

# The Baird Star

Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-up-and-Git That Makes Men Great."

**CALLAHAN COUNTY.** In Central West Texas, organized 1877; area 882 square miles, pop. 11,600. Rolling prairies and wooded areas of mesquite, post oak, live oak. Soil sandy to chocolate loam. Elevation 1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.

BAIRD, pop. 2,000. On "The Broadway of America." Has beautiful homes, modern schools, fine churches, and healthful climate — "where there ain't no poor, and there ain't no sick; where the fat get fatter, and the thin get thick."

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## 2nd ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP RODEO OPENS IN BAIRD

An elaborate western parade passed down Market Street at 5:30 Thursday evening to open the Second Annual Championship Rodeo, which is being sponsored by the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse. Baird streets and business houses were decorated in appropriate regalia for the big three day celebration and several thousand people cheered as the parade traveled down the street.

J. O. Warren arranged a splendid parade, even better than last year's was. Many old timers rode in the procession and handsome horses and western clad riders gave the parade real color. The long line traveled up and down Market Street and terminated at the new rodeo arena at the east edge of Baird.

The opening performance of the rodeo began at eight o'clock with the grand entry, followed by the introduction of officials. Among the outstanding events on the first night's program was the Mounted Quadrille. This is said to be the fastest square dancing on horseback ever known to this community. Last year's quadrille was good, too, and the crowd looked forward to this feature.

The Baird rodeo, sponsored by the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, is directed by Bob Estes, a Baird boy who has gained nationwide popularity as a rodeo producer. His bucking horses and wild Brahma bulls were ready, it seemed, for a good fight.

Among the events to thrill the spectators last night were bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, steer wrestling, bull riding, cowgirl's barrel race, calf roping and others.

Alex, the colored bull fighter, who was knocked down by a mad bull last year, was back in the arena last night and fought the bulls after they dumped their riders. He fought those bulls to a finish and gave the fans thrills they will never forget. Alex is not a clown. He is a life saver for many a cowboy who gets tossed off a Brahma bull. Instead of the bull attacking the thrown rider, his attention is attracted by Alex and the cowboy climbs atop the fence while Alex and the bull give the audience some breathtaking excitement.

There are two more nights of the rodeo. If rain does not spoil the show, there promises to be larger crowds each night. Saturday night is the grand finale. Winners of the rodeo will be awarded prizes and a handsome saddle will be awarded to its winner. These features will not take up the show, for there will be plenty of excitement created out in the arena by tough cowboys and aggravated bulls.

Posse President Ev. Hughes reported that the Sheriff's Posse opened the rodeo almost free of all debt although they own the land and have erected all the facilities since last year. Members have invested about \$5,000 in shares in stock, and the organization owns the ground and arena which is valued at more than \$10,000. With the proceeds of this year's rodeo, he hopes to set the Sheriff's Posse well on its way to greater achievements.

As the first performance of the rodeo is taking place at about our usual press time, we will have a more complete account of winners of various events in next week's Star.

### RITES FOR CLYDE BABY HELD MONDAY

Funeral was conducted at 3 p. m. Monday for Gynell Fay Corning, seven-week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Corning of Rt. 1, Clyde.

She died Sunday morning in an Abilene hospital.

Services were held at the Clyde Church of Christ with the minister, A. A. Berryman, assisted by Rev. Sidney Cox, pastor of the Clyde Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Clyde Cemetery, under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Survivors are the parents, one brother, Clarence Corning of Clyde and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam De Spain, Rt. 1, Clyde.

Mrs. R. C. Clemer of Clyde left Saturday for Houston for a visit with her son, Jack, and Mrs. Clemer.

### Olaf G. South Sets Good School Record



Olaf G. South

Olaf G. South, superintendent of schools at Roscoe, was honored by his school board last week. Although he had two more years to go on his old contract, the board tore up the old contract and extended it two more years, or 4 years in all.

Roscoe public schools were given real praise by the State Department of Education after its inspection on April 14. Among comments on the official report of Inspector Clive Pierce to State Superintendent L. A. Woods were:

1. Good administration is in evidence; organization is good; and permanent records and exhibits were in order.
2. Pupil activity program is stimulated by organization and supervision; instruction is good, and outcomes of education program are good.
3. A very good spirit of business-like cooperation and understanding among superintendent, faculty members, and students prevails throughout the system.
4. Emphasis is placed on Art, Safety, Health, Visual Aids, Elementary Science, Music, and Physical Education with good results.

### GOOD OIL SHOWING NEAR ADMIRAL

The oil discovery three miles southeast of Admiral, promises to become a new producing field. This has been indicated by the Star Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Mrs. C. Smith, 669 feet from the north and 1,800 from the east line of section 45 D&DA survey.

The wildcat is completing in the Cross Plains sand, between the Adams Branch and the Palo Pinto sections, a new pay section for that area. Completion is to be made in open hole from 1,921 to 1,932 drillstem test of the section showed recovery of 196 feet of clean oil and 75 feet of oil cut mud in two hours. Total depth was 1,981 and casing was cemented at 1,921.

Completion of another producer in the Morrissett field, six miles northwest of Clyde, has been made by Fresno Oil Company on the No. 2 J. M. Morrissett.

On official gauge the well made 03 barrels of 46 gravity oil in 21 hours on pump from the Cook sand at 1,725-26 feet. An extension to production, it is located 220 feet from the south and 540 from the east line of section 67 block 14 T&P survey.

Six miles south of Clyde, Star Oil Co., Inc., has filed location for the No. 3 Josie Brown D. a northeast offset to production. On permit for 1,750 feet with rotary, it is located 1,033 feet from the west and 797 from the west line of section 2 BBB&C survey. Pits have been dug and rigging up is under way.

One mile northeast of Eula, Star Oil Co. Inc., was fishing for slips lost in the hole at 1,407 feet on the No. 1 J. L. Farmer. A 2,750 foot rotary wildcat, it is located 1,650 feet from the north and 1,576 feet from the east line of section 47 BBB&C survey.

### MASSONS TO HOLD SPECIAL MEETING

John D. Isenhower of Putnam, District Deputy Grand Master, will make his official visit with the Baird Lodge No. 522 A. F. & A. M. on Saturday night, May 7, at 8 p. m. All members who can are urged to attend.

### New Superintendent Elected Monday

The local school board, in its regular monthly meeting Monday night, elected Keefe H. Rowland of Olney to be the new superintendent of the Baird public schools.

Mr. Rowland, his wife and 6-year-old daughter, will move to Baird as soon as possible after school is out, and he will assume duties as superintendent on July 1.

Mr. Rowland has a Bachelor of Science degree from East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce, and a Master of Education degree from Texas Technological College, Lubbock. He served as county superintendent of Wilbarger county, Vernon the county seat, for two terms, eight years. He also spent fifteen months on staff of Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz as Communications Intelligence Officer at Pearl Harbor and aboard the U.S.S. Missouri in Tokyo Bay. After returning from the service, he spent some time as a training officer in the Veterans Administration. For the past two years, Mr. Rowland has served as high school principal of the Olney public schools. He has also done graduate work at the University of Arizona and at Harvard University.

The family is active in the Methodist Church and civic activities at Olney, and comes very highly recommended by those who know them.

Mr. Rowland will succeed A. H. Pritchard, who resigned the position recently to accept the school superintendency at Itasca.

### REBURIAL SERVICES FOR PUTNAM SOLDIER TODAY

Reburial services for Pvt. James C. Bentley will be held at Scranton Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Friday, May 6. Burial will be in the Scranton Cemetery, with Wylie Funeral Home of Putnam in charge. The Cross Plains Post of the American Legion will have charge of full military funeral rites.

Pvt. Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steward Bentley, was killed on May 10, 1945, on Okinawa. He was a member of the 32nd Infantry of the 96th Division, Co. C.

Bentley, a graduate of Scranton high school, was engaged in farming in the Zion Hill community south of Putnam when he entered the Army on Sept. 13, 1944. He went overseas on Feb. 14, 1945.

He was born Oct. 3, 1924 at the family home south of Putnam. He was married on April 24, 1943 to Miss Billie Joyce Brashear.

Survivors include his widow; one son, James Carter Bentley, age 4; two brothers, Joseph of Eula and Armo of Putnam; three sisters, Mrs. Wilma Nell Madron, Clovis, Calif., Mrs. Fern Hutchins of Atwell, and Mrs. Hamp Brown, Jal. N. M.; and maternal grandfather, J. A. Reid of Putnam.

Pallbearers will be Doyle Thompson, Cisco; Waldo Gatewood, Anson; Leroy O'Dell, Lenora; J. L. Fleming, Seranton; Alton Fleming, Eastland; James O'Dell, Lenora; G. P. Jobe, Putnam and R. W. Purvis, Cisco.

### FUNERAL MONDAY FOR CALLAHAN PIONEER

Funeral for Mrs. Lura Allie Francis, 78 was held at 3 p. m. Monday in the Clyde Methodist Church, with Rev. Darris Egger, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Clyde Cemetery. Mrs. Francis, a resident of Callahan County since 1889, died Sunday at 4 a. m. in the Callahan County Hospital. She had been ill for 10 days.

Mrs. Francis was born in Alabama Sept. 7, 1870, and came to Texas with her parents while a small child.

