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In Stonewall, Howard, Haskell, Fisher, Nolan, Borden, Scurry, Jones, Shackelford, Callahan & Taylor Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., April 19, 1957, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

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CARD OF THANKS
Words are inadequate to express our deep appreciation for the flowers, expressions of sympathy, and many acts of kindness shown during the recent illness and death of Mrs. Gertrude Short.
The Family of Mrs. Gertrude Short
April 5-12

Atwell News

Mrs. Roy Tatom

Rev. J. B. Chick's father and mother visited church Sunday morning.

A large crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral services for Mrs. Callie Kolb, which was held at the Primitive Baptist Church at Atwell Friday at 3 p. m. Burial was in the Atwell Cemetery. Our sympathy is extended to Mr. R. J. Kolb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble and children, Mrs. Bobby Dillard and baby from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dan Havens and children from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest from Texon visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Sunday. They all attended church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Elliott, of Moran, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brashear Sunday. Mr. Elliott was a visitor at church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egge and children from Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and children from Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Saturday.

Little Wayne Weeks has been very sick the past week with the measles. He is at his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brashear.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday at Sabanto.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjie Pillans and children from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and children visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Sunday evening.

Rev. J. B. Chick and wife and Miss Nona Lawson visited Mrs. Metta Sessions Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith Sunday. They also attended church services at the Primitive Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and children from Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions from Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sessions Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear and Lynn in Cross Plains Saturday.

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Opinion Observations

By Daphne Floyd

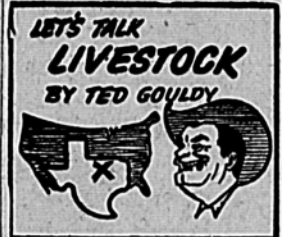
Sunday morning brings us a northern, especially after having had such a warm Sunday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce had party the first of last week. Mr. daughter, Mrs. Sally Dyson son Steve, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Myrna Pierce son, Jackie Dale, all of Issa, were visiting with them. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd attended a "kin-folk" bridal shower in Abilene last Sunday afternoon honoring his nephew wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Williams had their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of Fort Worth visiting with them over the week end. The young couple were also visitors with their parents at the Baptist Church Sunday.

The Baptist folks reached a long-sought goal last Sunday by having a 100 percent attendance at Sunday School.

Mrs. Ray Floyd was with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Barrett of Lawn, who was hospitalized the first of the week for laboratory tests.



Spring Lamb Top \$24.00, Greek Lambs at \$26.00

FORT WORTH — The Easter lamb market opened at Fort Worth Monday with a minimum of fireworks, and at the conclusion of the day most fat lambs were around 50 cents higher. A few lightweight lambs sold for the special order for Greek Easter lambs topped at \$26.

Trade was rather slow developing as most salesmen priced lambs considerably higher in hope of getting more premium for the lambs which will be processed this week and rushed to the Eastern Seaboard in time for the Easter trade. However, slaughter interests held the line after the modest advance of 50 cents.

The Greek Easter lambs are little fellows scaling 40 to 60 pounds, and usually bring a sizable premium over the heavier lambs, and this year it was only \$2.

Tone of the trade was good on older sheep, and stocker and feeder lambs enjoyed a much better outlet than last week.

Comparative prices: Good and choice Spring lambs \$22 to \$24, few lights \$26. Cull to medium Springers \$15 to \$20. Good and choice old crop lambs \$19 to \$22.50, latter price for Fall shorn pelts. No. 2 and No. 3 pelts sold from \$21 down, with some fresh shorn choice fat lambs at \$20. Cull to medium old crops \$12 to \$18. Stocker and feeder woolled lambs \$21 down; shorn feeders \$19.50 down, some of these lambs were \$1 to \$1.50 above feeder bids last week, but not that much above their packer value at that time. Yearlings and two's sold from \$17 down; aged weathers cashed at \$14 down; and

slaughter ewes drew \$7.50 down to around \$5.50 or \$6.

Cattle Trade Very Active, Prices Strong

Trade in the cattle division at Fort Worth Monday was very brisk, with steady to stronger prices all down the line. Top grades and high quality were again rather scarce.

