

Kate's Korner

By Katie Burleson

Enclosed you will find a check for my 1968 subscription to the Baird Star. It is coming to my house since I published. Best wishes to the force and a Happy New Year.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton

This newspaper has in the past published articles concerning the seriousness of poisoning of animals. Reports are starting to come in about animals being found dead on the owner's lawn or in a neighbor's yard, dead or dying from what appears to be some form of poison. Some animals are found in time and medical help is administered in time to save the animals, others aren't so lucky.

The poisoning of a well loved pet is serious, but to think of a child coming in contact with the poison would be horrible. These animals consume the poison meat because they do not know the difference. People are not considered, for the most part as dumb as animals, but a person who plants or throws poison meat so that an animal may eat it, or a small child, is no smarter than the dumbest of animals.

If an animal is annoying you, phone the owner or contact the local law enforcement officers. Don't be guilty of the use of poison in any form, it could be more serious than ever you could ever imagine.

The Delphian Club will present a "Guest Day Program" Tuesday, Jan. 9 at 3 p.m. in the Presbyterian Church of Baird.

Bob Nail, of Albany, author-playwright, will be special guest on this date. Nail is the author-director of the annual Albany Fandangle and the Christmas Nativity. He is known throughout the area schools for his work in the one act play Antic Spring.

Members of the outsiders team who will play the Harlem Stars will have a practice workout Monday night in the Baird Gym. If you are a member of his team you are asked to be at the gym at 7 p.m.

The city employees took down the Christmas lights and decorations this week, and this is a job within itself. We would like to express our thanks to the city for making Market St. the prettiest ever at Christmas time.

Remember you must register before you can vote. You must register before January 31, 1968.

James Eubanks started his 21st year with the First National Bank of Baird January 2. Eubanks is Cashier at the bank.

Lunchroom Menu

MONDAY
Italian Spaghetti, English Peas, Buttered Carrots, Pickles, Hot Rolls and Butter, Milk and Jelly.

TUESDAY
Roast and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Celery, Bread, Milk, Peanut Butter Cookies.

WEDNESDAY
Pimento Cheese Sandwiches, Soup and Crackers, Milk, Peach Cobbler.

THURSDAY
Turkey and Noodles, Buttered Corn, Salad, Bread, Milk, Iced Cake Squares.

FRIDAY
Fish Sticks, Catsup, Blackeye Peas, New Potatoes, Sliced Tomatoes, Bread, Milk, Purple Plums and Cookies.

IRVIN 'Nubbin' CORN STARTS CAMPAIGN FOR COMMISSIONER

To the voters of Commissioners' Precinct Number One, Callahan County:

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries.

Dear Friends:

As some of you know, I recently made public my intention to seek the office of Commissioner, Precinct One. Following this announcement, I want to give you further information about myself, and my qualifications for this important office.

I was born and reared in Callahan County and have been a resident of Precinct One for 50 years. In 1925, I married Eules Stephens of Baird. We have one daughter, Mrs. Tom Odum, Rapid City, South Dakota. Two sons, Jack of Plainview, manager of the Federal Land Bank, and Roger, who is manager of Black's Food Store in Clyde.

I was in the automobile business for several years, and for the past 28 years I have been associated with an Independent Oil Company serving as territory manager since 1952.

I am a member of the First Methodist Church of Baird, where I serve on the Official Board, and am a member of the men's Sunday School Class of that church.

I have served on the Baird City Council for six years and am also currently serving as Park Commissioner.

For ten years I was a member of the Board of Trustees of Baird Independent School District, and for forty years I have been a member of the Baird Fire Department. I also hold membership in the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, and the Baird Lions Club.

I have always been interested in the welfare and progress of Callahan County, and believe that the office I seek will give me a better opportunity to serve my county and the people of Precinct One. I urge all of you to fully investigate me as to my character and qualifications for this office.

If possible I will see each one of you before election time and personally solicit your vote and influence. In the event I fail

to see you, please consider this an invitation for your support of my candidacy for Commissioner, Precinct One, Callahan County.

If elected, I promise to give you my full time and my best efforts in making you the kind of Commissioner you deserve.

I covet your friendship, your support, and certainly your vote. I want to be your next commissioner.

Sincerely yours,
Irvin (Nubbin') Corn



IRVIN 'NUBBIN' CORN

Color Photograph Is Standard Part Of All New Drivers' Licenses

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety reminded Texans today that a color photograph becomes a standard part of all driver's licenses issued after January 1, 1968.

"This change makes it necessary for all drivers to renew licenses in person at one of our Department offices," Garrison said, "and we have been working toward setting up a procedure that will not cause excessive delay when a person comes to us to renew a license."

Garrison explained that the change in license was incorporated into law by the last legislature.

"Renewal notices will be mailed to each driver, just as always. However, under the new procedure each driver must take the renewal notice to the nearest DPS office. There he will be given a standard vision test, sign the renewal notice and step in front of our camera. The picture will be snapped and a receipt will be issued to enable to the person to drive until he receives his new license in the mail."

Garrison explained that about 250 full-time license offices will be in operation over the state to service license renewals. Issuance of new licenses will also be conducted in many of these new offices as well as at offices already established.

There are currently over 5,800,000 licensed drivers in Texas and about 2,500,000 licenses are renewed annually to facilitate the process all licenses after January 1 will be renewed to expire on the birthday of the licensee. If the person holds a license ending in an even number, it will be renewed for a four year term; if the license ends in an odd number, it will be renewed for two years the first time then for four years each time thereafter. The cost to the driver remains the same per year.

The new license will be approximately 2 1/3 inches wide by 3 3/8 inches long, or about the same size as a standard credit card.

