

Annual School Halloween Carnival To Be Held Saturday, October 30

The Annual School Halloween Carnival and Coronation will be held Saturday night, October 30. The night's events will begin with the opening of the Senior's food booth in the High School building at 6 p.m.

The Coronation of the High School and Elementary School Queens will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. Admission will be 15c and 25c.

The nominees for High School Queen and their escorts elected from each class were: Seniors,

Evelyn Sprawls and Robert Corn; Juniors, Martha Ann Martin and Bobby Joy; Sophomores, Dorothy Schaffrina and J. W. Hunt; Freshmen, Marcelle Jarrett and Jimmy Barnes. The Queen will be chosen by popular vote of the student body.

Elementary Queen will be elected from the 7th and 8th grade representatives, Linda Drennan and Marjorie Curtis.

In addition to elementary school representatives listed last week, there will be representatives from various high school organizations. Representing the Football Squad, Billie Beth Bell; Band, Carolyn Nichols; F.F.A., Rosie Monzello; F.H.A., Mary Brown; Spanish Club, Elizabeth Snyder; Dramatics Club, Mary Ross; Library Club, Toby Barton; and Pep Club, Jackie Stanley.

The program to be presented before the Royal Court will include Rhythmic Activities presented by the 1st, 2nd, and 1st and 4th grades, a skit presented by the Band, and a Promenade of Masqueraders.

Immediately following the Coronation, a cake and pie auction will be held in the gym with various booths being opened afterward in the gym and high school building, which will include Side Shows, Fun House, Fortune Telling, F.H.A. Bazaar, Throwing Basketballs, Knocking Down Bottles, Movies, Game Area for table tennis, dominoes, "42" and various other activities to be planned.

John C. White To Speak At Eastland

Can the West Texas rancher get his share of the Washington relief dollars? This will be the subject of an address by John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture at the annual meeting of the West Texas Ranchers Association in Eastland, Thursday evening, Nov. 4. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Auditorium.

A drouth relief program was inaugurated last year and reinstated again this year. The 1954 program has not met with complete approval by many ranchers.

and many believe it should be handled much in the same manner as other national disasters. It is a problem of interest to all involved in the livestock industry whether merchant or producer.

Mr. Walter Pfluger, successful farmer and rancher from West Texas will present a plan on how to make more money from ranching. Mr. Pfluger is President of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association. He lives at Eden, Texas. Many of the West Texas ranchers have managed to come through the drouth and still be in the ranching business. Mr. Pfluger will discuss their experiences and how they managed to stay in business during one of the driest periods in modern times. He will discuss the position of sheep and goats in modern ranching and what Washington is doing to encourage production of wool and mohair.

Cattle are not bringing as much money as they did a few years ago. Ranching is becoming more competitive. It takes better animals to return sufficient profit under present day conditions. Good beef animals consume no more grass than inefficient ones. Mr. Robert J. Norris, Livestock Division, Armour & Company, Chicago, will explain the importance of breeding the right kind of animals for today's market and why they will return more money to the producer.

The West Texas Ranchers Association, in addition to providing protective service to its members, sponsors projects beneficial to all livestock raisers in the five county area which it serves. A large crowd is expected to attend. It is said that several groups such as vocational agriculture classes and 4-H groups are planning on attending. This meeting is another example of the Public Service rendered to the livestock industry in this area. The meeting is free and everyone interested in livestock whether merchant or actual producer is invited to attend.

SWEET 'N SOUR

By A. DILL

Big Whing Ding at the School tomorrow night — and don't you forget it! That's the time of the Halloween Carnival and the crowning of the Carnival Queen. There will be plenty to do, booths to visit, and things to see. You'll enjoy all of it and your youngsters will appreciate your interest.

Halloween is a good time of the year, it ushers in the Autumn Season and begins the whirl of winter holiday fun. It may be old as the hills in origin but it's always young, always full of fun. Time was when Halloween pranks were something to be dreaded, but there has been a steady trend of late to put emphasis on the "treat" and to push "trick" into the background where it belongs. So be prepared Halloween to treat your ghostly visitors kindly (spooks have wonderful appetites) and we believe you'll agree that the goblins and witches around here are about the friendliest and best behaved bunch that you ever met. And by the way — a lighted Jack-O-Lantern in a window is the time-honored signal to passing ghosts that there is a welcome for them in that home, so hang up a Jack-O-Lantern and join in the fun. We intend to.

October brought lots of birthdays to Bairdites. Wish we knew them all — but anyway, here are a few. Jane Ann Gardner had an October birthday, so did Debby Hass, and ditto for Calvin Barnes and David Sutphen. Melba Foy celebrated an October birthday, so did Claire Feter.

Well he did, so you better see his extra covers. He'll be 10 on October's child too, and Bo Ault will have a birthday on Halloween. Gee, October is a popular month for birthdays. Can you think of any more.

That football game at Strawn Friday was just about the biggest thing that ever rolled our way on the gridiron. It was sort of an upset too and a most pleasant one for the Bears weren't exactly the favorites of those who at least thought they knew football best. They were the favorites of the home folks, though, for the turn-out of local fans was wonderful. Any way, that's all past history now and you know who beat who. The little gem dandy on the slate for tonight is with Moran. The Bears are chalked to win this one by a big margin, but you know, we never count touchdowns until the guy in the striped shirt says so — but we can hope.

Don't forget that November the eleventh is the day set for the P-TA Pancake Supper. It's the first time one has ever been tried in Baird and it should be a big hit — so plan to be there. We send special greetings up to Lubbock, Texas where Mrs. Rebecca Curry is recuperating from a fall and some bone fractures. Hope this finds her greatly improved and that it will help to know that the love and thoughts of her many friends here are with her.

Let's send a "Get-Well-Quick Card" to Mrs. G. H. Corn too, who is recovering from illness in the local hospital. Let's make it an extra nice card (with all our best wishes) tied up inside for a very extra nice someone that we hope will be well and home soon. Best wishes to Kat McCleary who has been in an Abilene hospital for medical treatment. Golly we wish all you folks would get to feeling chipper again, and real soon too. Just one more guy down for the count and we don't have a reader left.

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"AN INVITATION"

This is your personal invitation to attend our Golden Wedding Anniversary, Sunday, October 31, from 2:30 to 5:30 at our home in Northwest Baird.

We hope to see all of our friends and relatives at our celebration.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY EBERT

The Baird Star

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

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BOOST BAIRD IN 1954

Second Windham Trial Delayed

By GEORGIA NELSON
Reporter-News Staff Writer
The second murder trial of Ernest Windham ended before it started shortly after noon Monday.

Judge Floyd Jones of Breckenridge, presiding in the trial, granted a defense motion for continuance and reset the trial for Jan. 10, 1955.

Defense Attorney Maury Hughes asked for the continuance because two witnesses he said would be vital to the defense did not appear at the trial Monday morning.

The missing witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Straley of Opalin, brother-in-law and sister of the defendant.

At Windham's first trial last March in Baird the state requested that Mrs. Straley be subpoenaed but Callahan County Sheriff Joe Pierce testified during the trial he was never able to find her to serve the subpoena. Granting the motion for continuance, Judge Jones dismissed the special venire that had been called for selection of a jury.

Windham's first trial in Baird ended with a hung jury split 10 to 2 for acquittal.

He is charged with murder in the death of his elder brother, John, at John's ranch seven miles north of Clyde last Feb. 16. Ernest also is a Callahan County rancher, living 15 miles south of Baird.

In his first trial he was represented by Dell and Perry Barber of Colorado City.

Malcolm Schulz is assisting Hughes in Windham's defense. District Attorney Wiley Caffey is prosecutor, assisted by Dallas and Davis Scarborough, employed as special prosecutors.

Mrs. Foy Organizes High School Choir

Mrs. Sidney Foy organized a choir for High School girls Tuesday, during activity period in the school library. There were approximately fifty girls present that were interested. There will be various activities for the choir, however, no definite plans have been set for practicing.

The choir is making plans to get well organized so to be able to attend contests and make a fine showing for Baird.

The girls want to thank Mrs. Foy for taking on this project. The group elected the following officers: president, Elizabeth Ann Snyder; vice-president, Mary Brown; Reporter, Billie Beth Bell.

Steer Roping Contest At San Angelo

The San Angelo Fat Stock Show & Rodeo Association will sponsor an Invitational Steer Roping and Branding to be held at the Fairgrounds, 2 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 14, 1954.