She was first married to J. H. Perry of Clyde, who died in 1903. Two sons, James Perry of Rotan and Frank Perry of Clyde survive that marriage.

Her next marriage was to H. S. Monk, who died in 1932. One son, Parks Monk, of Tulsa, Okla., survives from her second marriage.

Six years ago Mrs. Monk was married to J. N. Francis, who survives.

### Dr. V. E. Hill Buried Monday, May 2

Funeral services for Dr. V. E. Hill, 64, were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist Church. Rev. John A. English, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. A. A. Davis. Burial was in Ross Cemetery, under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Dr. Hill, local dentist, died at his home Saturday morning at 6 o'clock. He had been ill since suffering a heart attack at his office two weeks ago.

He was born on September 15, 1885 at the old family home south of Baird. He had lived in Callahan County all of his life. He was graduated from the local high school and attended Baylor Dental College in Dallas, and the Texas Dental College at Houston. He was graduated in Houston in 1912.

Dr. Hill went to Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., to take his post graduate work. He returned to Baird and has practiced here since that time.

He was married to Vida Gilliland on June 12, 1917.

Dr. Hill had been active in civic affairs in Baird for many years. He was a member of the Callahan County Luncheon Club and was a steward in the Methodist Church for 35 years. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge.

He served on the Dental Examining Board during World War I and II.

Survivors include the widow; two sons, Clifton of Houston, and Lewis of Greenville, S. C.; his mother, Mrs. E. C. Hill of Baird; one granddaughter, Jane Eleanor Hill of Houston; one brother, Ernest of Baird; two sisters, Mrs. Jimmy Massa of Pampa, and Mrs. Alan Anderson of Gonzales.

Pallbearers were Bob Norrell, Howard Farmer, Ace Hickman, Hugh Ross, A. R. Kelton, J. Brice Jones, L. B. Lewis and John H. Shrader.

### MRS. R. B. CAMPBELL RITES HELD WEDNESDAY

Funeral for Mrs. R. B. Campbell, Sr., 77, of Clyde, were held at the Clyde Methodist Church at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Rev. Darris Egger, pastor, officiated.

Burial was in the Clyde Cemetery.

Mrs. Campbell died at her home in Clyde Tuesday.

Born Frances Elizabeth Hamblen in Tennessee in 1872, she came to Texas with her parents when she was two years old. First settling at Mansfield, in Johnson County, the family later moved to Greenville. She was married there to R. B. Campbell Oct. 5, 1890.

They immediately made their home in Stephens county and lived there until 1908 when they moved to Clyde.

Mrs. Campbell was a member of the Methodist Church and a charter member of the Woman's Missionary Society.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Minnie Bird of Clyde, Mrs. E. G. Connally of Glenrose and Mrs. M. H. Brown of Orland, Calif.; three sons, Bryant Campbell of Lawn, Lloyd and R. B. Jr., both of Austin. The Campbells also reared two granddaughters, Mrs. R. E. Dusek of Abilene and Mrs. B. C. Miner of Oklahoma City.

Other survivors are fifteen other grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren; one brother, Will Hamblen of Canyon; one sister, Mrs. Mattie Bradley of Elurare City, Okla.; her stepmother, Mrs. F. P. Hamblen; and several half-brothers and sisters.

### BILLIE MAC JOBE TO BE BAYOU SPEAKER

Hon. Billie Mac Jobe, State Representative, will deliver the address at the Commencement exercises at Bayou high school Friday, May 6th, at 8:30 p. m. Mrs. Blain Odom will present the awards and diplomas will be presented by C. R. Steele. Salutatory will be given by Donald Stephens and Valedictory by Carl Mauldin.

### COOKED FOOD SALE

The Presbyterian Ladies will have a Bazaar and Cooked Food sale Saturday, May 7, at Parsons Electric and Refrigeration Service. Cake, pie, sandwiches and coffee will be served.

### Eula Asks Our Help On Better Farm Roads

Reese Miller, Hilton Tarrant and A. G. Black, who reside in the Eula community, appealed to the people of Baird to help in a movement to obtain all-weather roads throughout precinct 1, when they came before the Callahan County Club at a luncheon Wednesday. Mr. Miller spoke for the group to explain that "there are just too many miles of roads in this commissioners precinct for the amount of money the commissioners appropriate to the job. Our commissioner is trying to keep up our 1949 roads with horse and buggy finances. It will take a special road tax to do the job right."

Mr. Black spoke briefly to say that "we would have better rural roads if this precinct received its share of the taxes it pays into the county treasury. We are called upon to help foot the bills of the other precincts of the county, and there goes our road money." He appealed to all the people of the precinct to get behind the movement as a sound business deal that is good for farmers and business firms alike.

Mr. Tarrant expressed his opinion that the improvement of school bus routes alone would be worth the money, besides all the other ways in which the community would benefit.

Ben Russell presided over the meeting in the absence of President Harold Ray, and stated that "Eula has the blackest land and the whitest people in the county, and we want to work with them in every way possible to accomplish this aim." L. B. Lewis, attorney, reported that the special road tax issue had passed at Cross Plains and at Oplin by a large margin, and expressed the belief that it is the answer to our rural road problems.

The club voted to join the Eula people in their efforts to pass a special road tax and a committee will be appointed by the president to attend to the details.

Mr. Russell asked for tributes to Dr. V. E. Hill, who had been a loyal member of the club for many years, and had passed away. Bob Norrell spoke of Dr. Hill as a man with varied interests. He recalled many happy hours spent at Dr. Hill's home and said "He was always careful to see that his guests enjoyed themselves. He was my neighbor and friend, but paramount in my memory of Dr. Hill is his earnest interest in his Sunday School class as its superintendent." Judge L. L. Blackburn stated "I remember when Dr. Hill finished high school... I have been impressed with his unfeeling kindness toward his fellowman." J. Brice Jones said, "I have lived next door to Dr. Hill for a long time, and he was one of the finest neighbors a man could have." Ace Hickman told the club members, "Dr. Hill was one of my closest friends. He was a worthwhile citizen of this community who will be greatly missed." Randall Jackson said, "I will remember Dr. Hill mainly for his interest in the young people of Baird. His interest in youth did not slacken after his own sons became grown men."

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### OPEN HOUSE AT MUSEUM AND LIBRARY

Callahan County Library and Museum, located in the basement of the court house, will hold annual open house Friday and Saturday afternoons, May 13 and 14. The court house will remain open until six o'clock on both afternoons.

A number of new books have been added to the library and several articles of interest have been donated to the museum this year. There are now over 35,000 books in the library, with all free to the public with the exception of one shelf of books which require a small deposit.

Relics from many pioneer families of Callahan county have been placed in the museum, which has helped to make this one of the finest museums of its kind in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pyeatt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCollum and Mrs. Callie Marshall of Clyde were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roark in Wichita Falls.

### Frozen Food Locker Gets A New Name

Baird Locker Plant will hereafter be known as the Baird Food Bank. The frozen food plant was given its new name this week when N. A. Waldrop assumed charge of the business. Mr. Waldrop is manager of the Callahan County Farmer's Co-operative stores in Baird and Clyde, and will not devote much of his personal attention to the food bank, but will employ an experienced operator to be in complete charge of the plant.

It is the plan to completely overhaul and re-arrange the food bank plant. A new bookkeeping system will be installed and the place will be done over from stem to stern. More steel lockers will be installed as soon as possible. Two or three months will be required to complete the program, but when this is accomplished Baird will have one of the most efficient locker plants in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough operated the locker plant, with the assistance of their sons, since the place was opened more than two years ago. Mr. Yarbrough has been holding a position at Weslaco for the past year and Mrs. Yarbrough and the boys have carried on until the change in ownership was made this week. Mrs. Ed Alexander, who has been employed there for some time, will remain on the job to assist the new management in rendering good service.

### MRS. W. C. BURLISON BURIED AT TUSCOLO

Funeral for Mrs. W. C. Burlison, 69, a former resident of Callahan county, was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Tuscola.

Mrs. Burlison, the mother of Mrs. Conley Pruitt and Arthur Burlison, of this place, died Sunday afternoon after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Burlison was born Nov. 27, 1879, in Hopkins county. She was married to W. C. Burlison in Bosque county in 1897. In 1904 they moved to Callahan county and from here to Taylor county in 1916.

She had been a member of the First Baptist Church since the age of 16.

Burial was in the Tuscola Cemetery. Rev. D. G. Reed of Wingate, conducted the church services, assisted by Rev. I. W. Taylor of Big Lake and Rev. Ernest Stewart, Baptist pastor.

Survivors include the husband; four daughters, Mrs. Dewey Williams of Tuscola, Mrs. Conley Pruitt of Baird, Mrs. Jeck Dees of Abilene and Mrs. Allene Carnahan of Tye; three sons, Arthur Burlison of Baird, Alton of Odesa and Homer of Memphis; two sisters, Mrs. Jim Thurman of Tuscola and Mrs. W. J. May of Lawn; one brother, J. M. Preston of Tuscola; 14 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Among the survivors is Don Vickey, a grandson whom Mrs. Burlison reared.

