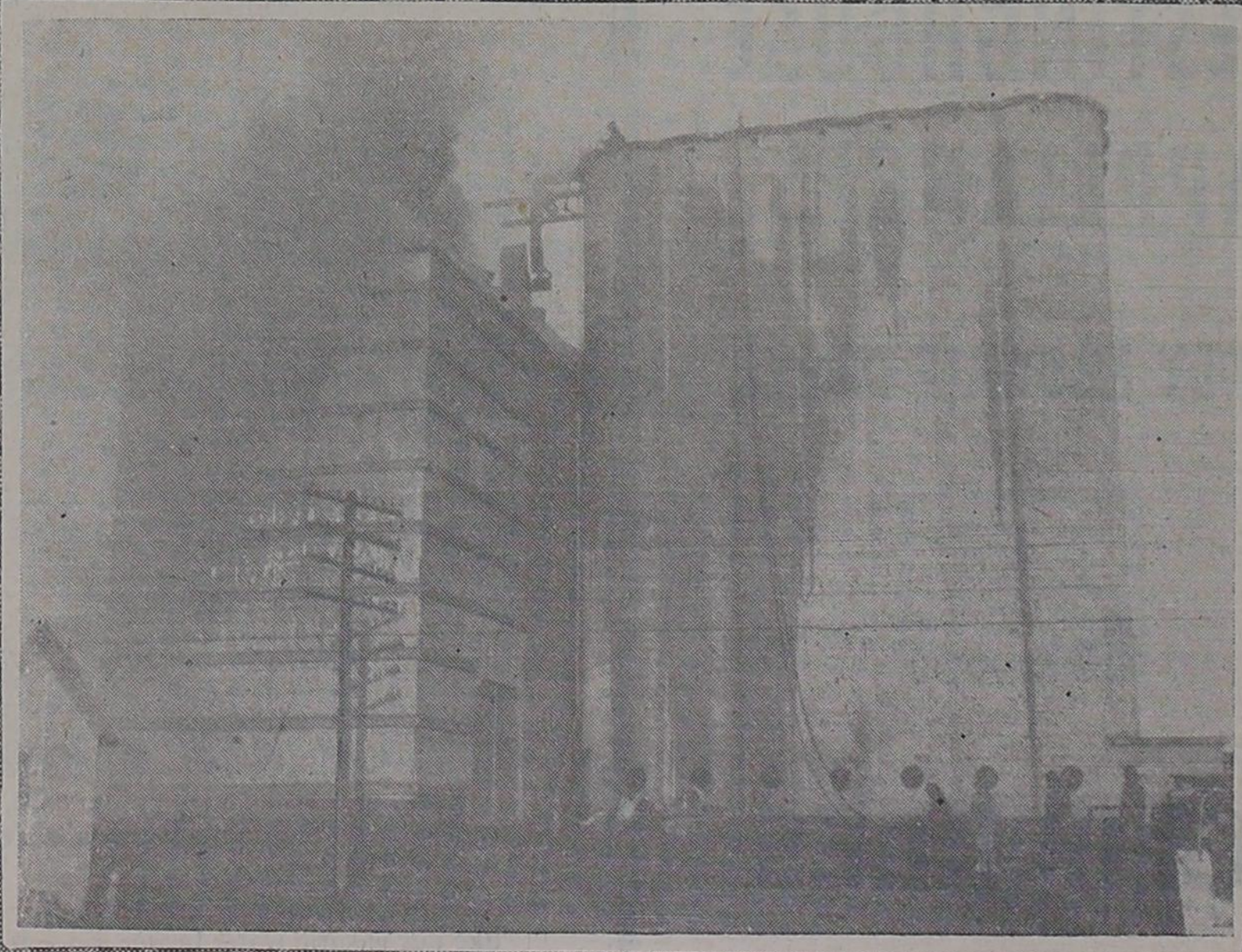
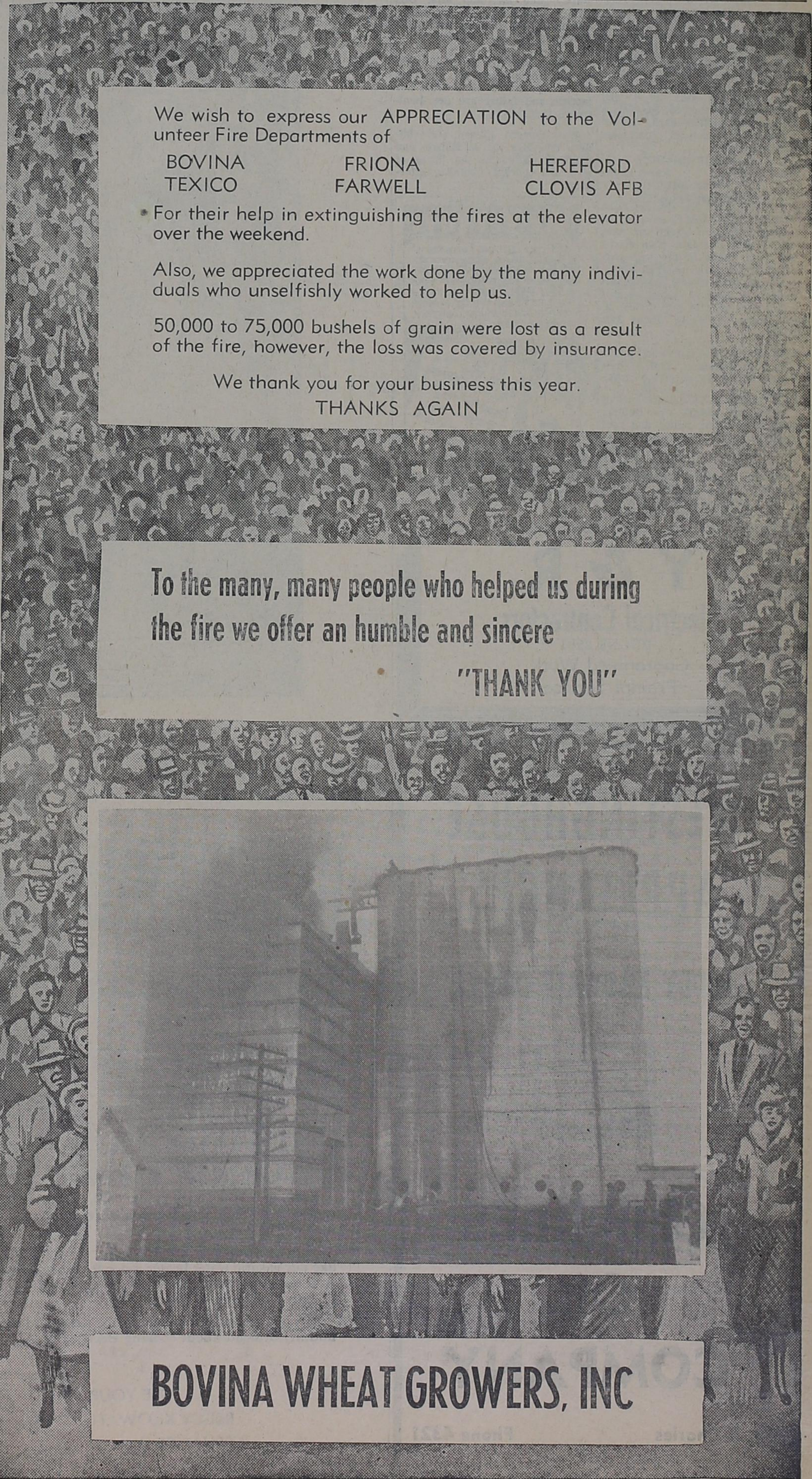
Also, we appreciated the work done by the many individuals who unselfishly worked to help us.

