

## Kate's Korner

By Katie Burleson

The after work golfers that look forward to trying out the new golf course at Shady Oaks Monday afternoon were disappointed, not in the course but from the down pour of rain that hit the area around 5:45 p.m. First rain the course had received since construction started on the project in the early part of 1968, and work was delayed to wet ground.

The golfers who had further hopes of continuing the game Tuesday afternoon, only witnessed more rain in the area all day, Tuesday. However, the course and many other areas around the county were in need of a good September shower.

Franklyn Alexander, fullback for the Baird Bears will be back in the Friday night game against Eastland. Alexander's knee was reported injured and thought to be rather serious at first, however, after examination by a bone specialist, the reports are that the knee was out of place and that Alexander would be back on the field and ready for play.

Have you driven by the American Legion property and noticed the smooth green lawn, with three large pecan trees loaded with pecans, and three small trees that have just been planted. This area makes a pleasing picture to the downtown area. The grounds are being cared for by Post Commander C. H. Lunsford and the citizens can be well pleased by the efforts he has made in dressing up the downtown area.

Will Burleson, resident of the Golden Holiday Nursing Home will celebrate his 91st birthday, Sunday, September 29. A birthday dinner in his honor will be held in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Conley Pruitt of Baird. Mr. Burleson is a former resident of Tuscola, became a resident of the Golden Holiday only a few months ago. He is also the father of Arthur Burleson of Baird.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy during their stay in the Callahan County Hospital were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd from Wichita Falls, also Mrs. McElroy's sister, Mrs. L. H. Kay of Ranger, and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rambo of Comanche.

In the jungle, beating the ground with a club and yelling in a loud voice is a means of self-expression. Here in America to Helen Curtis and Katie Burleson it's known as golfing.

## Come Eat With Us During Homecoming

The Baird School Band will be sponsoring the Homecoming dinner, October 5, in the school cafeteria. You may purchase your ticket from any of the Baird Band students for \$1.25 and serving time will begin at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, October 5. All Exes are especially welcome to come to the cafeteria, along with Baird citizens, band supporters and football fans and help back your home town band students.

Purchase your ticket early so that you won't have to stand in line at the door and this will also help the band mothers out in their preparation of the food, and will be less delay in being served.

## 13th Homecoming Date Draws Near For Baird High School

The time is drawing near for the 13th Annual Homecoming to be held in Baird High School Saturday, October 5, with registration beginning at 2 p. m. Baird Ex-Student Association officers have worked for weeks in preparing a program to entertain the visiting ex-students, teachers and parents of the local school. The officers are especially interested in making sure you are welcome and that you enjoy yourself while in your former home town.

## Polio Clinic Re-Scheduled

The Baird and Clyde oral polio vaccine clinics were postponed Sunday, due to a shortage in the shipment of vaccine. The Eula clinic went on as scheduled, from 12 noon until 5 p.m. in which 262 persons received the vaccine immunization.

The clinics in Baird and Clyde will be scheduled as soon as vaccine can be obtained. You are urged to watch for announcement in this newspaper as to the next time and date for the clinics in Baird and Clyde.

## BAIRD BEARS LOSE GAME TO CLASS AA BADGERS

Baird Bears were defeated last Friday night in the Bears Den by the Merkel Badgers. Final score was 47-8. The Bears 8 points were gained in the 4th quarter when halfback Will Higgins ran 75 yards through the middle of the Merkel line. Fullback Larry Shelnuut went over for the two points.

The fans were well pleased with the Bears, and the hard-

After the program in the high school auditorium, you will want to attend the pep rally on Market Street in downtown Baird. Kickoff for the football game at the Bears Den is 8 p. m. when the Bears will host the Class B Throckmorton Greyhounds.

Social hour will begin at 10 p. m. at Shady Oaks, and local resident students will be on hand to host this event.

Class reunions that have been reported to this office, are the following: 1955 class meets at Merle's Cafe at 10 a. m. Saturday morning; the 1961 class will meet in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum at 5:15 p. m. Saturday, both on Oct. 5.

Supper will be served for \$1.25 per plate at the Cafeterium at 5:30 p. m., sponsored by the Baird School Band, and served by parents of the band students.

## Attends Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gray attended the Lynn family reunion in Lubbock Sunday, Sept. 22. Approximately 65 people enjoyed basket lunches.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray also visited with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Scitern in Lubbock.

## 1961 Class Has Scheduled Reunion

The 1961 class of Baird High School will have a class reunion Saturday, October 5, at 5:15 p. m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odum, 741 Race Street in Baird.

All class members, parents and teachers are invited to attend this class reunion.

## Sgt. Mathews Moves To Eastland

Sergeant Jerry Mathews, of the Texas Highway Patrol, has been transferred to Eastland from Gilmer, where he will assume supervising operations on October 1st.

Mathews was formerly stationed in Baird as a Highway Patrolman before being promoted to the rank of Sergeant and moving to Gilmer. He will replace Sergeant Roger Sosebee, who is retiring.

## COVERED WAGON PAUSES ON TRAIL TO CALIFORNIA

The people and employees on Market Street had some unexpected entertainment Wednesday afternoon, and a break from the every day routine. Wayne and Johnny Tobbutt made a stop on Market Street in their covered wagon, drawn by two mules and two oxen. Behind the wagon they were pulling a flat bed trailer loaded with bales of hay.

The Tobbutt brothers had left Tullahoma, Tennessee on June 1, and were on their way to Los Angeles, Calif., expecting to be in that city in January of 1969. The brothers had planned to take such a trip for six years and finally were doing just that.

They made their stop in Baird for groceries, and would continue down IH 20 for various stops along this route to El Paso. The brothers are fully enjoying every minute of the trip, and looking forward to arriving in California, where they were considering parts in a movie production later in the year.