Good and choice steers and yearlings drew \$19 to \$24, and common and medium sorts sold from \$13 to \$18.50. Fat cows cashed at \$12.50 to \$15, with canners and cutters from \$9 to \$12.50. Bulls sold at \$10 to \$15. Good and choice fat calves cashed at \$20 to \$24, and cull, common and medium kinds sold from \$12 to \$19. Stocker calves and yearlings sold from \$15 to \$22.

Hogs Top At \$18.25; Sows Sell \$16.00 Down

Butcher hogs sold steady Monday at Fort Worth with choice meat type hogs at \$18.25, and medium grades and less desirable weights from \$16 to \$18. Sows sold from \$15 to \$16.

Mississippians Get Fort Worth Market

We had a call from a Mississippi packing house Monday morning wanting market news regularly from here, which indicates once again the close tie between Fort Worth and the flourishing livestock business that is developing in the Mid-South.

For many years the cattlemen of Dixie have been steady buyers of stockers and feeders at Fort Worth, and in the past few years the outlet for breeding sheep and stocker and feeder lambs has been growing by leaps and bounds.

In the past year there have been numerous shipments of fed steers to the market here from Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas as those once giant plantations and farms switched from row crops to roughage and feed as a part of their transition from a cotton economy to a livestock farming operation.

Often these cattle are shipped from the Mid-South to feedlots near Fort Worth where they rest and recover from the long journey and then move in to market when receipts and other factors look favorable.

We feel that this trade between Southwest and Mid-South will continue to grow, and already many Fort Worth market service agencies have part time or permanent representatives in those areas.

Prove again the old saying that livestock moves around a lot nobody knows just when or where to the next moves will be. However, it is a cinch it be either toward a market or toward some feed. Knowing just which and

when is what makes the livestock business interesting, and profitable for the folks in it.

JONNY WEST BECOMES COMPRESSOR OPERATOR

Pfc. Jonny G. West, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom West, is an air compressor operator in the 601st Field Artillery Missile Battalion in Germany.

West entered the Army in July 1955, completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif., and arrived in Europe in April 1956.

Visiting last week with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson and her mother, Mrs. W. T. Pope, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jaynes of Sweetwater.

Recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robbins and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Robbins were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Haney and daughter, of Cisco.

Mrs. H. E. Dennis has returned home after spending some time in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Sanders.

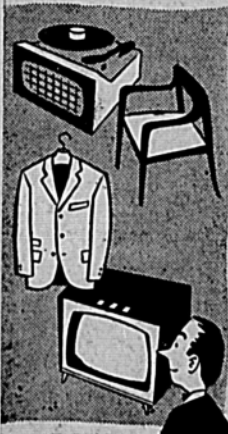
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Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ballard were Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Ballard and sons of Big Spring, Mrs. James Paschall and children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Warren spent several days in Fort Worth last week visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Warren, Jr., and girls.

MARVIN WEED IN NAVAL OPERATION

Marvin C. Weed, Jr., radarman seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin C. Weed of Baird, aboard the dock landing ship USS Comstock, participated in the largest amphibious operation to be held in the Far East since World War II. The powerful armada of 60,000 men and 75 ships took part in the "Beacon Hill" operations from Mar. 14 to April 1.



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Anything new in your home—furniture... rugs... appliances... clothing... a new TV, perhaps? And if they were destroyed by fire tonight, would your insurance meet today's higher costs?

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Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford

This being April, we have a variety of weather now days. Windy and sandstorms, tornado warnings and such. These are bad, but could be much worse.

Last week Dallas, not being in the alerted area, but suddenly a tornado dropped in unexpectedly, and Mrs. Bobby Crawford was in town when the warning was sounded, and in a rush trying to get home and driving through the hard rain, turned the car over. She was badly bruised but seemed to be not injured otherwise, but the car was damaged considerably.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coughran and girls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford in Arlington Saturday, also Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford and son visited our way Saturday, however Dale might not consider it visiting as he was busy killing weeds and trying to stop the sand from blowing.

Mrs. Kate Crawford and Irene visited Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris Sunday.

Hulon Crawford, of Cisco, visited our way Saturday night.



YOU, CITIZEN

Proud men and women, ancient and modern, who fought free of tyranny, have taken the name of citizen. Others may call themselves subjects, denizens, slaves, etc.

For the Greeks, with rare exceptions, citizenship came by blood. You had to be born a citizen's child.

