

BAIRD, pop. 2,000. On "The Broadway of America." Has beautiful homes, fine churches, modern schools, friendly people, 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."

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.

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Club Facilities Dedicated By T-P

Texas & Pacific railroad employees came from all points between Fort Worth and Big Spring Tuesday night to attend the dedication of the recreational facilities in the upper story of the railroad depot here by President W. G. Vollmer. Ladies were in formal dress and the affair was attended by some 300 persons. J. G. Brannon, superintendent of the western division, was master of ceremonies, and introduced L. G. Porter, assistant to the president, of Dallas, who spoke briefly to say that in the completion of the facilities was the realization of his dream of many years come true. He said, "I rejoice with the people of Baird and employees of the T&P in having these recreational facilities." He asked employees for their cooperation "to do our dead level best in a day when we are threatened inside and outside. This is a day when faithfulness among our employees is needed."

J. B. Shores, public relations director for the Texas & Pacific, gave credit to President Vollmer for the completion of the project. Mr. Shores spoke of the importance of improved human relations, stating "You can't have good public relations unless you have good employee relations. Employee relations is the art and science of getting along with each other. Public relations stem from employee relations. This fine club room is a symbol of both employee and public relations."

President Vollmer spoke, "It is a great delight to me to see this beautiful place where men who must lay over here may spend their time. On my first trip to Baird I saw the need of such recreational facilities. I saw that there was something missing. I felt that their idle time could be spent in play, conversation, games and in any other manner good men wish to spend their leisure time." He asked the railway employees to take pride in the facilities and told that the Baird terminal was the finest in the entire system. A like place has been built at Toyah.

Mr. Vollmer dedicated the facilities to the employees. The cost of converting the upper story of the depot into the fine recreational rooms was estimated at \$30,000. The entire job of reconditioning the depot ran to \$50,000. The building is equipped with showers, fluorescent lights, library, magazine racks, pool tables, domino tables, lounging chairs and other conveniences.

J. M. Dean, chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Big Spring, accepted the facilities on behalf of the employees. Mayor Hugh Ross expressed the thanks of the Baird people for the fine building. Numerous officials were introduced, including: E. E. Long, master mechanic, Fort Worth, western division; H. N. Ricks, fuel supervisor; W. L. Bradford, supervisor; A. J. Chester, vice president of operation; R. C. Parker, general superintendent; R. J. Gammie, chief engineer; D. E. Crouser, assistant superintendent; Chris Hobson, editor, T&P Topics; C. G. Hays, vice president of traffic; A. C. Siler, Jr., executive representative; A. C. La Croix, Abilene trainmaster; Harry De Lane, Abilene general agent; O. T. Daugherty, president of the Abilene "407 Club."

Approximately 300 people from Baird, Big Spring, Fort Worth, Dallas, Abilene, Clyde, Sweetwater, San Antonio and other points attended the dedication. Beside the speaking program the T&P male quartet from the Dallas office rendered a number of songs.

A committee was elected to manage the use and care of the building as follows: Miss Clara Jester, Baird yard clerk, chairman; M. D. Bell, Baird agent; D. C. Orr, Big Spring engineer; and J. H. Kemp, Fort Worth conductor.

District Court Opened Monday

The October term of 42nd District Court opened here Monday morning with Judge J. R. Black presiding.

A divorce was granted in the case of Wenona Wagner vs. Kenneth Oscar Wagner, with custody of child going to Mrs. Wagner.

Next week all civil and criminal cases that require no jury will be disposed of.

A jury will be called in for the third week of court, with cases of burglary, theft, and swindling to be investigated.

GRAND JURY RETURNS SEVEN BILLS

The grand jury of the 42nd District Court was in session only one day, returning seven indictments.

R. L. Kelley of Merkel was indicted on a charge of burglary of the Gross Plains theatre. Two indictments were returned against Marion Chester Bunch of Paris, Texas, for alleged burglary of a filling station in Clyde and a residence near Clyde.

Three indictments for alleged burglary of three filling stations in Baird were returned against George Renosis of New York.

Madison Lee Reynolds was indicted on a charge of forgery.

The grand jury consisted of Roy Arrowood, Cross Plains; Jesse M. Pycatt, Clyde; Reo Jolly, Rout 1, Clyde; L. L. Montgomery, Route 1, Cross Plains; S. V. Tarrant, Luther Caldwell, R. W. Powell, Weldon Edwards, Route 2, Clyde; George Morgan, N. M. George, O. D. Brown and O. B. Jarrett, Baird.

NEW LAW GOVERNS TIME FOR TRANSFER OF CARS

A new Texas tax law, House Bill 75, which provides that automobiles and house trailers must be transferred within 10 days after a transaction, becomes effective Nov. 1, according to M. H. Joy, Callahan county tax assessor-collector.

Dealers are exempt from this 10-day limit with few exceptions, Joy added. A dealer appearing in a chain of assignments would be responsible for penalties due on assignments prior to his appearance in the transaction. In order to qualify as a dealer for this exemption, a current year dealer license number must be shown on the purchaser's affidavit, and also on the reverse side of the title where he assigns it.

A transfer registration receipt will be issued to cover each vehicle. This transfer registration receipt takes the place of and becomes the original transfer receipt for the balance of the year in which used. The original registration receipt, issued for the vehicle being transferred, must be presented to the tax collector when the transfer registration receipt is issued, and the original registration receipt must be surrendered and attached to the application of Transfer of Title where it will remain as part of the evidence supporting such application.

This registration must be submitted or title application will be rejected.

LEGION BUILDING CLOSED TO TEEN-AGERS

Members of the American Legion building trustees voted at their meeting Tuesday night to close the Legion hut to the teen-agers until they could get organized and have their entertainments supervised. This step was taken for the best interests of the younger set of the town, which should help to get a well planned program of entertainment established for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allmar are invited to be the guests of The Baird Star and the Plaza Theatre

Sunday or Monday November 2 or 3 to see "PURSUED"

(Present this coupon at the box office of the Plaza Theatre for admission.)

HALLOWE'EN

Few people believe in ghosts, witches and hobgoblins any more, but that fact will not detract from the fun of our children from toddlers to teen-agers tonight when they will celebrate Hallowe'en. This ancient event is celebrated in many ways in many lands, but American youngsters probably derive more fun from it than any others.

Only a few years ago, Hallowe'en celebrating often consisted in the perpetration by youngsters—mostly 'teen-age boys—of practical jokes on unsuspecting friends and neighbors. Frequently their pranks turned out to be more painful than funny to their innocent victims. More recently, however, the celebrations on this occasion have become far more sane and even greater fun, especially in cases where wise parents planned Hallowe'en parties, replete with games and refreshments, thereby keeping their children away from the roving bands of youngsters out seeking excitement and adventure.

Children in Baird will have had plenty of fun of the right variety before the Hallowe'en season has passed with the big Hallowe'en carnival held at the high school grounds last night and many of them going on the long trip to Bangs tonight to root for the football boys. The carnival was filled with spooky entertainment that satisfied the desire for adventure, and those who do not go to Bangs will not find their bed tonight at a very late hour. The old Hallowe'en game of "trick or treat" might be played early tonight by a few of our youngsters. In this game youngsters visit homes and the householder is greeted with the words "trick or treat," which means that the children will refrain from playing tricks at that place if they are treated with cookies or candy.