The wagon in which the brothers make their home for a few months, was equipped with more up-to-date facilities than you might imagine. It was probably the first covered wagon with a built-in shower, butane stove and folding beds. Man's best friend, a Border Collie, was tied in the wagon, and an Appaloosa horse for short trips for supplies was also tied to the wagon.

The brothers have ranches near Tullahoma and specialize in raising a fine breed of Appaloosa horses and King Ranch bred quarter-horses.

A warm welcome to these brothers to visit our town again someday, as they come to a pause on the trail on their journey back from the West.

## Oplin 4-H Elects New Officers

The Oplin 4-H Club elected officers at their regular monthly meeting in September. Officers elected were: President, John Straley; Vice President, Glenna Crane; Secretary, Pam Johnson; Reporter, Dicy Scott; Parliamentarian, James Johnson; Council Delegates, Pam and James Johnson.

## Numerous Auto Accidents Occur

### BEAR CUBS, WYLIE PUPS TIE 12-12 TUESDAY AT WYLIE

The Cubs had to come from behind in the last quarter to tie the Wylie Tuesday, 12-12 in a game played at Wylie.

The two teams were evenly matched, as neither team ran away with the game.

Wylie Pups hit first after a 15 yard penalty on the Cubs 30 yard line. The next play, they scored on a reverse. The try for

two was no good and the score was 6-0.

With only one minute until the half, the Cubs went to the arm of Jay Mike Reeves for the tying six points, on a pass from about 15 yards out to Bill Hatchett. Bill went in for six and the try for two points was no good. Halftime score was 6-6.

Late in the third quarter, the Pups scored on another reverse from about 60 yards out. The extra point try was no good, but the Pups were out in front 12-6.

With only three minutes to play, the Cubs scored again on a pass to Bill Windham. The 60-yard pass played tied the score at 12-12, and the attempt for two was no good.

Outstanding players for the Cubs on offense were Reeves, Windham and Hatchett. Outstanding on defense were Barron, Holder, D. Vestal and Byron Hatchett.

### CUB SCHEDULE

- Sept. 24 — at Wylie
- Oct. 1 — Jim Ned, here
- Oct. 8 — at Merkel
- Oct. 15 — Wylie, here
- Oct. 22 — at Jim Ned
- Oct. 29 — Merkel, here.

## Edwards Shows Grand Champion Boar

Rickie Edwards, Clyde 4-H'er received Grand Champion honors with his Sears Boar at the Abilene Store Area Swine Show, held in Abilene Saturday Sept. 21, according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent.

Lackey said that five counties participated in this program and that this was the last year for the program to be in effect. Randy Edwards, also of Clyde, received the 4th place award with Sears Gilt.

## Beauty Contest Monday, Sept. 30

The annual Baird High School beauty contest, sponsored by the Annual Staff, will be held Monday, Sept. 30, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Franklyn Alexander, senior student and co-editor of the annual will serve as master of ceremonies.

The out of town judges will select Baird High School's most beautiful girls from a group of 34 young ladies. The girls will be representing various business firms of Baird, and there will be entries from the freshman class through the senior class.

The stage of the auditorium will be decorated in a Southern Colonial theme for each young lady to present herself during this annual event.

The public is invited to attend.

## Burglars Take \$300 From Black's Food, In Clyde

The would-be safe crackers, that were probably safe crackers, failed in their attempt to open the safe at Black's Food Store in Clyde, sometime during the night Sunday. A grocery basket was stolen and it was believed that the burglars used the basket in carrying away \$300.00 worth of cigarettes.

The break-in was discovered Monday morning as store manager Roger Corn and meat cutter Von Ray McClure opened the store at 8 a.m.

The intruders first tried to gain entrance by knocking a hole in the roof of the building, however, they were unable to drop into the store since a huge meat locker was located

just beneath. They succeeded on the second try by knocking a hole in the store room ceiling. They knocked the knobs from the door in their attempt to break into the safe. It was late Monday afternoon before safe experts from Abilene were able to open the safe to determine if anything was missing.

Store officials reported that weekend receipts had been put in the night depository, and the safe contained only a little silver and some trading stamps.

An undetermined amount of money was left untouched in the cash register in the store. The burglar or burglars left the building by knocking off an inside lock on the back door of

the grocery store.

Texas Rangers from Abilene and Callahan County law enforcement officials were investigating the robbery.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Shady Oaks President Jimmy Godfrey, Director Rev. Albert Cooper, joined by member Bob McNeil, Golf Pro. John Wright, and Shady Oaks Vice-President's wife, Mrs. Charles Reeves, try out their golf swing Monday morning when Shady Oaks opened the 9 hole golf course to members only. Under heavy overcast skies all day Monday, members tested

the newly completed course. Others who took to the course early Monday morning were Mrs. Charles Walker, Bernie Martin and Mrs. Mabel Elliott. Reports from the club house Monday afternoon was that a record number of golfers had played at least nine holes. Late golfers were hampered by an inch downpour of rain which had threatened the area during the day.

## Mrs. Glenn Rockey Injured in Wreck

Mrs. Glenn (Adella) Rockey of Baird, was reported to be in fair condition in a Weatherford hospital, from injuries she received in a two car head-on collision 11.1 miles west of Weatherford on U.S. 80. The accident occurred at 1:15 p. m. Tuesday on a rain-slick highway. The driver of the other vehicle was dead on arrival at a Weatherford hospital. He was Thomas Marlin Gresham of Kilgore.

Mrs. Rockey, wife of Glenn Rockey, former operator of Rockey Ford Co. in Baird, received a broken arm, leg, and jaw in the accident, and was carried to Campbell Hospital in Weatherford.

The Baird area was plagued by several accidents over the weekend and into the first part of the week. Buckner B. Barry Jr., was not injured when the 1966 Olds Tornado he was driving skidded off FM 18 after striking a cow. The auto went down the steep embankment on Mt. Airy. The accident happened at 10 p. m. Saturday night.

William Bryant Higgins received only a cut hand when the 1966 Ford he was driving overturned Saturday night. He was traveling south on Peyton Street, and attempted to turn east on 2nd Street, when the vehicle overturned.