Pallbearers were Jim Cox, Leslie McCormick, W. L. Roberts, Lester Peterson, Jack Nix and Elmo Jones, all of Tuscola.

### Formal Opening Of Humble Bulk Station



Tom B. Barton

About 250 Callahan County farmers and Baird businessmen, as well as their families and friends, have been invited to be guests of Tom Barton, local representative of Humble Oil & Refining Company, at a farm meeting in the Baird High School gymnasium at 7 o'clock Thursday night, May 12. The meeting marks the formal opening of Humble's new bulk plant here.

The new plant, built as a central point for distribution of products in Callahan county, will be open to the public for inspection during the afternoon preceding the meeting. It is located at Spruce & First Streets.

For the past three years, the Humble Company has been conducting an expansion program to offer improved service in north and west Texas. Better marketing operations here, as well as over the entire area, were made possible by the completion of a products pipe line from Humble's Baytown refinery on the Gulf Coast to a terminal near Dallas.

The farm meeting Thursday night will open with a ranch-style supper and brief program, after which guests will hear music and see an agricultural motion picture and comedy. In addition, a number of Humble products will be given as door prizes.

Joe Haegelin, Humble farm representative, will conduct the meeting. Officials from Humble's home office in Houston, representatives from the West Texas division office in Abilene, and Humble agents from other towns in this area are expected to attend.

Barton, Humble's local representative, will be co-host with the company for the meeting.

Barton was born and attended school in Clyde. After graduation from North Texas State Teacher's College in Denton, he spent five years in the Army. He joined the Humble Company in 1946, and since that time has served as agent in Baird for the Abilene bulk station.

He is married and has two children.



SHARLOTTE SHANNON, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shannon of Putnam, was District 13-B winner of Ward School Junior Girl's Declamation contest recently held in Cross Plains. The district included Eastland and Callahan counties. He, competing in the Junior High School Division, placed second at Regional 11-B meet at Abilene. He was trained by Mrs. J. B. Shannon, high school English and speech teacher of Putnam school.



RAY GREEN, son of Mrs. I. G. Mobley of Putnam, was District 13-B winner of Ward School Junior Boy's Declamation contest recently held in Cross Plains. The district included Eastland and Callahan counties. He, competing in the Junior High School Division, placed second at Regional 11-B meet at Abilene. He was trained by Mrs. J. B. Shannon, high school English and speech teacher of Putnam school.



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**HEALTH FACTS**

Austin — During the first seventeen weeks of 1948 there were only 55 cases of poliomyelitis reported to the State Health Department, while in this same period for 1949, there have been 142 cases reported from different sections of the State, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Seven cases were reported in the past week, with three from one county.

"Poliomyelitis is one of the most dreaded of all diseases," Dr. Cox said, "and justly so. It is more often a crippler than a killer, but in either case it takes a heavy toll among young Texas citizens, and is a health menace against which our children should be carefully guarded."

Immaculate cleanliness of person and homes is urged as a precautionary measure against polio, and community hygiene assumes a place of major importance when the disease makes its appearance. Clean communities, clean homes, and strict personal hygiene all play a part in helping to prevent the spread of diseases, and Dr. Cox advises close inspection of home screens for keeping out flies, and unremitting efforts in rodent control, and the extermination of roaches.

"Until it is definitely understood just how polio is transmitted, it is well to guard against all household pests and eliminate all insanitary conditions," Dr. Cox said. "We do not know with certainty how polio may be spread, and filth, which affords a breeding place of germs, should not be tolerated."

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green of San Angelo, will be Rodeo visitors here. They will be guests of Mrs. Stella Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman and Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Griggs.

Jack Sims left Monday for Ft. Chaffey, Ark., for assignment in the Army.

**County H. D. Agent's Column**  
Evelyn Wieland Scott

**Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World**

The theme of national home demonstration week, May 1 - 7, will be "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World," and the forty thousand members of nearly two thousand clubs in Texas will give recognition to leaders and achievements in their own communities. Maurine Hearn, state home demonstration agent and vice-director for women for the Texas A & M College Extension Service, has announced that the Texas Home Demonstration Association and the Extension staff will join in the observance this year.

Through special events, news stories and radio the home demonstration club women will tell their friends and neighbors of the objective and activities of home demonstration work to the entire extension program will be clarified, and recognition given to volunteer local leaders whose services in the communities have resulted in the better understanding of public problems on a local, state, national and international scale.

Miss Hearn says that clubs are planning special skits to be presented at meetings where leaders will be honored. Regular radio programs by the agents and club members will tell the story of home demonstration achievements, and special broadcasts will dramatize these developments.

In a special message to home demonstration club women, she says, "In observing this week in various ways as each community demands, I hope that you, as well as others who are not members of home demonstration clubs, may realize the scope and flexibility of your organization. You are probably the largest organization of rural women in America. Besides mastering the many phases of home living that are available to you, you work as an organized group for many things that are beneficial to your communities, such as scholarship funds, libraries, health, safety, exchange programs with other counties.

"Your responsibility to your communities, to your nation, and to other nations, is to help those who are not acquainted with the demonstration club work to benefit personally through it, and that you may benefit by the growth of your organization."

Clubs in Callahan county are displaying posters and inviting other clubs to their meetings during National Home Demonstration Week.

**Buffalo Grass Make Good Lawn**  
 Buffalo grass has been found a good grass to use for lawns since it is a native pasture grass and drought resistant. It spreads from surface runners and has no underground stems. For this reason it is easier to keep out of shrub beds and gardens.

Since buffalo grass is more easily established from sod than seed, it might be well to explain that there are two kinds of buffalo grass, male and female plants. The female organ is at the end of the stems. The female plants grows less rapidly and has its flowering organ close to the ground, thus making it the more desirable as it requires less frequent mowing.

Now about watering the lawn. It is best to soak the ground thoroughly now and then to encourage a deep root system. Frequent sprinkling encourages a shallow root system which is not very good in hot dry seasons.

**Rowden Round-Up**  
Irene Mauldin  
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Mrs. Annie Miller visited Mrs. Bessie Smedley Sunday afternoon.

Patsy Crow and Dale Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rose and Bruce Saturday night.

Donald Stephens, Dean Gibbs, J. Reid Smedley and Carl Wright visited Derwin and Ray McCarty Sunday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Olin English and boys are Mrs. Bill Vaughn of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Putnam and son, of Lubbock.

Mrs. W. F. Jones visited Mrs. Will Hornsby and Miss Sue on Thursday evening.

The Bayou senior class will have their graduation exercises Friday night. The seniors are: Lorene Sargent, Donald Stephens, Chief Horner and Carl Mauldin.

Mrs. Alton Hornsby's mother, of Lubbock, is visiting her. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Roberts and daughter, of San Angelo, spent the past weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Dennis and children.

Mrs. Ida Thomas of Anson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert McCarty and family this week.

**JOHNNY WEISSMULLER IN SEARING STORY OF JUNGLE**

Story of a desperate safari in to wildest Africa, Columbia Pictures' "Jungle Jim" which opens at the Plaza Theatre Thursday and Friday, May 6 & 7, with Johnny Weissmuller in a new role, that of the jungle's greatest soldier-of-fortune and the adventure idol of millions. Based upon the popular King Features' cartoon strip, the new picture is expected to be the first of a screen series, with Virginia Grey featured as the romantic lead. Others in the cast are George Reeves, Lita Baron, Rick Vallin, Holmes Herbert and Tex Mooney.

As the adventurer-explorer, "Jungle Jim" Weissmuller is said to bring to the screen many of the adventures of the type he made famous in his jungle roles. Amid the snarl of man-eaters, and the death-beat of tomtoms, he battles fierce tribesmen for the secret of a mysterious jungle pyramid, rescues a beautiful girl from the clutches of devil doctors, engages in an underwater clash with a monstrous sea-serpent and a hand-to-hand struggle with a lion, and generally makes "Jungle Jim" a rousing spectacle of wild adventure.

Miss Grey is cast as a young scientist seeking a valuable drug with Weissmuller as organizer of her safari into the jungle wilds. George Reeves, playing his first "menace" role, appears as the young American who attaches himself to the safari in order to win for himself the gold and other treasure known to be buried with the secret of the medicine.

In lesser roles are Lita Baron and Rick Vallin, as the youthful native brother and sister who join Weissmuller against the wild terror around the safari.

S. A. Smith, Clyde, an employee of the Gulf Refining Company, has received an engraved certificate and jeweled emblem in recognition of 15 years' service with the company.

**Dudley Dabble**  
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Visiting in the Dudley Baptist Church Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Knight. Mrs. Knight is the former Elizabeth McKenzie of Dudley.

Glenn Betcher has been very ill in the hospital.

J. D. Crawford is very proud of his new pick-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Landon Loper of Anson, were visiting with the Scotts.

**TEEN GOSSIP**

All the of Juniors and Seniors of Denton visited San Antonio and Corpus Christi Friday, Saturday and Sunday. We attended Buccaneer Day at Corpus Christi. If you have never seen Corpus Christi during Buccaneer Days, you have little idea about how much fun there is to be had. We visited the Alamo, Brackenridge Park, and the Buckhorn Saloon at San Antonio. Those making the trip were: the bus driver, I. R. Bailey, his wife and daughter, Lavina; Mrs. J. M. Whitley, E. E. Durham, Don Jones, Benny King, Carrol Edwards, T. M. Allen, J. W. Wiloughby, Faye Scott, Audrey Shipman, Pat Whitley, Violet Davis, Hattie Lehev, and yours truly. A very splendid time, and bad sunburn, was enjoyed by everyone and we wish to thank Mr. Durham for making our trip such a success.

