

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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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1947

MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

## Baptist Revival Begins Sunday

The Fall revival begins at the First Baptist church in Baird this Sunday. Through an advertisement in this week's Star, an invitation is extended to one and all to attend the services. Evangelist Ray Walker of Belton will do the preaching and E. Ottis Allen of Norton will have charge of the singing. Both of these men are specialists in their field and everyone is sure to enjoy every service. Evangelist Walker was associated with the late Dr. T. T. Martin for many years in his Blue Mountain Evangelists of Blue Mountain, Mississippi. That organization has gained wide spread recognition.

Rev. A. A. Davis, local Baptist pastor, stated that he has wanted to bring this man to Baird for several years, and finally he has succeeded. Rev. Davis also states that Rev. Allen needs no introduction here. He has had charge of the music in Baptist meetings here some years ago. He has a wonderful reputation as worker with children. He also has the unique ability to get people to sing.

Rev. Davis said: "Our people are ready; there is a good spirit in the church, and we have just closed the best year of service since we have been here so far as records are concerned. Already fifty-seven additions have been made to the local church this year, with baptizing services rather frequent. The Lord has constantly reminded us of His presence and His power, to whom we give all praise and honor. This will be a good meeting and we hope that every member of the church and every friend of the church will decide now not to miss any of it."

## GIRL SCOUT TROOP VISITS ABILENE

Girl Scout Troop No. 3, accompanied by their leader, Mrs. Manion, Mrs. C. H. Siadous and Mrs. S. L. McElroy, made a very interesting trip to Abilene last Friday. They were carried on a tour through the Abilene Reporter-News shops to see how a newspaper is published. From there they went to Banner Creamery and saw milk being processed and best of all, ice cream being made.

A visit to the Abilene Museum climaxed a wonderful afternoon for Billie Beth Bell, Mary Brown, Alzena Clampitt, Tommie Sue Hopkins, Betty Lou Smith, Elizabeth Ann Snyder, Suzanne Siadous, Mary Grace Walker, Gail Walls and Yvonne Melton.

## JO BESS MILLER IN A CAPELLA CHOIR

Jo Bess Miller, who last year was majorette of the Baird High School pep squad, recently has been picked to sing with John Tarleton A Capella Choir. Chosen from the regular Girl's Chorus, the selected group will make several trips to give concerts in different parts of the state, besides taking part in all the Chorus's other activities.

Jo Bess, who is majoring in Elementary Education, is a Freshman at John Tarleton this year.

Mrs. Sid McGee, a former resident of Baird, is here from her home in Roscoe to be at the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Daniel S. McGee, who underwent surgery here.

## Fire Razes Garage At Putnam Sunday

Fire completely destroyed the Fred Cook garage at Putnam Sunday afternoon in less than an hour. A gasoline tank exploded while a welder was repairing the door to a car belonging to Oliver Frances Culwell, and flames were scattered over the entire work shop. The fire, being fed by gasoline and oil and rubber, and being fanned by a southwest wind, it was impossible to control. There was no water in the Putnam city mains with which to fight the fire, and nothing could be done to save any part of the building or its contents.

The Cisco and Baird fire departments responded to the call, but could be of no assistance due to the lack of water. The fire started about 2 p. m. and was burned out before 3 p. m.

Besides the expensive garage equipment, five automobiles burned in the building, including a 1939 Chevrolet belonging to Gene Cook, a 1946 Ford truck belonging to Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, a 1935 Packard belonging to Joe Coleman, a 1940 Chevrolet belonging to Culwell, and a 1936 wrecker belonging to Fred Cook. Mr. Cook had operated the garage for twenty years, it was reported.

## HALLOWEEN SCHOOL CARNIVAL OCTOBER 30

The Senior Class is sponsoring a school Halloween Carnival to be held on the football field on the night of October 30, which is on Thursday night before Halloween. It is being held there because there will be a football game the following night with Bangs High School. The game will be played at Bangs, but we will all be wanting to follow the team, hence it was decided to have the school carnival one night earlier.

A dandy good program is being whipped up by those in charge. One feature will be the coronation of the Carnival Queen, who is to be chosen by "penny votes" the week of the program. Another outstanding feature will be the performance of "TONY, THE WONDER DOG," who has gained world fame as a performer under his own name and director, Mr. E. McKinney, of Mineral Wells. Mr. McKinney has put on performances for many schools, clubs and other organizations, in addition to numerous performances before various groups at Camp Wolters during the war. He has been written up in Life Magazine, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Fort Worth Press and other well-known publications. You will sure want to see this!

More will be said about it in the Star next week.

## SALE WILL BENEFIT HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Plans were discussed at a meeting of the high school band mothers Tuesday afternoon for a booth at the Hallowe'en Carnival to be held at the high school on October 30th. The sale of a turkey and a blanket will take place at the booth, as well as a white elephant sale.

The next meeting of the band mothers will be on Tuesday, October 28th, for final plans.

## COOKED FOOD SALE BY COUNTY H. D. CLUBS

A Cooked Food sale will be sponsored in Baird, October 18, by the Home Demonstration Clubs of Callahan County.

The Eula Club will serve sandwiches, doughnuts, and coffee throughout the day.

Proceeds from sales will be placed in the Council Treasury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Melton, Austin and Donald Melton, Houston, visited Mrs. Donald Melton and daughters the past weekend.

Miss Carol Ivey, student at John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Melton of Austin, and Donald Melton and family visited the Gunn sisters Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Coppinger and son, Johnny, of Abilene, and Mrs. Sam Smith were Dallas visitors during the weekend.