This attraction will be the first of its kind to be held in West Texas in many years and it is planned to make it an annual event.

Ten of the top ropers in the world will compete for a \$10,000 purse. Each roper is paying an entry fee of \$500 and will rope five steers each.

Entered are: Cotton Lee, Fort Sumner, N. M.; Toots Mansfield, Big Spring, Texas; Troy Forts, Lovington, N. M.; Shoat Webster, Lenapah, Okla.; John D. Hollyman, Ozona, Texas; Everett Shaw, Stonewall, Okla.; Don McLaughlin, Smithfield, Texas; Clark McEntire, Kiowa, Okla.; Steve Stevenson, Big Lake, Tex.; and Ike Rude, Brawley, Calif.

Tickets may be purchased at the B. C. D. office in the Cactus Hotel after Nov. 1. Six and four seat boxes are also available and are the only reserved seats.

NOTICE

There will be a musical Friday night at the Cottonwood Community building. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. No admission. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. All musicians are invited to come and take part in the program.

Mrs. J. W. Brown is visiting relatives and friends in Andrews this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ashcroft of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams last weekend.

Cubs Tally Late To Nip Moran, 12-6

The Baird grade school football team defeated Moran's youngsters, 12-6 here Thursday night when Jack Hendricks ran only other TD on a three-yard with only 46 seconds remaining in the game.

Hendricks also scored Baird's only other TD on a three-yard jaunt. Moran's lone tally came on a 65-yard pass play, with Joe Ed Peach scoring after taking a pass from the arm of Ruben Early.

Baird P-TA Plans Pancake Supper

Baird Parent-Teachers Association will have a Pancake Supper at the School Cafeteria, beginning at 6:00 p.m. on Nov. 11. Pancakes, sausage and coffee will be served with adult plates 50c, children 25c.

Make your plans now to attend this Pancake Supper. In connection with the good meal, you can help the local P-TA in their efforts to aid the school work in every way possible.

Voters Urged To Vote Tuesday

Although there has been none of the usual political wrangles and fanfare, voters are urged to go to the polls on Tuesday, Nov. 2, and cast your vote. This is the heritage of American people, to have a vote in your government, and all should do so.

Of special importance in the election are 11 important amendments to be voted on. Everyone should study these amendments and vote for or against them.

have been published in all counties of Texas and voters should be familiar with them already.

The Baird Star has a few advance copies of these amendments which we will gladly hand out to those who want them, as long as they last.

We ask that you read them and pass them on to someone else.

Area Receives Rain Tuesday

A cold front moved into this section Tuesday and according to the weatherman, was the trigger for rain over this whole area. Heaviest rain reported was northeast of Baird where 2 to 2½ inches fell, beginning about 9 p.m. Tuesday night. Baird received 1½ to 1¾ inches, Clyde from ¾ to 1 inch, and the south part of the county received from ½ to ¾ of an inch.

The rain was a God-send to the farmers and ranchers. Most of the winter grain is up and was needing moisture. This will hold grain for awhile, and will bring up the late plantings.

The Pete Chatham's had as their guests last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chatham of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bailey of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mobley and Ronald Price attended the State Fair at Dallas over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pool, Jr., and children of Del Rio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pool and other relatives last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett and other relatives here last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Billy G. Matson and children are visiting Mrs. J. C. Matson here and also visiting relatives in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gibson visited their daughter, Mrs. Granvel Pierce, Mr. Pierce and Jan in Abilene last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baugh and children of Gainesville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baugh and other relatives here last weekend.

George Jones of Austin spent last weekend with his mother, Mrs. Freda Jones.

Callahan Due Four Wildcats

Four new wildcats have been announced for Callahan County. Deeper of the group is Sun Oil Co. No. 1 B. H. Freeland, slated for 4,300 feet with rotary. Location is five miles north of Cross Plains.

Site for No. 1 Freeland is 1,092 feet from the most northerly south line, and 1,320 feet from the east line of Levi T. Bosdick Survey 756.

R. Clay Underwood, Wichita Falls, spotted the other three projects.

His No. 1 I. N. Jackson is to be drilled as a 2,200-foot rotary wildcat three miles south of Clyde.

Drill site was staked 3,700 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of J. O. Young (King) Survey 524.

Spotted as a 2,00-foot rotary test was his No. 1 W. B. Barton. Location for No. 1 Barton is 2½ miles south of Baird. Site is 2,979 feet from the north and 1,823 feet from the west lines of Thomas Asher Survey 528.

Underwood No. 1 A. E. Dyer was spotted six miles north of Baird. Site is 1,650 feet from the south and 1,320 feet from the west lines of Section 22, ETRR Survey.

Permit depth calls for 1,500 feet with rotary.

Location for a regular field project was staked seven miles west of Cross Plains. It is Arcadia Refining Co., Tyler, No. 6-B J. L. Cavanaugh.

Having a proposed depth of 1,650 feet with rotary, it spots 3,011 feet from the north and 208 feet from the east lines of Block 98, Comal CSL Survey.

Greyhound Has

"Family Plan" Fares

Families can now travel Southwestern Greyhound Lines, Inc., on reduced fares under the system's new "family plan." J. S. Judd of Ft. Worth, general traffic agent, announced today.

Judd explained that the new family plan applies to both one-way and round-trip tickets. He said the reduced fares would also apply to Greyhound's new double-deck Scenicrider bus.

On one-way trips, the plan works thus: The head of the family pays full fare, the accompanying adult and/or children 12 to 22 years of age pay half the regular adult fare and children 5 to 12 years of age pay a fourth the regular adult fare.

On round-trips, the family head pays full fare, the accompanying adult and/or children 12 to 22 years of age pay the adult one-way fare, and children between 5 and 12 years of age pay half the regular one-way fare.

In both cases, children under 5 are carried free as usual.

Greyhound family plan trips must originate on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, but return trips may be made any day.

NOTICE

Rev. George H. Quarterman, Bishop of North Texas Diocese will conduct services on Sunday, Oct. 31 at 4 p.m. at the Episcopal Church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin returned from Scott and White Clinic at Temple last Saturday. Their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gwin of Coleman accompanied them on the trip. Mr. Gwin is showing some improvement.

Visiting in the G. A. Gwin home last Sunday were their relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin and daughter, Sylvia, Miss Wanda Matson and Mrs. Dee Peavy of Abilene, Lucien Warren of Oplin, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Millhorn of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Warren of Baird and Herbert Warren of Belle Plain.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Smith and little son, Stephen of Lawn, stopped by on their way home from Dallas to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin.

O. O. Mobley, Jr., of Chenute Field, Champagne, Ill. visited his grandmother, Mrs. Walter Boyd. Mobley is now a specialist for the Navy Department, having been promoted from an instructor. To celebrate the occasion of his visit the family was called together to visit in Mrs. Boyd's home.

Bill Mack Show At Cafetorium Tuesday

The Junior Wednesday Club of Baird is bringing the new Bill Mack Show to Baird on Tuesday night, Nov. 2, at the Cafetorium. Proceeds from the show will be used in local civic improvement.

The new Bill Mack Show appears regularly on KWPT Radio and TV in Wichita Falls. Featuring Bill Mack, record artist and composer and the Blue Sage Boys, the show is designed for the whole family.

Advance tickets are on sale by members of the Junior Wednesday Club. The Club receives a larger percentage on advance ticket sales, so buy your show tickets from Club members.

Farm & Ranch Show Set For Ft. Worth

The greatest display of farm and ranch machinery and equipment ever assembled at one location in Texas will be featured in the annual Texas Ranch and Farm Show in Ft. Worth, Nov. 11-14.

The show will be held at the Will Rogers Memorial Grounds in Ft. Worth in the buildings which annually house the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

Here farmers and ranchers, poultrymen and dairymen of the Southwest will find every conceivable type of equipment and supplies which they use in their operations.

They'll see new models of various types of machinery and equipment on exhibit.

One of the outstanding exhibits will be presented by the Bell Aircraft Corporation showing the many modern uses of the Helicopter in ranching and farming.

There will be exhibits of feed, and fertilizers, poisons, tractors,

combines, power saws, cotton strippers, feed mills and all the many other pieces of equipment which farmers and ranchers use.