Harold E. Cutsinger of Abilene was uninjured Tuesday when his Tom's Peanut truck overturned on Hwy. 283, near the Callahan - Shackelford county line. Cutsinger was taken to Callahan County Hospital and later transferred to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

## No Services At Presbyterian Sunday

There will be no services at the Presbyterian Church in Baird on September 29th.

Services will be held as usual on October 6th, when World-Wide Communion Day will be observed. Dr. Ben H. Moore of May will officiate.

Members and friends are invited to attend this service.

## Sergeant Jimmy L. Collins Awarded Bronze Star for Heroism in Vietnam

Sergeant Jimmy L. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Collins of Baird, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal with V Device in the Republic of Vietnam for heroism, not involving participation in aerial flight, in connection with military operations against a hostile force.

Sergeant Collins distinguished himself by exceptionally valorous action while attached to the Civilian Irregular Defense Group Co., Nha Trang, during and enemy attack on that city.

When a member of the 272d Military Police Company was wounded, Sergeant Collins was put in charge of the escort for an ambulance. After arriving at the 272d Military Police Compound, he quickly realized that he could assist the military policemen there, who had a force of approximately 30 to 50 Viet Cong and North Vietnamese Army troops pinned down in a house across the street from the Compound.

Completely disregarding his own safety, Sgt. Collins, with a supply of hand grenades, ran across the street to a position within hand grenade range of the enemy-held house. Contin-

## Allen Construction Co. Low Bidder on Project

Allen Construction Co. Inc., of San Antonio had the apparent low bid of \$90,979 when bids on road construction projects were tabulated by the Texas Highway Department Tuesday in Austin.

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## FRED HART'S RETURN FROM NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit in Vestal, N. Y., where they visited their children, Bill and Linda Hart, and grandchildren, Cindy, Randy and Marilu.

While in New York, the Harts visited Niagara Falls and other scenic points of interest in the area. They also made their first visit outside the United States on an overnight trip into Canada.



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Hi neighbor! The weather out this week is dry and hot.

The past week has been a busy week on our part. Monday, Johnny May Ramsey, Mrs. Fred Cook, Ollie Burnam, Lucille Kelley and I all were in Abilene. Then Monday night Lucille and I went to Burette and Johnny Mays to play 42. Then Tuesday night we all went to Ollie Burnam's to play. We had a good time. Wednesday evening, we all took supper to Clayton and Flossie Burnam's at Lake Leon. Fay and Emmett Wood, Lucille Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Roberts of Cisco and Reba and Walter Francisco were all present. We had a real good supper, the Burnams furnished the fish. We ate out in the nice backyard, then played 88. Everyone had a real good time.

Visiting with Louise and Weldon Isenhower Friday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allyn of Trent. Louise and her mother attended the Women's Study Club in Eastland, and Pa Allyn visited Weldon while the women went to the luncheon.

A Yarbrough of Baird visited with me a while Thursday. We went to see the Ramseys. Dick Yarbrough visited with Ollie Burnam, the Roggensteins and the Burette Ramseys.

Mrs. Grady Pruet's father, Mr. Bickle, who had been real ill for several weeks, passed away Sunday in a hospital at Kermit. He was laid to rest Tuesday afternoon. Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Pruet and the family.

I was in Cisco a while Thursday and visited my sister, Fay Wood. We visited a while with Lula Isenhower. So did Mrs. Frank Allyn, Ollie Burnam and Louise Isenhower. Mrs. Ray Pippin and Mrs. Jesse Youngblood of Cisco were in to see Lula while we were there. Glad to see her still improving.

James and Gayle Isenhower and children, of Baird, spent the weekend with Ollie Burnam.

Mrs. Ralph Snyder and Roma McIntyre went to Fort Worth Saturday. Mrs. Clint McIntyre of Clyde visited with John and Roma Sunday afternoon. John and Mrs. Mc came to see me a while Sunday afternoon.

Burette and Johnny May Ramsey had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Neta Gunn in Putnam. So did our pastor and wife and little daughter.

Miss Bonnie Nettles was honored with a bridal shower Saturday evening in Putnam Baptist Church. Miss Wanda Cunningham registered guests in the bride's book, assisted by her sister, Martha. About 50 guests registered. Punch was labeled by Brenda and Linda Nettles, sister of the bride-to-be, assisting were Delores Arnold, a cousin, and Sherry Price. Music was

by Miss Elaine Isenhower at the piano.

Hostesses were: Mrs. Burette Ramsey, Fred Cook, G. S. Pruet, Ollie Burnam, Reba Francisco, Aura Waddell and Veda Yarbrough.

Guess I better get to work. I hope to see you next week.



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## Atweil News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

There were several from our community who attended the funeral for Fred Tunnell at Cross Plains Thursday morning. Our sympathy for his family. He will be missed by a great number of friends.

Nathan Foster and Roy Nell Tatom were business visitors in Abilene Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Edna Foster and Mrs. Lela Foster of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Eunice Tatom Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom attended the Cross Plains Riding Club Trail Ride and supper Saturday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alton Tatom entered the Eastland Hospital Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Scott Sunday evening.

Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco and Mrs. Louise Price of Baird visited Mrs. Dayton Sessions

and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones last Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Brashear visited Mrs. Roy Tatom Friday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Ellis was carried to see a doctor Sunday morning after stepping on a rusty needle Saturday night.

### Delphian Club Honors President at Dinner

Baird Delphian Club met on Tuesday, Sept. 10, in the Golden Stagecoach Restaurant for their Presidents dinner, honoring Mrs. Frank Windham Sr., 1968-69 president.

Invocation was given by Mrs. S. L. McElroy. Pledge to the Flag was led by Mrs. A. E. Dyer Sr., and the welcome address was given by Mrs. C. B. Snyder Jr. Course of study for the year is "Women Talk."