At any rate, Hallowe'en will have its ghosts, pranks, pumpkins, hobgoblins, owls, and bats, but let our children remember that a prank ceases to be fun when it results in personal injury or damage to property.

RANDALL KEARNEY BURIED THURSDAY

Funeral services for Randall Kearney, 19, were held at the Methodist church here Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with Rev. Lynch of Abilene and Rev. J. A. English, officiating. Interment was made in the Tecumseh cemetery, under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Randall Kearney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kearney, and grandson of Mrs. L. L. McBane, passed away at 9:15 p. m. at Ft. Myers, Virginia, at the Arlington Hall Station hospital. He was born January 25, 1928. At the age of 16 he entered the services of the Merchant Marine and served overseas in the Atlantic, Pacific and Caribbean Sea Theaters. In 1946 he entered the regular Army in Georgia. He received a medical discharge in August, 1946, and reentered the Army in May, 1947. He was serving at Fort Myers, Virginia, at the time of his death.

Before entering military service, he attended Peacock Military Academy at San Antonio, Lubbock high school and Jayton high school. Being the athletic type, he entered all sports. Due to his holding the Golden Glove award, he was presented with a permanent boxing permit in the Territory of Hawaii.

Pallbearers were members of the American Legion, Post 82, Baird.

W.S.C.S. HAVE WEEK OF PRAYER PROGRAM

The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church met October 23 for their Week of Prayer program, with a covered dish luncheon. High lights of the day's meeting were: Invocation, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds; Be Still and Know, Mrs. John English; duet, Mrs. Kelton and Mrs. Bauleh; prayer, Mrs. O. B. Jarrett; talks on Colleges for Christian Workers, Mrs. Bob Norrell, Mrs. S. S. Nichols, Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mrs. M. D. Bell; solo, Mrs. Willard Kelton; and Benediction by Mrs. Stoker of Eula.

The following members and guests were present: Mmes. O. B. Jarrett, Lela Miller of Abilene, Nathan Waldrop, E. L. Woodley, Mary Stuphen, Irvin Corn, M. L. Stubblefield, Willard Kelton, W. A. Fetterly, Bill Jones, Clifton Hord, M. C. Bell, John English, J. C. Barringer, Tee Bauleh, Bob Norrell, E. R. Beck, E. M. Wristen, J. M. Reynolds, S. S. Nichols, Stoker of Eula, Hugh Ross, W. O. Wylie, Jr., J. J. Durham, Viva Tucker, and Miss Margaret Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ault and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde, attended the McMurry-A.C.C. football game Saturday night at Abilene.

FUNERAL THURSDAY FOR CALLAHAN PIONEER

Funeral services for Harry L. Fewell, 63, were held Thursday at the Clyde Baptist church with Rev. Sidney Cox of Fort Worth, former Clyde pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Baird cemetery.

Mr. Fewell, a long time resident of Callahan county and Clyde, died Tuesday morning in an Abilene hospital. He suffered a heart attack Saturday.

He was born at Briggs on July 17, 1884, and came to Callahan county as a youth, living in Clyde since that time except for a few years spent in Abilene with the highway department.

He was married to Josie Young, who died in 1923. He was married to Lillian Evans in Abilene in 1924.

Survivors include the widow; one daughter, Juanita Fewell of Clyde; two sons, Donald Fewell with the Navy at San Diego, Calif., and Bobby Dean Fewell of Clyde; one sister, Mrs. Ed Edgar, Plainview; and one brother, Jess Fewell of San Antonio.

BIDS ASKED ON EULA FARM-MARKET ROAD

State Highway Engineer B. C. Rogers was in Baird from Abilene this week to announce that bids will soon be received on the construction of the farm-to-market highway from U. S. Highway 80 to Eula, in this county, a distance of 4.821 miles. This is the first farm-to-market project to receive attention from the highway department in Callahan county. A number of other roads are on the waiting list.

Engineer Rogers has done quite a lot of work in Callahan county, having been assigned to a number of highway projects on Highway 183, Highway 36 and Highway 80. He finds a warm welcome by many friends in again being assigned to a Callahan county road job.

LEWIS EASTERWOOD BURIED FRIDAY

Funeral services for Lewis Easterwood, 34, were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater Friday. Mr. Easterwood died at his home in Sweetwater Wednesday night.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Easterwood, Sweetwater; three sisters, Mrs. Ralph W. Robinson, Route 1, Baird, Mrs. Lora Brashers, Sweetwater, Mrs. R. H. Brown, Boering, Ore.; two brothers, Joe of Odessa and Earl of Ft. Bayard Hospital, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kennard and son, Bill of Clyde, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Windham and daughter, Carrol Lynn, at their ranch home at Midland.

Joyce Miller And Buddy Hart Wed

The marriage of Miss Joyce Yvonne Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Miller of Clyde, and J. C. (Buddy) Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart of Baird, took place at noon Sunday, Oct. 19, at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. R. H. Garner, Lubbock. Carl Spain, associate minister of the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Grayson Miller, wore a wedding gown of white heavily brocaded taffeta, fashioned with short sleeves, high neckline and flowing skirt. She wore long mitts of the self-same material and wore a fingertip veil of bridal illusion. The white Bible she borrowed from her sister, Miss Lucy Miller, Clyde, was topped with a bouquet of white carnations and for something new she wore a strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom. Something blue was a gold bracelet set with a sapphire, belonging to another sister, Miss Mary Alice Miller, Abilene, and something old was a bracelet belonging to her maternal grandmother, Mrs. B. Christopher.

Miss Lucy Miller, maid of honor, wore a sky blue dress of shadowed taffeta and Miss Mary Miller bridesmaid, wore a pink taffeta, styled similar to the bride's dress, and they wore half hats in shades matching their ensembles.

Ray Black of Abilene served as best man and Mr. Garner was groomsmen.

David Miller, Clyde, and Don Garner, nephew of the bridegroom, were ring bearers.

A reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brasher. Mrs. Grayson Miller and Mrs. J. R. Black served cake and Mrs. W. O. Barber ladeled punch. Miss Helen Summers was at the register.

Later the couple left for a wedding trip to Denver. The bride traveled in a plum gabardine suit with gray accessories. Formerly employed at the Baird Refining Company, she attended college in El Paso.

Mr. Hart is a graduate of the Baird High School and Abilene Christian College. He is employed by Shell Oil Company in Midland, where the couple will be at home. He was in the Army Air Force for five years, fifteen months of which were spent in prison camps in Germany.

Only relatives and close friends attended the wedding and reception. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart and son, Billy, Baird; Mrs. E. P. Miller of Clyde; Mrs. L. F. Spencer of Ovalo; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Black, Jr., Bob Shelton, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hise of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Art Shaw of Goldsmith.

FUNERAL MONDAY FOR E. R. FERGUSON

Funeral services for E. R. (Buster) Ferguson, about 40, who died of injuries received Oct. 13 when he was thrown from a horse on a ranch near San Angelo, were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday at Laughter-North funeral chapel in Abilene, with Thomas Utley, Hardin-Simmons university ministerial student, officiating.

Burial was in Tecumseh cemetery, near Dudley, conducted by the Masons.

Mr. Ferguson, who died Sunday in a San Angelo hospital, had been unconscious since the accident.