But the Romans, like us, found ways to make citizens of those who came up to certain standards: As Gibbon said, the Romans sacrificed "vanity to ambition; and deemed it more prudent as well as honorable, to adopt virtue and merit for her own wherever found -- among slaves, strangers, enemies or barbarians."

American citizenship is an office which carries power, privilege, and duties. Only citizens can do certain things -- for example, teach in many schools and colleges, become lawyers, hold certain political or civil service offices.

You are a citizen if naturalized or born in the United States (subject to its jurisdiction); and in certain circumstances if born outside the United States to parents of whom one or both are American citizens.

As in ancient Greece, citizenship in most lands comes through blood; but American citizenship comes chiefly by place -- where you were born.

(So dig out your birth certificate or naturalization papers if you can find them, and put them away safely; you may need them for many reasons, for example, to travel in foreign lands under U. S. protection).

The Fourteenth Amendment holds that place of birth fixes native citizenship -- all persons born in the United States. Your birth in this country automatically makes you a citizen unless you are not subject to U. S. jurisdiction, as in the case with diplomats' families and certain travelers.

In 1898 Chinese parents who themselves could then not become citizens, became parents in San Francisco of a son, Wong Kim Ark. Years later this fact settled the whole thing for the U. S. Supreme Court -- he was a citizen. Nothing else mattered; not his parentage nor blood, nor his race, color, creed or ancestry.

Not all American Indians used to be citizens -- only those whose tribal treaties with the federal government included citizenship. But in 1924 Congress made all American Indians, no matter what tribes, United States citizens.

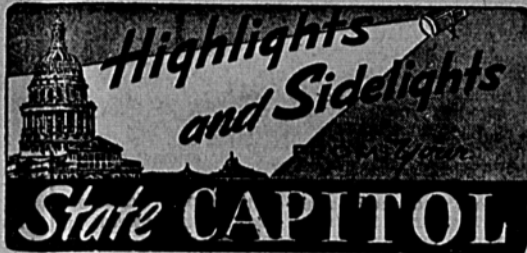
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burleson and Mrs. Conley Pruitt visited relatives in Tuscola Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear had as guests last week, his daughters, Mrs. C. T. Johnson of Plainview and Mrs. E. E. King of Tahoka.

Jane Ann Miller, of Eula, spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Alex Shocklee.

Mrs. Ruby Hill Anderson has returned home from Gonzales where she has been employed. Her son, Joe Hill Anderson, of Austin, returned with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Price attended the homecoming at Sul Ross College at Alpine, over the week end.



AUSTIN -- Travis County grand jurors are going to be busy. Legislative investigating committees have dumped into their laps bales of testimony about the two biggest news developments of the year.

House ICT panel asked the jury to consider evidence suggesting that (1) Insurance Department employees received payments from ICT and (2) company officials may have violated state law prohibiting political campaign contributions by corporations.

Committee called acceptance of ICT money by former Insurance Commissioner J. Byron Saunders and Max Wayne Rychlik, son-in-law of former Chairman Garland Smith, evidence of "a gross breach of public trust." It also recommended the jury look into whether funds made available by ICT to the Texas Federation of Labor were used for political purposes. It pinpointed a legislative campaign contribution as having been charged to the corporation.

All in all, committee report showed some \$50,000 in ICT funds went to persons who were in public office when they received the money. It said "propriety of some of these payments was highly questionable."

Also sent to the grand jury was a "new major development" by the House bribery investigating group. Nature of the development was a closely guarded secret.

Only information disclosed was that "new evidence" had been obtained from a witness who had been under Department of Public Safety questioning. Witness was not a state official or employee, said the district attorney.

New Laws, Studies -- Besides providing grand jury evidence, House ICT Committee had three other recommendations.

They were: (1) that a law be passed giving the Insurance Commission authority to regulate management contracts, such as one BenJack Cage had with ICT, (2) that the Texas Research League be requested to study Commission operation and (3) that further investigation be made into the tangled history of ICT's financial "deals."

New Senator -- Ralph Yarborough will take office as junior U. S. Senator from Texas on or sometime after April 19.

Yarborough was defeated in four previous races -- three for governor, one for attorney general. His victory meant that for the first time in years a spokesman for the labor-liberal wing of the Democratic party will go into a major Texas office.