The President's address, "The Informed Club Woman," was given by Mrs. Windham. Mrs. W. P. Brightwell presented the yearbooks, which are dedicated to Mrs. T. P. Bearden, charter member of the Club.

Mrs. Snyder, District Poet Laureate, presented Mrs. Bearden with the first yearbook and read her original poem, dedi-

cated to Mrs. Bearden.

The Club Poet Laureate, Mrs. M. C. McGowen, also read a poem in honor of Mrs. Bearden.

Special guest was Mrs. E. C. Fulton of Tucson, Ariz., an honorary member of the Delphians.

Members present were Mmes. C. H. Siadous, L. C. Cash, Sterling Odom, B. L. Boydston, Blain Odom, H. D. Driskill, James Asbury, Buster Hatchett, Bob Norrell, Tom Windham Jr., and Billie Henry. Also attending was Mrs. Madge Bearden.

Next meeting will be held on October 8th in the home of Mrs. Bob Norrell.

### Mrs. Fulton Attends B&PW First Meeting

The Business & Professional Women's Club met Sept. 10 for the first meeting of the year at Merle's Cafe. There were fifteen members present, and Mrs. E. C. Fulton, of Tucson, Ariz., was the attending guest.

Floy McMullen, President, was in charge of the meeting. She also presented the theme, Un-

ted - Share - Act."

Mrs. Florence Loper was chairman for the program, entitled "Civic Participation." She introduced Mrs. Mae Lewis, who spoke on Mental Health, and Mrs. Brightwell, who spoke on "Safety." A vocal solo was presented by Mrs. Estelle Reese.

Next meeting will be Oct. 15, and all members are urged to be present.

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## OILER COMPLETED - FOUR LOCATIONS STAKED IN COUNTY

A new oiler has been completed, and four locations staked, as oil activity continues in various areas of the County.

Laco Oil Co. of Abilene has completed the No. 1-B Blain Odom in regular field, seven miles South of Clyde.

Location is 2,426 feet from the north and 1,655 feet from the west lines of Section 15, BBB&C Survey.

Daily potential was 32 barrels of 40.2 gravity oil, plus 43 barrels of water. It is pumping from perforations in the interval from 1,228-53 feet, fractured with 25 sacks of sand.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 1,304, one foot off bottom.

T. A. Kirk & H. L. Neeb of Abilene staked two locations in regular field, east of Eula.

No. 2 G. W. Coughran is a planned 1,990-foot rotary Hope Sand test two miles east of Eula. Drillsite is 1,735 feet from

the south and 958 feet from the east lines of Section 21, BBB&C Survey.

Other project is No. 2 J. S. Bentley, 2 1/2 miles east of Eula, having a proposed depth of 1,500 feet with rotary, to test the Moutray. It spots 2,455 feet from the north and 220 feet from the west lines of Section 19, BBB&C Survey.

Sojourner Drilling Corp. of Abilene staked No. 15 R. D. Williams in regular field six miles northeast of Baird. Proposed depth is 1,000 feet to test the Tannehill. It spots 1,900 feet from the north and 450 feet from the west lines of Section 3, Block C. T&NO Survey.

R. E. Edington of Cross Plains staked the No. 1 R. E. Edington in regular field, five miles southwest of Cross Plains.

The planned 500-foot rotary venture spots 150 feet from the north and west lines of Section 61, Comal CSL Survey 181.

## Three Names Added To Donation Fund For Picnic Area

The committee for obtaining funds to complete the picnic area at Shady Oaks, is still urging members or interested persons to donate to this project as soon as possible so that it may be finished before cold weather begins.

The area has been cleaned, trees trimmed and ready for the construction of tables and benches. You may leave your donation at the Peoples State

Bank in Clyde, The First National Bank of Baird, Shady Oaks, or to the committee members, C. A. Likes and M. M. (Tut) Tabor of Clyde.

The three named below are to be added to the list that have already donated:

W. L. Ray, \$5.00  
C. L. Harris, \$5.00  
A. E. Dyer Jr., \$25.00

## Post 82 Presents Flags To Baird Schools

The Baird Schools have received two American flags from Eugene Bell Post No. 82 in Baird. Post Commander C. H. Lunsford made the presentation on behalf of the American Legion.

The schools were greatly in need of the flags and would like to express their appreciation to Commander Lunsford and members of the local Post for this gift.

## PP&K Registration Closes Friday Oct. 4

Only a few days remain in which Baird-Clyde area boys can register for the Punt, Pass and Kick Competition open to boys 8 through 13. Eighteen handsome trophies will be awarded during the local competitions which are sponsored by Frazier Ford Company and gold trophies to the first place winners of each age group; silver to second place and bronze for third.

Every boy has a great chance with so many trophies awarded.

Registrations close Friday evening October 4th. Registrations cannot be accepted later because we must get ready for the big Competitions on Oct. 12, at Baird Grade School.

Headquarters for registration, where all boys 8 through 13 can enter PP&K through October 4th, is at Frazier Ford Company. Registrants must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. There is no charge and no special equipment is needed. Each boy, upon registering, receives a free PP&K lapel pin and a tips booklet written by Bart Starr of the Green Bay Packers, Billy Lothridge of the Atlanta Falcons and St. Louis's Jim Bakken.

During the competition boys will compete only against boys their own age in the three football skills. There is no body contact and participation in no way affects a boy's amateur standing.

## Soil, Water District To Elect Supervisor

Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent, has announced that an election for Supervisor of Subdivision No. 5 of the Lower Clear Fork of the Brazos Soil & Water Conservation District No. 531, will be held Oct. 1st.

All qualified voters within this subdivision are urged to attend the meeting at the County Courtroom in Baird. The meeting will begin at 8 p. m.

Lackey said that James Herring, Work Unit Conservationist for the local SCS office, will present a program on Watershed Sites after the election.