"We anticipate fairly large crowds at many of our offices," said Garrison, "and we hope to be able to give each person completely satisfactory service. We look forward to making many new friends among the millions of persons we have been serving by mail before now."

She was a descendant of General Robert E. Lee, and was a member of the Clyde Methodist Church.

Survivors include five sons, J. L. O'Haver of Baird, Henry of San Bernardino Calif., Willie of Portales, N. M., Jim of Redlands Calif., and Roy of Oland, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Sheffield of Sidney and Mrs. Ethel Sanders of Anton; 14 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren; six great-great-grandchildren.

Her husband, two daughters and one son preceded her in death.

Baird Girls To Host Anson Girls Friday

The Baird girls A&B team will host the Anson A&B here in Baird gym Friday night.

The games were scheduled to be played at Anson, but due to a conflict of schedules at Anson, the games will be played in Baird.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 5:
Shady Oaks Ground-breaking
Anson A&B Girls at Baird
January 9:
Harlem Stars vs Outsiders, here, 8 p.m.
January 12 - 13:
Junior Livestock Show

Burleson To Attend Groundbreaking

Callahan County Junior Livestock Show To Be Held January 12 - 13

The Callahan County Junior Livestock Show will be held at Cross Plains, at the County Show Barn, Friday and Saturday, Jan. 12 - 13, according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent. Activities are scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. each day.

Friday's schedule includes the judging of goats, poultry, rabbits, breeding sheep and lambs. The Saturday schedule will have dairy cattle swine, beef heifers, and steers.

Superintendents for the various divisions are:

Swine - Leroy Corley and Word Estes
Beef Cattle - Deel Edington
Fat Lambs - Sidney Foy
Dairy Cattle - Larry Edwards
Breeding Sheep & Goats - Edwin Schaefer
Poultry - Winford Gardner
Rabbits - Roy Goin
The horse division of the County Show will be held on

Saturday, Jan. 20th, at the Freeman Training Center in Clyde, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Burris Miller is Superintendent of this show.

All people of Callahan County and surrounding areas are encouraged to attend the event.

Courthouse Records

The following marriage license was issued in the county clerks' office last week:

Thomas Edward Taylor, Tyrene, Okla., and Linda Maxine Gibson, Clyde.

New Vehicles

The following new vehicles were issued in the county recently:

Edna Williams, Pontiac
Abran A. Rivers, Chevrolet
Howard Hogue, Chevrolet pickup
Jack D. Wheeler, Pontiac
David McGowen, Ford

Baird Basketballers Split Games With Eastland Tuesday Night

The Baird Bearettes defeated Eastland Tuesday night in the local gym by a score of 67-26.

Scoring for Baird were Dianne Petty 22 points, Donna Abernathy 13, Vicki Varner 13, Marian Odum 9, Cathy Reeves 6 and Evelyn Smalley 4.

Baird guards were Kerry White, Ada Black, Laura Smith, Barbara McPherson, Cindy White, Sue Smith and Charlene Black.

The Bears were defeated by the Eastland Mavericks by a score of 69-41.

Scoring for Baird were Tommy Varner 15, Travis Higgins 11, Reuben Suniga 8 and Sonny Collins 7.

In last week's action, the Bearettes were defeated by Ris-

ing Star, Friday night, by a score of 47-32. Scoring for Baird were Donna Abernathy 17 pts., Dianne Petty 14 and Marian Odum 7.

Guards were Kerry White, Ada Black and Barbara McPherson.

The Baird girls B team won over Rising Star, scoring a total of 41 points to 32.

Scoring for Baird were Vicki Varner 20, Cathy Reeves 16, Linda Cason 5. Also seeing action were Neita Booth, Jo Lynn Whitehead and Leonna Burleson.

Guards were Roma Gamble, Brenda Roberts, Wilda Williams, Linda Kelly, Charlene Black and Vicki Griggs.

Congressman Omar Burleson will be present at the groundbreaking ceremonies Friday, Jan. 5, at 11 a.m. at the construction site of the Shady Oaks Recreation Center Inc., half-way between Clyde and Baird. Congressman Burleson will join Mayor Lynn Ault of Baird, Center Directors, members and guests from Clyde and Baird participating in the ceremonies.

Shady Oaks Recreation Center Inc. received a \$150,000.00 check Thursday, Dec. 28, from PHA District Supervisor E. L. Foster, and County Supervisor John H. Curry, in the District Courtroom of the Callahan County Courthouse.

Construction on the project, which includes a 3,600 square foot club house, managers residence, storage, playground facilities, parks and roadways, septic tank, water distribution system, swimming pool and 9-hole golf course, is to start within ten days after receiving the check.

202 paid up members are now recorded in the membership records. Memberships are still available at \$25.00 per family, but will be raised to \$100.00 in the near future. Monthly dues of \$7.50 per month for each member family will start as soon as the center is completed.

V. B. Likins Associates of Abilene will construct the club house, manager's residence, storage, playground facilities, parks and roadways, septic tank and water distribution system. Moser Construction Co. of Amarillo will construct the swimming pool and Underwood Manufacturing Co. of Bowie, the 9-hole golf course.

CC Meeting Set For Monday Night

Chamber of Commerce membership meeting will be held Monday, Jan. 8, at the Chamber office. Following the membership meeting, a Director's meeting will be called of old and new Directors, to close out 1967 business and install newly elected directors.

The Directors meeting is open to all members and full attendance is urged for both meetings.

Highlights From 1967

Roy Gilbreath takes oath of office on Jan. 2 1967. Charles Walker administered the oath with members of the Gilbreath family present.

Tom Windham's Hereford steer is selected Grand Champion of Callahan County Livestock Show.

Recreation Center officially incorporated and named Shady Oaks Recreation Center, Inc.