Visiting my aunt, Mrs. A. M. Stark Saturday afternoon at Corpus Christi were Hattie Lehev and I.

**PONTIAC'S SALES HIT POSTWAR HIGH**

Pontiacs retail sales hit a postwar high during March when sales topped the highest previous postwar month by 10%, according to L. W. Ward, general sales manager.

Previous high postwar sales occurred in March, 1948. As this is being written during April, indications are that April will exceed March by another 10%.

"Despite this record high postwar sales," Ward said, "demand for our product seems to remain as high as at any time since the close of the war."

**MRS. HARRISON HOSTESS TO EULA H. D. CLUB**

The Eula Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Harrison April 29th. Mrs. Harrison presided for the business session. She gave the council report, also reported on her trip to San Angelo to the District Convention of Home Demonstration Clubs. Mrs. Rufus Miller reported on the Coupon Savings Plan. Plans were made for "Club Exchange Day" to be in the home of Mrs. Rufus Miller. The entire club voted to accept the invitation extended us to visit the Enterprise Club on their "Club Exchange Day."

Talks were made on the Cancer Drive and contributions were made by individual members.

After adjournment gifts were presented to Billy and Wanda Harris welcoming them into our community.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Weldon Edwards, Mrs. Rufus Miller, Mrs. Morris Edwards, Mrs. M. L. Logan, Mrs. Cecil Harris, Mrs. Porter Lovington, Mrs. A. L. Barnes, Miss Willie Mae Bourland, Mrs. Reo Jolly, Wanda Harris, Jane Ann Mil-

ler, Weldon Lynn Edwards, Leila Rose and Frances Jolly.

Mrs. Dude Pierce returned home recently from an Abilene hospital, after undergoing major surgery.

Mmes. Hugh Ross, C. B. Snyder, M. C. McGowen, Howard Farmer, and Harold Ray visited Mrs. Reaves Hickman at Albany recently.

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**FISH RESOURCES OF TEXAS MENACED**

(The following article which we quote in full was printed in the Houston Post, Friday, April 22, 1946. The sentiments expressed in this letter are those of thousands of sportsmen of the State of Texas as well as many commercial fishermen. We urge that you lend assistance in preventing enactment into law of Senate Bill No. 266, House Bill No. 345, an act which legalizes purse seining in the Gulf of Mexico.

Conservation of Texas Fish and Game, Inc.

To The Post: Since our present Legislature convened in Austin, The Post, as usual, is slugging and battling for the conservation of our natural resources. Your policy on this subject has many followers.

This business of conservation is not sport, or a game, as many people seem to believe, and dismiss the subject as something about a rabbit or a fish; it goes deeply into the three most vital things in our lives, namely, food, clothing and shelter.

For too many years have greed and ignorance exploited our natural resources under the policy of "get while the getting is good."

Before our Legislature there is now pending a bill that would permit the use of great purse seines 2000 feet long, the use of which would be limited to a distance of one mile off gulf shore. Unless someone drives a row of stakes completely along the Texas Gulf coast, how can you tell when the end of a seine is a mile off shore? Can you see a boat operating in the dark and tell how far away it is?

Hearsay informs that the Atlantic commercial fishermen fishermen have been fighting to get this bill through our Legislature for two years. Why? So they can catch millions of pounds of menhaden and process

them into fish oil and fertilizer? Very nice of them. Where do the rest of us come into the picture? The rest of us, many of us being in opposition to such a bill, can look at it this way. A handful of men stands to make a fortune out of a natural resource which to date has not felt the hand of greed and waste. A natural resource will be depleted and probably be filched before our very eyes for which the general public will receive nothing but a loss. Commercial interests, as in the past, won't give two hoots if they destroy every school of menhaden on the gulf shore, as long as they get folding money out of it, and as for the public, they can like it or lump it. When and where have commercial interests expended either effort or money to sustain a constant yield of any sort of fish for which they drag their seines? There are plenty of records where they have completely wrecked and ruined fishing grounds, but you never read of and records where they have done one thing to replenish the fish they take for nothing out of the Creator's largess. When are legislators going to realize the responsibility due the public and start creating protection for our natural resources instead of harking to the call of special interests? When will they realize their duty is to all the people instead of just a few?

The menhaden, a sardine class of fish, exists in the Gulf in large schools as it was meant to be. They form a part of the food for the larger fish which we are still able to buy for food in the open market. Educated scientists, experimenters, and observers, have proven that more protein can be produced in an acre of water than an acre of land. Fish are a valuable source of food. If you destroy their source of food you drive away the fish. Now special interests want to harvest millions of pounds of fish food annually

and process it into oil and fertilizer to fatten their purses. Why not let them take the corn and wheat and oats and process it into some money making product, other than human and animal food? When will humanity ever learn to stop the ruthless destruction of our food resources and try to leave something for the children who are now arriving upon the scene? All of you have seen Galveston bay literally destroyed in the past 25 years. Do you want to see the entire Gulf of Mexico left a lifeless mass of salt water when it is capable of producing food forever? How long, good brothers, how long is this waste to continue?

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HARDY R. FIELDS, 4536 Polk, Houston, Texas.

**Midway Musings**  
Mrs. Joel Griffin  
Miscellaneous Melange and Minor Mention of Men and Women.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb and daughters, of El Paso, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Canada the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Faircloth of Lawton, Okla., spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Faircloth, and other relatives. Wilburn went back to rejoin the army for another term. He has been in the army six years.

Bob Griffin, who has been in Arizona since the first of the year, is visiting his family here and in Abilene.

Carl Cook has been in Corpus Christi for several days of fishing, with quite a bunch of his fisherman friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick and Tony, of Globe, Arizona, are vacationing here with their daughter, Betty, who is in school at Clyde, and visiting relatives and friends here.

Visiting Mrs. R. W. Cook and Mrs. McGough Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks and family, Mrs. Carl Cook and children.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smedley, Janie and Larry, of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and Vickie, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones, Richard and David of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick and Tony, and Bob Griffin, of Globe, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Black and daughter, of Philadelphia, Pa., are spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rogers and family, and his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. R. Black of Abilene.

Johnny Rogers, who is in the Navy, is spending his furlough with the Rogers. It's so nice that Johnny, Wanda and her family could be here at the same time.

Grandmother Moseley has been real sick for several days.

**LAND FOR SALE IN CALLAHAN COUNTY**

Austin — State Land Commissioner, Bascom Giles, states that there is still public land for sale in Texas.

However, not much of it, as Texans measure land. Less than one per cent of the once colossal public domain is available to high bidders as the unsold acreage has dwindled to a total of 1,025,875.70 acres. The total acreage of the state is 172,687,000.

The unsold land includes 445.11 acres in Callahan County.

Not all of the million acres can be purchased, Giles explains. The domain is administered by the School Land Board, of which Giles is chairman.

"No school lands within five miles of oil or gas production can be sold," Giles points out.

When there is sufficient demand, the School Land Board authorizes the sale of advertised tracts. A public sale is advertised and information about the tracts supplied by the General Land Office upon request.

**Cottonwood Chips**  
Hazel I. Respass  
Community Chatter Carefully Collected For Your Consideration.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix E. Mitchell, of Baird, were by last Wednesday to visit their son, Dan Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graham visited in Eden last Saturday. Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick and son, Danny, visited Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee at Everbest over the weekend.

The "Memorial Day" of the Cottonwood Cemetery Association had a very pleasant day in rendering a very nice program and renewing acquaintance of former friends. There were too many to list, but some have never missed a year since the Association was organized in 1944. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Melton of Austin, Rev. and Mrs. David Foster of Atwell, Bob Norrell of Baird, Miss Eunice Hembree of Abilene, Miss Missouri Strahan, Mrs. J. H. Strahan and Mrs. S. B. Strahan, of Cross Plain, and others we don't recall.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Holdridge and daughter, Nina Beth, of De Leon attended church at the Methodist Church Sunday night and heard their son preach. James Holdridge is a McMurry student at Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Holdridge brought a very beautiful song.

John Ivy, of Penwell, visited friends here Sunday.

Floyd Coffey made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

**FREE DEMONSTRATION ON FROZEN FOOD HANDLING**

The public is being invited to attend free demonstrations on the proper methods of handling frozen foods, which will be held at Clyde and Baird Tuesday and Wednesday. The demonstration at Clyde will be held at the Rio Theatre May 10th at 2:30 p. m. and another demonstration will be held at the Plaza Theatre in Baird, May 11th at 2:30 p. m. The Clyde Locker Plant of Clyde and Anderson Appliance Company of Baird are sponsoring the demonstrations which will be directed by Miss Lanell Camp for Philco Freezer Lockers and Refrigerators. Every housewife in this community could realize some benefit by attending the demonstrations. Many are expected to attend both days to get the maximum benefit from the demonstrations.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Sr., spent the week at San Angelo visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Powell.