Eloise Grant - Don Faust Married

Miss Eloise Grant, daughter of Mrs. Conley Pruitt, and Don W. Faust of Abilene, were united in marriage in a candlelight ceremony October 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tucker in Abilene. Rev. E. L. Redding, Baptist minister, performed the double ring ceremony before a fireplace, beautifully decorated with gold mums and ferns. Miss Nettie Gilliland of Abilene was maid of honor, and Don Roberts of Stamford was best man.

The bride wore a blue wool suit with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias, and carried a white Bible. Mrs. Faust is a 1945 graduate of the local high school and of Gail Business College in Abilene. She was employed at Lintz Department store in Abilene and in the Soil Conservation office here.

The bridegroom, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Otos W. Faust is a graduate of Leuders High School. He spent three years in service, 26 months with the 45th Division in Africa, Italy, France and Germany. Mr. Faust is employed as ticket agent at Greyhound Bus Co. in Abilene. A reception was held in the Tucker home after the ceremony. Wedding cake and punch was served and Mr. Tucker took pictures of the bridal couple. After a wedding trip to the Carlsbad Caverns, Pecos, El Paso and Juarez, the couple are at home at 1142 North 4th St., in Abilene.

## PUTNAM WOMAN'S FUNERAL FRIDAY

Funeral for Mrs. W. L. Park, 65, of Putnam, who died Thursday, October 9, in the Callahan County Hospital, was held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Putnam Methodist church, with Rev. W. B. Swim, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Putnam cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral home.

Mrs. Parks was born in Alabama on Dec. 17, 1881, and had lived in Putnam since childhood.

She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Frank Cunningham of Baird, Mrs. Earl Bowers, Del Rio; four sons, Weldon Park, Cisco, Norris Park of Del Rio, Billy Mack Park of Del Rio and Douglas Park, Weatherford. One son, Paris Earl Park, died at the age of 2 years.

## MRS. J. S. BURKS BURIED AT CROSS PLAINS

Funeral was held at 2 p. m. Saturday for Mrs. J. S. Burks, 87, former Elmdale and Wylie resident, who died at her home in Cross Plains Friday morning.

Rev. W. C. Ashford of Abilene officiated at services at her home and burial was in Cedar Hill cemetery in Abilene.

She lived at Wylie in 1917, Elmdale in 1918, and at Cross Plains for the last five years. Her husband, J. S. Burks, died in 1928.

Survivors include four sons, Tom, Preston and Roy, all of Cross Plains, and Louis of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Erwin, Cross Plains, and Mrs. Mitte Pugh, Ranger; 20 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and two great, great grandchildren.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. James G. Hallmark Monday morning at Callahan County Hospital. She has been named Judy Beth, after the baby's grandmothers, Mrs. Fred Farmer and Mrs. J. O. Hallmark of Fula. Weight 5 pounds, 9 ounces, and both mother and baby are getting along just fine.

## Rep. Burleson Talks To Club

Congressman Omar Burleson, of Anson, spoke to the Callahan County Club at the Wednesday luncheon in the basement of the Methodist church on the subject of feeding the hungry people of Europe. "It would be physically impossible for the United States to feed the hungry people of the world," he said, "and I am wondering if we can buy their loyalty with money and materials." He continued, "I would like to know before I vote for such an undertaking, if our food and money and clothing for those people would be helping them to help themselves, and would it be permanent rehabilitation. There are many hungry people in Europe and throughout the world. We have them in this country. We will always have them throughout the world. Helping Europe is not a moral problem, but it is a political problem. The United States is the only country in the world that has the opportunity to raise the living standards of the world, and we can't accomplish this by bidding on their loyalty with so much food or money."

Burleson was introduced at the club by Judge L. L. Blackburn, and Harold Ray presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, C. W. Sutphen. After the luncheon Mr. Burleson spent the afternoon meeting the people on the streets and in the stores about town. He answered many questions for Baird people on national and international affairs.

## GIRL SCOUTS WILL HOLD COOKED FOOD SALE

A cooked food sale will be held by the Baird Girl Scouts at Parsons Electric and Refrigeration Service Saturday, October 25th, beginning at 2 p. m. Pies, cakes, dressed chickens and other food will be offered for sale, and proceeds will be used for payment on a hutment for the use of the Scouts. Everyone is invited to attend the sale and help make this event a success.

## LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

The American Legion Auxiliary met Thursday night at 7:30 for the regular business meeting. Committees were appointed for a membership drive and for the Poppy Day sale in November.

The next meeting will be the 4th Tuesday night, at which time the auxiliary will entertain the Legion. Refreshments will be served and all members are urged to attend and bring someone who is eligible for membership.

## CLYDE MARE SHOWN AT STATE FAIR

Bill Kennard of Clyde entered his mare, Miss Callahan, in the quarter horse show at the State Fair in Dallas. At the Heart of Texas quarter horse show held Oct. 3-4 at Junction, Miss Callahan was named reserve champion. She won first place for mares of 1944 and older at Junction.

## TRAINING SCHOOL BEGINS AT LOCAL CHURCH

A conference training school will begin at the First Methodist church Sunday at 3 p. m., with two conference directors assisting. Mrs. Uel Crosby, conference director of children's work, and Miss Irene Stewart, director of youth work, both of Lubbock, Texas, will be on the school staff. The school begins this Sunday afternoon and will continue through Wednesday night. Workers from Clyde, Putnam and Moran are expected to join in this training program, according to Rev. John A. English, local pastor.

Mrs. C. T. Clay and sons, Charles and Robert, of Big Spring, arrived Monday to visit Mrs. Clay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright.

## Baird vs Rising Star Friday Night

On Friday night of this week, the Baird Bears will go to Rising Star for their second conference game of the season. From a glimpse of the records of both teams so far this season, it appears that it should be a very good game. Each team has played one conference game, the Bears tying the powerful Early Longhorns 6-6, and the Wildcats romping over the Bangs Dragons to the tune of 32-0.