He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Frank Windham and Mrs. Iris McKinley, both of Oplin, Mrs. Walter Preston of Dudley; and an aunt, Mrs. Marvel Slaughter of Abilene.

Pallbearers were fellow workers on the Bar S ranch near San Angelo where he was employed.

Mr. Ferguson lived at Oplin from 1923 until 1937. He spent four years in the Army, with three years spent in Africa and Italy. Since his discharge from the Army two years ago, he was employed at the Bar S ranch at Mertzon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIntosh, and son, John Fred, of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon McIntosh of Odessa are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIntosh in Clyde.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hunter attended the Camera Club meeting in Abilene Monday night.



NEW MANAGER FOR LONE STAR GAS CO.

W. M. (Bill) Braymer has been appointed manager of Lone Star Gas Company's Abilene district, as part of seven personnel changes announced by L. B. Denning, Jr., of Dallas, operating manager for the general division of distribution, through M. L. Bird of Abilene, division superintendent. Mr. Braymer comes to Abilene from Stamford where he has been district manager. He succeeds W. J. Deakins who has been named manager of the company's Ennis district of ten towns. Mr. Deakins succeeds H. L. St. John, who is retiring under the company's pension plan.

H. D. Smith, Electra district manager, replaces Mr. Braymer at Stamford, and John Lee Cooper, district foreman at Marlin, has been appointed manager of the Electra district. Other appointments include H. L. Dyer as Denton district manager; R. E. Neal as McKinney district manager, succeeding Mr. Dyer, and W. R. Zinn as Hugo district manager, succeeding Mr. Neal. Mr. Zinn has been chief clerk at Denton.

Mr. Braymer is a veteran of the gas industry, having joined Lone Star in 1930. He was manager at Hamlin five years prior to his appointment as Stamford district manager, and he served the old Stamford and Western Gas Company before coming with Lone Star. A native of Bradford, Pa., Mr. Braymer is a member of the Methodist Church, Rotary Club and the Stamford Country Club. He has served as chairman of the Jones County Boy Scout Council, and president of the Stamford Board of City Development. In 1943 he was president of the Stamford Rotary Club, and in 1946 a director of the Community Chest there.

Mr. Braymer is the former Lulu M. Peters of Stamford. They have one son, Billy, 8.

Football Team To Meet Bangs

Friday night of this week, the Baird High School Bears go to Bangs where they take on the Bangs High School Dragons.

This is another conference game, the fourth for the home team. In other conference games, we have tied Early 6-6, defeated Rising Star 25-0, and defeated the May High Tigers last Friday night here, 34-0.

Although the Bangs boys have had trouble winning, it should be remembered that they played the Bears to a 14-14 tie here in the Bears Den last year. So let's all back our boys again this week by having a big crowd of Baird folks on hand at Bangs Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The admission price to the game will be 30c for students, and 60c for adults, as is the usual admission to all conference games.

Other games on the Bear's schedule are:

Putnam here, Nov. 7 (night) Moran here, Nov. 14 (night) (Conference game)

Strawn here, Nov. 21 (night) Cross Plains there, Thanksgiving (day) (Conference game)

RECITAL

Mrs. V. E. Hill will present her music pupils in recital Thursday, Nov. 6 at 7:30 p. m., at the high school auditorium.

Mrs. G. C. Osborne, Sr., of Abilene, spent several days last week at the bedside of her niece, Mrs. D. S. McGee, Jr.

Just 'Round About

As we walked up and down the street a thousand smiles were sparkling through raindrops that brought ranchmen and farmers out of the grips of a protracted drought * * * E. A. Franke predicted frost in a couple of weeks * * * B. H. Freeland sold his hairy vetch seed before the first shower ended * * * C. B. Snyder was encircled by a band of merimaking cowmen, boots, duckins, and Stetsons * * * Eldon Dunlap parked in front of the P. O. for the refinery mail * * * Harold Ray, briskly walked down the street with a hand full of papers * * * Sam D. Jobe took his own good time about filling a cob pipe and then stood puffing and talking about a fine fruit crop * * * W. O. Wylie erected a new sign at the funeral parlor entrance * * * Jerry Loper was the center of attraction out in front of the pharmacy among a host of folks * * * Commissioner I. G. Mobley, seldom seen out of the Putnam precinct, was giving ye olde hand shake up and down the street * * * Evidence that Madison Montgomery, city employee, is off the job was seen by the street being cluttered with scraps of paper. Doctor Griggs ordered him to get off his feet. The town misses him * * * Jim Asbury passed by with a plaster pig under each arm * * * Dr. Jim Tom Lawrence of Fort Worth came home to see his parents, and talked to the folks who dropped in at Holmes Drug * * * As we looked in at the windows up and down the street we got to wondering who would be next to hold a cooked food sale. Isn't there any other way at all to raise funds for the clubs, schools and organizations? * * * W. H. Boatwright was spreading a wet-weather smile as he greeted the folks on the street * * * Mrs. E. C. Fulton, just returned from a delightful trip with her sister to New York, telling interesting details about her trip, told that she talked to Mrs. H. Schwartz in Cincinnati * * * Judge Felix Mitchell, out of the hospital, was attending to court affairs * * * What folks talk about on the street sometimes sounds better than it would look in print, so before we "plow up a snake," we'd better sign thirty until next week.

Oplin Observations
Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Opea Order.
By Joretta Gwin

Our community was saddened by news of the death of Buster Ferguson, who died in a San Angelo hospital of injuries received when a horse threw him.

The Rev. Thomas Utley has accepted the position as pastor of the Oplin Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wompler and granddaughter, Rita Sue Davidson, of Oklahoma City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Kirkendoll last week.

News was received Saturday of the death of Randall Kearney who died in Virginia. Randall was reared in Oplin.

Mrs. W. T. Johnson and Mrs. J. W. Lambert are in the hospital at Baird.

A Halloween Carnival will be held at the school house Friday night. Everyone welcome.

We are all happy over the nice rain that came last Friday night.

Mrs. James G. Hallmark and children, Kenneth and Judy, returned home Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer at Eula.

ACC HOMECOMING SET FOR NOVEMBER 14 & 15

Abilene Christian College will hold its 1947 annual homecoming for its 15,000 ex-students November 14 and 15.

Saturday, November 15, will be the biggest day of the week-end reunion, but the college A and W Clubs, with all social clubs on the camps, will hold welcome home functions for their ex-members Friday night. Also Friday night both students and ex-students will join in a bonfire and pep rally in preparation for their Saturday football game with Austin College.

The annual homecoming breakfast is slated for 8:30 a. m. Saturday. Then homecoming chapel services will be held at the regular chapel hour, 10 a. m. These worship services, attended by all students, are held daily on the Abilene Christian College campus.

At noon the college will serve the homecoming exes and visitors a traditional barbecue. The ACC girls' sextet and men's quartet are to sing at the barbecue, as well as at the breakfast.

At 2:30 Saturday afternoon the ACC Wildcats will meet the Austin College Kangaroos in the homecoming football game. The tilt will take place in Abilene's Eagle Stadium.