**Clyde Comments**  
Mrs. Church  
Coherent Copy Compiled And Collected By Careful Cogitation

The Clyde high school juniors entertained the senior class with a banquet Saturday night, in the high school banquet hall. A Texas theme was carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caperton left Friday for San Francisco, due to the illness of Sonny Williams, who is in Letterman Hospital there. Accompanying them on the trip were Nina Caperton and Mrs. Willie Williams of Baird, mother of Mr. Williams.

Mrs. Stella Calloway left Monday of a visit with relatives in Cisco, and will go from there to Prairie Grove, Arkansas to be with a sister, Mrs. J. D. Elam, who is ill.

Mrs. Ethel Harvel and sons, Paul and Bobby, attended a surprise supper honoring Loretta Haley on her 18th birthday. The supper was held in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haley in Abilene Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Cowley, Robert and Janie, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Caperton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Crenshaw of Abilene, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Church.

Francis Hagan, of Jal. N. M., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Coffey and family, of Seminole, spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Holmes and family.

Wanda Spinks spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Spinks.

Billy Harvell, of Abilene, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Harvell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Calloway and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Calloway and family of Sipe Springs.

Mrs. Stella Calloway visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rock, of Baird, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler the past weekend.

Bob Griffin, of Benson, Ariz., is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick of Globe, Ariz., are visiting with relatives in Clyde.

Royce Barton, of El Paso, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Barton.

**WAR CORRESPONDENT TO SPEAK IN ABILENE**

Abilene — Sigrid Schultz, one of the few feminine war correspondents, will speak at Hardin-Simmons at 8 o'clock Monday night. She will compare the pre-war and post-war thinking concerning European affairs.

Miss Schultz has had more than 25 years of study-on-the-spot in the countries of Germany, France, Austria, and Czechoslovakia. She is considered by many as the foremost United States woman reporter and analyst.

On her present cross-country tour Miss Schultz is speaking about Europe in 1949 and the turning point of history. She emphasizes that military victory is no longer enough - that mental mobilization is as necessary as military and economic mobilization. She is convinced that Germany is "lying down" and letting America supply her with food which she could have produced herself and that, until Germany is forced to work for herself, the people will do as little as they can, and eat from an American-supplied bread-basket. She believes, too, that the Germans will make another try in their consistent efforts to conquer the world. What we can do about it, and how, is included in Miss Schultz's lectures.

During the years before, and during World War II, Miss Schultz met and interviewed the great and near-great protagonists of the recent holocaust. She knew Hitler before he became mighty and warned the world of his increasing strength - knew him and Eva Braun, Goering, Goebbels, and Himmler at the height of their diabolical power, and when they were faced with the task of rebuilding Germany, and learned what were their plans to do it.

Born in Chicago, Illinois, Miss Schultz received her early education in that city, and while still a young girl accompanied her father, a well-known painter, to Europe where he went to paint the King of Wuerttemberg. She became a school girl in Berlin, which by this time she knew better than her native city of Chicago. Miss Schultz began the political study of Germany which made her so well-known that she received an invitation to join the staff of the Berlin Bureau of the Chicago Tribune in 1919.

She had already seen Germany start, fight and lose one World War, and rapidly became the acknowledged "interpreter" of the German mind. In 1925 she was appointed director of the Chicago Tribune's Central European Bureau in Berlin, watching, studying and reporting the events which culminated in Germany's declaration of war in 1941. Home on leave, she wrote "Germany Will Try Again."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Myers of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Falls of Bowie, arrived the past weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White. Mr. and Mrs. Falls left Sunday evening for their home and Mr. and Mrs. Myers left Thursday to visit at Amarillo before returning to their home.

**MRS. SAM GILLILAND IS CLUB HOSTESS**

Miss Eudora Hawkins of Abilene was guest speaker for the Wednesday Club when it met with Mrs. Sam Gilliland on April 27th.

Miss Hawkins presented the Cavacade of Texas in film and gave a quiz program on the vastness of Texas. Also, in conclusion she showed a very informative film on Cancer.

In keeping with Texas the hostess served a beautifully decorated plate containing a sandwich cut in the form of a map of Texas and a white cake embossed with a blue bonnet. Arrangement of Texas blue bonnets were used to decorate the house.

Guests of the evening were Meses: H. L. Ferguson, Frankie Crow, Carl Yarbrough, S. I. E. Settle, C. L. McCleary, Ed Sunderman, Misses Betsy Hickman, Sue Hooker and Evelyn Frazier.

The next Wednesday Club program will be held with Mrs. N. M. George on the George Ranch. Guests will be members of Cisco Study Club, Putnam Study Club, Moran Study Club, Clyde Study Club and the study clubs of Baird, the Delphian Club, the Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club and the Junior Wednesday Club. This will be a musical program in observance of Music Week. The time is 7:30 p.m. on May 11th.

**Oplin Observations**

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Oliver Collins, former resident of Oplin, was buried last Friday. He died at McGregor, where he had been living two years.

The Commencement exercises will be held at the schoolhouse, Thursday, May 5. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straley and Frieda visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Straley in Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breeding are proud parents of a son born at St. Ann's Hospital at Abilene last Thursday.

Paul Ray McIntyre, who is working in Odessa, visited home folks recently.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin Sunday were: Mrs. W. L. Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberson of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Roberson and Avon, of Winters.

Mrs. Alice Hopkins and little granddaughter, Clarice Poindecker, are visiting in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Milliron and children of Eula, attended the Baccalaureate service here Sunday night.

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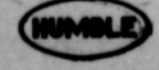
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**ZEKE OF BANDERA FREE STATE MISSING PERSON**  
Last spring, a cowboy by the name of Zeke, residing in the small hill country town of Bandera (Texas, that is), made news when he penciled a letter to President Truman calling attention to a forgotten man, the cowboy, who has accomplished so many things for our country and who has never been given official recognition. Cowboy Zeke asked the President (politely) to proclaim a national holiday for all cowboys in the United States.

When the President chose to ignore the request, the townspeople of Bandera became indignant at his apparent lack of interest in honoring the cowboy; they established a confused and frightened Zeke as "High Constibule" and, as his constituents, made him write another letter to the President, delivering an ultimatum. Unless the President responded by sundown of a certain day, they declared they would set up a FREE STATE of Bandera, and they would STOMPEDE from the Union. When no word came from the White House, the hill people went into action, sending word around that the Free State of Bandera would honor the cowboy by having a two-day Stompede Celebration. A cowboy holiday was put on that attracted 30,000 visitors to that tiny town of 1200 population. Since then Zeke has retained his office as High Constibule, but has gone about his daily routine of tending to his ranch activities, and keeping out of the lime-light as much as possible.

Recently word has come from Zeke's wife, Sophronia, and we print her letter:

Rufinuf Bluff,  
Free State of Bandera,  
Toosday.

"Dere frens-  
"Yore kind editor has sed he would get yore help fer to find my ole man of Zeke. High Constibul of sed Free State of Ban-

dera. Zeke has been a missin now fer three-four weeks an we're afeerd fer him. He's a sewed up in his red flannels en gooze grease en assfidity en efen he aint found soon I'm afeerd he'll cum down with the spring wheezes. All the chorin is done mostly cept washin the chillun and I needs his help.

"The criks full and I got me a batch of soap made frum hog lard en lye en the time has cum. Counted fourteen to sup last nite en reckon thats all what's ourn hereabouts. Cornered one youngun in the hog lot en was draggin him to the crik when the varmint bit me on the arm en mortification has set in. Reckon I'll whale the tar outen him er pull his teeth ken I ketch him agin.

"Now with yore good help efen we could ketch ole Zeke en three-four good men help me scrub him, he'll be so dadblamed mad that he'll see the chillun gits the same as him. Please don't set no hounds on Zeke count of the scent is too strong en will only ruin their smellers en I shore don't want nobodys good hound dog ruint. The best way is to watch yore buzzards a-swarmin. It'll either be something dead er it'll be ole Zeke.

"Zeke was last seen wearin red shirt with yellow polka dots (feed sack), blue jeans, boots, (Spanish-American war), kacky coat (World War I), en thet hat what he won 1915 for Champeen Goat Rider of East Verde crik. He stands bout twelve hands high, heavy as a four year nany on pore grazin, size ten neck, tobaccy colored mustache, en a face like a ringtail with his jaws full. Teeth - 2 upper and 1 lower. Aroma - kinda like tobaccy, assafidity, cedar smoke en a mo-hair bin. You can't miss him.

"The boys hereabouts wants him accounta Zeke has got to offishiate at this here Bandera Stompede cum May 13th en 14th, en we needs him turrible bad fer to be in the rodeo en

parade en street dancing en general good-timing.  
"Shore do appreciate yore helpin en hope you all en the kids ken cum up May 13th en 14th en help us celebrate this here holidays fer the cowboy, the forgotten man.

"Glory be,  
"Sophronia."

**SATURDAY TREAT FOR RODEO FANS**

The Junior Wednesday Club is expecting a large crowd of visitors in Baird Saturday who come here for the rodeo and to trade, so they are serving a big chicken dinner of the American Legion hut at the noon hour for only 75 cents the plate. Everybody is welcome. The menu will consist of baked chicken, dressing, giblet-gravy, hot rolls, cornbread, vegetable, a salad, ice tea, coffee, and cobbler desert. Proceeds will go to the Junior Wednesday Club.