Republican hopes for a two-party Texas plummeted. In the high-man-wins race Yarborough got approximately 37 per cent of the votes; Conservative Democrat Martin Dies, 30 per cent; Republican Thad Hutchesson, 23.8 per cent.

Money Bill Passed -- Legislative blueprint for state spending during the next years has reached the conference committee stage.

An economy-minded Senate passed the general appropriations bill at a figure some \$2,000,000 less than the House-approved version. Sponsors managed to scotch all efforts to tack on amendment for additional spending. Among items sought were raises for county agents and home demonstration agents and increases in judges' salaries.

Total of the Senate appropriations bill is \$2,084,349,515. Both House and Senate recommendations are some twenty-five to twenty-seven million dollars less than the comptroller's estimate of income.

Insurance Bills -- A bill to allow "flexible rates" for casualty insurance is given little chance of passage.

Senate Insurance Committee refused to vote out the measure which would abolish Texas' system of statewide uniform rates. The proposed bill would set a rate based on each individual's accident record.

A House committee weighed the possibility of Insurance Commission reorganization from the viewpoint to present Chairman John Osorio. Governor Daniel had appeared earlier urging passage of the bill.

Osorio said board reorganization already is under way. He said he felt it could be successfully carried out under present laws.

Real difficulty of the commission, he said, is not top level organization, but need for more examiners. He recommended a 160-man staff, rather than the present 39, and higher pay.

Securities Department -- Creation of a new state agency to regulate both insurance securities and other types has Senate committee approval.

Presently, insurance securities are handled by the Insurance Commission, general securities by the secretary of state's office.

Sen. Jimmy Phillips introduced a bill putting insurance securities under the secretary of state. That's just in case the consolidation bill doesn't pass, he said.

Water Bill Signed -- Governor Daniel signed into law a measure allowing the Water Board to cancel unused water permits.

Water conservation program leaders had claimed the new rule would solve "75 per cent of Texas' water problems." Some cities had protested it would allow the board to take from them water they needed for future expansion.

Proponents said Texas now has outstanding permits for more water than is available, but all of it is not being used. Cancellation of unused permits,

they said, would allow the water board to reassign water for beneficial use.

Archives-Land Building -- Governor Daniel has given his blessing to a plan for a new building for the State Library and Archives and the General Land Office.

A bill providing \$2,500,000 for such a building is before the Legislature. Funds would come from a surplus in the drivers license fee fund.

Ad Bill Passed -- House added an industry-matching amendment before passing a Senate measure to allow state advertising.

Proposed constitutional amendment would allow use of state funds for advertising as long as they are matched by private interests.

House sponsors said they hoped the conference committee would eliminate this feature.

Short Snorts -- Time is running out to have cars safety inspected, warns the Department of Public Safety. Deadline is April 15. . . . House passed a bill to regulate egg labeling and license dealers. Senate already has passed, so measure needs only minor adjustments and the governor's signature. . . . Senate Transportation Committee Chairman Jep Fuller had to break a 5-to-5 tie to allow the committee to vote out a bill to increase truck load limits. Highly controversial measure is backed by truckers, opposed by railroads. . . . Irked by the Building Commission's failure to air condition their chambers, Legislators have passed a resolution to put in temporary air conditioning.

Visiting Mrs. H. E. Dennis over the week end were, her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dennis, Donnie and Vickie of Jal, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dill and Truman, Mr. and Mrs. James Sosbee and Debbie, all of Burleson. Mrs. Dill remained for a visit with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price and Mrs. Paul Dugan and Paula Joyce, visited in Ranger one night last week.

Charter No. 3286 Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF
The First National Bank of Baird

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 14 1957. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,061,807.40
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	\$2,226,077.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	\$391,582.75
Other bonds, notes and debentures	\$364,687.50
Corporate stocks (including stock in Federal Reserve bank)	\$4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including overdrafts)	\$785,837.02
Bank premises owned, furniture and fixtures	\$2.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to NONE liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	NONE
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
Other assets	\$10,176.50
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,844,870.17

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,404,230.22
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$333,997.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	\$8,123.64
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	\$642,540.77
Deposits of banks	NONE
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc)	\$79,119.94
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,468,011.63
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	NONE
Mortgages or other liens, NONE on bank premises and NONE on other real estate	NONE
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	NONE
Other liabilities	NONE
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,468,011.63