MRS. J. C. (BUDDY) HART

MRS. J. C. HART HONORED

Miss Joyce Miller, bride-elect of J. C. (Buddy) Hart, was honored with a pre-nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Colonel Dyer, Thursday evening, Oct. 16. Mrs. Dyer greeted the guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. E. P. Miller of Eula, the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Fred Hart. Mrs. S. S. Nichols presided at the brides book where a hundred guests from Baird and out-of-town registered.

Mrs. W. V. Walls, Mrs. Ellen McGowen, Mrs. Roy D. Williams, and Mrs. D. J. Anderson presided in the gift room. Mrs. Harold Miller directed the guests into the dining room. The lace laid table was centered with a bouquet of pink and white carnations, and crystal candelabras. Mrs. Parker Coppinger of Abilene, presided at the silver coffee service. Music during the calling hours was presented by Mrs. V. E. Hill and Mrs. Willard Kelton. A poem, written by Mrs. George Biggerstaff of Putnam, to the bride and groom was read by Mrs. Hubert Ross.

Other members of the house party were Mrs. Gilbert Hinds, Mrs. O. B. Pool, Mrs. G. H. Tankersley, Mrs. Ellen Gee Fairly and Miss Ruth Dyer.

Mrs. Amy Walker, Balmorhea, is spending three weeks in Grand Prairie.

KSTA, COLEMAN COUNTY RADIO STATION, OPENS

After many months of preparation, Coleman County's new radio station KSTA, located just north of Coleman on the Abilene Highway, goes on the air officially at 7:00 a. m. Saturday. During test programs run this week, telephone calls and letters from listeners in Iowa and Illinois who heard the station indicate the signal emanating from the 243 foot antenna will cover a wide territory. Basis of the station's programming will be some 3000 musical selections, featuring some of America's finest artists, comprising the Capitol Library. Such outstanding units as Gene Krupa, Duke Ellington, Stan Kenton and Alvio Ray head the galaxy of top "name bands" that will be regularly featured on the new station. Among vocalists and vocal groups, the King Sisters, the Dinning Sisters, June Christy, Peggy Lee and Hal Derwin stand out. Western and Hillbilly groups will be headlined by artists like Tex Ritter, Shug Fisher, Karl and Harty, Wesley Tuttle, Merle Travis, the Oak Ridge Quartet and many others. Auditions held during October have uncovered some fine local talent that will be featured regularly. Aside from music, the station's daily program schedule will be liberally sprinkled with news broadcasts from the leased wires of United Press and local news edited and presented by KSTA's own news staff.

The staff of KSTA, headed by manager Jack South, is composed of Alton Stewart, chief engineer; Brownie Seals of Coleman, transmitter engineer. Vic Johnson, formerly of WTOG, Savannah, Ga., chief announcer Floyd Shelton, Santa Anna G.I. who had experience in the Armed Forces Radio Service, staff announcer; Mrs. A. G. Beach, prominent civic and social worker and Leah Nevins, speech major from North Texas State Teachers College, who will have charge jointly of women's activities and news.

A. D. Whisenant, former manager of WHOT in South Bend, Ind., who was retained to assist in the organization and launching of the new station, will remain in Coleman until December 1st.

Mr. South stated today that plans for the formal opening and dedicatory program will be announced at a later date.

Van Dean Rutherford, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Rutherford of Eula, visited the editor Saturday. Mr. Rutherford, who is stationed at San Antonio, with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, worked at Graham the past week and is now going to Altus, Okla., for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry, Cisco, are in Knoxville, Tenn., where they have entered registered polled cattle in the National Stock Show.

Mrs. John McGowen returned during the weekend from a two-weeks visit in Quanah and Elk City, Okla.

Mrs. J. H. Bailey of Clyde is spending a week in Austin, guest of her son, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey and family.

Mrs. George Fraiser, of Fort Worth, visited her daughter, Miss Evelyn Fraiser during the weekend.

Mrs. Duret Ramsey was a business visitor from Putnam Monday.

Ace Neithercutt of Hobbs, N. M., visited his wife during the weekend.

Mrs. R. A. Webster and son, Jimmie, visited David Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Webster in Austin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield spent Monday and Tuesday in Dallas attending market.



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CARNIVAL AT BAYOU

There will be a Halloween Carnival at Bayou school Friday night, Oct. 31 at 8 p. m. There will be fun for all and numerous prizes given away, including a blanket and a turkey. The public is cordially invited.

CEMETERY CLEAN UP

Work will be done on the Tecumseh cemetery November 14. All interested persons are invited to come and bring their lunch.

Miss Betsy Hickman, who is attending Incarnate Word College at San Antonio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman, during the weekend.

W. D. Boydston made a business trip to Dallas Monday.



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Sunday - Monday

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ANN HARDING
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Tuesday - Wednesday

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GAIL PATRICK
BILL SHEFFIELD

Thursday Only

'BLAZE OF NOON'

ANNE BAXTER
SONNY TUFTS
WILLIAM BENDIX

DARTO each Thursday Nite. Attend Wednesday and participate in \$\$\$ Prizes awarded Thursday.

NEW BOOKS

The following new books are now at the county library:

- Party Line _____ Baker
- Happiness Hill _____ Hill
- A New Name _____ Hill
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- The Bobbsey Twins on a Show Boat _____ Hope
- The Bobbsey Twins at School Hope.
- Illusions in Java _____ Fowler
- The Secret of the Hillyard House _____ Norris
- Luck on the Trail _____ Darling
- The Money Man _____ Costain
- Bats Fly at Dusk _____ Fair
- Us and the Duchess _____ Fenton
- The Mystery of Flight 24 _____ Gregg
- Close to My Heart _____ Nichols
- So Dear to my Heart _____ North
- The Bright Promise _____ Sherman
- The Smugglers Sloop _____ White
- The Lonley Carrot _____ Walker
- The Years of the Locust Erdman.

S/Sgt. D. S. McGee of Hickam Field, Hawaii, is spending a 20-day furlough here with his wife, who recently underwent surgery.

Office ruled forms. The Star.

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The heavy rains Friday night and Saturday night have stopped the peanut harvest, which was in full sway here. About 4 inches fell last weekend.

Rev. D. Van Pelt has gone to Glen Rose for a few days, to regain his health at the resort there.

Those who visited in the Clifton home last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clifton of Big Spring, Mrs. R. W. Spencer and children of Garden City, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clark and children, Billie and Jean, and Gaylon Copinger of Bangs.

The K. B. Robbins, who have been away at Anson for several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Carpenter shows no improvement and is still confined to her bed.

The Wyatt family, who have been away all Fall, have returned to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell of Baird visited their son, Dan and wife, over the weekend.

Mrs. J. R. Ramey is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Maud Whitzel of Roswell, N. M., visited in the Respass home Monday night.

CROSS PLAINS MAN MOVED FROM HOSPITAL

J. A. Caton, Cross Plains business man and president of the chamber of commerce, who has been dangerously ill for the past two weeks, has sufficiently improved to be removed from a Dallas hospital to the home of his brother, Dr. J. H. Caton in Eastland.

Although Mr. Caton is now reported to be slowly recovering he is not expected to be able to return to his business for at least another month.

Mrs. D. L. Parrott returned to her home in San Angelo after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bennett. She arrived here Wednesday to be at the bedside of her mother, who is ill. We are glad to report she is improved at this writing.