**OLTON POOL INITIATED INTO KAPPA DELTA PI**

Olton B. Pool, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olton Pool of Baird, was among initiates of Kappa Delta Pi when exercises were held at Sul Ross State College, Alpine, April 23rd.

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**MAYFIELD'S**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hays of Clyde have returned from a trip to Tampa, Fla., where they were guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Conard Hays.

Mrs. J. H. Bailey of Clyde, is in Austin, guest in the home of her son, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hays and baby, of Clyde, are spending the weekend in Andrews with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wylie are leaving Sunday for Galveston to attend a Mortician Convention.

Mrs. Ella Thomas Aaron writes from her home at Harlingen to inquire about the time and place of this year's Callahan County Old Settlers Reunion. Mrs. Aaron was reared here and her father was the late Judge J. E. Thomas well known to all the old timers of this section.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodley are moving to their Brownwood home this week. For several months they have been building a home there and report that it is now finished.

B. N. Mitchell of Sweetwater, D. P. Russey and son, Tommy, of Abilene, and Lynn Ault spent last weekend on a fishing trip.

Grace Holden of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holden of Levelland, and Evelyn Mayfield and Kack Wheeler of McMurry College, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holden at Clyde.

Mmes. Ace Hickman, J. Brice Jones, John A. English and Tee Baulch attended the district meeting of W.S.C.S. at St. Paul Methodist Church in Abilene Thursday of last week.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watson of Clyde were Mrs. R. M. Watson and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cox and children of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Lilly and children of Abilene.

TO THE PEOPLE OF BAIRD:

Inadequate as it is, I would like to take this means of expressing the appreciation of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse for the splendid cooperation the people of Baird have extended the Posse during the past few weeks prior to the annual rodeo. It is impossible to name the men and women who have contributed so much of their time, talent and energy, but to the people who have helped build the arena, finance the rodeo and to the people who helped us on the tours, and many other necessary tasks, we express our utmost appreciation.

And as president of the Posse, let me take this opportunity to thank each and every member of the posse for the splendid work done by each of you. Through the cooperation of each member, it has been possible to make this years annual rodeo bigger and better than the last one, and our position is now secure and firm enough that the day when our rodeo is the best in the state is not far off.

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**MAYFIELD'S**



**OPERETTA TO BE PRESENTED AT PUTNAM SCHOOL**

"Little Old Lady," an operetta written and directed by Mrs. J. B. Shannon, is to be presented by the Putnam High School Girl's Chorus in the school auditorium, Tuesday night, May 10, at 8 o'clock. The entire program will be accompanied by Mrs. E. C. Waddell, and the script will be read by Willa Bea Wall. All conversation is in poetry.

The first act of the three-act production is a scene in Little Old Lady's attic. She is meditatively going through her souvenirs and relics as she falls asleep and dreams of the past when her lover comes sailing home in her silver "dream boat." The chorus sings from the clouds in this scene as they hang over the lovers. The song, "By The Sea" (Schubert.) The dream ends in the third act after Little Old Lady's son and his best girl friend are presented as the favorites of Putnam High School.

Mrs. John Kellner, traditionally dressed in lavender and lace, will star in the title role. Mary Evelyn Taylor will co-star as Little Old Lady in her youth, and in middle age. Ethel Ames will portray the lover who sails to his bride-to-be in 1886. Ross Finley and Evelyn Ingram, the 1949 favorites of Putnam High School,

will play these like-roles in the operetta. All costumes will mark the period as designated by the dream.

Other members of the chorus are: Aura Frances Waddell, Marylen Thames, Bobby Jobe, Janette Roggenstein, Harvey Lee Black, Patsy Fry, Betty Williams and Joanne Smith.

Songs used will include the theme song, by Hoagy Carmichael, "Among My Souvenirs" - Nichols; "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life" - Victor Herbert; "By The Sea" - Schubert; "Glow Worm" - Lincke and "L'Amour - Tjours - L'Amour" - Rudolph Friml.

The public is invited to attend, and no admission will be charged.

**SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS**

Farmers and ranches cooperating with the Central Colorado and the Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation Districts have been seeding grasses throughout the county.

This seeding has been done on the range and in fields not suitable for cultivation that are being returned to permanent vegetation.

Most of the cooperators have seeded a native grass seed mixture composed of Indian grass,

Big Bluestem and Little Bluestem. Those seeding the native grass mixture are: Olan Wilson, C. M. McAnally, C. D. Sammons, C. M. Boyett, H. W. Plowman, O. B. Fortune, W. L. Baum, Tom A. King, Merlin Garrett, Douglas Fry, Herman Betcher and Hugh Ross. Kenneth George, Gene Finley and Bill Hatchett seeded Western Wheatgrass, Ed Cornelius and C. H. Siadous, C. M. Garrett, P. J. Cilcoat and Dan Applin have seeded small acreages of King Ranch strain Yellow Bluestem.

Hugh Ross, cooperating with the Baird soil conservation group has completed 2.7 miles of terraces recently.

R. W. Robinson built .7 miles of terraces on his farm. L. V. Hagan has completed 5 miles of terraces on his farm. Both of these farmers are members of the Cocklebur soil conservation group.

Paul Lutzenburger, cooperator in the Deer Plains soil conservation group, has built 4.1 miles of terraces. Robert L. Barnes, of the same group, has completed 2.5 miles of terraces on his farm.

A. J. Young, of the West Baird soil conservation group, has established 3.92 miles of terraces.

Blair Odom of the Rowden soil conservation group, has built 3.31 miles of terraces.

H. W. Plowman, of the Bayou No. 2 soil conservation group, has constructed 4.54 miles of terraces and 2150 feet of diversions.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan, Mrs. B. P. Pillans and Mrs. Harold Morgan made a trip to Temple Wednesday to be at the bedside of Mrs. J. T. Porter, Mrs. Pillan's daughter, who underwent major surgery last week at Scott and White hospital.

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I will appreciate your white or green quart bottles, beer bottles, scrap iron, or anything you consider worthless to you. Madison Montgomery

**NOTICE** - My business will be carried on on cash basis only in the future. John W. Loven. tfn.

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**POSTED** - My pasture is posted. No fishing will be allowed. Frank Windham. tfn.

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**FOR SALE** - Five-room house bath, front and back porch, garage, plenty of shrubbery, located one block from courthouse. Inquire at Baird Star Office. tfn.

**USED CAR SALE - REDUCED PRICES** - 1929 Ford with rebuilt motor, \$125.00; 1934 Chevrolet coupe with '36 rebuilt motor, \$145.00; good 1936 Dodge sedan, \$125.00; 1936 Dodge sedan with new crankshaft and overhaul, \$145.00; 1935 Chevrolet Coach, \$95.00. Terms. W. A. Chrisman. tfn.

**FOR SALE** - 1942 4-door De Luxe Plymouth, new seat covers, good heater, radio, new rings, new brakes and clutch, new front springs. Mrs. Wiley Clinton, 610 E. Rotan, Stamford, Texas. 2tp.

**FOR SALE** - 1946 Ford Station Wagon, radio, heater, overdrive. Rocky Motor Co. 1tc.

**FOR SALE** - Practically new saddle, Yoakum brand, cheap. Charles L. Robinson. 2tp.

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**FOR SALE** - 5-room residence 528 W. 4th Street. Willard Keltton. tfn.

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**HOUSE WANTED** - Would like to rent 5 room house. Phone 229. J. T. McCulloch. tfn.

**WANTED TO BUY** - Clean cotton rags, such as bed sheets, blankets, dresses. See Madison Montgomery. tfn.

**FOR SALE** - 1946 Ford Station Wagon, radio, heater, overdrive. Rocky Motor Co. 1tc.

**COOKED FOOD SALE** - Presbyterian Ladies will have a Bazaar and Cooked Food Sale at Parsons Electric and Refrigeration Service Saturday May 7th. Come by for cake, pie, sandwiches and coffee. 1tp.

**FOR SALE** - 1946 Ford Station Wagon, radio, heater, overdrive. Rocky Motor Co. 1tc.

**FOR SALE** - Apt. Gas Range, kitchen sink and lavatory. See Mrs. Hill at hospital. 2tc.

**BOYS BICYCLE** - Bargain at \$15. Balloon tires. W. A. Chrisman. tfn.

**FOR SALE** - Pony double disc plow. A-1 condition, \$15.00. Ed Crawford at Domino Hall. 2tp.

**FOR SALE** - Choice Alfalfa Hay. A. F. Winston, Vernon, Tex. Phone 1172. Aug. 26 pd.

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**FOR SALE** - Day bed. J. P. Reynolds. 1tp.

**HIGHEST CASH PRICE** paid for eggs at Black's Food Store. tfn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morgan have returned home after two weeks visit in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Green, of Wichita Falls, and grandson, T-Sgt. and Mrs. Charles E. Morgan of Shepperd Field and Odesa.

Mrs. M. D. Hoover, Dallas, left Saturday after three weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Lee Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gannon of Abilene are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lee Estes.