Rickey Vestal's Charolais steer named Grand Champion of Fort Worth Stock Show.

Congressman Omar Burleson tours Watershed Dams on Upper Pecan Bayou with large crowd of Callahan County people.

School board election with first woman as candidate. Mrs. Glenda Ivy elected along with Bill Cason and Bruce Williams.

Fund raising campaign underway for Hospital Air-Conditioning Unit.

County Commissioner Rosco Shelmut succumbs at 56, in his second term as Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

Dr. M. L. Stubblefield retires

after 22 years of practice in Baird.

Marcia Petty, Kenny Townsend and Cathy Townsend named honor students at Baird High School.

Housing Authority approves low bid on 12 low-rent housing unit. Construction begins July 10th.

Turner Bargain House receives fire and smoke damage.

Fred Goble elected a Director of First National Bank of Baird.

Baird School assigned Missile Site, 3 miles West of Baird, to be used as Project Center for Vocational Agriculture programs.

\$200.00 taken in burglary at Check Chevrolet Company.

Judge J. R. Black retires after 22 1/2 years of service to Callahan County.

Man found dead atop Admiral Mountains. Identified as George Howard Barlett, with two bullet holes in his body.

Worst ice storm since 1949 hits county. Damage consider-

ably high throughout the ice-blanketed country.

Unified Fund reaches its goal of \$3,580 in its 1967 Drive.

Eula Sunshine Circle Sponsors 1968 Project

The Eula Sunshine Circle will sponsor the care of the Eula Cemetery as a project during 1968.

The Eula FFA boys trimmed the trees and cleared the brush after the recent ice storm.

Recent donations to the Cemetery Funds are: T. H. Million, \$25.00; and Mrs. T. M. Allen, \$5.00. Donations may be sent to Mrs. E. E. Harrison, Route 1, Clyde Texas 79510.

NOTICE

A regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday, January 9 at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Mr and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker have returned home after an extended visit with their daughters, Doryce Ray and Juanita Wilcox and families in Dallas. They visited his sister, Mrs. Ora Bates in Fort Worth, and with friends in Springtown and Weatherford.

CLYDE BAND TRAVELS TO ELDORADO TRYOUTS SATURDAY

This Saturday, 27 Clyde High Band members will venture to Eldorado to try out for the All-Region Band.

Students will be judged individually on scales, prepared material and sight reading. Those making the band will rehearse all day and give a concert that night.

Those trying out are: flutes, Pat Pierce, Cynthia Key, Debbie Caraway, Pat Munson, Dorothy Jo Turnipseed; clarinets, Kathy Yarbrough, Ricky Nance, Lilburn Scott, Marc Gilmore, Jane Taylor, Cindy Huskin; bassoon, Tonya Broyles; bass clarinets, Ann Phemister, and Nancy Simmons; trombones, Kenneth Fox; baritone, Jimmy and David Mauldin; cornets, Carol Vandell and Kenneth Key; drums, Becky Spears and Linda Anderson; basses Mike

Moore; tenor saxes, Janice Yandell and Deborah South; F horn Rodney White.

Father of Clyde Man Buried

Frank M. Givens, 78, resident of Breckenridge since 1910, died at 6:15 a. m. Thursday in Stephens Memorial Hospital after a one-day illness.

Funeral was held at 10 a. m. Friday in Melton Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, with the Rev. D. H. Anderson, pastor of Rose Ave Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Breckenridge Cemetery.

A retired carpenter, he was born Nov. 3, 1889 in Callahan County. He moved to Breckenridge in 1910 from Gorman. He was married to the former Fronnie Cosart June 23, 1911 in Oklahoma. She died June 4, 1964. He remarried later.

Survivors include his wife of Breckenridge; two daughters, Mrs. A. T. Anthony and Mrs. S. R. Boggs, both of Breckenridge; two sons, L. B. of Eunice, N. M., and E. R. of Clyde; a brother, George of Redwood City, Calif.; 14 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Booher Rites Held Thursday

Funeral services for Zimery F. Booher, 81, were held Thursday at 2 p. m. in Bailey Funeral Home in Clyde. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Mr. Booher passed away at 5:45 p. m. Tuesday in Callahan County Hospital after a long illness. He was born in Tennessee on Nov. 23, 1886, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Booher. He had lived in Comanche County most of his life, before moving to Clyde in 1962. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors are several nieces and nephews.

Holiday visitors of Mrs. Viola Atwood were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Betcher of Eunice, N. M., and a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones and son Bobby Don. While here Bobby Don got his first haircut from Lacy Meredith of Baird. This was the fifth generation of the Atwood family to get haircuts from this same barber.

Mrs. Ursula Gifford and children of Austin spent the holidays with Mrs. Jack Hendricks and family of Baird.



AUSTIN — Any way you look at it, 1967 shapes up as the most action-packed political year for Texas in more than a decade.

It will start with a wide-open governor's race in the Democratic primary perhaps the roughest since 1956. Also there may be some other close races for less exciting offices. And, of course, the presidential battle will hold the November general election spotlight. If Texas Republicans make good their threat to field a strong candidate for governor, and it seems they will, there will be plenty of action on that front almost the year around.

There is no sure way of predicting at this point whether U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough, Lt. Gov. Preston Smith, Secretary of State John Hill, former Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr, Dallas radio man Gordon McLendon, Houston attorney Don Yarborough or an unheralded dark horse will emerge the Democratic nominee for governor. Neither is it clear who the Republicans will put up to oppose him. Congressman George Bush of Houston? Sen. John Tower - An unknown?