## Mrs. Charles Reeves Heads Shady Oaks Ladies Golf Assn.

Mrs. Charles Reeves will head the Ladies Golf Association, organized Wednesday morning, Sept. 25, in the banquet room of Shady Oaks.

Mrs. Reeves, a golf enthusiast for several years, received a unanimous vote for a large group of 51 ladies assembled for the morning meeting. Ladies from Abilene, Clyde and Baird that are members of Shady Oaks, were also unanimous in their vote to name the new association Shady Oaks Ladies Golf Association.

Golf Pro John Wright presided at the organizational meeting and the following officers were elected: Vice President, Mrs. M. M. (Tut) Tabor of Clyde; Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Walker of Baird; Secretary, Mrs. E. A. Connel Jr., of Clyde; Tournament Chairman, Mrs. A. E. Dyer Jr.; Club Reporter, Mrs. Billy G. Hatchett of Baird; Social Chairman, Mrs. Jimmy Godfrey of Baird; Handicap Chairman, Mrs. Marge Brasher of Clyde; and Mrs. Frances Barton of Baird will serve as Yearbook Chairman.

Wright announced that ladies, members of Shady Oaks, will receive free golf lessons one day each week for four weeks. The lessons will be given Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week. Working girls lessons will be scheduled from 5:30 to 6 p. m. each of the three days. Other classes will begin at 10 a. m. Lessons will begin Tuesday, October 1, and Wright will instruct each class.

The next meeting of the newly formed association will be on October 3, at 10 a. m., followed by the golf lesson on this date. Meetings of the association will be held the first Thursday in each month, and every Thursday will be Play Day at the club.

If you are a member of Shady Oaks and were unable to attend the organizational meeting, you are urged to attend the next meeting on Thursday, Oct. 3, at 10 a. m. You may contact the club treasurer, Mrs. Charles Walker if you wish to become a member and pay the yearly dues of \$3.00. The club needs your support, not only for golf but for many other social events to be scheduled at the club.

## Holiday Nursing Visitors -

The management and residents of Golden Holiday Nursing Home would like to express their appreciation to Vida Hill and Lucy Berry for presenting a program Saturday afternoon.

The United Methodist Church held church services for the residents at the Home Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.

Visiting with Mrs. E. T. McBride during the week, were her son H. D. McBride, Mrs. Cora Moreno of Baird, Mrs. Rebecca Ochoa and Mrs. Antonio Martiniz, both of Abilene.

Mrs. Loyd Duncan of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bryant of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant.

Visiting with W. C. Burleson were Mr. and Mrs. George T. Smith and son Wayne, of Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Dees Jr. and Monica of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Whitehall of El Paso visited Jeffie Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Cook of Monahans visited Mina Cook, Mrs. Henry Caldwell of Baird visited Nina Jones.

Visiting Mrs. H. C. Eckelberger was her daughter, Mrs. Dick Vestal.

Visiting Mrs. Hallie Elliott were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glaze of Tarzan.

Mrs. G. A. Reese of Scranton visited Myrtle Gunn.

Mrs. J. D. Cauthen visited Mrs. Jeffie Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Scott of Dunn visited Mrs. R. C. Vaught.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Jones of Merkel visited Mrs. Molly Brandon.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Brandon was Mrs. E. L. Clark of Abilene.

Other visitors in the Home were Mrs. Hattie Adams of Burkett, Mrs. Ethel Anderson of Cottonwood and Mrs. Ethel Tabor of Baird.

W. C. Burleson will celebrate his birthday Sunday, Sept. 29.

## Hamlin Downs Clyde 56-0

The Clyde Bulldog team fell to Hamlin 56-0 on Saturday for the Hamlin Homecoming.

This week, the Bulldogs will take on the Winters Blizzards here in Bulldog Stadium. Game time is 8 p. m.

Bobby Gray joined the ranks of the 110% Club during last weeks game. Tim Copeland was credited with Most Tackles. Joe Gray made the Star Club. Most Improved players were Billy Moore and Joe Grey. First Tackle went to Joe Stovall, Rushing Yardage to Craig Loper and Passing Yards to Stanley Allen. Toughest player was Tim Copeland and Puppy of the Week was given to the entire team.

## MFT To Hold Meet Thursday

The first regular meeting of the Mother, Father, Teacher Association will be Thursday, October 3, at 7:30 p. m. in the Baird School Cafeteria.

Presenting the program will be Mrs. Don Wilson Jr. of Abilene. Mrs. Wilson will give a review of the book entitled, "Christy."

All parents and interested persons are urged to attend the meetings and support the MFT Association in its endeavor to promote and maintain closer relationship, understanding and cooperation of the home, school and general public, and to help each child in the community get the best possible education.

## Putnam 4-H Club Holds Meeting

The Putnam 4-H Club met at the school house on the evening of Sept. 18.

Jerry Lackey, County Agent, spoke to the group about beef

cattle. Members present were Buddy Waddell, Larry Jobe, Roger Reynolds, Billy Jobe, Darrell Jobe, David Isenhower, Donald Isenhower, Lynn Jobe, Cindy Feely, and Jerry Fowler, a new member.

## Lunchroom Menu

MONDAY

Barbecued wieners, pinto beans, spinach, pickles, corn bread, bread, ice cream.

TUESDAY

Turkey and noodles, new potatoes, buttered beets, salad, bread, milk, rice pudding.

WEDNESDAY

Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, green beans, celery, hot rolls, butter, milk, jelly.

THURSDAY

Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pork and beans, potato chips, beans, milk, banana cake.

FRIDAY

Italian spaghetti, blackeye peas, buttered carrots, relish, hot rolls, butter, milk, jelly.