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred, total par NONE, callable value NONE	
(Rate of dividends on callable value is %)	
(b) Class B preferred, total par NONE, callable value NONE	
(Rate of dividends on callable value is %)	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus	\$100,000.00
Undivided profits	\$49,810.63
Reserve (and retirement account for preferred stock)	\$178,847.94
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$376,858.57
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$4,844,870.17

MEMORANDA
 Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$548,200.00
 I, Howard E. Farmer, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD E. FARMER, Cashier
CORRECT--Attest:
 Ace Hickman, Randall C. Jackson, Bob Norrell, Directors

(SEAL)
 State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1957 and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

NORMA A. WEED, Notary Public
 (My commission expires June 1, 1957)

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

SCHOOL NEWS . . .

The Seniors received their invitations Wednesday and are very proud of them.

The annuals arrived Friday and are very pretty. If anyone would care for one, we have some for sale.

The Senior class is sponsoring a clothes drive. These clothes will be distributed to refugees and adults and children in our own country. If you have any to donate, bring them, the first week in May, not later than Friday. We will appreciate it very much.

GRADE SCHOOL FIRST IN LITERARY EVENTS

Putnam Grade School won first place in Interscholastic meet at Baird Saturday.

James Isenhower won first in declamation. Margaret Loiry and William Hamric won first in 7th & 8th grade spelling. Gayle Burnam and Kathy Ricks won third in 5th & 6th grade spelling. Charlie Cunningham and Diane Wagley won 2nd in picture memory and Bobby Isenhower won first in story telling.

ELECTIONS RETURNS

We have had two elections in Putnam last week, a city election and a school trustee election.

The new city aldermen are F. P. Shackelford and Alton White. The trustees elected are John D. Isenhower and R. B. Taylor.

Putnam Personals . . .

Sp2 Benjamin Abernathy is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Abernathy. Benjamin is being transferred from Camp Irwin, Calif., to Ft. Sill, Okla.

Sp3 James Abernathy from Ft. Sill, Okla., spent last Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Taylor visited Sonny Taylor and family in Odessa Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Donaway and children. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sablett and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway and Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rouse visited Mr. Rouse' father Saturday. He is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Uszar from Ranger visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brazil Friday.

J. R. Shirley from Odessa spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway, Dorris Lee and Warren, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Donaway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Donaway and children, of Odessa, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamric and son, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hamrics Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Boosh, the former Jamie Hile of El Paso, and Mrs. Claude Cunningham of Midland, flew to Akron, Ohio, for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Baxley and to attend Haughton Baxley Jr.'s wedding Saturday in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Easter, of Frederick, Okla., were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Epp Free have returned home after several days visit with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Anderson and family, in Midland.

Mrs. J. A. Williams and two granddaughters are spending the week in Longview with Mrs. Goodby and family.

Jim Bob Gunn has returned home from Salina, Kansas, where he has been working for a construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett visited Mrs. Warren Everett in Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Williams, of Cottonwood, visited her brother, Henry Weeks and family Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks Sunday were their sons, G. W. and R. D. and families of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Holder of Stanton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls Sunday. Mrs. Brady Leveridge of Breckenridge was a Tuesday visitor with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry spent the week end in Wichita Falls.

Sorry to hear R. L. Clinton is a patient in the Cisco hospital. Hope he is well soon.

Mrs. Glenn McWhorter and children, of Throckmorton, were guests of her sister, Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr. Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager, of Brownwood, were visitors with her mother, Mrs. D. D. Jones.

Mrs. R. D. Williams and Mrs. L. A. Williams spent a few days in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon and Mrs. Mollie Brandon spent Saturday in Clyde visiting Jack and Adolph Brandon and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, of Plainview, were visitors with Mrs. Garrett's sister, Mrs. Dale Wirt.

Mrs. Bob Harris and son, of Lovington, N. M., were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isenhower of Cisco, were Thursday visitors with Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green and son, Buford were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford, of Abilene, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinton Jr., and sons of Snyder, were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton.

Mrs. L. B. Jones and Johnny Gunn were Sunday visitors with the H. A. Pruets.

Mr. and Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. G. W. Weeks were Abilene shoppers Friday.

Floyd Buchanan, of Anson, was a business visitor in Putnam Monday.

Carol and Clifford Smith, of Grand Prairie, were here Friday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan.