While Texas national Democratic convention delegates obviously will be pledged to support President Johnson, state Republican leaders have not tipped their hands as to their favorite candidate for nomination. Although the winner can't be picked in advance, red letter dates can be marked on the 1968 political calendar. Here are the main ones:

February 5 — Last day for filing as candidate in primaries.
 May — First primary election and party precinct conventions.
 May 11 — County party conventions.
 June 1 — Second primary election.
 June 8 — State conventions to pick national convention delegates.
 September 17 — State conventions to pick Texas party leadership (executive committee) and write the state party platforms.
 November 5 — General election.

Remember that, to participate in any of the action you must register (it's free) with the county tax assessor-collector or authorized deputy by January 31. Registration is simple and can be accomplished through the mail on forms provided by most newspapers.

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES — State Welfare Department can pay medical aid directly to recipients of services or to physicians, Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin has held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that: An anhydrous ammonia pipeline is subject to jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission. A qualified agricultural engineering major can be licensed as a professional engineer.

Cochran County Memorial Hospital District can pay expenses of sending needy persons to outside hospital facility where it cannot discharge its full responsibilities to provide adequate medical care.

Requirement of newspaper advertising (or posting) to take competitive bids does not apply to county expenditures for purchase of equipment for general use by the county payable out of current funds. Where the county wants to make a contract under competitive bidding requirements, bids must be stated in terms of gross price without "trade-in." However, county commissioners may ask for trade-in data and consider it in awarding the contract.

COURT SPEAKS — A Negro mathematician at the spacecraft center in Houston who had a date yanked out of his hand by a private club manager is entitled to \$900 in damages for "battery," State Supreme Court agreed. Decision reversed the

lower courts.

Fourth Court of Civil Appeals, in a Webb County case, agreed the state has the right to regulate picketing in labor-management dispute. Labor group unsuccessfully attacked a ban against more than two pickets at a time within 50 feet of the struck establishment or other pickets.

APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED — Gov. John Connally announced appointment of Lawrence Miller Jr. of Dallas and George R. Bolin of Houston to Texas Real Estate Commission. He also appointed McLennan County Court at Law Judge Derwood Johnson of Waco as Judge of the 74th Judicial District Court.

Governor placed Dr. J. Robert Baier of Houston on the Texas Board for Chiropractic Examiners and reappointed Dr. Charles E. Courton of San Angelo and Dr. C. T. Harkey Jr. of Victoria. Miss Wathena Douglas of Midland was named to the State Board of Hairdressers and Cosmetologists.

COOPER DAM ROW RESOLVED — Controversy with federal authorities over Cooper Dam and Reservoir (Sulphur River in Northeast Texas) has been resolved to the state's interest.

New contract omitted the controversial water quality requirements, according to Joe G. Moore Jr., executive director of the Texas Water Development Board.

Long-range issue of federal requirements concerning release of "flushing" water to control downstream water pollution statewide still is very much alive.

POLICY CANCELLATION GUIDELINES SET — State Board of Insurance announced these general guidelines for cancellation of certain insurance policies or company refusal to renew coverage: Family auto policies and auto coverage should be cancelled only for premium non-payment or license suspension or revocation.

Companies should not balk at renewing family auto policies strictly on account of ages of insured. Thirty days notice of non-renewal should be given before declining to renew family auto policies and auto coverage, homeowners policies and standard fire policies on one-family dwellings.

Cancellation cannot be ordered on home owner and standard fire policies for one-family dwellings solely because company chages underwriting requirements during the policy term.

FOURTEEN CITIES START SALES TAX — January 1 marked the start of actual collection of the new one per cent city sales tax in 14 or more than 150 cities which have approved the tax since September. These 150 cities represent 65 per cent of Texas' urban population.

Cities starting the tax January 1 included Aransas Pass, Austin, Bracketville, Corpus Christi, Edgin, El Paso, Henrietta, Ingleside, Nacogdoches, Orange Grove, Port Aransas, Taylor, Texarkana and Wichita Falls.

Collections of one per cent levy (added to the two per cent state tax) will begin April 1 in at least 140 other municipalities. Only about 20 city sales tax elections have failed.

State comptroller has a full quarter of a year to set up collection machinery after a city reports approval of the tax.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bates were Mrs. Charles Brame and family of Jal. N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Terry Joy and family of Llano, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Payne and son of Baird.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jackson and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Strange, Mrs. Pearl Simmons and family, all of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. George Harp Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Sadler and family, all of Baird.

Clyde FFA Stock Show January 9th

Clyde FFA will sponsor their 3rd annual Community Livestock Show on January 9, to be held at Freeman's Training Center.

This show was designed to give the vocational agriculture students the opportunity to exhibit animals and to give the local people a chance to see the boys' projects.

The Clyde Community Show is open to any FFA or 4-H Club member who is enrolled in Clyde High School, and between the ages of 9 to 18 years.

The show will be under the direction of General Superintendent Eddie Johnson, president of the local FFA Chapter. He will be assisted by the following boys who will serve as Superintendents of each department:

Rabbits - Donny Williams
 Poultry - Larry Washburn
 Dairy Cattle - Steve Kniften
 Beef Cattle - Larry Tennison
 Swine - Wade Stevens
 Sheep - Joe Gray
 Horses - Scott Goldsmith

TECUMSEH TOPICS

By Lillian Crawford

This being New Year's Day of 1968, here's wishing each and everyone a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mrs. Bertha Whitley reports that all of her children and their families (except Dub Whitley in California) met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Sherman in Abilene Christmas Eve for a Christmas dinner.

New Year's weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley, spent a few days in the Whitley home. Gary's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Miller of Fort Worth, also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Crawford visited their son Johnnie and family, also Melba in Dallas a few days this past week.