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**Hospital Notes**

The following were receiving medical care in Callahan County Hospital Tuesday:  
 J. W. McLean, Abilene  
 Mrs. Hester Trogon, Baird  
 Mrs. Clara Waggoner, Clyde  
 Charles Lauw, Clyde  
 Mrs. Bertha Barton, Clyde  
 Mrs. Bess Johnson, Baird  
 Mrs. Louie Williams, Putnam  
 Henry Mosley, Clyde.  
 Recently dismissed from hospital care were:  
 Mrs. Fannie Knott, Putnam  
 Mrs. Amanda Moore, Clyde  
 George Gillit, Baird  
 Ismael Rodriguez, Baird  
 M. D. McElroy, Baird  
 Mrs. M. D. McElroy, Baird  
 L. D. Larkin, Clyde  
 E. E. Robbins, Clyde  
 Juanita Villanueña, Potosi  
 Loy Villanueña, Potosi  
 Mrs. Jean Evans, Baird

**COUNTY 4-HERS WIN 22 RIBBONS AT WEST TEXAS FAIR**

Callahan County 4-H brought home 22 ribbons with their entries at the West Texas Fair, Sept. 9-14, according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agent. Local boys and girls had 25 entries in the Fair.  
 Highlight of Callahan's entries was Rickie Edwards, Clyde 4-H, receiving the Grand Champion Duroc Boar with his 6-months old Sears Boar. Rickie also received awards for the 2nd place Hampshire Jr. Boar, the 3rd place Hampshire yearling sow, the 9th place Hampshire Jr. sow in the Junior Show. Rickie's brother, Randy, also

placed 7th and 8th in both the Open and Junior with his Jr. Hampshire sows.  
 Other 4-Hers and their placings include John Straley of Oplin with the 3rd place Carcass Barrow on hoof, 7th place Carcass and 7th place Senior Duroc Gilt. Kim Straley exhibited the 4th place Senior Duroc Gilt, and the 6th place Hampshire Barrow. John and Kim then won 7th place with their partnership Jr. Duroc Boar.  
 Roger Reynolds of Putnam 4-H exhibited the 2nd place Jr. Duroc Gilt in the Junior Show and 4th place Jr. Duroc Gilt in the Open Show.  
 Glendal Barr of Eula placed 6th in the Junior Show and 9th in the Open with his Duroc Gilt. Christy Smith of Clyde placed 4th and 5th in the Open and 2nd and 3rd in the Junior Show with her Yorkshire Gilts.  
 Iky Akers, Clyde 4-H, received the 8th place ribbon in the Open Hereford Heifer Show.

**Oplin Observations**

DAPHENE FLOYD

By stretching the truth a fraction, I can report that Monday afternoon and night the Oplin vicinity received an inch of rain. These farmers began to "perthen" up for the moisture will sure dissolve fertilizer and sprout recently sown grain.  
 I confess to being a little lax the past two weeks by not sending in the Oplin news. During this period I could have reported that Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Huskin, and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Red Tyson of Abilene, attended Hemi-Fair in San Antonio. Then, too, it was during this time that Commissioner and Mrs. Glen Swor made a weekend trip to Dallas to pick up her mother, who had arrived by bus from Missouri, to visit a month with them.  
 Our newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Breeding were honored with a bridal shower at Oplin Community Center last Saturday night. Mrs. Tommie Johnson registered a large number of guests and the young couple received so many nice gifts. The hostesses: Mmes. Clarence Breeding, Tom Windham Jr.,

Robert Windham, Glen Swor, Dad Poindexter, Tommie Johnson, Andrew Johnson, J. B. Pierce, Stella Yost, Lowell Johnson, A. L. McGinnis and Lucien Pierce served a refreshment plate of cake and punch.  
 Mrs. Herman O'Shields had the misfortune to get her right hand in the wringer of the washing machine early Monday morning. Of course, she ended up with a bruised and swollen hand but luckily the x-ray revealed no broken bone.  
 Personally speaking, I was spiritually blessed last week when I attended the morning service of the revival, being held at Lawn Baptist Church, where the Abilene-Callahan Area Missionary, Rev. Riley Fugitt was doing the preaching.  
 The Oplin Baptist Church is happy to announce that it now has a new pastor. Rev. and Mrs. G. L. McComack and children, Becky, Lance and Gary come to us from H-SU and we look for a glorious new church year in the Lord's work.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pierce were just as "proud as punch" to

**Garden Club To Meet Tuesday October 1**

Baird Garden Club will meet on Tuesday, October 1st, at 3 p.m. in the Presbyterian Church Annex. Mrs. R. L. Clinton of Cisco, a Nationally Accredited Flower Show Judge, will be the guest speaker for a program, "Flower Show Practices."  
 Hostesses are Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. W. H. Walls.

**COUNTY RECORDS**

**Marriage Licenses**  
 The following marriage license was issued recently in the Clerk's office:  
 Edward Michael Konczak of Baird and Sandra Marie Saunders of Baird.  
 The following new vehicles were registered last week:  
 Black's Food Store, GMC pickup  
 J. P. Smedley, Ford pickup  
 F. E. Lockman, Ford  
 Carl Davis, Chevrolet pickup  
 Gertrude Harris, Ford  
 Herchel Jackson, Ford  
 N. A. Roady, Ford pickup  
 Clyde High School, Ford pickup

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**Mrs. Proffitt's Rites Held Mon.**

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Alma Proffitt, 83, at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church of Clyde, with the Rev. Bobby Eklund of San Angelo, officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery, under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.  
 Mrs. Proffitt died at 1:15 a.m. Saturday in Colonial Manor Nursing Home in Fort Worth.  
 Born Feb. 6, 1885 in Collin County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett. She was married to Aubrey P. Proffitt in 1903 in Grayson County. They had lived in Denison, moving to Callahan County about 30 years ago. She moved to Fort Worth in July of this year. Mrs. Proffitt was a member of the First Baptist Church of Baird.  
 Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Helen Baughan and Mrs. R. J. Lynch, both of Fort Worth; six grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; one brother, Wesley Garrett of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Clarence Odam of Brae, Calif, and Mrs. Ida Estes of Mineral Wells.