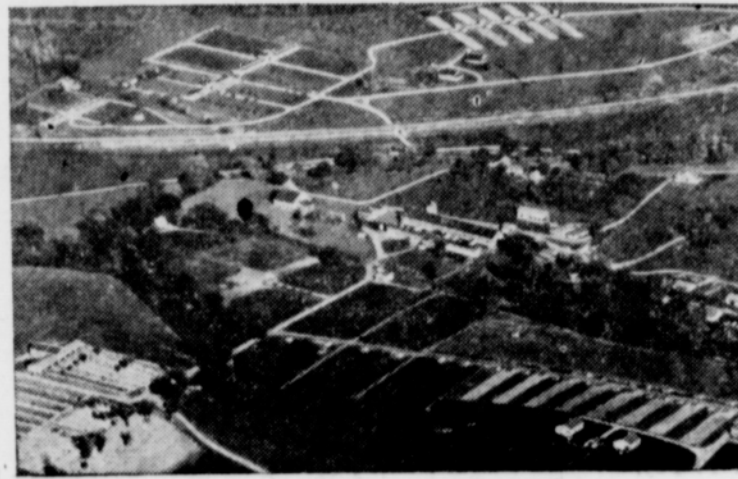


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HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL AT DENTON VALLEY

Plans for a Halloween Carnival to be held at the school house Thursday night, Oct. 30, were made when the Denton Valley Parent-Teachers Association met October 14. The public is invited to attend the carnival.

Chairmen for the following committees were elected: Program Mrs. L. L. Atchley; Hospitality, Mrs. Esker Crawford; Membership, Leaman Hayhurst; Finance Mrs. Walter Preston; Publicity, Mrs. Olivena Loven; Yearbook, Miss Willadean Gist.

After two songs by the Dudley quartet, Rev. Fuggett spoke on Co-operation of Teachers, Pupils and Parents.

After the meeting adjourned, a shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cole, who lost their household goods when their home was destroyed by fire several days ago.

AUXILIARY SOCIAL

The American Legion Auxiliary met in regular session Tuesday at 8 p. m., with the following members present: Mrs. Maurine Williams, Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough, Mrs. A. R. Grote, Mrs. Lee Loper, Mrs. O. B. Pool, Mrs. Geo. Eubanks, Mrs. B. O. Brame, Mrs. D. J. Anderson, Mrs. Jack Sims, Mrs. Fred Heyser of Putnam, and Mrs. Dale Glasson.

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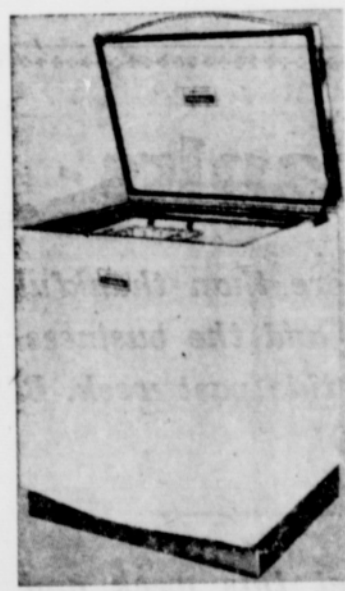
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- 8—Wheel Bearings — Greased and adjusted.
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NOTICE — Our lands on Deep Creek are posted. No fishing or hunting of any kind permitted. All permits revoked. Mrs. C. L. Finley Earl Burks Herman Betcher Milton Slaughter. 12-47pd.

FOR SALE — Extra large 5-room house in West Baird. East front, good condition, plenty closets, nice floors, garage, 100x140 foot lot, 4 blocks from school. \$5,250. B. H. Freeland. tfn.

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FOR SALE — Homes in Baird. See J. M. Simmons. 4tp.

LOST — Black leather billfold in front of Holmes Drug store, October 26. Contains man's wrist watch, a valuable keepsake, money and other things that are valuable to the owner only. Keep money and return billfold and other articles to the Baird Star. 2tp.

NOTICE TO FARMERS — On Friday, Nov. 7, the Baird gin will run its last day of the season. Farmers please take notice. 1tc.

CARD OF THANKS — I wish to express my appreciation for the many kind deeds shown me during my recent illness. Each card, flower, gift and each one who called was sincerely appreciated. Even though I did not get to see those who called the first few days, I have your names, and your thoughtfulness shall always be remembered. Mrs. D. S. McGee, Jr.

Guests in the E. L. Winn home in Clyde are Mrs. Winn's mother, Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Childress, and her sister, Mrs. Rouse Howell, Mr. Howell and son, Jim, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy attended market for gent's furnishings in Dallas the first of the week.

ART EXHIBIT TO BE NOVEMBER 5TH

The Delphian Club will sponsor an art exhibit, featuring work by local artists at the high school Wednesday, Nov. 5th, at 3:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend this exhibit and any one having works of art which they would like to display, please contact members of the Delphian Club.

Mrs. W. A. Pool was in Baird from Luling to report that they were returning to this section of the country due to Mr. Pool's health. The Luling altitude is too low. He was butcher at Boyd's Grocery here for several years and moved to Luling a few months ago. They will be at Moran until they find a permanent location.

Bobby Don Morris, Brady, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Pass.

Miss Doris Foy, R. W. Foy and V. H. Foy of Dallas and Mrs. J. R. Latimer of Fort Worth are visiting their mother, Mrs. H. F. Foy.

Mrs. Nellie Mills spent Monday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright.

Dr. Jim Tom Lawrence, of Harris Clinic at Ft. Worth, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence Saturday and Sunday.

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CALLAHAN COUNTY TEACHERS MEETING

Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 7:30 p. m., there will be a meeting of all teachers of Callahan county in the Baird high school auditorium.

B. B. Cobb, secretary of Texas State Teachers Association, will be the principal speaker. Rev. John English will give the invocation, and B. C. Chrisman, superintendent of county schools, will speak to the group. A sextet of high school girls will render three numbers and Miss Sue Hooker will play the violin. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Anyone interested is invited to attend.

R. L. GRIGGS III R. L. Griggs II was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Griggs, Jr., on October 28 at Callahan County Hospital. The baby boy, weighing 6 pounds, 4 ounces at birth, is the grandson of Dr. R. L. Griggs and a great grandson of Mrs. Cora Work of this city.

Marvin Swinson, who has been playing with a hill-billy band, is at home for a few days, after an engagement at Stamford.

Mrs. Alvin Heslep and sons, Billie and Ray, of El Paso, are visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sadie Heslep, while Lt. Heslep is on maneuvers in Alabama.

Mrs. W. R. Burleson dropped by the Staf office Wednesday to have her paper changed to Weatherford, where they recently moved from Rio Hondo.

Mrs. Lela Miller of Abilene is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Nathan A. Waldrop and family.

T. N. Minix wrote from Sweetwater, "Enjoy your paper so much—especially the news from Midway, Denton, and Dudley," when he renewed his subscription to The Star this week.

Mrs. John Bailey of Clyde is in Dallas to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. K. Miller of Fort Davis, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stephenson of Clyde, left for Holdenville, Okla., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Joe Reos and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Shiller of Clyde spent several days with Mrs. Shiller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Teichelman at Taylor. Mr. Shiller is with the Harry Campbell Construction company, and has been stationed at Clyde for the past several months.

Mrs. C. T. Clay and boys, Charles and Robert, left Wednesday for their home in Big Spring after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright.