It will be remembered that last year the Bears won from the Wildcats here in the Bears Den by a top-heavy score; however, the Rising Star officials assure us that the same will not happen this year. Coach Ray Nunally of the Wildcats, has a good-sized squad out at Rising Star this year, and earlier in the season won from Class A Santa Anna 7-6. We have been assured that there will be a good crowd there to welcome us, providing the weather stays pretty.

Coach "Scat" Russell and the Bears have been working hard the past two weeks in preparation for this game, so have every reason to believe that it will be a game well worth going to see. We urge that every Baird fan who possibly can do so, go to Rising Star Friday night and cheer the Bears to victory.

The time is 8:00 p. m., the place is Rising Star and the admission price is 30c for school children and 60c for adults. Both band and pep squad will be there in full force, so let's all come along and encourage our boys on to victory.

Next week the May High School Tigers come here to Baird for a conference game. It will be on Friday night, Oct. 24 at 8:00 p. m.

## CUBS WIN OVER CROSS PLAINS BUFFALOES

Last Friday night at 7:30 p. m. here in the Bear's Den, the Baird Grade School Cubs licked the Cross Plains Grade School "Little Buffaloes" to the tune of 13-7. It was a very exciting game and Coach Teddy Walker's Cubs showed the several hundred fans there that there are some real Bears in the making.

Early in the first quarter, Don Yarbrough faked a hand-off, then cut inside his right end for some fifty yards and a touchdown. Then before the half, Yarbrough faded and shot a perfect pass to Eddie Ray Pierson, who took the pass on a dead run, then out sprinted all contenders for a second touchdown.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses recently issued at the Clerk's office: Price A. Boyce and Mrs. Bobby Dean Collum. Jearl Strickland and Jean Tate. J. T. Scarlett and Clarice Carter. E. P. Petty and Dorothy June Coppinger. Glenn K. Tarratt and Jean Juanette Seaton. Roswell L. Clark and Mrs. Virginia Pope Driver. J. E. Dunn and Mrs. V. A. Legz.

## LEGION GIVES DANCE ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Instead of holding its dance on Friday night as usual, the American Legion announces in an advertisement this week that the dance will be held on Saturday night, due to the football game being scheduled for Friday night. Legionnaires wish to cooperate in this way and urge everyone to go to the big game and boost the Bears, then on Saturday night all are invited to the dance at the Legion Hut in Baird when the Brown Derby Orchestra will play. The dance begins at 8 p. m. and closes at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and daughter, Evadena, visited in the home of Mr. Ellis' brother, Eldon Ellis and family, and his sister, Mrs. Thomas Webster and family in Irving during the first of the week. They also visited in Grand Prairie and Dallas and attended the State Fair while there.

## W.C. Brumbaugh Is Wreck Victim

W. C. (Sandy) Brumbaugh, 57, veteran oil driller who had lived here for the past 24 years, passed away about noon Tuesday in an Abilene hospital. His death was due to injuries sustained in a car wreck near Ozona Friday night. The accident was said to have occurred when a speeding car struck his after he had left the pavement in an effort to avoid the wreck.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3 p. m. at the First Baptist church, with Rev. A. A. Davis, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in Ross cemetery with Wylie Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Born May 31, 1890, at Dayton, Penn., he attained the age of 57. He was a veteran of the first World War and was a member of the local Baptist church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Buddy and Eddie Brumbaugh, both of Baird; three daughters, Mrs. Wallace Pike of Big Spring, Mrs. Kenneth Fincher of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Jack Flores of Baird, and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Roscoe Shelton, Ben Glover, R. H. Wylie, Cotton Cutbirth, Tom Clifton, A. E. Dyer, Cole Boutwell, and Sterling Reynolds.

## BARBECUE TO FEATURE LEGION HUT OPENING

A county-wide barbecue with appropriate speeches will make the program for the formal opening of the American Legion hut in Baird on November 11th. Plans for the opening of the new hut were made at the American Legion meeting in regular session Monday night. Billy Mac Jobe heads the list of donors of meat for the barbecue by giving a calf for the purpose. A committee of five Legionnaires has been appointed to get meat donated. It is estimated that five calves will be sufficient to feed the crowd. Legionnaires and their friends from all parts of the county are expected to attend the gala affair. An Armistice dance will be held in the new building at night.

## ATTEND LEGION MEET IN ABILENE

Attending the 17th District Convention of the American Legion in Abilene October 11 and 12 were Randall Jackson, commander of Eugene Bell Post 82, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser and Claude Flores, delegates from Baird. They report a very interesting program with the memorial service conducted by Honorable Omar Burleson the outstanding feature.

Mrs. G. M. King and granddaughter, Mildred Ann King and Katherine Murphy attended the fair in Dallas and visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy King.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Loper left Saturday on a vacation to Brownsville and other points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alexander and grandson, Freddie, visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Tomlin and Mr. Tomlin in Breckenridge last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Myers of Chicago left Baird Tuesday after visiting Mrs. Myers' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White for several days. Mr. Myers and Mr. White visited the Star office Monday for a short time and left a couple of ears of Franklin Grove, Illinois, corn to display.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Banta of Cottonwood were attending court in Baird Monday. They were accompanied by their house guest, Mrs. Joseph Greer, whose home is on the coast. While here the editor enjoyed a short visit with them on the street. We have known Mrs. Greer for near on to thirty years and were happy to see her again for the first time in twenty-five years. Mrs. Greer is related to Mr. Banta, and the publication of his book "Corntassle Poems" recently, brought them together.

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**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.  
By Joyce Tyson, Deputy.  
Oct. 17, 24, 31.

Mrs. Sam Gilliland is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Allen, and Rev. Allen, in Hondo.