At the Texas Ranch and Farm Show farmers and ranchers will find the equipment which will make their jobs easier. Another added feature will be the farm home section.

Of special interest to Southwesterners will be displays which will feature new developments in animal health. New and improved medicines and chemical preparations now used in agriculture will be on display and will be explained by the various representatives of the companies exhibiting the show.

There is no admission charge and free parking area for 6500 cars.

Mrs. Will Wood of Aztec, N. M., cousin of Mrs. Harry Ebert, arrived Wednesday to visit the Eberts and to attend their golden wedding celebration on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and children of Abilene visited Mrs. E. L. Wood last Thursday night.

Frank Hodson and daughter, Mary Lynn are visiting relatives in Colorado.

"THANKS A MILLION"

On the 18th of November I would have realized a long standing ambition . . . that of being asked to do a stage show in my own home town. I may have put myself in the position of having to decline the invitation.

I have resigned from the staff of KRBC-TV in Abilene for the singular purpose of moving on up to something bigger and better. This station, for the year and nine months I have worked there, has been the greatest experience possible.

It has been a wonderful pleasure to begin such an occupation in so near an area to "The Old Home Town." It always has been said a person in this business can be popular anywhere except his own home town.

You wonderful folks, neighbors and friends, have proven that to be wrong. Thanks a million. It has been a tremendous pleasure to enjoy a degree of success in my entry in this business, and a double pleasure to enjoy it with home folks.

It is not a pleasure to decline the November 18th invitation but the road to the top in this business is a long one that can never be traveled by standing still.

I sincerely hope to be coming back to you through your television set or by way of your radio from another channel or another frequency very shortly. You will know when.

Thanks, folks, for making my entry in radio and television such a glorious one.

This town and county will always remain "The Biggest And Best Of The Forty-Eight."

Sincerely yours,

DUB BOWLUS

Bears Win Over Strawn, 19-13

Baird's Bears struck down previously undefeated Strawn last Friday night at Strawn, 19-13, after Strawn had zoomed through six straight opponents this season.

It was John Bullock that spelled the difference as he racked up two fourth period touchdowns to wipe out a 13-6 Strawn edge. The District 8-B game gave Strawn two wins and one loss in conference play and Baird a 2-0 league record.

Bullock plunged over from the four yard line midway in the final quarter and then ran over for the extra point to tie the game at 13-13.

Then with about three minutes remaining to be played Bullock capped a 35-yard Baird drive, coming about after gaining possession of the ball on a blocked punt by Bill Gorman, with a two yard buck for a touchdown.

Strawn had a first down on the Baird 20 when time ran out. Baird scored in the first quarter with a 50 yard drive after taking the opening kickoff. Paul Jones tallied from the five.

Strawn gained a halftime deadlock with a touchdown in the second quarter when Howard Neeley took a pitchout from Bobby Herrin and went 15 yards to paydirt.

The Greyhounds took the lead in the third period when Joe Flinn scored from the four. Eddie Morris passed to John Lunardon for the extra point.

Navy Recruiter Here Tuesday

William J. Schenk, En. 1C, of the Navy Recruiting Office, Abilene, will be at the Post Office in Baird each Tuesday from 2:45 to 3:15 p.m.

En. Schenk says that all who enlist in Naval Training from now until Nov. 10, will be home for Christmas. Boot Camp has been cut down to 9 weeks.

Abilene Recruiting Station is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

NOTICE

The Eula School is having their school Carnival on Friday night, Oct. 29, beginning at 6:30 in the school gym.

There will be games of all kinds, also food and the Coronation of the Queen will be at 9:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

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CLASSIFIED

WANTED — Want to buy old guns and pistols. Buster George. 40-4-p

MOVING?—Then call 4-4113 for a complete, safe and reasonable service.—Red Ball Transfer & Storage, Abilene, Texas. E. R. Cagle R. V. Carey 14-tf-c

Assorted greeting cards, 2 for 5 cents. Baird Star.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished apartment, back of Lawrence Drug. Pauline Terrell, 1823 Bissonnet, Houston, Texas. 40-tf-c

FOR SALE — Washed sand and gravel. Hughes Company, phone 374. 32-tf-c

FOR SALE — Seed wheat, Quannah, Westar and Early Black Hull. Buster Hatchett, Baird, Texas, phone 22F5. 41-tf-c

Call the House Dr. Phone 129. Cabinets, windows and door frames. Carpenter work of all kinds.

TOM GRAVES 41-3-p

FOR SALE — 3/4-ton Studebaker Pickup 2nd house east of Catholic Church. K. W. Stover, Clyde. 37-tf-c

Sewing of all kinds and alterations. Mrs. W. E. Box. Sewing Center. 38-tf-c

MAKE \$75 AND UP EVERY WEEK full or part time. Take orders for America's largest selling, nationally advertised LIQUID FERTILIZER. Sold with Money-Back Guarantee. No investment. Write "Na-Churs" - 470 Monroe St., Marion, Ohio. 43-3-p

New MAYTAG Automatic is now here! Also some good used machines taken in trade lately. Also old model Maytags. See J. T. Loper, your Maytag Dealer. 43-2-p

FOR SALE — A Coca-Cola electric cold box in good condition. See C. W. Conner at Court-house. 43-2-p

Call the House Dr. Phone 129. Cabinets, windows and door frames. Carpenter work of all kinds.

TOM GRAVES 44-2-p

FOR SALE — 1947 Palace Royal House Trailer, 24 ft. long, price \$800. See Eugene Wilcoxon, Cottonwood. 44-2-p

Baby Sitting, any time. Mrs. Grace Essex, Rainbow Courts. 44-1-p

1953 bundle hegarl, stored in barn since harvesting. Also vetch and rye. E. J. Thomas, Phone 9175, Clyde. 44-1-p

HOUSE FOR SALE — 414 W. 1st, Baird. Look at house and make me an offer. J. O. Connel, Clyde, Rt. 2. 44-2-p

FOR SALE — Ford tractor, planter, cultivator, fertilizer, distributor. A. B. Foster, Clyde, Texas. Phone 9212. 44-4-p

NOTICE TO PUBLIC — Am experienced and equipped for painting oil field tanks, equipment, houses, roofs, Bondexing, also make old leaky roofs like new, etc. Get my price and save money. W. W. Williams, Box 475, Abilene, Texas. Phone 47613. 44-2-p

CARD OF THANKS
I want to thank each and everyone for the cards, flowers and kindness shown me the week I spent in the Callahan Hospital, during my operation.

Thanks to Dr. Griggs, Dr. Varner, Mr. O'Conner and to all the nurses and Mrs. Arthur Burleson. And especially I want to thank the I.O.O.F. Lodge and the Baird Volunteer Fire Department for the flowers.

Along with me, my wife, wants to say Thanks. Bob Swinson

Delphian Club Meets With Mrs. McElroy

Mmes. S. L. McElroy and T. P. Bearden were hostesses for the regular meeting of the Delphian Club, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McElroy.

Invocation was given by Mrs. Jim Asbury after which the president, Mrs. McElroy presided for a business meeting.

Reports were read and the club voted to sponsor Savings Bond sales as requested by Rupert Jackson, Savings Bond Chairman.

Mrs. McElroy was elected delegate to Sixth District meeting at Mineral Wells. Mrs. Brightwell was elected alternate.

Mrs. Siasious, program chairman presented the Health program, "Believe in Yourself" which was given by Mrs. T. P. Bearden. Mrs. Hickman, as guest speaker, spoke on, "How to Improve Yourself." The last number was, "Prejudice — A Problem in Mental Health" by Mrs. W. T. Payne.

Refreshments were served from the tea table to fifteen members and four guests. Mrs. Ace Hickman, Mrs. Col. Dyer, Mrs. E. B. Posey and Mrs. Bill Ford.

George Walls of Snyder visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Walls and other relatives here last Sunday.

Billy Manning of Fallington spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Johnson and family spent the weekend visiting in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hendricks of Englewood, Calif. visited Mrs. Juanita Danielson recently. Mrs. Hendricks will be remembered by her many friends here as Miss Mae Foster.

Arvey G. Woosley, who has been employed here with the Soil Conservation Service since Aug. 1946, has been transferred to Rosebud, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Woosley and family moved to Rosebud, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith visited Mrs. Myrla Gibson in Clyde last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee of Houston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White and other relatives and friends.