Mrs. R. L. Alexander and Mrs. Joe McGowan attended the Presbyterian Society in Abilene Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller, in San Angelo, during the weekend.

Mrs. A. W. Warren, Mrs. Henry Bailey and daughter, Eva, of the Hart community, visited Mrs. Sadie Heslep and Mrs. Rosa Ryan last week.

Miss Corrine Barringer, Mrs. Barringer and Miss Myrtle Boydston were Abilene visitors last Friday.

Mrs. R. G. Edwards left Wednesday for Crowell to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. White, who is suffering from a stroke.

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The S.M.U.-Texas broadcast will emanate from the Cotton Bowl in Dallas, with Kern Tips describing grid-iron action and Alec Chesser filling in with color. The game, due to go on the air at 1:50 p. m., will be heard over stations WFAA-WBAP. (820 kc), Dallas-Ft. Worth; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; KTBC, Austin; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KVAL, Brownsville; and KGNC, Amarillo.

The T.C.U.-Baylor match will be described by Bill Michaels, assisted by Eddie Barker at the color mike. The broadcast will go on the air at 2:20 p. m. from Waco, over stations WFAA-WBAP. (570 kc) Dallas-Ft. Worth; KTSA, San Antonio; KTHH, Houston; KWBU, Corpus Christi; KPDM, Beaumont; KWFT, Wichita Falls; and KWTX, Waco.

Fred Kincaid, Humble color announcer, will open the Arkansas-Texas A. & M. broadcast at 1:50 p. m., with play-by-play man Ves Box taking over at the kick-off. The broadcast originating from Fayetteville, will be carried over stations KRLD, Dallas; KTRH, Houston; KABC, Austin; KPAB, Laredo; KRIO, McAllen; and WTAW, College Station.

The one non-conference game of the day will be broadcast from Houston, where Rice tan-

gles with Texas Tech. Charlie Jordan will handle play-by-play and Jerry Doggett the color assignment. The broadcast, scheduled for 2:20 p. m., will be heard over stations WRR, Dallas; KFJZ, Ft. Worth; KFYO, Lubbock; KVOP, Plainview; KRBC, Abilene; KBST, Big Spring; KGKL, San Angelo; KOSA, Odessa; KIUN, Pecos; KROD, El Paso; KRRV, Sherman; KGVL, Greenville; KPLT, Paris; KCMC, Texarkana; KMHT, Marshall; KXYZ, Houston; KPET, Lamesa; and KSST, Sulphur Springs.

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EDITORIAL

Four things a man must learn to do
If he would make his record true;
To think with confusion clearly;
To love his fellow men sincerely;
To act from honest motives purely;
To trust in God and Heaven securely.

SOCIETY

Bobby Johnson
We are glad to welcome a new student, Jerry Betcher, a Freshman, from Harry Ellis High School, Richmond, California.

F. F. A.

The race for F.F.A. Sweetheart was still on last Friday. The Junior representative, Gayle Dyer, was eliminated Wednesday, and the race between Senior representative, Bobby Johnson, and Sophomore, Clovie Womack, ran until Friday afternoon at 12:45. The sweetheart was announced at the Pep Rally and she is Bobby Johnson.

BAND ELECTS SWEETHEART
The band met Wednesday, Oct. 22, and elected Jackie Gilliland as their sweetheart.

IDEAL JUNIOR GIRL

Hair — Betty Jean Dungan
Eyes — June Nichols

Figure — Martha Brame
Complexion — Wanda Warren
Smile — Gayle Dyer
Personality — Barbara Boyd
Nose — Reba Moore
Hands — Dorothy Haile
Legs — Norma Farmer

GRADE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

FIRST GRADE—Jimmy Benson, Audrey Gary, Ray Bryant, Joe Lynn Ault, and Betty Pritchard.

SECOND GRADE — Sue Higgins, Mary Ross, and Barbara Snyder.

THIRD GRADE—Jerry Corn, Kenneth Gleghorn, Mike Reed, Leila Norris, Dorothy Schaffrina, Jackie Stanley and Lona Truitt.

FIFTH GRADE — Robert Corn, Leslie Nichols, Charles Allen Young, Danna Elliott, Marylyn Gilliland, Betty Frances Goosby, Carolyn Nichols and Wanda Sue Shelton.

SIXTH GRADE — Sylvia Patterson, George Jones and Sylvia Ann Cox.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL FRESHMAN CLASS — Larry Dunwoody, and Wanda Floyd.

SOPHOMORE CLASS — Billy Joe Brashear, Jerry English, Billy Lamb and James Paul Shanks.

SENIOR CLASS — Ruth Swim.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

The following attendants were in the Queen's Court:

Seniors — Billy Browning and Leon Daniell.

Juniors — Reba Moore and Delbert Browning.

Sophomores — Anita Ivey and Billy George Morgan.

Freshmen — Oro Keyes and Cecil Stroop.

Football—Robbie June Vaughn and Billy Pierson.

Home Economics —Sahra Hoggett.

F. F. A. — Martha Brame and Gene Yeager.

Spanish Club — Gayle Dyer.

Pep Squad — Dorothy Bruce and Jack Noble.

Library — Thelma Robbins.

Junior Historian — Norma Farmer.

Band — June Nichols.

First Grade — Betty Pritchard and Gary Gilliland; Kay Harville and Joe Lynn Ault.

Second Grade — Mary Ross and James Rylee Tyson.

Third Grade — Lela Griggs and Mike Reed.

Fourth Grade — Shirley Waggoner and Gynn Bryant; Elsie Tarver and Ross Lynn Cook.

Fifth Grade — Virgie Mae Stephenson and Robert Corn.

Sixth Grade — Sylvia Cox and George Jones.

Seventh Grade — June Boyd and Silvesta Herring.

Eighth Grade — Maona Bullard and Curtiss Chatham.

JUNIOR HISTORIANS

The club organized Friday and elected the following officers:

President — Billy Preston Johnson.

Vice-President — Gene Yeager.

Secretary — Jimmy Mobley.

Reporter — Jack Yarbrough.

Chapel Representative — Tommy Hawk.

Sponsors — Mrs. White and Mr. Russell.

Co-Sponsor — Wednesday Club.

Club Aims — To study the History of Callahan County and the State of Texas.

Project of the Year — To assist the Wednesday Club in collection for the Callahan County Museum.

SPORTS

Douglas Wagner
BEARS TROMP TIGERS 34-0

The Bears racked up another victory Friday night defeating May 34 to 0. The first touchdown was made by Yarbrough from the 5 yard line. Varner passed to Yarbrough for the extra point.

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Still in the first quarter Mayes scored from the 6 yard line. Yarbrough tried a plunge for the extra point but was stopped. In the second quarter, Miller scored from the 2 yard line. Yarbrough ran over for the extra point.

Varner ran 35 yards for the fourth touchdown, and Yarbrough ran over the extra point. Yarbrough picked up a fumble and raced 60 yards for the last score. Varner passed to Miller for the extra point.

Baird made 11 first downs to May's 3. The Bears were penalized six times. West punted 3 times for an average of 43 yards. The Bears had a total of 289 yards rushing. The 2nd and 3rd strings also played against May.

BAIRD CUBS WIN ANOTHER

The Baird Grade School Cubs played the Cross Plains Grade School in a return game last Thursday night at Cross Plains and won by the score 14-8.