**Hospital Notes**

Mrs. Alton Pharris and infant daughter returned to their home the 13th. Both were improving nicely.

Mrs. S. M. Barclay was a medical patient for several days recently.

Olin and De Lavern, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Simmons of Clyde, received medical treatment the past week.

Born the 7th to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeman, a daughter, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Master Gary Poole, Clyde, underwent tonsillectomy the 10th.

Darlene Straley was a medical patient the 11th.

G. H. Corn, a surgical patient, who entered the hospital the 5th, is reported improving.

Roy Kendrick, a medical patient since the 11th, is feeling some better.

Mrs. Bess Elder entered the hospital the 13th for further medical treatment.

F. E. Mitchell, a medical patient for several days, is improving slowly.

Mrs. R. W. Powell, Clyde, was a medical patient for one day this week.

Mrs. Witt, Clyde, is resting fairly well since her admittance the 14th.

Mrs. Jimmie Hallmark and infant daughter are getting along just fine.

L. O. Mitchell, Clyde, is feeling some better.

Mrs. C. T. Floyd, Oplin, was a medical patient several days recently.

L. B. McNeill, Sr., Clyde, who recently underwent major surgery is slightly better at this writing.

Mrs. Chas. Varner and infant daughter returned to their home the 14th.

Mrs. Otis Conlee, Clyde, who received medical treatment several days, has returned home.

Mrs. N. E. McGee is getting along just fine.

B. W. Lofton is slowly improving.

Mrs. L. M. Green, Clyde, who underwent surgery Wednesday morning, is reported doing as well as can be expected at this writing.

Mrs. Geneva Joe McGee, who underwent emergency surgery Monday night, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Hoyt Ross, Clyde, underwent appendectomy the 14th.

Among the patients receiving treatment recently are: Mmes. C. J. Lloyd, W. E. Baker, R. W. Powell, J. D. Campbell of Clyde, and Mrs. A. M. Waggoner of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cunningham were presented a family Bible during a meeting held recently at the Baptist church at Ozona. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, their four children, and a nephew, Johnny Jot Walker, were present.

**Cottonwood Chips**

Community Clatter Carefully Collected for Your Consideration.  
Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Joseph Greer of San Antonio, a cousin of the L. W. Bantas, visited here last week.

Richard Purvis of College Station spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Jack Ledbetter of Cisco and Miss Eunice Hembree of Seranton, attended church here Sunday at the Baptist church.

Vorus Kelly of Dallas visited with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Gilliland here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peavy moved to their new home at Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Respass and daughter Patsy, of Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock of Cross Plains visited in the Respass home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas and daughter, Wilma Jean of Cisco, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bennett and son, John, left for Fort Worth Sunday where John will enter business school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Taylor of Brady visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Joy and boys of Baird visited Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. O'Neal and daughter, Nellie B., visited a new grandson and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orean Higgins at Merkel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and daughter, Evadena, of Admiral, attended the Methodist church here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mrs. W. B. Gilliland.

**Midway Musings**

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

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Cook, Mrs. R. W. Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rogers attended the football game between H-S. U. and Arizona State last Saturday night.

B. Hopper of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burklow Sunday.

Several of Mrs. R. W. Cook's children visited her Sunday. Among the number were Mrs. Bourland and Mrs. Cook, Edna, Raymond and J. C., all of Abilene.

Betty Sue Driggers and Richard Moon of Clyde visited Louise Faircloth Sunday.

Cpl. Maurice Tarver writes from Okinawa that he recently made his first flight to Tokio and Yokohama. While in Tokio he attended the Ernie Pyle Theatre.

**Rowden Round-Up**

Community Activities Reliably Recorded by The Star Reporter.  
By Dorris McClain

The Bayou girls basketball team defeated the Oplin girls last Friday night. Score was 30-17. The Bayou boys lost to the Oplin boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. Arden Jones this past weekend.

Lorene and Charlie Sargent entertained with a party at their home Monday night.

Miss Leta Mae O'Dell is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sargent.

Weldon Stephens report he is doing pretty well at business school in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin cut feed on the Bainbridge farm Monday.

Gerald Stephens is reported to be enjoying college work at Howard Payne in Brownwood.

Dale Gibbs and Ludie Smedley are progressing pretty well with their studies at Cross Plains.

Sgt. and Mrs. M. C. McFarland and children, Sandy and Randy, of Ft. Lewis, Wash., are visiting Mrs. Jeffie Lambert.

Miss Ouida Kendrick, Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rouse and family returned Tuesday from a six week vacation to Medford, Oregon, where they visited her brother, John Henry Mitchell and family. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bellamy and family in Roswell, N. M.

Mrs. J. F. West, Stamford, and Mrs. Jim McGowan, Odessa, visited their sister, Mrs. B. H. Freeland last week.

Chester Branch and Helen Burks visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and Evadena in Admiral Wednesday night.



**MURDER ON PLAZA STAGE WEDNESDAY**

It will be murder on the Plaza Theatre stage at 11 p. m. Wednesday when Dr. London presents his "Inner Sanctum" Hour. Literally, or almost literally, Dr. London charms his audience by beheading innocent victims.

Humorous relief from the terrified shrieks of the hobby soxers (and from their elders) are the wolf cries which greet Princess Karnac and her Spook Shower. She is whisked back into the Dr. London neverland of magic before the wolves can figure out the way it is done, or, what is more to the point, can get her phone number.

Dr. London's masterful presentation of the magic art furnishes an entertaining buildup of the main business of the show, which, as has been mentioned before is murder. While the audience waits to enjoy the screams of his victims, Dr. London amuses it by the usual quicker-than-thief performance of illusions, performed, however, with unusual dexterity.