Mrs. Hugh Smith and Mrs. Ennis Qualls, of Cisco, were Friday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

Miss Lucy White, of O'Keene, Okla., is spending several days with relatives in Putnam and Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gillit and Mrs. W. E. Gillit, of Baird, visited the Charlie Brandons Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brandon of Clyde, were visitors also. Mmes. R. L. Clinton, R. B. Taylor and Fred Heyser attended the Ft. Worth Flower-Cade Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess White, of Sulphur, Okla., spent a few days with relatives in Putnam, after attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi, neighbor! This is a pretty Sunday. Supposed to be bad weather by night. We had a little rain the past week, about 7 of an inch. Grain really needs rain and lots of it.

Burette and Johnny Mae Ramsey spent the week end in Rankin visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hughes and children.

Sorry to write of the passing of Mrs. R. L. Buchanan last Wednesday. She passed away in Albany Hospital after a brief illness. Our sympathy to the family.

John and Roma McIntyre visited Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brewster in Moran.

I visited in Cisco Saturday with Fay Wood, She, Treva and I went over to Ranger to see Mrs. Fred Allen and new little son, who was born April 2nd. His name is Jerry Lynn. They both doing fine.

Mark, Ollie and Gayle Burnam visited Thursday afternoon and evening with the Jack Everetts and Glen Burnams.

John and Roma spent Sunday with John's parents, the Clint McIntyres. Sorry Mr. Mc wasn't feeling so well. Hope you are feeling better now, Mr. Mc.

This is Monday and real cold weather. Man said might have freezing weather tonight. I hope not. Will get the young feed that is just up.

Most every one out this way attended the funeral of Mrs. R. L. Buchanan last Friday afternoon in Putnam.

We were sorry to hear today that Mr. Robert Clinton was back in the hospital in Abilene. Hope you soon get to feeling OK.

We were glad to have Mrs. Mary and Mrs. Vena Shackelford worship with us Sunday night. So good to see Mary back in Putnam.

Tom Butler spent Sunday visiting with Mark and Ollie Burnam.

Margaret and Jane Loiry spent Sunday with Gayle Burnam.

John McIntyre went to Baird Monday morning on business.

Little Boy Jim is scratching the feed he planted last week. Not so cold here this morning, 45. Was supposed to be freezing this Tuesday morning.

We are in the midst of redoing our living room, hall and dining room nook. Sure is a mess, but will be OK when we get it finished.

I better get busy, so be good and I will see you next week.

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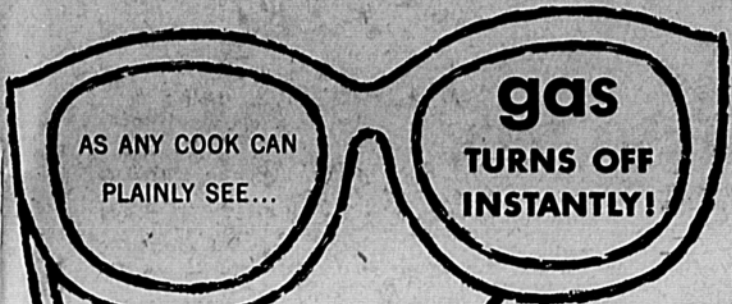
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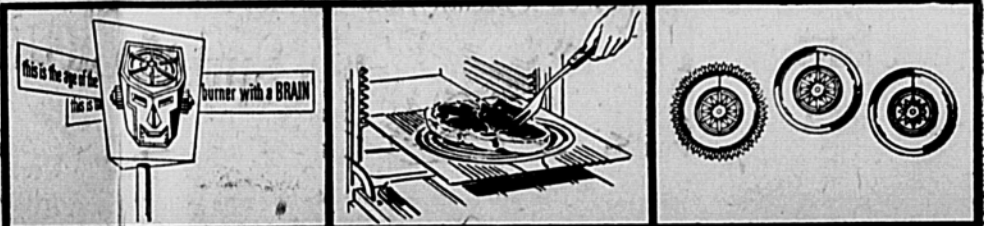
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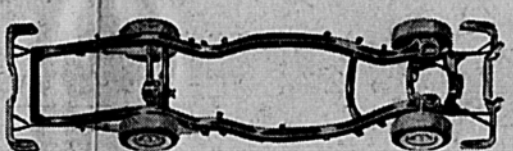