Stanley Crawford and Cindy (his wife) visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford in Abilene during the holidays. Stanley is serving in the Navy and expects to be on the water much of his time in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford and children of Arlington visited while Stanley was home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Coughran were happy to have their two daughters and families, from West Texas visit in their home at Christmas time.

We, Ira and Lillian too were glad to have our children home, Dale and family of Cross Plains, Hulon and family of Duncanville, and Lynda from Howard Payne. Terry Martinez and his mother, Marie, were also visiting from Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mullens and family. Later they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod where dinner was prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford and baby girl visited Ira and Lillian Crawford Sunday afternoon.

RECENT VISITORS IN SIMMONS HOME

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Simmons were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Jackson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jackson, all of Anadarko, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Jackson and family in San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Don Booth and family of Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Dean Strange, Mrs. Sue Neeb and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Strange, Ronnie and David Snyder, all of Abilene.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jackson and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Strange, Mrs. Pearl Simmons and family, all of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. George Harp Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Sadler and family, all of Baird.

There will be 30 classes of animals to be judged during the show. All animals must be in place by 9 a. m., except horses. Horses should be in place by 12:30 p. m.

Judging will begin at 9 a. m. with Rabbits; Poultry at 9:30; Dairy Cattle at 10; Beef Cattle at 10:45; Sheep at 1 p. m.; Swine at 1:45 and Horses at 2:45.

Judging all classes, except horses, will be Mr. Leland Robinson, Voc. Ag. teacher at Cooper High School. Names of the horse judge will be announced later.

The boys and girls exhibiting animals in the show will also have entries entered in Fort Worth San Antonio and Houston.

These students are supervised by Clyde Voc. Ag. teachers, Tim Stone and James Trammell.

General rules of the show are as follows:

1. All students between 9 to 18 years attending school. Clyde may enter.
 2. Animals must be entered to the Show Superintendent in their division before 9 a. m. show date.
 3. In weight classes animals will be divided close to equal by the superintendent.
 4. In general rules of the Callahan County and Abilene show will be followed.
 5. The show reserves the right to refuse any entry.
 6. Rules will be made by the show committee, consisting of Clyde FFA officers; however, any rule or anything about the show may be changed by the executive committee.
 7. Animals will remain on exhibit until all judging is completed, unless special permission is given by the General Superintendent.
 8. The show nor any person concerned is not responsible for accidents that may be caused or happen at the show.
 9. Horses should be at the show by 1:30 p. m.
 10. Animals should be unloaded and loaded at the North end of the barn.

He has resigned as pastor of the Scotsdale Baptist Church of El Paso effective Jan. 7, after serving seven years. Fugitt, who spent a number of years as a resident of the Chillicothe area until entering the Baptist ministry, is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and attended Southwestern Baptist Seminary Fort Worth.

He will work as a missions coordinator of Baptist General Convention of Texas, related churches in Taylor and Callahan counties, said Harry V. Hamblen, missionary coordinator of the BGCT State Missions Commission.

He has pastored at a number of churches in the Abilene area, including the Denton Valley congregation, 1947-1950; First Baptist Church of Trent, 1950-51; First Baptist Church, Baird, 1952-55; First Baptist, Rule, 1955-56; First Baptist, Spur, 1956-60.

A former member of the 792-member State Executive Board of the BGCT and state Training Union committee, Fugitt has served as moderator of the following Baptist associations: Callahan, Haskell-Knox, Dickens and El Paso.

He has served as chaplain of the El Paso Optimist Club and of the El Paso Police Department. He and his wife, Vonecil, have two grown children.

Hospital News

The following were listed as receiving medical care in Callahan County Hospital Tuesday:

Mrs. J. W. Hazelwood, Abilene
 Mrs. Hiram Cook, Clyde
 Mrs. Annie Asbury, Baird
 Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Putnam
 J. H. Thames, Clyde
 Mrs. J. H. Thames, Clyde
 Mrs. Homer Price, Baird
 Rev. Walter Deavers, Clyde
 Charles Lauw, Clyde
 Mrs. Joe Alexander, Baird
 Mrs. Johnnie Robinson, Baird
 Mrs. Erle Hall, Baird
 Mrs. Louie Williams, Putnam
 Mrs. Annie Crockett, Cross Plains
 Mrs. Mattie Allen, Clyde
 Mrs. Tee Baulch, Baird
 R. D. Favor, Clyde
 Jack Sammons, Clyde
 Mrs. Jack Sammons, Clyde
 Wiley Smedley, Baird

Many Attend Wristen Funeral

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral for Mrs. Emma Wristen were:

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher, Opalin; Carl R. Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cutbirth, Jean Powell, Leslie Reed, Abilene; Mrs. Grace Ferguson, Clyde; Miss Gertrude Dowdle and Miss Sudie Bell James, Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Poindexter and Calvin Poindexter, Novice; Dr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Owens, Karen Morris and Ellen Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sexton, Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Briscoe and Cyndie, and Hollace Griscoe, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paschick and Vickie, Eddie, and Bobby Paschick, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Wheat and children, McKinney; King Betcher, Dudley; Mrs. W. J. Evans of Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Poe and boys of Alpine and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith and daughters of Placid visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath over the holidays.

Bill Scott, Voc. Ag. teacher and swine producer of Abilene, was elected President of the Association. Mel Green Clyde swine producer was elected Vice President, and Jerry L. Lackey, Callahan County Agricultural Agent was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

The Association's Board of Directors, one from each of the five counties represented. These are: Homer Morris of Cross Plains, Callahan County; Tommie Connelly of Burkett, Coleman County; Edwin Schaefer of Cisco, Eastland County; Joe Pfluger of Ballinger, Runnels County; and Jerry Morgan of Abilene, Taylor County. Morgan was then elected as a Director of the State Association.

Purpose of this Association will be to promote the production, improvement and sale of our locally produced pork.