**Clyde Woman's Brother Dies**

Funeral services for Douglas D. Franklin, 60, of Kermit were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday in the Arrington-Hammer Funeral Chapel in Eastland. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery, with the Rev. Len Layne, pastor of the Eastland Methodist Church officiating.  
 Mr. Franklin, a former Eastland resident, died at 1:45 a.m. Sunday in Kermit Memorial Hospital, after a short illness.  
 Born Oct. 24, 1907 in Whitney, he had been a resident of Kermit for the past 12 years. He was superintendent of Dan-oil Co. of Kermit; a member of the Baptist Church and of Eastland Masonic Lodge No. 467.  
 Mr. Franklin married Adellen Craig July 28, 1929 in Ranger. Survivors include his wife; one son, Douglas D. of San Angelo; one daughter, Mrs. Joe W. Anderson of Eastland; four sisters, Mrs. Ada Loper of Roswell, N. M., Mrs. A. A. Adams of Abilene, Mrs. E. C. Morgan of Gladewater and Mrs. Etta Warren of Clyde; two brothers, Cecil of Odessa and J. E. of Eastland; and two grandchildren.  
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# News Items From Putnam

By Mrs. Mary Green

## Showers Compliments Miss Bonnie Nettles

Miss Bonnie Nettles was honored Saturday night with a bridal shower at the Putnam Baptist Church. She is the bride-elect of Mr. Don Price of Cisco.

Hostesses were Meses Burette Ramsey, Veda Yarbrough, Ollie Burnam, Dink Pruet, Walter Francisco, E. C. Waddell and Fred Cook.

Receiving with the honoree were, her mother, Mrs. Bennie Nettles, and his mother, Mrs. Price of Cisco.

An arrangement of pink carnations centered the serving table. Cake was served by Brenda and Linda Nettles, and punch was served by Delores Arnold. The couple plan to be married in October at the First Baptist Church in Putnam.

## Study Club Meets

The Putnam Study Club celebrated its 40th anniversary and began its new year with a luncheon at the White Elephant Restaurant in Eastland last Friday morning.

The meeting was opened by Club President, Mrs. John Petty, and invocation was given by Mrs. H. A. Pruet.

Thirty women were present to hear an interesting program presented by the Club's Charter Members. A past history, which included programs and activities of the club was given.

Hostesses for the meeting were Meses. John Doyle Isenhower, Clinton Waddell, Fred Cook and John Petty.

The next meeting will be held on October 14 at the High School Auditorium, and everyone is invited to attend.

You have a new "correspondent" now. Mary Green has started reporting news items from Putnam, and will appreciate all help given her toward accumulating this News every week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis of the Atwell Community, visited his sister, Mrs. W. A. Everett,

over the weekend. Also visiting with Mrs. Everett was Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hight of Winters. Mrs. Hight is Mrs. Everett's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and son Roger, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hopkins and family in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Heysler spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley.

Mrs. McKeever and daughter, Jan, and Mrs. W. A. Everett were Abilene shoppers last Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Sharon Petty, who is attending college at Sul Ross, Alpine, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Petty over the weekend.

Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower and children were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hopkins and family in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Clark and family of Ozona visited the Ray Greens last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kreticos of Hurst were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petty visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Petty and children in Eastland last Saturday.

Mrs. Lynn Ault, School Nurse, was in Putnam Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams and children of Palo Pinto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Mehauffey at Lake Leon last Sunday.

The school children had their pictures taken last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Petty and family of Eastland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Petty and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Buchanan visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Wagley last weekend. Conrad, who works for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. has just been transferred to Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower and children of Baird, visited

their parents, Mrs. Mark Burnam and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower over the weekend.

Mrs. Charles Odom has returned from Calera, Okla., where she spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Brown and their two children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Clint Blakley in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Brandon has returned from a lengthy visit with her daughter in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet and Benton Pruet visited with Mrs. S. M. Eubank in San Angelo last weekend. Mrs. Eubank in the hospital there, is doing very well.

Arnold Pruet of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet Monday morning.

Mrs. Ray Green and boys were business visitors in Baird last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower attended Eastern Star teas in Grapevine and Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Easterling of Clyde, last Sunday.

Mrs. I. G. Mobley was a business visitor in Abilene last week.

Mary Green visited her aunt, Mrs. Gay Mundt in Abilene last Friday.

Mrs. Claude Boyd and girls of Clyde visited her mother, Mrs. Andy Rutherford over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones of Eastland visited his sister, Mrs. H. A. Pruet Sunday. Also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Pruet was her sister, Mrs. Byron Yeager of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen were Sunday visitors of Eva Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Fry and family of Cisco were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green.

Dorris Lee Donaway visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Speegle and children, of San Antonio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford last week.



A strong contributor to Ford's hot-selling Fairlane line, the top-of-the-line Torino features distinctive improvements in 1969 while maintaining the popular design introduced last year. This Torino four-door sedan shows the new grille and taillamp design that highlight the exterior of the new models.

end. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speegle of Cisco visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford visited the J. W. Speegles in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

I. G. Mobley left Sunday afternoon on a short business trip to Plains, Texas.

A weather balloon was sited by Putnam school children Monday morning. Some of them thought they were seeing an UFO.

The Putnam Methodist Church

has a new pastor, the Rev. Bob Evans. They also have a new Dist. Supt. the Rev. Johnson, who was here Sunday. We hope everyone will come out and help us show them how much we appreciate having such fine men to pastor our small church.