Early Diagnosis Is A Must In Cancer Cases

"Cancer, the State's Number 2 killer, accounted for one out of every eight deaths during the past year, and this was 13 per cent of all deaths that occurred in Texas," declared Dr. Henry A. Holle, State Health Officer. Early diagnosis and competent treatment could have prevented many of these deaths.

For many years there were but two ways of treating cancer. First, by surgery and second, by the use of radium or x-ray. Treatment must be started early and in the hands of a competent surgeon. Surgery is relied upon to remove cancerous tumors and is used in nearly two-thirds of the cases. X-ray or radium is used to advantage for the remaining group. Frequently the two methods are combined. Treatment now has expanded to include radio active chemicals, sex hormones, and anti-cancer drugs. Self-medication, serums, colored lights, pastes, salves, and diets are valueless.

The great protection against cancer is early diagnosis. Every case is an emergency and it is unfortunate that the majority of those with cancer do not seek medical advice early in the first stages of the disease. No hope should be placed in fake cancer cures or treatments. Rather, the annual physical examination and an immediate reporting to your physician of any symptoms which may be suspected to be the beginning of cancer should be relied upon.

Cake-Pie Auction

The Junior Class of Baird High School will hold a cake and pie auction at the Gymnasium immediately following the Halloween program Saturday night. Everyone is invited to take part in the auction.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Corn and children and Mrs. J. B. Lamb of Ajo, Ariz. are visiting Mr. Corn's and Mrs. Lamb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Corn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitehorn and Sonny of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn and Rheba last weekend. Miss Rheba returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Will D. Boydston visited their daughter, Mrs. Herma Boydston and Mr. Harper in Harpe, Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Nigar spent last weekend in Cross Plains with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Bell and Mr. Bell.

Mrs. Felix Mitchell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Bellamy and family in Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sparks and son, Jimmy Dean of Midland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. S. L. McElroy attended the T.B. Convention in Austin last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth George and children are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. George and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Work. Mr. and Mrs. George have been living in Gunnison, Colo. the past year and are now moving to Leache, Okla.

Mrs. Woody Avery of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. E. L. Wood last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gardiner and Mrs. A. A. Manion attended a camp directors workshop for Girl Scouts at Brownwood on Thursday.

Miss Jennie Harris attended the Baptist Convention in Ft. Worth last week and also visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Smith and Mrs. Doris Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Glover in McGreggor last week. They all attended the Huntsville Rodeo on Sunday.

Owen Mobley of Chicago, Ill. visited Mrs. Walter Boyd and other relatives here last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Evans of Abilene were also visitors in the Boyd home.

Mrs. Margie Ray and her mother, Mrs. G. E. Sutphen are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Max Varner and children in Jal, N. M.

Mrs. Myrtle Berry and grandson, Bobby Ground of San Angelo, along with Mr. and Mrs. Jody Crutchfield of Breckenridge, attended the Texas A&M-Baylor football game at Waco Saturday. While in Waco they visited Mary Crutchfield, a Junior in Baylor University.

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Mrs. O. P. Day from Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howe and twin daughters, Mrs. Howe, and Mrs. Randolph and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson Saturday night.

Little Wayne and Larry Roberson of Abilene visited their grandparents Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Johnny Robbins and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Welch, Rose Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Cutbirth visited Uncle Jeff and Miss Annie Cutbirth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Loper and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Loper and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Preston visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chrane Sunday.

Mrs. Stafford Alexander of Houston spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Alexander and friends here.

J. S. Presley of Clyde was a business visitor here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hughes of Stamford were business visitors here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries of Corpus Christi visited his brother, Mr. H. R. Jeffries last week.

Miss Dolly Wilson of Ft. Worth spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hart of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hart of Midland and Bill Hart of San Angelo spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jensen of Holtville, Calif. recently visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson.

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October 31, 1913

J. R. McFarlane and son, Bryant, visited the Dallas Fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards, of Oplin, are in town today.

Jim Terry was among the visitors to the Dallas Fair the latter part of last week.

Miss Blanche Blackshear is visiting her brothers and other relatives in Ft. Worth this week. Mrs. D. F. Short, of Ovalo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Foy, a few days the first of this week.

Mrs. N. E. Waite, of Ft. Worth, is visiting her son, J. F. Waite and family.

Miss Anna Mae Wristen is visiting in Dallas, the guest of Mrs. Carl Scott.

Mrs. Monroe Dawkins and Mrs. T. B. Emmons, spent last week in Dallas, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Misses Bettie Harris, Cora Nell Boydston and Jean Powell spent a few days at the Dallas Fair last week.

Misses Eliza and Manche Gilliland returned Tuesday from a visit to the Dallas Fair. They stopped over in Ft. Worth with friends on their return.

October 26, 1934

A. J. Moore of Cross Plains was in Baird Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Buchanan of Cedarcrest, N. M. is visiting her sisters, Misses Billie and Ella Moore Seale.

R. M. Warren returned Sunday from the Sealey Hospital where he spent several weeks under treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Brown of Admiral and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Taylor and little daughter of Olney spent Sunday with Mmes.

Brown and Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bounds.
Mrs. R. P. Odum of Cross Plains was a Baird visitor Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Baten of Clyde was in Baird Monday. Mrs. Baten was formerly Miss Bell Ely of Baird. Mrs. Baten is living with her father, Rev. Geo. B. Ely at Clyde, having been with him since the death of her mother some months ago. Rev. Ely recently passed his 94th birthday and is enjoying good health and still enjoys working in his yard and garden.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jester attended the Scottish Rite banquet at the Connellee Hotel in Eastland Tuesday night.

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The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, October 23, 1954

SCHOOL NEWS

The basketball girls and their coach attended the Basketball Clinic at Howard Payne College in Brownwood Saturday. Those making the trip were: Teresia Speegle, Betty Rutherford, Mary Isenhower, Delores Sargent, Madge Reed, Marjorie Bailey, Jo Everett, Nettie Lu Donaway, Evelyn, Abernathy, Bonice Hamrick, Vernetta Davis, Mrs. Clark and La Verne Rutherford.

The High School boys basketball teams played Abilene Christian High School here Tuesday night. The "A" team lost to Abilene 49-42. The "B" team lost 40-33. They will return the game Tuesday, Oct. 26th.

The boy's basketball teams won over Eula Thursday night in the practice games. The "A" team won 52-51 and the "B" team won 43-42. They will return the game here Nov. 4th.

CLUB NEWS

The Women's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. R. D. Williams Monday. Roll Call was the giving of a world leader and also amendments to be voted on Nov. 2.

The following program was given:
Method and Problems of Contemporary Biographers Mrs. Mark Burnam
My Brother Steve Mrs. Jim Yarbrough
Thumb Nail Review of Steve Bennett's Other Works Mrs. John Cook

Mrs. John Petty was elected as our delegate to State Convention at Mineral Wells Nov. 9. Mrs. Fred Heyser is alternate.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Mark Burnam, R. L. Clinton, Fred Cook, John Cook, S. M. Eubanks, Douglas Fry, Tex Herring, Fred Heyser, H. A. Pruet, R. B. Taylor, E. C. Waddell, L. A. Williams, R. D. Williams, Jim Yarbrough, John Petty and Miss Betty Mobley.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

Hi neighbor! Say did you hear the weather man say we were going to have a cold spell to-night?

Well he did so, you better get out your extra covers. Yes, I went to church this morning and will go again to-night.

Jim and A. Yarbrough went to the sale last Tuesday in Abilene. Sold some calves and they sold pretty good.

Mrs. Onie Abernathy, the Yarbrough boys sister, was operated last Wednesday. She is doing ok. She is in the Callahan County Hospital at Baird.

Dick Yarbrough and wife have been up to see Onie several time. So has A., Jim and I.

Last Tuesday I spent the day with the three sisters at Mrs. Dell Jones, Mrs. Park, Mrs. Dove Gunn, as you all know are the three sisters. We had a good time. They were busy as usual. Still piecing on Billy's quilt. Those girls really are good cooks. They fixed the nicest lunch and we really did enjoy it. By the way, they had some of the best watermelon rind sweet pickles I have ever eaten, in fact, the only ones of the kind I ever ate. Aunt Dove's daughter that lives at Spur, made them. They gave me a jar of them and I really have enjoyed eating them. Little Boy Jim doesn't like them and am I glad. Will leave more for me. Aunt Dove said she would get the recipe for me and then I will tell you. But doubt if I can make them as good as Zada did. Mrs. Park was to have gone to

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Dallas this past weekend but she didn't so she plans on going this weekend.