On hand at the Tuesday night meeting to help in organization were Euel Limer, Texas Director of the National Association, and Buddy Winters, President of the Texas Association. Both Limer and Winters are Lubbock area swine producers.

Any producer in the five county area that wishes to join the Association is encouraged to contact their county director. Interested producers from counties other than the charter members are asked to contact any of the Executive Committee or Board of Directors.

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VISITORS IN NORDYKE HOME

Miss Aida Nordyke was at home in Baird during the holidays from Fabens where she is teaching school.
Visiting here were Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Nordyke of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gene Dunn of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ellis of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis and Barbara of Lubbock.
Others visitors were Mrs. Jerry Cottle and Johnny of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Nordyke and family of Austin, Mrs. Lillian Nordyke of Cisco, Mrs. Roy Higgins and Varnell Chatham of Baird.

MRS. HOPKINS INJURED IN FALL TUESDAY

Mrs. Flossie Hopkins was injured in a fall in Work's Dry Goods store Tuesday, where she is employed as a clerk.
She was to undergo surgery Thursday for a fractured hip.

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Looking Back

DECEMBER, 1929

"Snow Boat," famed picture coming to the Ritz Theatre
Russell-Surles Abstract Co. moves to new office in Court-house.

Baird Cash Dry Goods to move to new location. The Griggs building recently vacated by Holmes Drug Co.

Bob Norrell elected president of Bankers Association.

Some of the advertising appearing in the Baird Star were: Wristen's, Holmes Drug Co., Mayfield's, Shaw Motor Co., Roy D. Williams Cleaners, Jones Dry Goods Co., A&P, Wheeler Drug, City Pharmacy, First State Bank, First National Bank, Ritz Theatre, McElroy's, M. G. Farmer Oil & Gas, Sam Gilliland, Lowe Baker Chev. Co., Helpy-Seify, and City Bakery.

Baird Star Editor and Business Manager, Miss Eliza Gilliland and Haynie Gilliland, associate.

Putnam Paragraphs were written by Mrs. J. S. Yeager. Other news was from the Iona News, Admiral News, Sunset Mustangs, which was written by county correspondents.

It was election time and the following had announced for office: Robert L. Edwards for Commissioner Prec. 1; W. J. Evans for Tax Collector, A. L. Johnson for County Superintendent; and J. H. Carpenter for County Judge.

Snow began falling in Baird about 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, and it looks like we are in for another cold storm before the new year begins. It is proving to be true what the old timers say in South Texas if we have a bad hurricane, watch out the following winter. If you will remember back we haven't had a real bad winter since Hurricane Carla.

ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Have you made your New Year resolutions for 1968? Your reporter hopes they will read something like this:

"I want to be a better citizen in my community or town, visit my neighbors more, keep my mind more on spiritual things and take a little time each day to meditate on life."

"You hear people say, 'I am so busy' or 'I do not have the time.' This reminds me of what a neighbor once said. Her life had been one of being busy and rushing. She said, when she died she wanted people not to waste a minute having her funeral and burying her.

Telephones are still out in our community, so many people have not been contacted for news. It is hoped they will be repaired soon.

Guests in the Sterling Odom home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene, Mrs. Ivon Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Franzen Odom and Penny, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky.

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"WEEKLY MEDITATIONS"

"NOW"
"Put them in mind . . . To be ready to every good work." Titus 3:1.)

It was a great day when you learned to tell time. I remember how happy I was when I did not have to ask the time, but could read the clock myself. And when we learn the time, it is surprising how many chances there are to read it. There is your own watch, the clock in the living room, the clocks in the bedroom, the clock on the kitchen wall, clocks in store

Christmas Party Held In Warren Home

Baird Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. I. E. Warren on Dec. 19 for their Christmas party. Mrs. W. A. Hunt and Mrs. B. H. Freeland were co-hostesses.

Mrs. Dee Young gave the invocation. Roll call was answered with quotations from Christmas poems. Mrs. Lee Ivey gave Christmas Legends of Plants and Flowers. Unusual decorations were shown by Mrs. Warren. Christmas carols were led by Mrs. Ivey and gifts exchanged.

Guests for the party were Mmes. Alfred Newton, A. B. Foster, Aubrey Echols, Wes Patton of Clyde; Mmes. E. O. Battles, Luke Finley and Miss Betty Hickman.

Members present were Mmes. George Crutchfield, Frank Cunningham, Marvin Davis, P. E. Dungan, W. H. Freeland, Ace Hickman, W. A. Hunt, Lee Ivey, F. E. Mitchell, Floyd Smauley, Warren R. D. Williams, Clyde White, Dee Young, Mable George and John McGowen.

B&PW Club Hold December Meeting

The Business and Professional Women's Club met at Merle's Cafe on December 19.

Miss Isadore Grimes, president, called the meeting to order. The minutes were read and approved. After a delicious dinner, gifts were exchanged and Christmas carols sung.

The following were present: Vada Bennett, Mollie Brightwell, Helen Brown, Carrie Davis, Isadore Grimes, Lorene Kerby, Mae Lewis, Florence Loper, Beatrice McElroy, Floy McMullen, Sarah Parks, Alma Stephenson, Margaret Young and Loula Mae Russell. Also two guests, Laverne Rutherford of Putnam and Dorothy Bearden.