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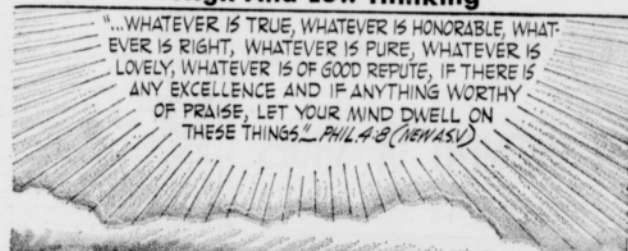
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**BAIRD CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Jack Lanham, Minister

Sunday:  
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Training Classes ..... 5:15 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday:  
Ladies Class ..... 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday:  
Mid-Week Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Carrol Green, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:55 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Albert Cooper, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
MYF ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice Wed. 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Chas. Sinks, Pastor

Sunday:  
Bible School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:  
Y.P.E. ..... 7:00 p.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Ben H. Moore, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

**SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION**  
Joe L. Galan

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

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<p><b>City Drug Store</b> 229 Market St. Phone 854-1000 Baird, Texas</p>	<p><b>Callahan County Farmers Coop., Inc.</b> Home Owned — Home Operated Baird UL 4-1360 Clyde TW 3-3663</p>	<p><b>Miller's Food Store</b> 598 West 4th Baird</p>
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<p><b>Sutphen &amp; Wristen</b> Premier Products Ph. 4-1178 Baird</p>	<p><b>Jennings' ENCO Station</b> Int. 20 &amp; 283 Baird, Texas</p>	<p><b>Merle's Cafe</b> 854-1384 Baird, Texas</p>
<p><b>WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE COMPANY</b> BAIRD, TEXAS</p>	<p><b>Merle's Cafe</b> 854-1384 Baird, Texas</p>	<p><b>Warren's Modern Cleaners</b> 321 Market Ph. 854-1291</p>



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## ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

According to the calendar, fall arrived last Sunday. Some are even predicting an early frost this year. Here is hoping that young beans, peas and squash this writer has up will have time to make. Mrs. Lella Gibbs reports that her pecan trees are not bearing for the first time in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene ate supper with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom Thursday night.

Those visiting Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Buren Burks of Abilene, Jess Bower, Mrs. Effie Holloway and Mrs. Bill Lawrence.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. C. B. Holmes in Baird last Thursday.

Ivon Odom and Judy Gibbs are attending Cisco Junior College, which officially began last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price and Mrs. Clarence Price of Baird vis-

ited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose and Mrs. Lella Gibbs accompanied Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs to Abilene Saturday where they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt Hollingshead, Mrs. Elveda Sikes and Ernest Sikes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cauthen and children of Admiral visited Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawrence and Tye Rae visited in the Bill Lawrence home Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Do Harris and Terrol Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster.

The James Reynolds family were in Baird Sunday when Mrs. Reynolds was honored at a birthday dinner by her grandmother, Mrs. Larmer Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended the Riding Club supper at the Paul Lutzenberger

place Saturday afternoon.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Reuben Sanders, John Miller, Jack Gillitt and Christine Bower all of Abilene. Mrs. Ruby Anderson of Baird, Mrs. Effie Holloway, Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mrs. Willis Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price and Sterling Odom. Ray spent three days in Callahan County Hospital for a physical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West and Cindy attended the Baird-Merkel football game in Baird Friday night.

Sterling Odom attended funeral services for Mrs. Olin English in Frost last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley visited Ray Boen and Mrs. Fanny Knott in Callahan Co. Hospital Saturday.

N. V. Gibbs served on Federal jury in Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blakley had a part of their children home for a visit Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Owen, Mrs. Joe Parson and Larry Joe, all of Abilene, Also Mitchell Hawkins of Abilene, and during the week, Jerry McDon-

ald and Jesse Bower. Red West of Baird ate Sunday dinner with the Jimmy West family. Visiting in the Gene Mauldin home during the week were Mr.

and Mrs. Earl Hallmark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, all of Abilene. The Roland Mauldin family of San Angelo stopped by the Mauldin home, enroute to Nor-

Don Mauldin family. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermitt in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon. Visiting in the Tommie Harris

home during the week were: Mrs. Ivon Odom, Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom, Penny and Susan McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Deel Edington, all of Cross Plains, and Arthur Baker of Baird.

# CITY OF BAIRD, TEXAS

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

June 30, 1968

### ASSETS

CASH:		
Current Fund	10,163.99	
Reserve Funds	3,312.74	
Interest and Sinking Funds	43,411.98	
Capital Funds	19,677.26	76,565.97
INVESTMENT IN U. S. BONDS:		
Current Funds	50,000.00	65,000.00
Reserve Fund - W & S Revenue Bonds	15,000.00	17,865.77
TAXES RECEIVABLE		21,401.97
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FOR SERVICES		1,262,174.41
INVESTMENT IN FIXED PROPERTIES		<u>1,443,008.12</u>
<b>Total Assets</b>		

### LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

NOTE PAYABLE - Bank	2,708.26
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE - Current	6,959.06
CUSTOMERS METER DEPOSITS	3,175.02
CONTRACT PAYABLE - Texas National Bank of Commerce	44,000.00
BONDS PAYABLE	351,500.00
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>408,342.34</u>
RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES	17,865.77
SURPLUS - Appropriated and Unappropriated	1,016,800.01
<b>Total Liabilities and Surplus</b>	<u>1,443,008.12</u>

### SUMMARY STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1968

	Revenues	Expenditures	Surplus (Deficit)
General City Operations	22,152.19	52,613.29	(29,881.01)
Electric Light and Power System	139,083.04	84,490.49	54,592.55
Water and Sewer System	40,042.65	35,716.57	4,326.08
General Interest and Sinking Funds	10,806.80	2,203.75	8,603.05
Contribution - Cemetery	110.00		110.00
Street Repair Fund	553.00		553.00
<b>Totals - Fiscal Year Ended 6-30-68</b>	<u>213,327.68</u>	<u>175,024.01</u>	<u>38,303.67</u>

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And don't forget our luxurious Bonneville. With a standard, 360-hp, 428-cubic-inch V-8, a long, long 125" wheelbase, a new upper-level ventilation system, color-keyed energy absorbing bumper at both front and rear, plus the kind of interiors you'd like to install at home. Bonneville. Who needs more?



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LIBBY'S POTTED MEATS

10 Cans ..... \$1.00

Van Camp's Light Meat TUNA FISH

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**BACON**

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