Gertrude Jones came awhile Saturday morning. She was on her way to Mrs. Jones'. She came by to get some eggs. She said better go down with her as she was going to barbecue some chickens for dinner. Bert and Johnny are real busy breaking land and sowing grain.

Well, think the Hired Hand got his cotton pulled over the first time. He will have some second scraping to do unless he does like Jim did, let the cows scrap it for him. Oh, yes, they were supposed to bring in an oil well on the Hired Hand's place yesterday, but don't know whether they did or not. Hope they did as we need some oil excitement out this way.

Kim Burnam is having to stay out of school. He has something wrong with his eyes. Something like pink eye. Hope he soon gets ok. Kim and Keven are spending today, which is Monday, with their Grandma Youngblood in Cisco.

Johnny May Ramsey spent Sunday with Lillie Eubanks, Jim and I visited with Marvin and Lillie Eubank Sunday evening after church. Lillie has been painting her house inside and she did the work herself. Looks real nice. Just makes me sick because I can't do those things anymore. That's what happens to one when they get old I guess.

The John Hocks had company the past weekend. Mrs. Hocks' mother and a friend from San Angelo were there.

Jim and I went to Baird Sat-

urday afternoon. Saw Mrs. Bell Allphin and her Little Boy Jim. Miss Bell looks good was glad to see her able to be in town. She said she was feeling pretty good for her. Didn't ask Jim how he felt. He looked like he was doing ok and not missing any meals.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey and daughter Marjorie spent Sunday afternoon with Jim and I. We really enjoyed them being here. Been a long time since they paid us a visit. Henry said he was going to have a hog and calf butchered this week. Wonder if they don't need some help to eat it. They will put them in the locker. Mrs. Bailey says she has 80 White Leghorn pullets and is getting sixty to seventy eggs per day. I call that extra good. Don't you? I think Jim spoke to Mr. Bailey for a hog. So we will have ham and red gravy along in December.

Nelson Bailey spent Thursday night with us. His daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Duncan, Okla. came to see him Friday night. They all visited in Moran Saturday. They spent Saturday night with the Hulens Smiths and Mrs. Zennie Buchanan. I got to see them a while Saturday afternoon in Putnam.

Little Alice Everett took supper with Gayle Burnam Sunday. The Glenn Burnams had lunch with the Mark Burnams Sunday. Good morning, this misty Monday. Hope we get a good rain. Little Boy Jim is plowing and if he don't come in pretty soon he will be wet as a drowned rat. Think the Hired Hand is still

plowing too. Maybe they want to be wet.

Think J. C. Earp and his mother have gone up around Idalou, Texas to see if he can find a place to move to. We sure wish they could get a place around here close by.

I visited with the Mobley girls a while Friday afternoon. Ruth and Mabel had gone to Abilene shopping. They bought some new shoes for their car.

My, I hear the rain coming down, but the norther that was supposed to have hit here last night has been postponed until in the morning if it doesn't play out.

Don't let the goblins and spooks get you this weekend. As you know it is their time to be on the loose, so look out and be careful. If they don't get me I will be seeing you again next week so be good.

Putnam Personals . . .

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown and children, Nancy, Robert and Barry of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown over the weekend.

Those spending the day with Mrs. Earl Jobe Wednesday were: Mrs. Billy Mac Jobe, Irene and Stanley of Rising Star; Dorothy Caraway, Troy Dale and Mack Jobe and Bobby Jobe and son of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and boys, Gary, Kenneth and Ronnie, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and son Mike from Cross Plains were guests of the J. E. Pruets Sunday.

Those visiting with Mrs. D. D. Jones Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood; Hodge and Billy Bowne, Mr. and

Mrs. Bert Jones, Mrs. H. A. Pruet and Johnny Carl Gunn.

Mr. J. C. Thursman of Cisco visited in the Lowry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton and Mr. U. L. Lowry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clinton and family of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reagen of Cisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Shackelford and family Saturday night.

Mrs. Foy Jobe and small son left Friday for their home in El Paso where Foy is stationed at Ft. Bliss. Her mother, Mrs. Charlie Brandon accompanied her as far as Cohoma where she will visit her son, Eugene and family. She plans to visit her two daughters, Mrs. Mitchell of Midland and Marjorie of Chrane before returning home. Mrs. Earl Jobe also accompanied them. She will go on to El Paso for a few days visit with Foy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring returned home Tuesday from several days vacation in Jal, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Art Shaw and Bob Young of Goldsmith visited the Fred Heysers over the weekend.

Mrs. Boyce Bolick and son, Bruce and sister-in-law, Mary Lynn Bolick from Abilene were visitors in Putnam Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough visited with the S. M. Eubanks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Heyser, Sr. of Cisco visited Mrs. J. A. Heyser Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Thames and daughter, Mary Lynn, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Buchanan Saturday.

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Mrs. "Hump" Weeks is home from the hospital and is doing fine.

Mrs. Charlie Smith of Okene, Okla. is visiting her son, Hulon Smith and family; also her sister, Mrs. Robert Buchanan and brother, Lee White and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and small son, Craig, and Mrs. Homer Pruet visited the Billy Mac Jobes Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Sunday were Clint from Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford from Abilene.

Mrs. Wesley Williams visited her sister, Mrs. Herring, this week.

Mrs. C. K. Odom and Mrs. Peggy Wood were visitors in Ft. Worth Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown are in Oklahoma looking after cattle interest this week.

Mrs. J. S. Yeager and Ruth moved to Cisco several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Norred of Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Culwell attended the State Fair over the weekend.

Mr. Kertner of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biggerstaff Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Biggerstaff attended a dinner given by Soraptrirest Club at the Ridgeley Country Club, Ft. Worth, honoring her cousin, Miss Ima Love Kuykendall. A musical program by Mrs. Jackson Wright on the organ and Mrs. Patsy Moilcott and Dr.

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Howard Kurtz, soloist was given.

Bobby Isenhower, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Isenhower, celebrated his seventh birthday at the school house Tuesday. Refreshments were served to the first and second grades in school lunchroom.

Wanda Cunningham celebrated her fourth birthday with a party Saturday afternoon. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham.

Denton Dings

Kay Farmer

Tommie, Steve and Bonnie Odom visited their grandmother in Baird, while Mr. and Mrs. Odom went to the Dallas Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Neal are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Davis and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hooten from Cooper, visited Mrs. A. L. McIntosh for a few days. Mrs. McIntosh returned with them.

Michael, Mark and Kay Garoutte and David Breeding went to the Dallas Fair over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Davis visited the Gerald Stephens in Spur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farmer and son, Eddie Glen, of Abilene, visited the Hubert Farmers over the weekend.