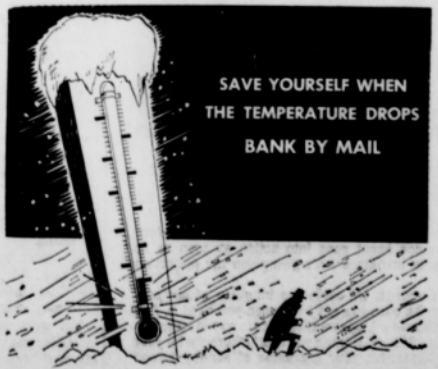
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News Items From The Putnam Community

Mrs. George Brown passed away in a hospital in San Antonio Thursday night, and was buried in Putnam cemetery Saturday morning. Her son, Dr. R. D. Brown and family and daughter Mary Christal and family returned to their homes in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Ramsey is still a patient in the hospital at Baird, also R. C. Speegle is a patient in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and son of Houston and Mrs. Earline Clark of Boerne returned to their home Monday after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rutherford and family of Waco spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Payne and son of Thomas, Okla., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Ben Payne and son Elva.

Those visiting Mrs. G. S. Pruet since Christmas were Mrs. J. C. Johnson and sons, Mrs. Edna Brooks and son Lionel of Odes-

sa. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood and John Taylor of Abilene were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet. Friday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Daniel of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and Jeri of Clyde.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet last week were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pruet and family of Abilene, Mrs. Nono Kittrell and daughters, Mrs. Mary Lee Wristen of Lorenzo, Mrs. Lucille McBride of Post, and Mrs. Bill Gunnell of Freport.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook and three grandchildren of Abilene were Sunday visitors with relatives and friends in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater were Thursday and Friday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman and granddaughters, Sandra and Rita Sunderman of Denton, spent the Christmas holidays in

Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sunderman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett and sons of Irving spent Friday night with Mrs. Fred Cook and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Those visiting Mrs. W. A. Everett some time last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and daughters, Diane and Alice of Midland, Duane Ritcher of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Ellis of Moran, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis of Atwell.

Mrs. Linen Baird of Andrews was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway Sunday.

Mike Everett of Irving spent last week with his grandmothers Mrs. Fred Cook and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Larry Jordan, minister of the Putnam Baptist Church and Mrs. Jordan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds of Los Angeles Calif., spent one night last week with his brother, R. W. Reynolds and fam-

ily. Mrs. S. M. Eubank and daughters, Mrs. Calvin Gilbert of San Antonio and Mrs. Roy Yee Williams of Houston, visited Mrs. Maggie Jackson in Moran Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Duncan, Okla., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith. They returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurst, Mrs. Alma Buchanan and Les Hurst of Beaumont, and Mrs. Ada Stewart of Electra spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Earlie Hurst. They all returned home Tuesday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley Christmas Eve were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shirley and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shirley and family of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shirley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Farrel Tharp of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and family of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hill, Troy, Mrs. Emmat Hill, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ogle of Rising Star, Mrs. Leona McVickers and Martha Briscoe of Mid-West City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart of Houston and Pete Knublen of Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gans in Eastland and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kinser in Scranton in the afternoon.

Mrs. Maria Leache returned to her home after a visit in Dallas and Fort Worth with relatives.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere appreciation and many thanks to the people of Baird for their kindness, food, flowers at the death of our loved one, Mrs. Tom Arledge.
Mamie Holloway
Minnie Arledge
Grandchildren

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UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

BY VEDA YARBROUGH

Hi neighbor! Well Christmas has come and gone and tomorrow starts another New Year. The year just past has been a good year in several ways and a very sad year, as so many of our loved ones and friends have passed from this life around the little towns of Putnam and Moran and out here in the country too. Still several

them. They live in Big Spring. Also Neal Moore of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Leon McDonald of Anson. Was good to have all of them.

Mildred and Gerald Carter spent the weekend with me and attended the funeral for Mark Burnam and Mrs. George Brown.

Bro. Larry Jordan and wife of Fort Worth had lunch Saturday with me.

Visiting Friday with John and Roma McIntyre was Buster McNiece of Houston.

I wish for all of you a very happy New Year and may God bless every one of you is my prayer.

Mrs. Mary Ramsey is still in the hospital in Baird. She is doing some better.

Our community was deeply saddened last Wednesday afternoon by the passing of Mark Burnam, who had been in Hendrick Memorial Hospital most three weeks. His passing was quite a shock to everyone. Mark will really be missed by everyone and our deepest sympathy to all his family. Mark was my uncle the youngest brother of my mother. We have been next door neighbors for 37 years.

We are sorry to say Mrs. George Brown, of near Putnam, passed away last Thursday in a hospital at San Antonio. Mrs. Brown will be missed by everyone as she had lived here since 1913 and was loved by all who knew her.

Spending the weekend with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey were their daughter, Joan Collinsworth, her husband E. C. and daughter Regina; also Danny Calhoun of Jacksboro; Mrs. Terry Taylor and little daughter Tammie of Midland.

Visiting with me and attending the funeral of Mark Burnam were Mrs. Alton Lunsford and daughter, Eugenia Williams and family, and Barbara Wampler and son Marty of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burton and sons, Mike and David of Andrews visited with me a while Saturday. They also visited with Ollie Burnam and family and the Burette Ramseys.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wood and son Dan visited with me a while Friday. Was so good to have

The Churches of Baird Welcome You

Direct Line

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Jack Lanham, Minister

Sunday:
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Training Classes 5:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Ladies Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday:
Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Carroll Green, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 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
Leo Turner, Pastor

Sunday:
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Y.P.E. 7:00 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Sunday:
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.



SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION
Joe L. Galan

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Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions through the Christmas holidays were all their children and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd, and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins had all their children and their families home of the holidays.

Mrs. W. A. Everett of Putnam visited Mrs. Herbert Ellis last Thursday.

Dwight Black was severely burned last week when a gas stove exploded. He was in the hospital for a few days, but is at home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Marian in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter and boys of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hutchins of Colorado City visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Mrs. Alton Tatom recently.