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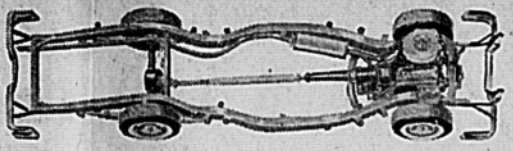
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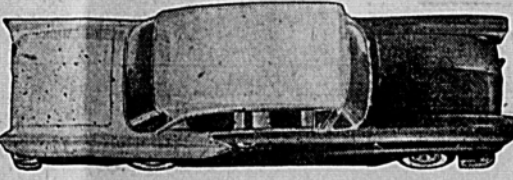
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Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gilford West of Webster City, Iowa, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Anderson of Baird.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass
Mrs. L. Y. Crosier and children, of Grand Prairie, visited in the Rev. Newberry home last week.
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Webb and son, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingram recently.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford attended the funeral of Mrs. Thurman at Cisco last Thursday. She was a cousin of Mr. Swafford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh, of Andrews, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox Saturday night and Sunday.
Mrs. Melvin Bowman and children are at Eden with her mother, Mrs. Kinsman, who received a severe hand injury.
Beulah and Hazel Respass visited.

NOTICE!
Beginning May 1st, we will be closed all day on Saturdays until further notice. We will have 2 pickups each day, at 8:00 and 10:30 a. m. Please call your laundry in early.
Thank you,
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ited Mrs. F. W. Respass in Rising Star last Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Spivey and Larry visited his father Jeff Spivey in San Angelo and her parents, the Bowmans at Paint Rock Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woody and Mrs. Levi Bennett were business shoppers in Baird Monday.
W. J. Coats went to Baird on business Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griffin of Lubbock, Everett Griffin of Lamona and Roscoe Griffin of Centralia, Ill., visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner Monday.
R. G. Gilmore entered the hospital Monday afternoon for medical treatment, at Abilene.

ADMIRAL NEWS
By Mrs. Roy Higgins

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, of Abilene, visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker.
Bertie Eastham, of Abilene, spent the week end with her sister, Ethel Eastham.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter visited the Wendall Smiths Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris, of Colorado City, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker.
Mr. and Mrs. Reta Dallas visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murphy at Cottonwood.
Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard visited Sunday with Mr. and

Mrs. O. C. Lewis.
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gray, Mrs. Frankie Carroll and daughter, of Granam, and Rev. Causey and family visited Sunday with the Loyd Gays.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones visited in the Roy Higgins home Saturday night.
Mrs. Pat Patterson and son, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melton Shelton Sunday.

Rowden Round-Up
By Thelda Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson and boys, of Minneapolis, Minn., are visiting her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and children.
A group of young people from Hardin-Simmons will have charge of the morning and evening services at the Baptist Church Sunday. Everyone come and enjoy these services.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow and Richle spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Dale Brown spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.
Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow Tuesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jones and Rev. W. E. Norvell and Dicky

had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose.
Mr. and Mrs. John Adair visited relatives in Cross Plains Sunday.
Reuben Sanders, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains Tuesday.
Mrs. B. Crow and Miss Thelda Crow visited relatives at Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary, Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to the neighbors, friends and the ladies of the churches for the food and kindness shown during the recent loss of our beloved aunt, Mrs. Geneva Flores Murphy.
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much to us, we can only say "God Bless You."
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flores Jr. and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Jody Pearce
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Mrs. Dora Ballard and Mrs. Fannie Medford, of Fort Worth, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and family.



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GARDEN FRESH SQUASH, pound	19c

BRUCE'S CLEANING WAX, 2 pint cans	59c
RED ROSE BROOMS, good quality, each	89c
ROPE MOPS, No. 20 size	59c
CLOROX quart	17c
BLEACH 1-2 gallon	33c
S.O.S. PADS, 2 boxes	25c
HUNT'S SLICED PEACHES, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans	59c
HUNT'S SOLID PACK TOMATOES, 2 No. 300 cans	29c
HUNT'S BLUE LAKE GREEN BEANS, 2 No. 300 cans	29c
BETTY CROCKER CAKE MIXES, 3 boxes	98c
IMPERIAL POWDERED SUGAR, 2 boxes	25c
REFRESHMENT TIME COCA-COLA, 12 bottle carton	49c

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