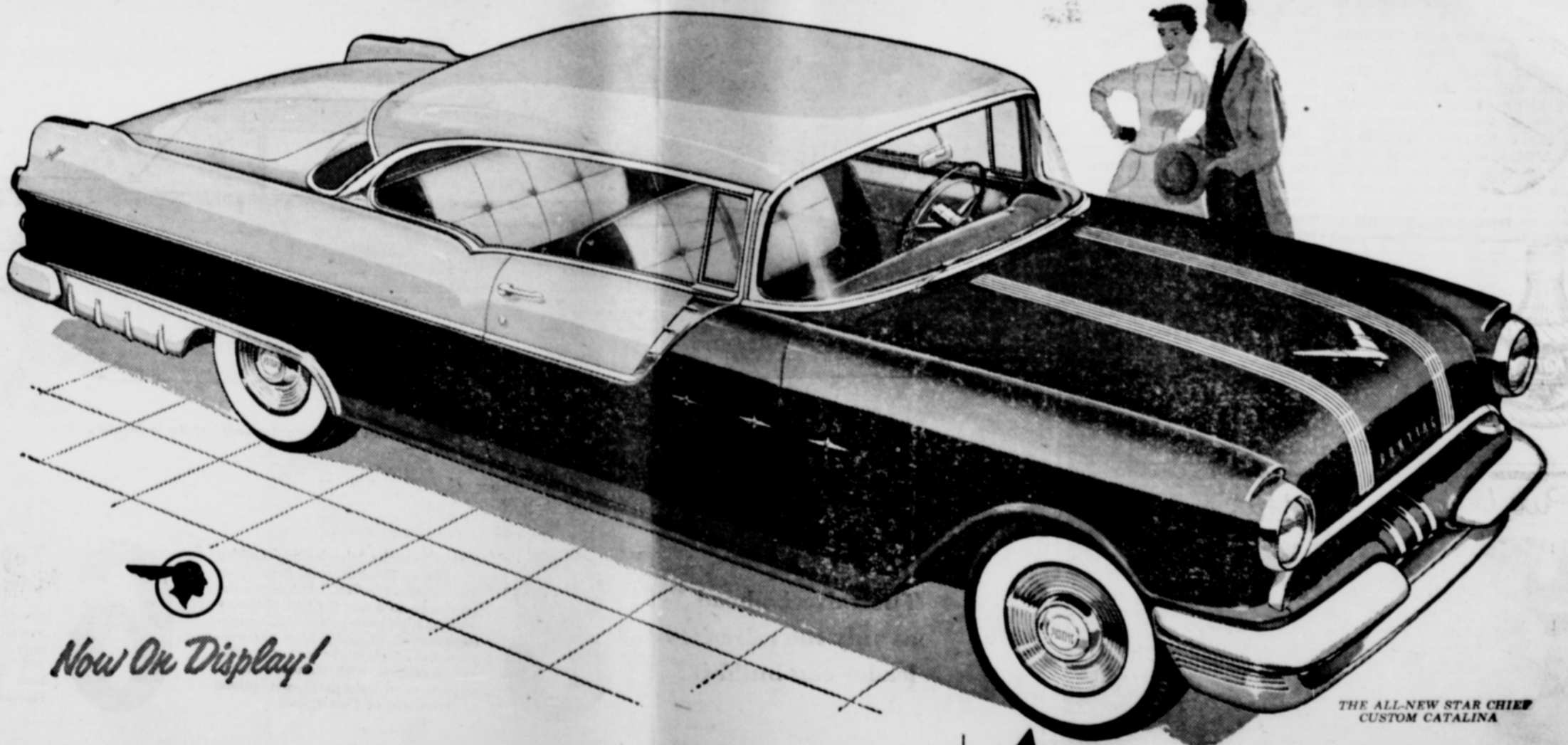
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The native-born daughter of a pioneer Callahan County farm-ranch couple and the scion of a Kentucky family will celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary Sunday, October 31.

The celebration comes a month after the anniversary because she had to spend several weeks in Callahan County Hospital recuperating after major surgery.

The couple are Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Ebert, who live in their apartment house across from Baird Schools.

They were married Sept. 25, 1904, at the ranch home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson, five miles east of Baird. Her mother, who lives with them is now 94 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert will hold open house from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Sunday, at their home. It will be an informal affair, but music played on an old-time organ owned by Mrs. Harold Ray

with the Texas & Pacific Ry. in its carshops here. In 1946 he retired and now spends much time with his Bantam chickens at their flower-adorned apartments here.

Mrs. Ebert was born Pearl Jackson Aug. 2, 1882, on the ranch east of here that her father acquired in 1880. Her father saw the track on the T&P laid near his ranchhouse on its way to Baird and El Paso.

At the anniversary celebration Mrs. Ebert expects to see six of her childhood-day teachers. Her first teacher was Mrs. Ada Carmichael, who taught a private school of three. Mrs. Ebert walked to it. Successively she attended school at old Callahan City, about 10 miles east, being taken to and from the school in a two-wheel gig by her uncle. The school was taught by Mrs. Red Walker, the former Lee Jobe, who lives at Clyde now. The school was at Vigo Switch

coming down the hill in east Baird one day while he was repairing a watergap on Mexia Creek.

"I remarked to my uncle working with me, 'She's the prettiest girl I've ever seen.' In about a week as winter was coming on

the Bar-B-Que Ranch I skinned some cattle and sold their hides for \$107 and bought a White Elephant buggy."

"That did the trick. We began going together."

A small hirsute tragedy intervened to slightly upset his am-

bition. Ebert had sought to rescue some ranch horses from a stable just before he began going with Miss Jackson. His hair was scorched off. A few days later at a party he met and was introduced to her. He was cutting youthful capers, appeared smart alecky, Miss Jackson thought.

"Who's that darn fool?" she asked some one at the party.

"That's Harry Ebert. He's from Kentucky and we all like him," they said in coming to his rescue.

Mrs. Ebert said that Harry and she were married at her house. The honeymoon was "cotton picking" at Alexander, Tex. "We gathered nine bales, then went to Hogtown, where we farmed on a big scale."

She said she rode a cultivator and he followed with the planter sowing corn.

"Harry expected me to pick cotton with him during our honeymoon, but I didn't say anything for a while," she reminisced. "He was trading horses and once traded a horse for a blind mule," she recalled. "That was enough, I told him if he didn't quit his jockeying I'd not live with him. That stopped his horse-swapping," she said smiling.

They returned to Baird and entered the ranch business. In 1916 he went to work for the T&P Railroad here.

Ebert vividly recalls the terrible 1900 freeze here. "Cattle died by the herds. Our ranch lost between 200 and 400 head. In those days cattle brought between \$12 and \$14 each."

Also a few railroad disasters. "Courthouse Curve, now known as Mount Airy, just west of town—highest grade on the rail system—was occupied by a string of cars of oranges fresh from the West Coast. They got loose, came speeding down into the

yards, derailed, crashed and spilled oranges over the rail yards."

In 1916, in Baird's rail-shop hey-day, more than 200 men were employed. But the biggest activity on the railroad, he recalls, was during World War II. When he first began work a full train consisted of about 15 cars but now modern diesel locomotives drag 135 in a single train out of here.

Mrs. Ebert says her hobby is "cooking." And she not only puts out an excellent cuisine at her apartment home, but triggers the fine meals served weekly to the Baird Lions Club. She and her husband are long-time members of the Presbyterian Church. The home they built in 1913 they still occupy. For 25 years she boarded teachers of the nearby school. And now she's trying to contact over 175 former teachers who have boarded with her or she had known through the years, to invite to her anniversary celebration.

The Eberts have one daughter, Mrs. R. F. Jones, of Weslaco, and a grandson, Dr. Kenneth Jones, dentist with the armed forces in Arizona. Mrs. Ebert has two sisters, Mrs. Pat Hailey, wife of the T&P Ry. general yardmaster here; and Mrs. Jolinnie Walsh, New Orleans. He has a sister, Mrs. Pearl Murphey of Sherman.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton and daughter, Mrs. Helen Thompson, went to Hamlin last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fulton's aunt, Mrs. J. A. Childers, who was 95 years of age.

Miss Melba Brown and her niece, little Miss Ann Glasson visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and other relatives in Gorman last weekend.

Mmes. Grover Berry, Mary Kehrer, Virgil Hughes and E. C. Fulton attended the Abilene Presbyterian meeting in Cross Plains last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bell and children of Abilene visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Griggs and other relatives here last weekend.