Mrs. A. A. Dodd of Dimmitt and Mrs. Sadie Heslep are visiting their uncle, Allen Warren, in Conway, Ark.

Mrs. Mattie Chisenhall of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. E. C. Fulton, are on a three week vacation in New York, Cincinnati, and Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Larson and grandson, Dickie, of Dallas, visited Mrs. Bess Johnson Wednesday en route to Midland.

**HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL MEETING**

President and Council delegates from six clubs, along with a large group of visiting club members were present when the Home Demonstration Council met in Baird Monday, Oct. 13.

Mrs. A. L. Barnes, Eula, chairman, presided for the meeting, at which time the group voted to purchase bronze pins to be presented 4-H Club girls upon completion of club goals.

Mrs. E. E. Harrison, Eula; Mrs. Henry Bailey, United-Hart; Mrs. C. L. Lackey, Cross Plains and Mrs. H. M. Burleson, Dudley, who attended the Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting in Galveston in September, gave reports on T.H.D.A. work, Recreation, Legislation and 4-H Club Work, respectively.

The following were elected

for Council offices for 1948: Chairman, Mrs. H. E. Baldridge, Jr., Dudley.

Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Henry Bailey, United-Hart.

Secretary, Mrs. C. L. Lackey, Cross Plains.

Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Farmer, Eula.

The body voted to have the annual Christmas Party and luncheon and training school in Baird on Dec. 15. To make plans for the occasion Mrs. H. E. Baldridge, Jr., was appointed chairman of the program committee.

Mrs. Geo. C. Crook, Eula, will be in charge of table decorations. Mrs. Henry Bailey, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Clyde; and Mrs. Wesley Patton, Enterprise, will serve on the foods committee.

Remember the Cooked Food Sale to be held in Baird, Sat. Oct. 18.

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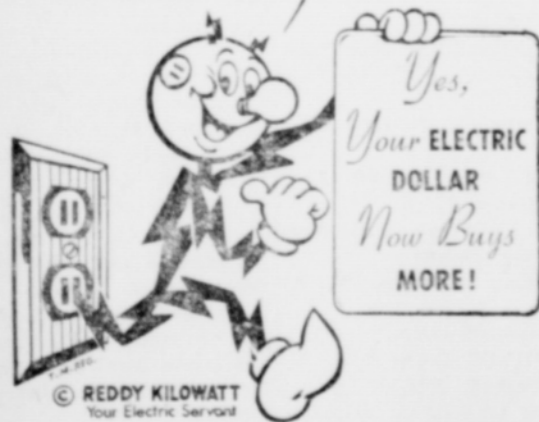
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THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To: Sidney L. Green, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 10th day of November A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 24th day of September A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 10,500 on the docket of said court and styled Blanche Green is Plaintiff, vs. Sidney L. Green is Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suite is as follows, to wit:\*

**THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN**  
In The District Court of Callahan County, Texas, Oct. 1947.

To the Honorable J. R. Black, Judge of said Court:

Now comes Blanche Green, who resides in Callahan County, Tex-

as, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of Sidney L. Green, whose whereabouts and residence is unknown, hereinafter called defendant, and for cause of action plaintiff represents to the court:

**I**  
That she is, and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in the said County of Callahan for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that on or about the 7th day of February, 1947, plaintiff was legally married to defendant, and they continued to live together as husband and wife, until on or about August 15, 1947, when, by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment toward plaintiff she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

**II**  
That the defendant has been guilty of such excesses, cruel treatment and outrages against plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living to-

gether as husband and wife insupportable.

**III**  
That no children were born to said marriage union, and the plaintiff and defendant are not possessed of any community property. That this plaintiff owns the following described land, to wit: a part of Block Number Seventy One (71), in the City of Baird, in Callahan County, Texas, and described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Block No. 71; THENCE North 680 feet; to the N. E. corner of said Block No. 71; THENCE West 202½ feet with the North boundary line of said Block No. 71; THENCE South 330 feet to the Northeast corner of a tract owned by L. G. Barnhill; THENCE East 137½ feet; THENCE South 150 feet to the south boundary line of said Block No. 71; THENCE East 65 feet to the place of beginning.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that said marriage between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and that she be granted a decree of divorce; that her real property be adjudged to be her separate property, and for such other and further relief, both special and general, in law and in equity, to which she may be entitled.

L. B. Lewis,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.  
as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 24th day of September A. D. 1947.

Mrs. Corrie Driskill, Clerk,  
District Court, Callahan County, Texas.  
10;3-10-17-24.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To: Finn R. Danielson Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 10th day of November A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 24th day of September A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 10499 on the docket of said court and styled Juanita S. Danielson Plaintiff, vs. Finn R. Danielson Defendant.

A brief statement of the na-

ture of this suit is as follows, to wit:\*

Suit for divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable, and for custody of the minor child, Richard Douglas Danielson, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas this the 24th day of September A. D. 1947.

Attest:  
Mrs. Corrie Driskill, Clerk,  
District Court, Callahan County, Texas.  
(SEAL) 9-26, 10-3-10-17

**U. S. ARMY REVISES  
ENLISTMENT PROGRAM**

Army authorities have announced the establishment of a Pre-Selection school plan which offers high school graduates, or persons having the equivalent thereof, in practical experience and knowledge, the opportunity to apply for and be authorized to attend the specific Army Technical school of their choice. The similar Air Force program was instituted in June and already is attracting high school graduates at the rate of more than 1,000 a month.

The Army training program provides education and training ranging through the most elementary to the most advanced field of learning for army personnel, from the lowest to the highest ranks in every arm of the service. Training in mechanical, electrical and radio, and clerical-computational are included in the wide interest fields authorized under this program that high school graduates will be able to choose prior to actual enlistment.