50,000 to 75,000 bushels of grain were lost as a result of the fire, however, the loss was covered by insurance.

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FOR SALE—1953 Chevrolet pickup, good condition, new tires, on butane, reasonable. A. L. Glasscock, Bovina. 20-tnc

FOR SALE—1954 model Royal portable typewriter. Used a month. Mrs. Oattie Ellison, Phone 4142. 20-2tc

FOR SALE—Duroc sow and pigs. Also lots. See J. L. Pruitt in pink house on First Street. 21-1tp

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FOR SALE—John Deere boll puller in good condition. \$200. James Roach, Phone Tharp 2177 21-2tc

FOR SALE—1952 Chevrolet pickup 1/2 ton with deluxe cab. Heater, good tires, insert motor and roof spotlight. \$500. Edd's Auto Service, Bovina. 21-tnc

George Harold Trimble and daughter, Celia, of Pleasant Hill, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Trimble, Friday.

**Birthday Supper**

Mrs. Lucille Walling was honored with a birthday supper Monday night in the home of Mrs. Otis White. After the supper, the gifts were presented to Mrs. Walling. The guests included Mesdames Paul Jones, Joe Wilson, Nat Read, Emmett Tabor, A. M. Wilson, Harve Alverson, Robert Read, Otis White and Mrs. Walling.

**Return from Trip**

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rhodes returned Saturday from a 10-day trip to Fort Worth and parts of Oklahoma. In Fort Worth, they visited Mr. Rhodes' sister, Mrs. Sherman Kelly. They also visited Mr. Rhodes' father, J. T. Rhodes at Duncan, Okla. Other places they visited included, Durant, Sulfur, and Ardmore, Okla.

**Visit Parents**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffer and daughter, Stephanie Sue, of Amarillo attended the Bovina-Farwell game and visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ellison, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

**See Game**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis White attended the Springlake-Friona football game at Springlake Friday night.

Diana Ayres of Clovis is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ayres this week while her mother and father are deer-hunting in Colorado.

Mrs. Howard Ellison and children and Mrs. H. L. Ellison and children visited in the home of Mrs. Ike Quickel Thursday afternoon.

**Home, Oil, and You**

Mention oil fields to the average woman and she probably thinks of roughnecks, drills, rigs, and maybe a thick, sticky fluid which, by some magic, scientists

manage to convert into "gas and oil" for the car.

But the average woman in the United States today depends far more than that on petroleum and its myriad products. Before reading the list below (which is only a partial one) try to answer

this question: How many of the things you use in your everyday life are made from oil or oil derivatives?

Write your answers on a sheet of paper and then compare them with the following listing: Lipsticks, nylon stockings, dress-

es, lingerie, and umbrellas, any "Dacron" garment, plastic containers (that squeeze bottle you used this morning), thermos bottles, plastic sheets for wrapping meats and vegetables in freezers, cold cream, baby oil, bath lotions, suntan oil, bath salts, cologne, deter-

gents, paper cups, any waxed paper, matches, and fountain pens.

Also: plastic phonograph records, crayons, shoe polish, goggles, tooth brushes, sun glasses, garment bags, the comb in your pocketbook, and thousands of other things.