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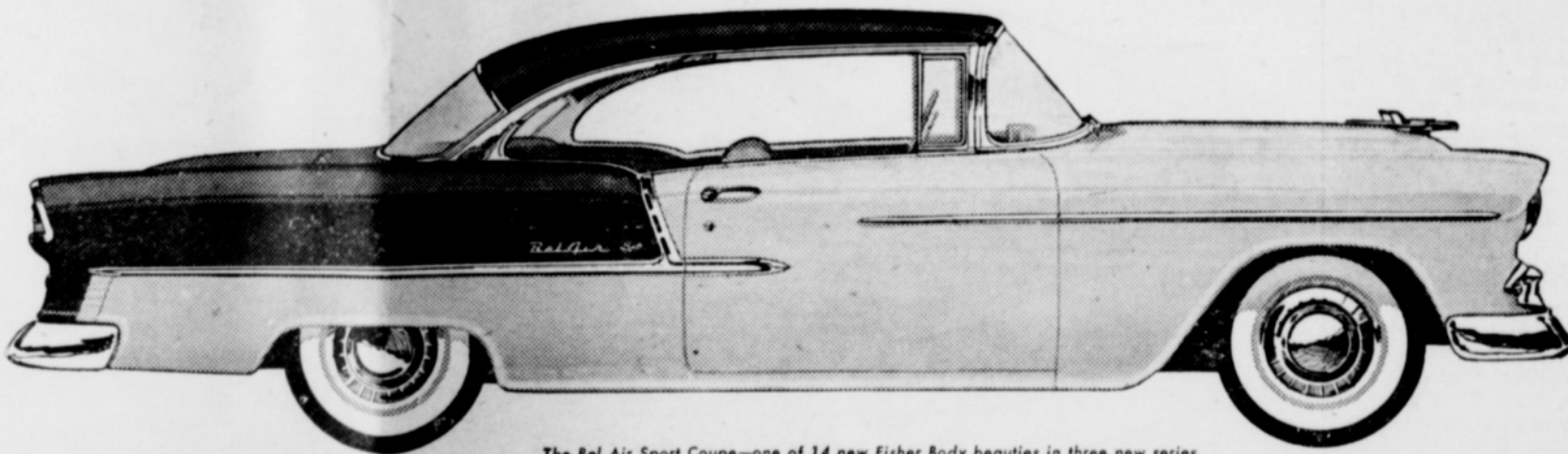
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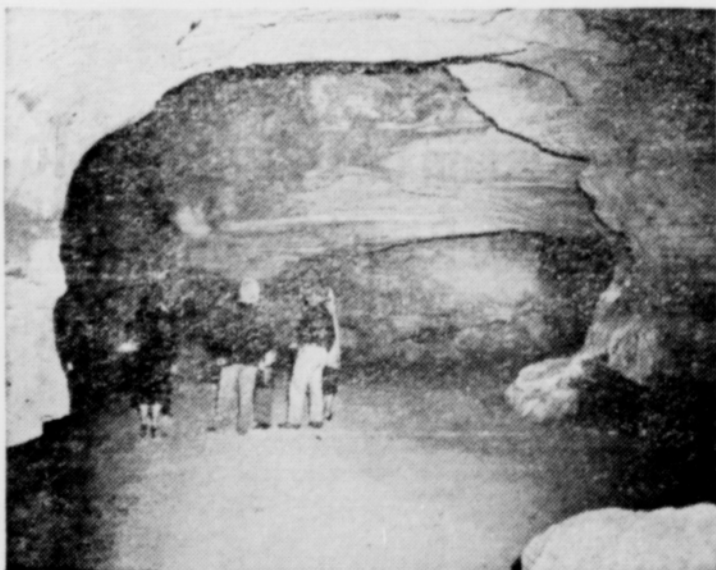


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Rowden Round-Up

By Thelda Crow
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Misses Thelda and Velda Crow attended the basketball clinic with their coach, Mr. Farrell Newton, and the Cross Plains High School basketball girls.

Some of the people of Rowden attended the football game between Cross Plains and Wylie Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary Dan visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and girls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and boys visited his brother and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smedley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley Saturday evening.

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Garden Club To Meet Nov. 2 At Cash Home

The Old Fashioned Garden Club will meet at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 2, in the home of Mrs. L. C. Cash, with Mrs. Bill Ford as co-hostess.

All members are urged to attend this meeting.

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Girl Scout News

Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 22 in the "Little House."

Linnea La Cour served as hostess.

Officers elected were: President, Darlene Lenhardt; Vice-President, Kathy Ricks; Secretary, Charlene Shelton; Song Leader, Ann Barton; Reporter, Nancy Gardiner.

These officers will serve for two months.

The group decided to work on their homemaking badge.

The Girl Scouts of Troop No. 6, met Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 26.

The officers elected for the year are: president, Judy Anderson; vice-president, Donna Drennan; secretary, Glenda Ricks; treasurer, Carolyn Shelton; Game Leader, Kitsy Ross; Song Leader, Edwina Reese; Nibbles Chairman, Alberta Turner.

The Troop is planning to take a hike on Nov. 9.

They were assisted in making their knapsacks by Artie Mae Stokes.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kenney of Slaton are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Cynthia Ann, born Sunday, Oct. 24. Mrs. Kenney is the former Patsy Hickman, niece of Mrs. Stella Green and Ace Hickman.

Tecumseh Topics

Tersely Told, Typographically Tended and Tolerably True. Mrs. Lillian Crawford

Guess I'll just have to admit that I don't know but very little news as have just been going to pull cotton for the last two weeks, so there just isn't much to get out of the cotton patch, only sore hands and knees, and a back that almost refuses to bend. Oh! Yes, I did make enough money to purchase the old church piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnston of Clyde came by for a short visit with us after looking around over the Tecumseh Cemetery.

We enjoyed their visit and hope it won't be too long before they will come back again.

There has been quite a bit of feed around here mowed down the last few days. Some has been baled and weather permitting it will continue for a few days.

Just recently I learned that Mrs. Jack Chapman and family, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges, have moved to Hawaii where Jack will continue in service for his country and is expected to stay at least three years. They have two fine boys so we hope they will write back and tell us some of the most interesting sights and stories of their Hawaiian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coughran and children of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford Sunday.

Mrs. Elbert Crawford received word the past week that her mother, Mrs. Minnie Edwards and a sister, O'Dell, would leave Calif. the 27th, to visit her and other relatives in a number of places in Texas.

Oplin Observations

By Mrs. Daphne Floyd
Odds and Ends Opportunity Offered in Open Order

The Halloween Carnival at the Community Center last Wednesday night of Oct. 20, was a gay affair. A large crowd attended, with a few visitors from neighboring towns. Fun was enjoyed by all and everyone was pleased to learn that the sum of \$52.50 was taken in. This money will be in the treasury and will be used toward the upkeep of the Community Center.

I visited with Grandma Poin-dexter and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Yost last Saturday afternoon. Grandma is slowly getting over a cold but said she felt pretty good. The Yosts were busy, ex-

Midway Musings

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

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens and children of Monahans spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albro Wilson and her sister, Mrs. Charles Mosley and family; also his grandmother, Mrs. Mosley and other friends and relatives. Another visitor in the Wilson home Wednesday and Thursday was Oscar Williams, a brother of Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moon and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moon and children, all of Hallinger, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Faircloth last week.

Mrs. Charles Mosley has employment at The Grill in Baird. Mr. and Mrs. Buck McClure of San Angelo spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith had Mrs. Smith's sister and family for lunch Sunday. I didn't get their name or place of residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Parisher visited our old neighbors, the Otto Roggers family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Jennings of Abilene visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fuqua Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar May in Roscoe. Mrs. May and Mrs. Griffin are sisters.

Mrs. Parisher received the very sad news Monday of the death of a grandson, Tommy Pridgen, who was a jet pilot stationed in Missouri. Lt. Pridgen's father and mother live in El Paso. He is their only child. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Webb Saturday and Sunday was Britton Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb and children and the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Webb, all of Marfa.

The Merry Quilters met Monday and made a quilt for Mrs. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Griffin of O'Brien visited in the community Sunday having lunch with Mr. and Mrs. John Christian and calling on the Joel and Dick Griffins in the afternoon.

Mrs. F. W. Respass of Rising Star is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Mayfield and Mr. Mayfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jay

**Meets Monday
Missionary Society**

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church with the president, Mrs. Virgil Jones, presiding. The meeting was opened by the group singing, "He Is Able To Deliver Thee" and "Trust and Obey", prayer by Mrs. Elliott.

Mrs. Fulton gave the devotional and also gave a wonderful lesson on the "Attitudes of a Christian."

Refreshments were served to eleven members of the hostess, Mrs. Joe McGowan.

Carroll Clampitt Celebrates Birthday

A birthday party was given in honor of Carroll Glenn Clampitt, his 11th birthday, Saturday afternoon, Oct. 23, at 4:00 p.m. in his home.

The home was decorated in blue, green, red, yellow and orange balloons.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed by: Glenda Ricks, Judy Anderson, Darlene Saunders, Kitsy Ross, Carolyn Shelton, Edwina Reese, Dorothy McKinley, Ronald Ault, Mickey Fugitt, Billy Smith, Harold Alexander, Donny McDonald and Calvin Dickson. Alzena Clampitt, Willie Bell Bruce and Mrs. Jimmy Breeding acted as hostesses.

Methodist Memos

The W.S.C.S. observed the "Week of Prayer and Self-Denial" program on Tuesday. The Service began at 10 o'clock with Mrs. Royce Womack in charge. Mrs. Hugh Ross played the organ and also sang a solo.