Applications will be monitored by the U. S. Army and Air Force recruiting service and forwarded to the training division which serves the area in which the recruiting station is located. If the training division is able to authorize attendance at the school of the applicant's choice, the recruiting service will be given authority to provide with the enlistment and the applicant will be assured of attending the school authorized.

Emphasis is being placed on character under the new programs and applicants for the Army Pre-Selection school plan are required to furnish recommendations from reputable citizens attesting to their good reputation. In the event an applicant fails to qualify academically, he may enlist in the Army and acquire the necessary qualifications for the Pre-Selective school program. This information was disclosed

by Captain Wayne Hall of the Army Recruiting Office. Captain Hall has requested that he be contacted at the Army Recruiting Office in Abilene, if further information is desired regarding this training program.

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

(Held over from last week)

Miss Joyce Johnson returned to Rowden Saturday from Memphis, Tennessee. She plans to enter school at Bayou as soon as possible.

La Dell Smedley and Dale Gibbs have entered school at Cross Plains. They both report they enjoy school 'as much as possible.'

Carrol, Orveta and Dorris McClain attended the State Fair at Dallas last weekend.

Mrs. Albert McCarty has been entertaining her mother for the past few days.

Mr. Albert McCarty has been visiting in Anson. The Bayou girls basketball team is doing pretty good. They have to date played three games. Oplin, Eula and Scranton and lost only one, that to Eula.

**Tecumseh Topics**  
Tersely Told, Typographically Tended, and Tolerably True.  
By Mrs. Dolph Hodges

(Held over from last week)

Visitors in the Sarah Magill home last week were Mrs. J. T. Ellis of Denton, Mrs. Anna Bradley of Southgate, Calif., and Mrs. Irma Dodson of Casper Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tunnel moved to Midland Saturday. Al-

bert Magill moved them in his pick-up and trailer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tunnel in Midland Sunday.

The Albert Magills report an addition of 14 baby pigs to their swine family.

Denton 4-H Club boys and girls made a trip to the State Fair at Dallas Saturday and Sunday in Dudley school bus. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor and L. L. Atchley accompanied the group.

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**We're disappointed, too...**  
Most of us have been on various waiting lists for one thing or another longer than we like to remember.  
Railroads are no exception.  
The Texas and Pacific has been on a waiting list since May, 1945, when orders were placed for the new lightweight passenger trains.  
These fine, new trains... the TEXAS EAGLE and the LOUISIANA EAGLE... were scheduled to be put in service in 1946. Here it is October, 1947, and we do not have a single chair car, diner, lounge or sleeping car!  
To say that we're disappointed is putting it mildly. We had every reason to believe that long before now these modern EAGLE trains would be in service. You're probably disappointed, too, as you have a right to be, for we've told you a number of times that we expected to place these trains in service many months ago.  
The equipment manufacturers are keenly disappointed, too. Their promises were made in good faith, but shortages of materials, work stoppages and other conditions have retarded production schedules. Time and again they've had to revise their delivery dates.  
But now the manufacturers are confident they're over the production hump, and they say it won't be long before some of the cars will begin to roll. We now have their assurances that deliveries will start in November, 1947, and be completed in April, 1948... and the new cars will be placed in service as fast as they arrive.  
To refresh your memory, there are 48 cars on order—sleepers, lounge and club cars, diners, chair cars and the usual complement of express, baggage and mail equipment.  
We're extremely sorry that you've had to wait for these fine, new trains, but when you see and ride them, you'll agree they were worth waiting for.

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF  
The First National Bank of Baird**  
In the State of Texas, at the close of business on Oct. 6th, 1947.  
Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

| ASSETS  |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection   | \$1,093,983.59        |
| United States Government obligations direct and guaranteed  | \$2,515,184.44        |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions  | \$17,325.00           |
| Other bonds, notes, and debentures  | \$20,000.00           |
| Corporate stocks (including \$2,550.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)   | \$2,550.00            |
| Loans and discounts (including \$7,188.68 overdrafts)   | \$285,154.42          |
| Bank premises owned \$7,797.83, furniture and fixtures \$5,066.36   | \$12,864.19           |
| (Bank premises owned are subject to \$NONE liens not assumed by bank)   |                       |
| Real Estate owned other than bank premises  | NONE                  |
| Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate   | NONE                  |
| Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding  | NONE                  |
| Other assets  | NONE                  |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>   | <b>\$3,967,061.64</b> |
| LIABILITIES   |                       |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations  | \$3,147,763.30        |
| Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations  | \$143,904.22          |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)   | \$216,223.25          |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions   | \$230,383.99          |
| Deposits of banks   | NONE                  |
| Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)   | \$43,190.71           |
| <b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>   | <b>\$3,781,465.47</b> |
| Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money  | NONE                  |
| Mortgages or other liens, \$ NONE on bank premises and \$NONE on other real estate  | NONE                  |
| Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding   | NONE                  |
| Other liabilities   | NONE                  |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>  | <b>\$3,781,465.47</b> |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS  |                       |
| Capital Stock:  |                       |
| (a) Class A preferred, total par \$18,000.00, retirable value \$18,000.00 (Rate of dividends on retirable value is 3%)                      |                       |
| (b) Class B preferred, total par \$NONE, retirable value \$NONE (Rate of dividends on retirable value is %)                                 |                       |
| (c) Common stock, par value \$32,000.00   | \$50,000.00           |
| Surplus   | \$34,540.00           |
| Undivided profits   | \$52,430.60           |
| Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)   | \$48,625.57           |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>   | <b>\$185,596.17</b>   |
| <b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>   | <b>\$3,967,061.64</b> |
| MEMORANDUM  |                       |
| Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes   | \$510,550.00          |
| STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF CALLAHAN, ss:   |                       |
| I, Bob Norrell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. |                       |
| BOB NORRELL, Cashier.   |                       |
| (SEAL)  |                       |
| Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of October, 1947.   |                       |
| HOMER E. SWOFFORD, Notary Public.   |                       |
| CORRECT—Attest:   |                       |
| A. R. Kelton, Ace Hickman, Frank Windham  |                       |
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**County Agriculture  
 Agent's Column**  
 By A. R. Grote, Jr.