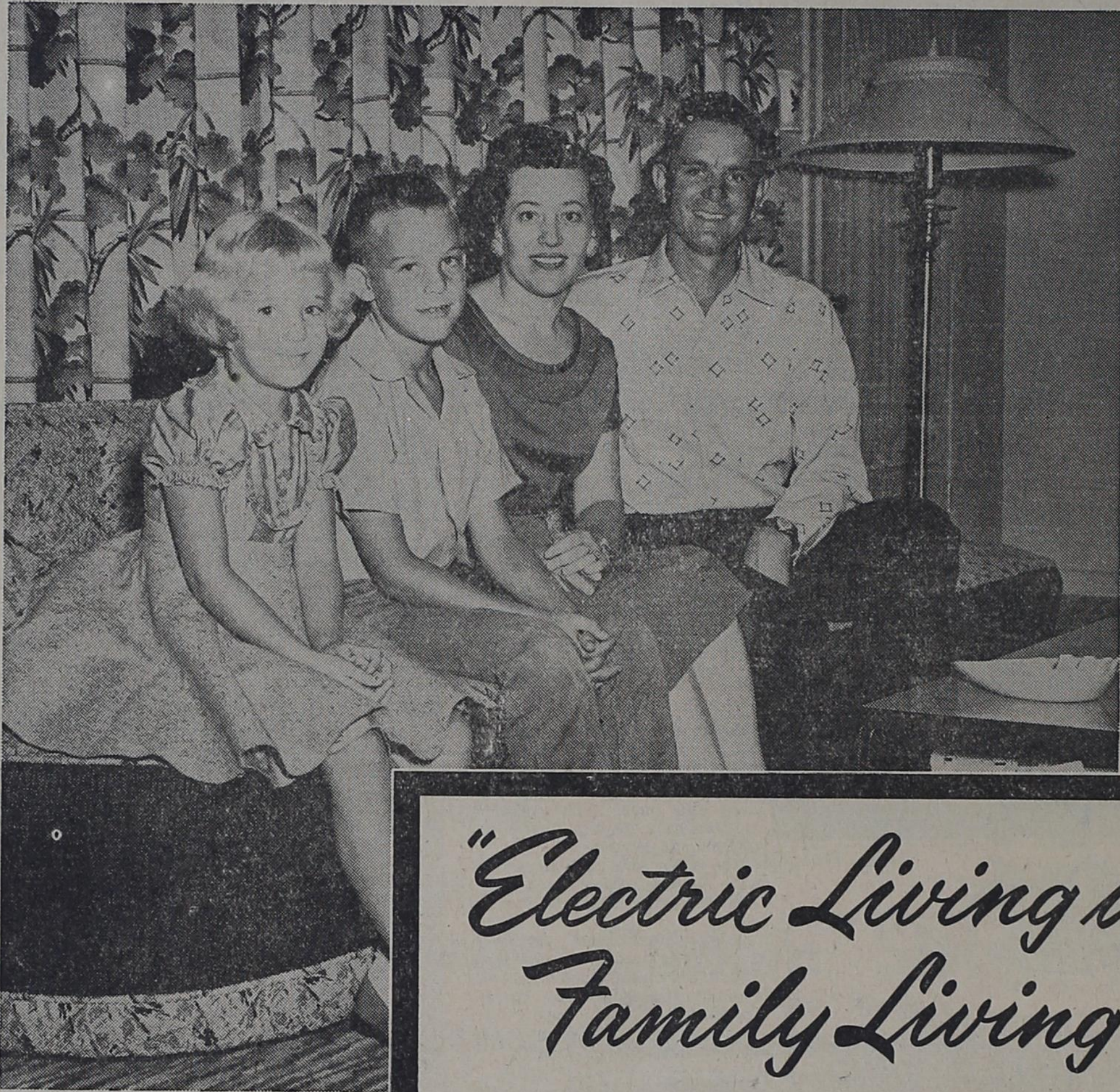


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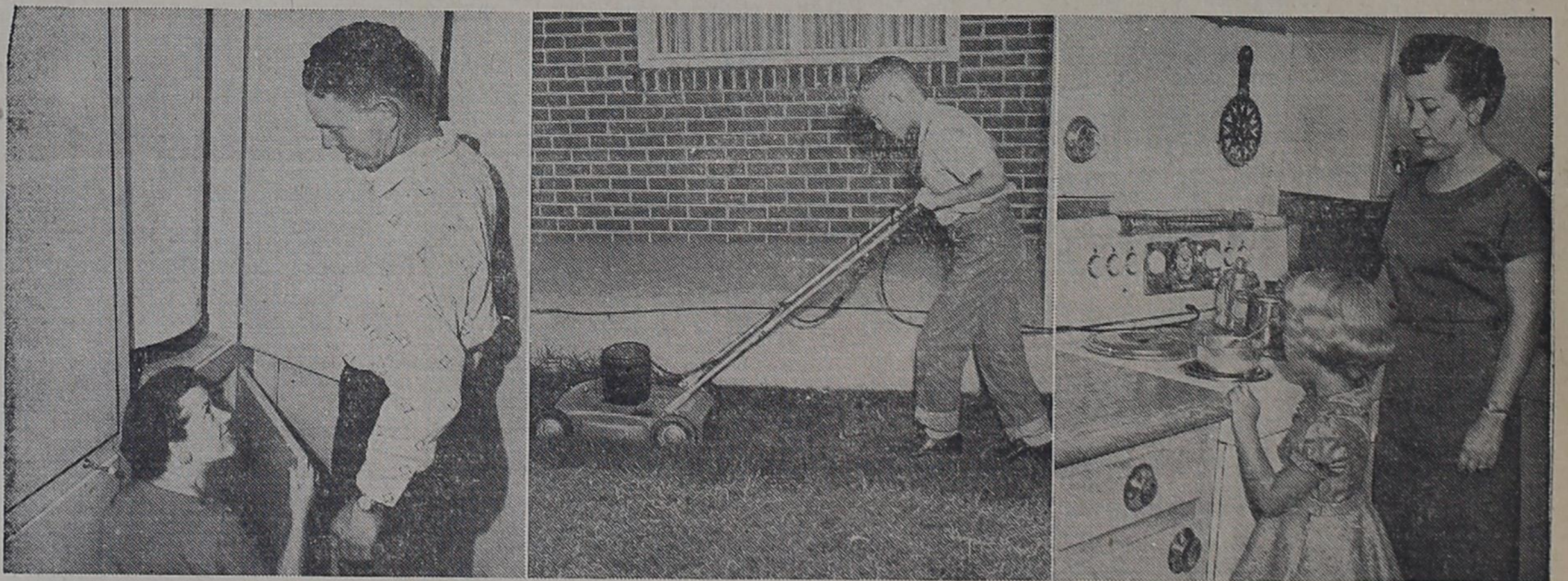
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# BEAUTY TIPS.....by June Norton

Owner and Operator

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This time of the year the complexion is in need of toning and smoothing to get rid of that dry, spotted, waning, suntan of last summer.

There are some very good facial treatments and packs that do wonders for the skin.

For extra dry skin use a warm oil facial with a good quality of warm oil preferably of some good line of cosmetics or if you don't have it, mineral oil or castor oil will do. Apply this to the face with saturated cotton pads.

Place cotton pads that have been squeezed out with eye tonic over the eyes. Place a hot, wet towel over the area that is to be treated and relax for at least 10 minutes. Remove the pads and massage the face with heavy cream for five minutes. Remove cream and apply hot towels, then very cold towels. You are now ready for makeup.

For coarse dry skin, use an egg and honey facial mask. Use two tablespoons of almond meal (or oat meal pulverized will do), one tablespoon of 17 volume peroxide. Mix enough sweet cream to make paste. To prepare—separate the egg, using the whole yolk and half the white. Add the almond meal and peroxide and sweet cream to make a paste the consistency of thick gravy. Apply mask after cleaning and massaging face. When mask is dry, remove with warm towels, then beat the balance of the egg white and apply to the face and neck—fan until dry and remove with warm towels. Next apply a tablespoon of pure strained honey all over face and neck. Cover with iced towels and let remain on for 10 minutes. Remove honey and apply several cold towels—use astringent and you are ready for makeup.

This facial pack may sound

messy but it is very beneficial to the skin with one or two a week you will see an improvement in the texture of your skin that will please you.

Would you like for me to give you more facial packs that you can use at home for different types of complexion trouble? What would you care to read about in this column? Please let me hear from you. June's Beauty Salon is open everyday except Sunday. Call 4291 for professional care.

## Social Security Man In Farwell Today

John R. Sanderson, District Manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office today released an important announcement for all farmers that are now, or will in the immediate future, employ crews to work in their fields.

The Texas Employment Commission generally gives each crew leader a small book in which the crew leader can enter the name of a worker in his crew and the individual amount of cotton picked by him. For purposes of reporting Social Security at the end of the year, the farmer can obtain this book from the crew leader and his records will then be complete if he will all the workers' Social Security Number.

Sanderson added that each farmer is liable for the Social Security tax for the individual worker if the worker is an employee of the farmer. The important thing is that the employer always either tells the worker how he wants the work done or retains the right to tell him. This "control" or "right of control" is the dividing line between who is an employee and who is not. Of course if the worker is not an employee then no social security is due.