**MRS. BLACKBURN HOSTESS TO CLUB WEDNESDAY**

The Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, where a delicious spaghetti dinner was served to twelve club members. A business meeting followed the dinner.

Present were: Mrs. Herby Konczak, Mrs. Lee Loper, M. J. V. Thompson, Miss Burn, Warren, Mrs. N. L. Dickey, Miss Edith Bowls, Mrs. Margie Ray, Miss Katie Lou Walker, Mrs. J. L. Ault, Miss Jewel Sims, Mrs. Willard Keltton, Mrs. Bessie Mae Borden and the hostess, Mrs. Blackburn.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowan attended the State Dental Convention at Houston this week.

Mrs. Bess Johnson, Monahans, visited her mother, Mrs. Sallie Eastham this week.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Sallie Eastham were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Worsham of Lubbock.

Mrs. John T. Allen and sons, Sammy and Johnny, of Hondo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland last week.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone who was so kind and thoughtful during my long illness in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene. Your lovely cards, flowers, and visits were a great consolation to me. Mrs. Dude Pierce.

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We don't have feet like ducks yet, but if this weather keeps up we are just wondering if we won't need them.

The most news this week comes from the school as they try to wind everything up for the final closing May 20.

Baccalaureate exercises will be at 8 p. m. Sunday night at the high school auditorium. Commencement exercises will be May 13th.

Supt. and Mrs. N. H. Odell left Saturday morning with the seniors for a trip to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and other points south.

Mr. Poppol will take the 7th and 8th grades on a picnic Friday to State Park. Mr. Smith will take a group to Cisco on the same day.

The Junior-Senior banquet was held last Friday night in the

Colonial Room of the Wooten Hotel. Paul Ireland, field representative of the Boy Scouts of America, was guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Milliom visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin Sunday. They also attended the ordination service at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, when Clarence Breeding was ordained as a deacon of that church.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley and children will attend the funeral of his brother, J. C. Bentley, who died May 10, 1945 on Okinawa, on Friday of this week, at Scranton.

Sunday guests of Mrs. C. O. Pass were her daughter, Mrs. Max Morris, Mr. Morris and son, Bobby Don, of Glen Rose, and her sister, Miss Minnie Epler of Cisco.

Bob Norrell and "Uncle" Joe Alphin attended Memorial Services at Cottonwood Baptist Church Sunday.

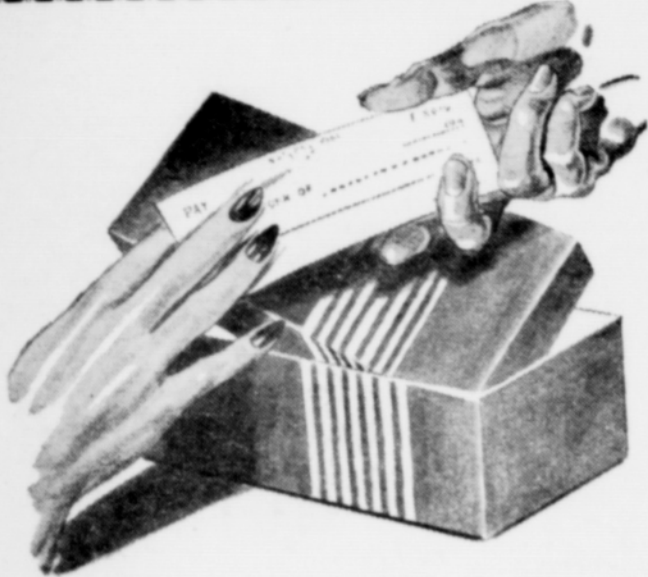


CLAYTON HILL, Canadian Texas, on Top Heavy. Both will appear at the Sheriffs Posse Rodeo here, May 5th, 6th, 7th.

Theda Kerby and Jackie Gilliland, McMurry College students, spent the past weekend with their parents, at Belle Plain.

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**Hospital Notes**

David, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Miller, was admitted the 3rd for medical treatment.

G. C. Malone, father of Mrs. Gayle Stallings, Clyde, is a medical patient.

Jessie Parks, Abilene, who underwent appendectomy the 2nd, is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. J. Lester Farmer returned to her home the 3rd after a few days hospitalization.

T. N. Gorman underwent tonsillectomy the 2nd.

E. F. Butler, Clyde, was a patient several days recently.

Mrs. Joe Mitchell, who was a

medical patient recently, has returned home.

Mrs. N. E. McGee is feeling fine.

Mrs. J. R. McFarlane is getting along nicely.

Dorothy Henry is feeling much better.

Mrs. A. A. Berryman, Clyde, surgical patient, was getting along nicely when discharged the 2nd.

Will Parks, who underwent surgery, is reported improving.

Mrs. Ted Walls, Clyde Route, is recovering from recent surgery.

Born the first, to Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Shelnett, a daughter, wt. 9 lbs. 6 ozs.

Among the patients receiving medical treatment are: Mmes. Earl Johnson, R. L. Smedley, W. P. Barr, G. M. Grantham, Annie Travis, Alex Barton, and the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Price.

Among patients discharged: Mrs. Theda Pierce, Cross Plains, Mrs. G. R. Sproles, Cross Plains, J. V. Starr, Cisco and Bill Biggerstaff, Putnam.

George Fred Walls was admitted the 4th for medical treatment.

Mrs. F. A. Payne, who underwent major surgery recently, was improving when she returned to her home the 3rd.

B. W. Lofton has a severe cold.

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**County Agent's Column**  
Oliver F. Werst

**4-H Club Boys Raise Heavy Litters**

Four Callahan county 4-H club boys have just completed some very outstanding demonstrations in raising pigs. These boys were in a contest to see which boy could raise the heaviest litter of pigs when the pigs were 56 days old. All the boys started out with a gilt. They raised the gilt, all bred their gilts to the same boar, and have now raised a litter of pigs to weaning age.

Daniel McClure of the Eula 4-H club had the largest litter and heaviest litter in the county. He had 10 pigs that weighed a total of 437 pounds. This was an average of 43.7 lbs. per pig. The heaviest pig in this litter weighed 53 pounds and the lightest weighed 34 pounds.

Billy Hicks of the Clyde 4-H club had the second largest litter in the county. His nine pigs weighed a total of 364 pounds or an average of 40 and 4-9 pounds per pig. The heaviest pig in his litter was 48 pounds and the lightest was 32 pounds.

Dale Crawford of the Oplin club had only six pigs but they were third in the weight contest. These six pigs weighed a total

of 328 pounds. This was an average of 54.66 pounds per pig. If the contest was based on average weight, he would have won the contest easily. Dale's heaviest pig was 62 pounds and the lightest pig was 45 pounds.

Robert Collins of the Clyde club had 7 pigs that weighed a total of 275 pounds or an average of 39 and 2-7 pounds per pig. His heaviest pig was 45 pounds and the lightest was 36 pounds.

**Eula 4-H Clubbers Have Picnic**

The Senior Eula H-H club boys had a picnic at Cisco Lake on April 30. The boys furnished all the food and invited the 4-H club girls and their sponsor to go along on the picnic. They made the trip by bus, which was furnished by the school board. Swimming, skating, fishing, and hiking were enjoyed by all present.

Students making the trip were Bud Logan, Nita Johnson, Burl Loving, Beth Farmer, Gerald Ball, Bud Farmer, Ann Burleson, Joan Gray, Tommie Harris, Louise Smith, George Crook, Verp Joe Clemmer, Buck McClure, Clarita James, John McKee, Olivia Lilly, Butch Harris, and the sponsor, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris, Mr. Hallmark, and the county agent.

**4-H Club Boys Win 8th Place In Judging Contest.**

Callahan county 4-H club boys placed eighth in the livestock judging contest held at Stephenville on April 27. There were 11 west Texas counties that took part in the contest. Nine classes of livestock were judged by the county team. There were three classes of beef cattle, three of sheep, and three of hogs.

Thurmond Atchley of the Denton 4-H club was top man on the county team with a score of 337 out of a possible 400 points. John McKee of Eula had 323, Daniel McClure of Eula had 317, and Robert Armor of the Denton club had 309.

Details of the contest were handled by the Animal Husbandry Department of John Tarleton Agriculture College.

**DUDLEY H. D. CLUB**

The Dudley Home Demonstration Club met April 27 at the home of Mrs. Elbert Crawford. Roll call was answered by "My favorite receipt." Refreshments were served to Mmes: C. H. Betcher, Roy Armor, J. M. Whitely, Jess Mason, Will Roberson, H. M. Burleson, Hollis Windham, F. L. Coughan, C. W. Wilkerson, Thurman Roberts, Lawson Armor and the hostess, Margaret Armor and Stanley Crawford were also present.

The next meeting will be May 10, at the home of Mrs. Roy Armor.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Haley were Mrs. Haley's mother, Mrs. A. O. Ogilvy, her sisters, Miss Hazel Ogilvy, Cross Plains; Mrs. W. Reader, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Tom Price, Albany, and a brother, Alex Ogilvy, Albany.

Judge J. Wiley Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clarke of Big Lake, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stiffler, visited at Breckenridge and Graham Saturday and Sunday. Judge Taylor remained at South Bend.