**BORER TROUBLE**

Here's a timely tip -- an insect that eats Texas fruit growers out of plenty of dollars every year. The borer is the insect and what it takes to kill it is really a mouthful . . . paradichlorobenzene or ethylene dichloride.

October treatment for the borer will kill him out before the real damage is done. First you'll want to check to see if you've got borer trouble, and this consists of taking a look at two or three pieces of wax which comes out of the tree down near the ground line. If tiny sawdust particles are mixed in the wax, you can start treating, because you've got borers.

To apply the paradichlorobenzene, you first want to take a Joe and pull the soil back from the tree, down to the crown of the root system. Scrape off all gum and loose bark. Then pull your soil back up around the tree, to a height of about six to eight inches, and smooth off the top of the mound. Then ap-

ply your material, one ounce of paradichlorobenzene for a tree that's over three years of age. Pour it in a circle, about two or three inches away from the tree. Don't let it contact the tree or burning may occur. Then cover the material with a half-inch of soil and the job is done.

If you use the other material, ethylene dichloride, you can pour it around the body of the tree without preparing a mound of soil to hold the gas. The usual treatment is from one-half to one pint of the material per tree, depending on the age and size of each.

Both of these materials can ordinarily be bought at your local drug or seed store. And at a cost of only a few cents per tree, borer damage can be eliminated.

**VETCH SEED PRODUCTION**

The production of hairy vetch seed in Texas in 1937 is estimated at 3,900,000 pounds clean seed as compared with 1,600,000 pounds harvested in 1946. This 3,900,000 pounds in 1947 was produced on 37,000 harvested acres, with yields per acre averaging 105 pounds. Last year only 6,000 acres were harvested for seed, but the per acre yields averaged 265 pounds.

This new enterprise, vetch seed production, is centered at Rising Star. Encouraged by favorable yields and benefits to soils in our sandy land, growers planted greatly expanded acreages of hairy vetch in the fall of 1946 for harvest in 1947. Stands were somewhat reduced by low temperatures in January of 1947. Furthermore, heavy infestation of aphids and lack of sufficient spring moisture combined to limit the acreage to be finally harvested for seed and reduce average yields on harvesting acreage to a level only 40 per cent as large as those for the preceding year.

For the United States the 1947 production of 21,900,000 pounds of hairy vetch was sharply above the 12,490,000 pounds harvested in 1946, but below the 5 year (1941-45) average production of 23,746,000 pounds. About 60 per cent of this total for 1947 came from Oregon, with Arkansas and Texas contributing 19 per cent and 18 per cent respectively.

The average per acre yield for the U. S. was 218 pounds per acre with Texas average 265, for 1947 the U. S. yield was 218 pounds per acre and for Texas

only 105. Since these figures are only of a two year period, they don't present a complete picture of the situation, but it is believed that this section can successfully compete against the large Oregon area and realize profits from vetch seed production.

**GRUB CONTROL**

October is the month for the ranchers to check their herds for ex-warblers, wolves, or grubs -- whatever you desire to call them. The U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates the total loss to be somewhere between \$50,000,000 and \$100,000,000 annually in the United States in beef and milk production.

For a wash or spray, 7 1/2 lbs. of 5% rotenone to 10 gallons of water.

For a dust use 1 part of 5% rotenone to 2 parts of double ground cream tripoli earth.

Kill the grubs and rid your ranch of the heel fly.

**Bear Facts**

Editor — Melba Tyson  
 Asst. Editor — Bill Jones  
 Soc. Editor — Bobby Johnson  
 Sports Editor — Joseph McGowen  
 Typists — Robbie Vaught and Etta Faye Shelton.

**REVISED PROVERBS**

Look before you cheat.  
 He that flunks and knows his bizz lives to flunk another quizz.  
 Procrastination is the sign of the times.

If at first you did not win, date, date, and date again.

All are not girls that giggle. He who hesitates is the boss. A miss is as good as her environment.

Love suffereth long and he that denies her must pay the piman.

**EDITORIAL**

Benjamin Franklin said "Honesty is the best policy." We sincerely believe that his maxim is worth while.

Right now is the time for each one of us to form those characteristics which have been proved through the ages to make an everlasting impression. Every day we must pass tests on absolute truthfulness and honesty.

We desire to form habits of character which will enable us to pass such tests in 'flying colors.' We think along with Alexander Pope that "An honest man is the noblest work of God." Let us forge this chain in character formation well!

**FIRST DRILL**

Last week was the first fire drill of this year. The school house was emptied in 20 seconds. This drill was in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week. The Fire Department is giving 3 prizes of \$3, \$2, and \$1 for the best posters made. The winner will be announced next week.

**BAND MOTHERS ORGANIZE**  
 The Band mothers met Tuesday, October 7, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Dungan; Vice-President, Mrs. Havens, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Gilliland, Reporter and Publication Director, Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. Durham.

We regret to hear of Dicky Eastham leaving. He is moving to Ft. Worth.

There was no assembly last week because of 6-weeks tests. The Freshmen will have charge of the program this week.

**SPANISH NEWS**

At the Spanish initiation on Thursday, Oct. 9, the Spanish Club elected room mothers for the coming year. The mothers elected were: Mrs. A. L. Price, Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and Mrs. Hubert Ross. We discussed means of making money but didn't decide on anything definite. The club was well pleased with the selections of the club mothers and we know they will do their best to help us.