In addition to the "crews" that are hired, sometimes whole families work in the field. If the farmer hires several members of a family to work for him, he is responsible for keeping a record and for reporting each member.

Sanderson wanted to remind the farmers that wages are covered by the law only if the farmer pays the employee \$100 in cash wages during the year. Anything less than \$100 is not covered and should not be reported. All amounts of \$100 cash or over are covered and the farmer should withhold 2% from the hand's wages and he will be required to add an additional 2% at the end of the year when he

reports this amount to the Director of Internal Revenue.

If you have any questions about this coverage, or any other phase of Social Security Coverage, either write the Amarillo District Office, Room 324, New Post Office Building, Amarillo or contact the Social Security Representative the next time he is in town. A representative will be in Farwell on November 16, at Commissioners Court Room at 10:30 a. m.

## CAUTION STRESSED

Quality birds sold in top market condition are the turkeys which please consumers. The next few weeks may be considered the critical period so far as prussic acid poisoning in livestock is concerned. Prussic acid forms in members of the grass family, especially Johnson and sudan and the sorghum group, following wilting. Caution should be exercised in putting livestock on susceptible plants following frosts.

It is true that women make a dollar go farther. They will drive clear across town to spend it.

There is a bright side to everything. But in politics it is the inside.

Experience has shown that progress toward improving a community can be made where there exists a spirit of cooperation and a will to do and share with neighbors. A community organization is a must.



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1 John 1,7—The blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanseth us from all sin.  
Isaiah 53,5—He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him, and with His stripes we are healed.
- TO DO THIS GOD'S SON BECAME A TRUE MAN**  
1 Timothy 2, 5,6—There is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself a ransom for all.
- HIS RESURRECTION FROM THE DEAD IS PROOF OF THE ATONEMENT**  
Romans 4,25—He was delivered for our offenses and was raised again for our justification.
- THE INDIVIDUAL HAS THIS FORGIVENESS WHEN HE BELIEVES IN CHRIST**  
John 3,16—God so loved the world that He gave His only-begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

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THE PARING KNIFE

By JEANIE MOTEN

You've always heard that the cobbler's children go barefoot. Well—Harry J. Charles ran out of gas the other night in the coldest of weather.

And for a further laugh, just ask him where it was he ran out of gas.

A child's logic just can't be beat or comprehended.

The other day, Betty Hawkins' two young'uns were discussing Liberate. Vickie, with an air of vast importance, said "I have a record of Liberate."

Then Debbie quickly informed her, "It's not Liberate, it's Liberate. And that's because he ate so much liver when he was a little boy."

Logical, isn't it? There's one thing you can say about this column—it's truly news, even to the people supposedly concerned. Or at least that's what Dolph seems to think about it.

Not very many people showed up for the school's dedication. Actually believe I saw more people at the fire than at the school.

Paulene O'Keefe, the homemaking teacher, saw a tumbleweed the other day. Now before you say that's not all fired interesting, let me explain further.

It seems that this tumbleweed is the shape of a small Christmas tree. And that's exactly what it will be, or look like anyway, when she gets through with it.

The Blade wants to get a picture of the finished product for you. Am eager to see just how it will look.

Guess you read in Dolph's column last week that he just about turned over on the highway between here and Farwell during the bad weather.

Well, naturally after he told me

about it, my immediate reaction was "Was the car hurt."

Don't guess I'll ever be forgiven.

These new instant pudding mixes are phenomenal. Bought a package the other day under the impression that it was the old fashioned kind—you know, the type that has to be cooked five minutes.

Had mine all but on the burner before it soaked in that the package read in big, red letters, "No cooking necessary."

By Golly, it worked, too!

You know, this column just might be interesting if I could just print those things I hear that are always followed by, "Now Jeanie, don't put that in your column!"

And you can't imagine how shunned you feel when people stop talking just because you joined their group.

Basketball season is upon us. To those who haven't seen them this year, the girls' team are what you might call good.

The admission price, 25c, is a whole lot less than the value of your evening's entertainment.

Read in The Readers' Digest that women can't be as good in sports as men because of their physical makeup—size and shape of limbs, etc. But some of these girls are better than a lot of boys I've seen.