**SHIVERS LAUDS EMPLOYERS TAX REDUCTION BILL**

Lieutenant Governor Allan Shivers said that passage today of HB 417 was one of the major accomplishments of this session. "This tax-reduction bill is one of the milestones of the session," he said.

"With all of the discussion about increased governmental costs and the possibility of additional tax increases, I am certainly happy that the Texas Legislature can again pass legislation resulting in a substantial tax decrease," he continued.

Shivers said that this change in the Unemployment Compensation Act will save Texas employers between \$6 and \$10 million in taxes each year. He pointed out that at the same time HB 417 provides increased protection to Texas workers.

The amended bill now goes back to the House of Representatives. The bill would amend the TUC Act by lowering the minimum tax rate on employers' payrolls to one-tenth of one per cent.

"HB 417 as amended will provide a 25 to 80 per cent tax reduction for a substantial majority of the some 29,000 Texas employers who pay the tax," the Lieutenant Governor said.

During the last ten years Shivers has made a study of the complicated unemployment tax laws. As a State Senator in 1939 he was author of an amendment to the TUC Act by which the "Texas Plan" sliding-scale tax rate was written into the law. The Shivers rate structure became effective in 1941. Texas Employment Commission officials estimate that the change resulted in a saving during the following eight years of \$232 million to Texas employers.

"The present reserve of \$205 million in the unemployment insurance fund is sufficient to

meet and foreseeable contingency. Besides the new minimum rate, the bill provides an additional tax reduction for each \$5 million in excess of \$200 million in the reserve," Shivers explained.

"I think the TEC is due considerable credit for earlier savings to employers under the so-called Texas Plan," Shiver said. "The TEC should be credited with a high level of conscientious and efficient administration. To a large degree employers were able to secure lower rates because the Commission scrutinized carefully all claims and worked diligently to find jobs for the unemployed. The proposed amendment to the TUC Act carries the tax relief a step further," he said.

Lonnie Ray spent Saturday and Sunday at Houston visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Eatherly and family. Mrs. Ray, who had visited in the Eatherly home a week, accompanied Mr. Ray home.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield left Tuesday on a ten day vacation trip to Denver, Colo., where they will visit their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stubblefield and daughter, Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls and daughter, Gayle, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis and family at Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Crawford returned home Thursday of last week after six days in an Abilene hospital.

**HOPE HITS WESTERN TRAIL IN NEW COMEDY**

When Bob Hope dons a ten-gallon hat and a brace of shoot-in' irons, and heads for the wide open spaces where men are men and women are Jane Russell, fans can expect the laughing time of their movie-going lives. That's what happens in Paramount's new Bob Hope comedy "The Paleface," which arrives at the Plaza Theatre Sunday and Monday.

According to the movie grapevine, Bob is really a riot, as a traveling dentist long on the laughing gas but short on courage. He gets tangled up with sharp-shooting Calamity Jane, played by Miss Russell, a gorgeous thorn in the side of the law. Jane is induced by the harassed authorities to undertake the dangerous job of finding out who is smuggling arms to the Indians. In order to divert attention from her activities, the resourceful Jane uses the unwitting Bob as a decoy and makes everyone believe — including Bob — he is the tightest fool in the West.

Unfortunately, Jane builds Bob and his ego up to such a point that the foolhardy "hero" blunders into all kinds of trouble from which it becomes increasingly dangerous and difficult to extricate him. What happens when both of them are captured by the Indians is said to constitute some of the funniest action ever put on film.

"The Paleface" features the additional attraction of Hope singing the hit tune, "Buttons and Bows."

**ESTATE OF: MITTIE BARCLAY, Deceased, No. 1638, in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas**

Notice to creditors of the estate of Mittie Barclay, deceased. Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Mittie Barclay, deceased, here granted to her the undersigned, on the 6th day of April, 1949, by the County Court of Callahan County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office Address are 1089 South 2nd, Abilene, Texas.

MRS. OMA COX, Administrator of the Estate of Mittie Barclay, deceased. May 6, 13, 20, 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Roberts and daughter, of San Angelo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dennis at Bayou the past weekend.

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Tuesday  
Wednesday  
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SON IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Anderson of Crane are parents of a son, born May 2nd, weighing six pounds, thirteen ounces. The baby has been named James McCoy, Jr. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly. Mrs. Fetterly left Sunday to visit the Andersons.

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W.S.C.S. HOLDS ALL-DAY MEETING WEDNESDAY

W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church had an all-day meeting with a covered dish luncheon at the Church Wednesday, April 27th. Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield directed the course of study on China. Mrs. Hugh Ross reviewed the book "Meet Mrs. Yu," by Mary Cullar White during the afternoon session. Mrs. W. B. Swim, who has moved to Abilene, was presented a plate of Bavarian China by the members of the W.S.C.S.

Rev. John A. English left Thursday morning on a business trip to Austin.

Mrs. John A. English left Saturday, April 30, for Alabama and Florida, where she is conducting courses on Nursery Training for the Church School, for two weeks.

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
May 8 - 9

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CITY COMMISSIONERS NAMED BY MAYOR

At Monday night's city council meeting Mayor B. H. Freeland appointed the councilmen to the following positions: W. L. Ray, mayor pro tem; Marvin Hunter, park commissioner; W. O. Wylie, cemetery commissioner; Tom B. Barton, street commissioner; C. W. Sutphen, utilities commissioner.

Sterling Reynolds of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. J. P. Reynolds the past weekend. Mrs. Reynolds and children, who had been here since the middle of the week, returned to Lubbock with him Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Elder of Barcelona, Venezuela, S. A., telephoned Mrs. Cora Work from Houston Tuesday that they will soon arrive here to visit their relatives and friends.

Nell Gilbreath, A.C.C. student, spent the past weekend here.

Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., of Merkel wrote the following when she renewed her subscription to The Star this week: We sure enjoy The Baird Star, couldn't do without it - Glad Baird is going to get a lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Rita Dallas attended the Semi-Centennial celebration at John Tarleton College at Stephenville May 1st. They heard Governor Beauford Jester speak and attended the barbecue and open house on the campus. They visited their son, Gerald, who is in school there.

Gaylord Price, James Dyer, and Gene Yeager attended the Hardin-Simmons Rodeo at Abilene Saturday night and visited the following college friends from Sul Ross Teachers College, Alpine, who were in the rodeo; Betty Meador, Jo Gregory, Buster Lindley, Cheesie Chafaine, Harley May, Jean Newman, Hank Finger.

Mrs. E. O. Battles of Hico spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Warren, who is ill.

Mrs. Cora Work and grandson, Eddie Brumbaugh, visited at The Baird Star office Friday afternoon. We always welcome a visit from our good friend, Mrs. work.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, delegate from the Wednesday Club, and Mrs. S. L. McElroy, delegate from the Delphian Club, attended the council meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla., April 25 - 30.

Tommy Meridith, graduate of the local high school and senior student at S.H.S.T.C., Huntsville, is a student teacher at Roscoe High School. His wife and baby are also residing at Roscoe.

Weekend guests of B. H. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett were Dr. and Mrs. Morris Bennett and children, Mrs. Minton, Canadian; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett, Valera.

Mrs. Ella Hooper returned Wednesday after a two week visit at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Hope Gleason, Colorado City arrived Wednesday morning to take in the Baird Rodeo.

Cahal Clinton, McCamey, will participate in the rodeo this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Young of Abilene will be weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey and attend the Baird Rodeo.

Miss Bettie Guy of Ft. Worth arrived Saturday for a weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glasson left Saturday on a vacation trip to California.

Mrs. R. B. Reeder of Big Spring visited her brother, Claude Johnson, and family the past weekend.

Harold Foy returned to his home at Brownwood last week after undergoing surgery at a Ft. Worth hospital. He is reported to be improving nicely.

Ralph Short, Venevuela, S. A., arrived Monday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Bessie Short.

W. T. McCoy of Graham spent the past week with his daughter Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, and Mr. Caldwell. Mrs. E. G. Thomas of Albany visited the Caldwells Monday.

BAPTISTS MEET AT SCRANTON

Callahan Baptist Workers Conference will meet with the Scranton Baptist Church May 12th. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sparks visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd and sons at Anson Sunday.

Dr. Jim Tom Lawrence and his mother, Mrs. J. T. Lawrence went to Fort Worth Thursday, and Dr. Lawrence is to have a medical check-up at the hospital there.

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MEAL, Corn Dodger, 10 lbs.	75c
PINE APPLES, fresh, large size, each	49c
CARROTS, fresh crispy, bunch	4c
SPUDS, New Reds, 2 lbs.	15c
PEAS, Fresh Blackeyes, 2 lbs.	25c
TOMATOES, red, ripe, lb.	19c
CELERY, large stalk, each	19c
SQUASH, yellow, tender, lb.	10c

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BROCCOLI, 10 oz. pkg.	35c
PARKER HOUSE ROLLS, 9 delicious rolls	29c
BACON SQUARES, sliced, smoked, lb.	29c
PICNIC SHOULDERS, smoked, lb.	43c
BACON, Armour's Dexter, 1 lb. layers	43c
SAUSAGE, Pure Pork, Armour's, 1 lb. rolls	37c
OLEO, Admiral, plain, 1 lb.	21c
Rendered Beef Fat, for soap making, lb.	5c

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