Miss Harvette Black of Abilene spent last Saturday with her father, Harvey Black.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd and Bill of Wichita Falls, David Todd of Ganada, Ariz., Mrs. B. Kay of Ranger were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy.

Oplin Observations

DAPHNE FLOYD

Weatherwise, Ole Man Winter sure has his bluff in on the Oplin community. When freezing moisture started in about 10 a. m. Sunday, everyone thought - "Same song, same verse - could be better but it may be worse." Of course, these thoughts were weatherwise, but luckily by noon Monday the sun had come out and everyone was grinning and saying Happy New Year. Here comes ole pessimistic me, reminding you to be prepared for a whing-dinger by mid-week for that is the forecast.

Glad to report that Mrs. John Jordan is now back home after being in the hospital the week before Christmas. I never did learn just what Mrs. Jordan's ailment was, but she is well now. Winnie to all of us here at Oplin had a touch of, but she is doing much better at the present.

Walter Johnson had a bit of bad luck on Friday before Christmas. His tractor ran over him and broke his leg. You can't keep a good man down, for Walter let it be known in a few days that he was ready to go home.

Paula Windham was on vacation during the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham Jr. The weather bluffed her out of one more day at home for she decided Monday morning she had better head for McKinney while the going was good.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Barnard were host for a family New Year's dinner at their home last Sunday. Guests were her sister, Mrs. Ruth Rogers of Abilene, her brothers and wives Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee Floyd of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd and W. S. Barnard, who is the father of Mrs. Ray Floyd.

Year's dinner at their home last Sunday. Guests were her sister, Mrs. Ruth Rogers of Abilene, her brothers and wives Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee Floyd of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd and W. S. Barnard, who is the father of Mrs. Ray Floyd.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith of Fort Worth visited with relatives here last week.

Roy and Roy Neil Tatom attended the funeral for Mark Burnam in Putnam Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Essie Alexander of Lampasas and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Mims and family of Iradell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones last week.

Herbert Ellis spent two nights last week with his father, Allen Ellis who is ill in a Rest Home in Clyde.

There were several from our community attending the funeral for A. J. McCuin in Cross Plains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls were visitors in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and children of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Stevie Foster of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Turner of Weatherford and Bobby Hutchins of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bentley of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis New Year's day.

Freddy Tatom and boys of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom last week. Freddy was out here working on his farm.

Mrs. Emory Foster's sister and husband from Haskell spent Friday night with them.



MRS. CHARLIE PARKER

Miss Sandra Kay Cannon Wed To Sgt. Charlie Parker Friday

Sandra Kay Cannon and Sgt. Charlie Cephus Parker pledged marriage vows Friday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cannon of Rt. 1, Clyde.

The bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Carroll of Garner, N. Car. The Rev. G. W. Turner, pastor of the North Park Baptist Church of Abilene officiated.

Mr. Cannon presented the bride in marriage. Her only attendant was Frances Tuckey of Merkel. Best man was Keith Musksquire.

The bride's gown and train

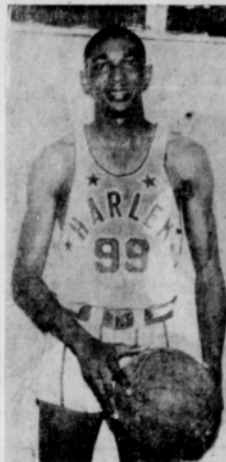
were of satin. Cabbage roses marked the waistline in back. A jeweled tiara held her veil. She carried carnations on a Bible.

The maid of honor wore a sleeveless gown of red satin brocade topped by a waist length jacket. Her flowers were white carnations tipped with red.

The bride is a graduate of Eula High School, and is employed at U. S. Time Corp.

A Garner High School graduate, the bridegroom is stationed at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene.

To Play Here Tuesday



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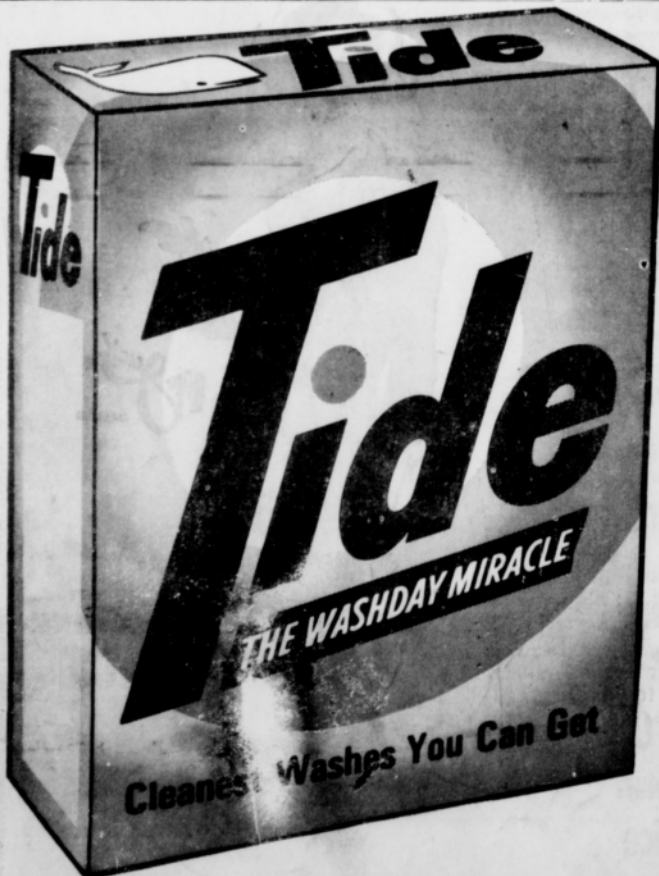
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