The Cubs scored first, then Cross Plains blocked a punt and scored a safety for 2 points. In the third quarter, Cross Plains scored a touchdown to forge into the lead 8-7. Then in the fourth quarter the Cubs came back to score another touchdown and again made good the try for extra point. Final score 14-8.

It was a jam-up good game, and a number of Baird people were there. We are all proud of the record the Cubs are making.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell, Ranger; Mrs. Lilleh Bertsch, Springfield, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price and daughter, Zella, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love and family at Rotan. Mr. Love is minister of the Church of Christ there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker and son, Jimmy, have returned to their home in Houston after a visit with Mrs. Parker's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Bailey in Clyde.

County Agriculture Agent's Column

By A. R. Grote, Jr.

LIVING ROCK

Yes, that's the title of the film to be shown to the Veteran's Agricultural classes Nov. 5th in Baird and Nov. 7th in Cross Plains.

With the increase in the use of fertilizer in this county, this film carries a very stirring story of soil conservation in which a farm family discovers the importance of minerals, especially lime and phosphate, to the life of plants, animals, and people, and finds a practical way to improve health and security. Come out and see the benefits you are receiving from your practice of using phosphate on your place and if you aren't carrying on a soil conservation practice on your farm, all the more reason you should see this movie. It lasts 30 minutes, is in sound, and beautiful technicolor. The public is invited to attend the showing, which will begin at 7:30 at the Courthouse in Baird, Nov. 5th, and 7:30 in the Cross Plains High School Auditorium Nov. 7th.

HELP IN SIGHT ON NOXIOUS PLANTS

A project aimed at control and practical methods of eradication of noxious range plants has been set up under the Research and Marketing Act, according to word received at Texas A. & M. College from E. A. Meyer, administrator of the new act. The project has been assigned to the U. S. Forest Service.

It is estimated here that loss to Texas ranchmen from such plants is around \$20 million a year.

The Forest Service, according to the Washington announcement will set up "a study of the ecology and physiology of certain noxious range plants. The work, which will be conducted

in the southwest, will be aimed at finding better control or eradication methods based on fundamental principles."

Pioneer work on eradication of such plants, both by mechanical and chemical means, has been done in Texas by R. R. Lancaster, extension pasture specialist, and M. R. Bently, extension agricultural engineer, in cooperation with Virgil Parr of the Soil Conservation Service's range studies research division, ranchmen and county agents: H. P. Smith, agricultural engineer of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station; D. A. Anderson, Texas Forest Service; R. E. Dickson and C. E. Fisher of the Spur substation; R. A. Hall, Beeville substation; and W. H. Dameron and I. B. Boughton of the Sonora substation.

With a special service to study the noxious plants, an economical "sure kill" method should result.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that H. A. Warren, County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, of Callahan County, Texas, has this day legally estrayed the following animal:

One Red White face mixed, coming 2 years heifer, no marks or brands. Said animal has been running at large on the W. H. Bryant place, about 3 miles W., 2 miles S. of Baird, Texas.

Said estray will be sold for cash to the highest bidder at the W. H. Bryant place about 3 miles W., 2 miles S. of Baird, Texas, Monday the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1947, between the hours of 1:00 o'clock p. m. and 3 o'clock p. m.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 15th day of October A. D. 1947.

Bruce Bell, County Clerk, Callahan County, Texas.
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Oct. 17, 24, 31.

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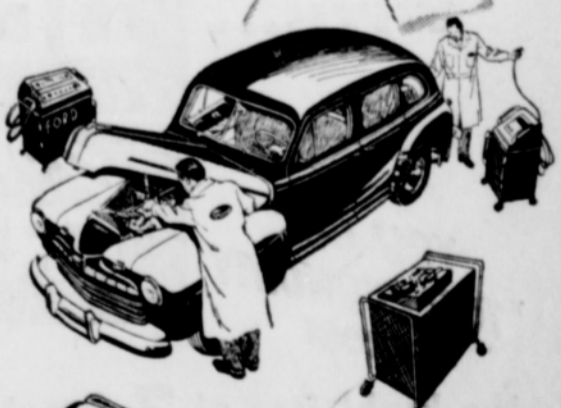
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AAA FARM NEWS
B. B. McPherson

WINTER LEGUMES PROGRAM
Recent rains over the county will provide ample moisture for seeding winter legume cover crops. The most widely used winter legumes in this county are hairy vetch, Austrian winter peas, and common or willamette vetch. Dixie wonder pea seed will also be available this year and a good many farmers are expected to plant trial plantings of this new and improved variety of Austrian winter peas. The Dixie wonder pea is supposed to make a quicker growth and mature earlier than the regular Austrian winter pea. These winter legumes are all included in the 1948 AAA winter legume program with payment rates as follows: hairy vetch, 10c per pound; common or willamette vetch, 5c per pound; and Austrian and Dixie wonder peas, 3 1/2 c per pound. Although vetch and peas are seeded in the fall of

1947, AAA payment will be made out of the 1948 program. To meet 1948 specifications, a good stand and growth of vetch and/or winter peas must be left on the land or turned under. Limited grazing is permitted, but livestock must be removed in time for the legume to make good growth. Seed may be harvested. All winter legume seed should be inoculated and fertilizer applied where needed.

All Callahan county farmers are reminded that a written approval from the AAA office must be obtained before planting peas or vetch to be eligible for AAA payment. The amount of assistance for all winter legumes under the 1948 program is 50c times each acre of cropland on the farm, or \$10.00, whichever is the larger. Approval for any individual for winter legumes will be limited to \$250.00 in the county. Farmers desiring to qualify for payment on winter legumes should file receipts at this office showing the number of pounds and the kind of legume seed purchased. If seed were home grown, a personal certification to that effect should be filed. Farmers who receive seed under the purchase order plan will be issued on approval at the time the purchase order is issued. All persons who purchase legume seed outright are requested to file receipts in person, since a record must be kept of the farms each person will have an interest in 1948.

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County H. D. Agent's Column
Evelyn Wieland

AGENTS' SCHEDULE
Nov. 3—Eula 4-H at 1:00 p. m.
Nov. 4—Putnam 4-H at 9 a. m. Cottonwood 4-H at 2:45 p. m.
Nov. 5—Clyde 4-H at 10 a. m. Bayou 4-H at 2:30 p. m.
Nov. 6—Oplin 4-H at 10:20 a. m. Denton 4-H at 1 p. m.
Nov. 7—Office. Work on demonstration.
Nov. 8—Office - Publicity.

MIXING CONVENIENCES
Counter space and convenience means the same thing when it comes to planning a kitchen. Size, height and location of the counter are what count, according to Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of the Texas A. & M. College.

She adds that the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics people in Washington have made studies of kitchen work at counters of varying height. Some of the things they have found out are:
More counter space is needed for making bread and cookies than for any other food preparation job. About the least space you can get along with is 24 by 36 inches. And 24 by 42 inches will take care of all mixing jobs comfortably.

Equipment manufacturers used to make most working counters 36 inches high - the common height for counters around the sink. But, on the basis of the USDA studies, they're now coming out with a counter at two levels, one 36 inches high for washing dishes, the other 32 to 34 inches for mixing foods. The most convenient height varies with the height and arm length of the woman who is going to use the kitchen.