A number of songs and Responsive Readings were given, with Meditations given by Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield, Mrs. Tee Baulch and Mrs. Clyde Latimer.

Most of the group stayed for a covered dish luncheon, after which the group returned to the sanctuary for the closing service with the Communion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCoy of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas and children of Albany and Yvonne Caldwell of Abilene spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Caldwell and Sonny. They attended the McMurry-Calif. Poly football game in Abilene Saturday night.

Mrs. Ashby White is visiting her nephew in Florida.

J.O.Y. Sunday School Class Entertained

Mrs. M. L. Hughes entertained the members of the J.O.Y. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church with a "Backward and Upside Down" Party, Tuesday evening, Oct. 19, at seven-thirty o'clock.

Guests entered via the back door or walked in backward and found the furniture reversed and pictures hung upside down. After the goodbyes were exchanged, Mrs. Hughes read the benediction, from Mrs. McKeenan Jacobs book, "The Sheltering Bough."

Dessert, of chocolate covered ice cream bon bons, was served the "backward and inappropriate dressed" guests and then games of "Passing the Potato", "Playing Animals", "Headwork" and "Lemon Seed Travels" were enjoyed by the group. Mrs. Randal Ivy and Mrs. Harold Miller took the prizes for the most hilarious costumes. After the parades and style show a refreshment plate of cake and pie combination, topped with whipped cream, open faced sandwiches, pickles, mixed nuts and coffee and cokes, was served to the following members and guests: Mmes. R. C. Wristen, Howard Lowe and son, Stanley, A. V. Curtis, Emie Ringhoffer, Kenneth McPherson, David Whitaker Randal Ivy, Barry Lusk, Harold Miller, Sonny Burleson of Amarillo, Lloyd Ray Hughes and the hostess.

The next class social and business meeting will be held Thursday evening, Nov. 18, in the home of Mrs. Randal Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kniffen and sons of Snyder spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Davis.

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GRAY'S STYLE SHOP

pecting cotton pickers and looking for a market for their turkeys.

Mr. M. C. Miller is batching these days as his wife left last Wednesday, Oct. 20 to go to Midland to be in the home of a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby. She will be awaiting the arrival of a new grandbaby. Friends are hoping for a grandson as the young couple have four cute daughters, Darlene, Shirley, Marilyn and Karen.

Friends were sorry to learn that our beloved Mr. G. A. Gwen of Baird is still on the sick list. Just last week he went through the clinic at Temple but Lucien Warren reported last Sunday night that he was back at home but was still not resting well.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray McIntyre and daughter, Patty, of Brady visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack McIntyre and Nancy last Sunday.

David Neel of Abilene spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Neel.

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SWEET AND SOUR

(Continued From Page One)

Good-to-see-Department — S. I. Smith and family visiting his mother here and "Mom" proud as punch over those lovely grandchildren.

KRBC-TV just won't seem the same now that Dub Bowlus is moving. We'll miss his high style which brought "previews" out of a dull gray recitation of the days menu to a bright spot of color which viewers all over the area watched for and applauded. We'll miss his individuality on the news cast too, but wherever he lands we are hoping Dub Bowlus finds lush verdant pastures, for the boy has that kind of ability.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Swinson of Hamilton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swinson last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanford and daughter have moved to Abilene. Mr. Sanford is employed by the T&P Railway and she is working in the watch factory.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence and her daughter, Mrs. Donald Melton of Breckenridge visited Mr. Melton in the veteran's hospital in McKinney last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Corn and children of Marshall visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Corn and other relatives here last weekend.

Guests in the Tom Barton home last Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Derrick from Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Castleberry, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Willingham; Mr. and Mrs. Colite White and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins all of Albany and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Ross of Baird.

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"Her Twelve Men" At Plaza Theatre

"Her Twelve Men," at the Plaza Theatre, presents a robust, humor-filled, skylarking story of the experiences of the only woman teacher at a boys' boarding school.

Greer Garson, Robert Ryan and Barry Sullivan are the stars of the new M-G-M Anesco Color offering, with Miss Garson happily cast in a tailor-made role as Jan Stewart, who faces her charge of a group of high-spirited, mischievous and sometimes homesick boys with considerable trepidation. And well she might.

Apart from having to reconcile herself to the opprobrium of being referred to as a "female creep," she is forced to meet such challenges as those presented by unexpected bullfrogs in her bed, feigned illnesses, pillow-fight mutinies, the boy who goes to remarkable lengths to avoid hateful music lessons, the homesick boy who runs away. As though this were not enough, she also encounters the antagonism of Joe Hargrave, her immediate superior, who hasn't much more confidence in a woman teacher than have the pupils.

Greer Garson, who made an unforgettable film debut as a school teacher's wife in "Good-bye, Mr. Chips," gives another warmly captivating portrayal in "Her Twelve Men," this time as a teacher. Her initial bewilderment at the uncooperative attitude of the "Acorns" of the Oaks School, turning into understanding and affection for the youngsters, is unfolded with persuasiveness and contagious humor.

Robert Ryan gives an incisive performance as Joe Hargrave, who overcomes his hostility toward the new woman teacher. Barry Sullivan is sympathetically attractive as Richard Oliver, and other effective adult roles are played by Richard Hayden as the headmaster, Barbara Lawrence as a society girl on the make, and James Arness as the school's athletic instructor.

As for the youngsters, they're all excellent, with stand-out characterizations contributed by Rex Thompson as the "Intellectual" Homer, Tim Considine as the spoiled Richard Oliver, Jr., David Stollery as Jeff, the boy who runs away, Donald MacDonald as Bobby, a boy starved for parental affection, and Sherry Singer as Jimmy, originator of the bullfrog incident.

Changes Made In Social Security Act

The 1954 Amendments to the Social Security Act, signed into law by President Eisenhower recently, will have a direct effect on almost every American family, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., manager of the Abilene district office of the Social Security Administration.

"Some of the changes take effect immediately," stated Tuley, "and other changes will not become effective until Jan. 1, 1955. This is the first of a series of informative articles prepared to acquaint the people of this area with just what the changes are and also what they are not."

All Social Security offices want this change to get as wide publicity as possible, trying to reach

some 300,000 affected persons over the entire country. Widows and unmarried children under 18 of persons who died before Sept. 1, 1950, can now be paid benefits previously denied, if the deceased had at least a quarter of coverage to his credit at the time of death after 1939. A quarter of coverage means being paid at least \$50 in wages for employment covered by the Social Security Act in a calendar quarter after December 31, 1936.

Persons covered by Social Security can receive credit of up to \$4200 per year, starting in 1955, towards future benefits instead of only \$3600 per year as had been the case since 1950, or \$3000 per year for years before 1951.

The coverage of Social Security will be expanded to cover more farm workers than before, more domestic employees than before,

added self-employed groups such as farm operators, accountants, engineers, funeral directors, architects and, on voluntary basis, ministers and Christian Science practitioners.

Following articles in this series will give more details on the items mentioned above. Readers are urged to clip and save this series as a source of reference when the question of Social Security comes up later in family or other discussions. To get the most from one's own Social Security account, accurate information as to the things provided and not provided by the law is essential. There's just a little "mis" between information and misinformation, but that little difference might well serve to cost some family thousands of dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly were hostesses to the Methodist Choir last Wednesday night.

Little Miss Gwynel Garner of Lamesa recently visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

Miss Yvonne Melton of Breckenridge spent last weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence.

Mrs. Billie Collins of Putnam was visiting friends here last Friday.

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By Mary Lee Taylor
Apple Crumb Pie

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- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 cup Pet Evaporated Milk
- 1 Tablespoon lemon juice
- 4 cups sliced, pared apples
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup sifted, all-purpose flour
- 3 Tablespoons butter or margarine

Mix in a 2 quart bowl the sugar, cornstarch, salt and cinnamon. Stir in a mixture of milk and lemon juice. Fold in apples. Pour into a 9-inch pie pan lined with unbaked pastry made with pie crust mix. Bake on center rack of 375 oven (high moderate) for 30 minutes. While pie bakes, put brown sugar, flour and butter into a small bowl. Blend with fork or pastry blender until mixture has the appearance of fine cornmeal. At end of 30-minute baking period, sprinkle brown sugar mixture on top of pie. Bake pie 20 minutes longer, or until crumb topping is brown.

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