The Intermediates of the Methodist Youth Fellowship want to organize a choir. The kids are all interested, but they can't find a leader.

Sure wish that someone would read this and volunteer his or her services. It's not very often you find a group so enthusiastic. It's a shame to disappoint them.

Read in Wez Izzard's column last week that "If you want to

test your memory, try to remember what you were worrying about last Friday."

Guess I have a good memory, cause I can't! But then I've been accused of being a sadist before; and besides, Bovina doesn't play Farwell every day, an elevator doesn't burn every Friday, and a school isn't dedicated but once.

Several issues back commented on the fact that Dolph wouldn't eat warmed-over gravy.

Can now happily report that if not told beforehand, he doesn't know the difference.

My apologies to the Earl Stevensons. In last week's Blade, a personal read, "Visiting from Clovis were Clint McDaniels and sons, Carl and Carroll."

It should have also stated that all this visiting was in the Earl Stevenson home.

Another article was entitled, "High Schoolers Have Party for Stevensons." This party was not for the Stevensons. They were just good enough to open their home for enjoyment of the high school crowd.

Will also extend apologies to Tom Ware, Julia Kelso and Dee Pounds, host and hostesses of the party.

WHITTLIN'

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to tell it.

Tom had been working this particular National. Throughout the day, the worker had been complaining to Tom about something but since Tom couldn't "savvy" the lingo used and the National couldn't understand English, Tom wasn't sure about what was wrong but he had an idea that the man had a toothache.

Along in the afternoon, as I understand the story, Tom ran across Ovid Lawlis, who supplies farmers with National labor in connection with his business. Tom, figuring that Ovid could talk to the Nationals in their native tongue, asked Ovid if he would ask the complaining individual if he had a toothache.

Ovid said he would. So he walks up to him and in the best of English says, "Say, have you got a toothache?"

This didn't, of course, help the situation, but it did make Tom probably wish he hadn't ask Ovid to act as interpreter.

One more National story before I quit this for another week.

Mrs. J. P. Macon was serving as a clerk at the Study Club's rummage sale one Saturday and was trying to sell a National a pair of pants for 50 cents. However, the

National thought that was too much money for the pants in question and told Mrs. Macon as such.

So, she cut the price in half and said, "O. K., a quarter." But the potential buyer didn't like the new price either. Mrs. Macon asked him just what did he want to pay for the pants and he informed her, "30 cents."

The sale was completed.

Mustangs Can't Score, Lose to Rival Steers

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first play was recovered by Mustang Back Billy Richards, who has also seen limited action due to a previous injury and the Mustangs were again in possession in scoring territory.

Read lost one to the 13 on a keeper but passed complete to Burnam on the next play on the 10. Read then failed to gain yardage and on fourth down passed incomplete to Burnam and Farwell took over on downs on the 10 yard line.

The Steers came charging down field as the half was running out. They made three first downs and the ball was on the Mustang's 43 when Hardage, who weighs only 128 pounds, broke loose down the left side to the 17. Troy Christian, who played a commendable game at fullback for the Steers, carried to the 15 as the gun sounded ending the first half.

The Steers probably had the edge, if there was one, in a more experienced line and faster, shifter backs.

The Mustangs end the season at home Friday night against Whittalin and the Steers conclude with the district leading Kress Kangaroos at Kress.

Company at Macons

Visiting in the J. P. Macon home Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Adkins of Lubbock. Mrs. Adkins is Mrs. Macon's sister. Also visiting were three sisters and one brother of Mr. Macon; Mrs. Viola Stodghill of San Bernardino, Calif.; Mrs. D. D. Jenkins of Lubbock; Mrs. George Sawyer of Lubbock; and E. M. Macon of Lubbock.

Attend Meeting

Five members of the Women's Society of Christian Service in Bovina and one member from Oklahoma Lane attended the District Meeting of the WSCS held in Dimmitt Tuesday afternoon.

The theme for the day was "Acknowledging Him In All Things." Those attending were Mesdames Earl Ware, Della Ezell, Floyd Dunavant, George Turner, Melvin Sudderth and Jimmie Charles.

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