The handiest place to keep baking plans is near the mixing counter, not near the oven as is done in most kitchens. Bowls, beaters and other utensils used in mixing belong near this work center, too, as do flour, sugar, flavors and seasonings.

HELP FROM THE KITCHEN
How many times have you wondered what you could do in a hurry for an accidental spill on your favorite rug or chair? Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home management specialist for the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, says turn to your kitchen, 9 times out of 10, the kitchen shelf can give you first aid.

For instance, corn starch or corn meal will absorb moisture, the main trick is to get it on the liquid in a hurry, before it has a chance to soak in. This is good for rugs, upholstery or mattresses.
A paste of corn starch and cleaning fluid will do wonders on

a grease spot, let the paste dry, brush it off and repeat until all the spot disappears.
Starch comes in handy for soot or smoke marks, too. Shake on the corn starch and then brush off soot and starch together.

If you have children, you know how stubborn chewing gum can be, especially on rugs or heavy materials. Call on ice or egg white, Mrs. Claytor says. If the fabric won't water spot, rub ice over the gum, it hardens so that it can be scraped or rubbed free. Or soften the gum with egg white and then wash off both with cool soapy water.

Baking soda is another handy item to have around for acid stains. Prompt treatment with soda neutralizes the acid and prevents stain damage.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 4.821 miles of Gr., Strs., Flex. Base & Prime Coat from US Highway 80 to Eula on Highway No. FM 603, covered by S 860 (1), in Callahan County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Nov. 14, 1947, 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.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of B. C. Rogers, Resident Engineer Abilene, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

Oct. 31 - Nov. 7
DUDLEY H. D. CLUB

Dudley Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. L. L. Atchley with ten members present.

Mrs. Ola Roberts discussed the Betcher discussed common colds and their causes. Mrs. John McKenzie, council delegate, gave a report from the last meeting. Mrs. Roy Armor spoke on The Rose Garden, and Mrs. Lawson Armor had charge of recreation.

A report from the food sale held in Baird was given by Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ola Roberts, Mrs. Finley Coughran, Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr., Mrs. C. H. Betcher, Mrs. John McKenzie, Mrs. Lawson Armor and Margaret, Mrs. Roy Armor, Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stanley, Mrs. H. M. Burleson, Patsy and Sonny, Mrs. L. L. Atchley and J. L. Morgan.

Next meeting will be held on November 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frasier and son, Billie, returned to their home at De Leon after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson. Mrs. Frasier spent the past week with her mother, who has been ill.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

A case of what soil conservation practices are doing is told by Mr. J. Frank Browning of the West Baird conservation group. Mr. J. Frank Browning and sons, John E. and Elbert, operate 155 acres of land. Their principal crops are apples and peanuts. The Brownings have a sandy land farm that is subject to wind erosion. The entire orchard is planted to a cover crop of vetch and rye after an application of 200 lbs. of 20% super-phosphate per acre. Mr. Frank Browning states that this practice has increased his apple yield one-third over similar land that is untreated.

During the fall of 1946 Mr. Browning planted a 20 acre field to vetch and rye for a cover crop. This crop was chopped into the surface of the soil in the spring of 1947 and then planted to peanuts. This 20 acres yielded 791 bushels of peanuts and 395 bales of hay this fall. Mr. Browning says that this is fully 5 bushels per acre more peanuts and one third more hay than similar land is producing which did not have the advantage of the soil building crop.

Wind erosion is completely controlled on our land, Says Mr. Browning, when a cover crop of vetch and rye is grown.

"HONEYMOON" PLAYED BY STELLAR CAST

An American diplomat's excited endeavors to arrange the marriage of two young patriots in Mexico City inspires the romantic complications in RKO Radio's uproarious "Honeymoon" starring Shirley Temple, Franchot Tone and Guy Madison, and presenting a triple-threat comedy combination.

Tone is a harassed consular official and Shirley a Minnesota girl who comes to the Mexican capital to meet her Army corporal-fiance, Madison, on a three-day pass from his post in the Canal Zone—object, matrimony.

A series of unforeseen complications develop to delay the marriage. A medical convention slows the young couple's efforts to obtain necessary health certificates. Then Shirley's passport is found to be all wrong, and the pair barely escape arrest.

Tone dutifully tries to straighten matters out, becoming involved in considerable trouble with his own fiancée, a pretty Mexican girl who misinterprets his escapades with the impulsive Shirley. Despite hilarious complications, he eventually gets the two youngsters to the altar for an uproarious climax.

Lina Romay is featured as Tone's fiancée. Gene Lockhart, Corrina Mura, Grant Mitchell also are featured in the offering.

Rowden Round-Up
Community Activities Reliably Recorded by The Star Reporter.
By Dorris McClain

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Redden of Abilene were in Rowden Monday.

Miss Ludie Smedley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smedley this past weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bruce and daughter of Blackwell, spent the past weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain.

Don't forget the Halloween Carnival this week at Bayou.
Carlene Roberson called on Dorris McClain last Wednesday evening.

There was about 2 7-8 inches of rain in this community last Friday night.

Mrs. M. E. Fry and grandchildren, Patsy and Jimmy Fry, of Cisco, were Baird visitors Saturday.

Hospital Notes

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thompson is a medical patient.

Mrs. W. W. Septer, a patient since the 24th, is improving.

B. W. Lofton is improving slowly.

C. T. Davis of Putnam, was dismissed the 26th, feeling better.

Mrs. R. L. Griggs, Jr., and infant son are doing nicely.

Marion Lee Baker, Abilene Route, underwent tonsillectomy the 24th.

Mrs. T. M. Shuford, Cross Plains, was a patient the 23rd.

R. S. Cross, Clyde, entered the 25th for medical treatment.

Mrs. O. Amundson and infant daughter have returned to their home. Both were doing nicely.

Mrs. Will McCoy, a medical patient, is feeling some better the past few days.

Mrs. S. E. Springer, Clyde, entered the hospital the 26th, is improving.

Kendrick Kuykendall, Clyde, who was admitted the 27th, is improving.

Mrs. C. Chaney entered the hospital the 28th for medical treatment.

Kale Weldon, who recently underwent major surgery, was able to return to his home the 27th.

Mrs. Jack Hancock, Oplin, is receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. N. E. McGee is getting along splendidly.

Vernon Cole and Aubrey Hansard, Waco, were treated the 25 for slight injuries received in an automobile accident.

Mrs. J. W. Lambert, Clyde, was a patient for a couple of days.

Mrs. James Witt is a medical patient.

Midway Musings

Miscellaneous Melange and Minor Mention of Men and Women.
By Mrs W. B. Tarver

Church services were rained out Sunday.

Merry Quilters met in a come and go session Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackson and sons, of Abilene, visited Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burklow Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aswell Walker and son of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Walker over the weekend.

Henry Mosley is hospitalized, suffering from a spider bite.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Cook and Beth, visited Mrs. R. W. Cook Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were in the Otto Rogers home Tuesday.

Clinton Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Nelson, has inter-tinal flu.

W. E. Baker, Jr., has also been ill with flu.

Mrs. W. E. Baker, Sr., has been on the sick list recently.

Bill Griffin has accepted a position with a chemical company in Dallas. He has been employed in Abilene for some time with Thornton Motor Co.

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