**IDEAL SENIOR GIRL**

Hair — Robbie Linceum  
 Eyes — Bobby Ruth Swinson  
 Complexion — Bobby Johnson  
 Figure — Maurine Cooke  
 Legs — Thelma Robbins  
 Lips — Jackie Gilliland  
 Nose — Dorothy Bruce  
 Feet — Maricate Warren  
 Ears — Robbie Vaught  
 Hands — Billie Browning  
 Personality — Bernice Ray  
 Teeth — Shirley Blakley  
 Smile — Bernice Avery  
 Most Studious — Ruth Swim  
 Best Sport — Nell Gilbreath

**SPORTS**

**The Football Team**  
 Jimmy Ashlock — Lineman  
 Billy Joe Brashear — Lineman  
 Bobby Bryant — Lineman  
 Jim Clark — Lineman  
 Gerald Dallas — Lineman  
 Leon Daniell — Lineman  
 Dicky Eastham — Lineman  
 Jerry English — Back

Franklin Freeland — Lineman  
 Carrol Gillit — Lineman  
 Jack Gillit — Back  
 Tom Glover — Lineman  
 Jon Hardwicke — Lineman  
 Billy Hart — Lineman  
 Tommy Hawk — Lineman  
 Billy Higgins — Lineman  
 E. J. Hill — Lineman  
 Jack Hunter — Lineman  
 Tommy Ivey — Lineman  
 Bill Johnson — Lineman  
 Bill Jones — Lineman  
 Billy Lamb — Lineman  
 Dwight Mayes — Back  
 Joseph McGowen — Lineman  
 Franklin Miller — Back  
 Jimmy Mobley — Lineman  
 Jack Noble — Lineman  
 John Poindexter — Lineman  
 Billy Bob Pierson — Back  
 Jerol Price — Lineman  
 Milburn Sampson — Lineman  
 Paul Varner — Back  
 Jimmy West — Back  
 Jack Yarbrough — Back  
 Gene Yeager — Lineman

**Remaining Games**  
 Oct. 17—Rising Star, there.  
 Oct. 24—May at Baird.  
 Oct. 31—Bangs at Bangs.  
 Nov. 7—Putnam at Baird.  
 Nov. 14—Moran at Baird.  
 Nov. 21—Strawn at Baird.  
 Nov. 28—Cross Plains, there.

All except Putnam and Strawn are conference games.

**Cubs vs Buffaloes**

The Bear Cubs plays the Buffaloes from Cross Plains a good game Friday night, Oct. 10, winning by a score of 13-7. The Cubs wore their new jerseys in this game.

Mr. Pritchard and Mr. Russell attended a meeting to organize the Basketball District at the Laguna Hotel in Cisco, Monday evening, Oct. 13. The meeting was called by Mr. Travis Hilliard, superintendent of schools at Olden. This meeting is held annually for the purpose of ironing out difficulties in the basketball district.

Use stationery by The Star.

**DUDLEY H. D. CLUB**

In a recent meeting of the Dudley Demonstration Club, the annual report was filled out by members of the club. Origin of Hallowe'en was discussed and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr., spoke on "Treats and Tricks for the Children."

Members present were: Mrs. C. H. Betcher, Mrs. M. C. Wolf, Mrs. Finley Coughran, Mrs. Dolph Hodges, Mrs. L. L. Atchley, Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr., and a visitor, Mrs. Laura Nichols. Next meeting will be Oct. 22, in the home of Mrs. L. L. Atchley.

—Mrs. H. M. Burleson

**MRS. BECK HOSTESS TO SUNSHINE CLUB**

Sunshine Club, W. O. W., met with Mrs. Bob Beck for an all day quilting and covered dish luncheon Wednesday, Sept. 24. A quilt was quilted for Grandma Loven of Belle Plain. Four visitors, Mrs. J. P. Izard, Miss Margaret Evans, Mrs. Barringer and Mrs. Jennie Baum, were present. Club members attending were: Mmes. Willie Lambert, Kyer, G. W. Bowlus, Bud Walker, Bob Beck, L. A. Jackson, Annie Asbury, Nettie Gilliland, Mit Barkley, George Crutchfield, Misses Katy Lou Walker, Edith Bowlus and Susie Walker.

Bill McCoy, Ft. Worth, was a weekend guest of his mother, Mrs. Will McCoy.

Miss Maxine Williams returned to Ft. Worth Sunday after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Williams.

Miss Retha Hughes of Fort Worth and Miss Helen Routh of San Angelo and Washington, D. C., were weekend guests of Miss Maxine Williams.

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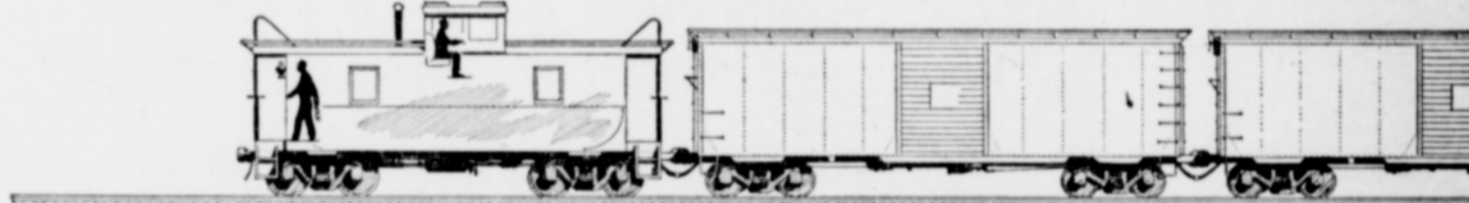
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It's to your interest to know about this proposed **feather-bedding!**

For sheer feather-bedding, this mock work proposal takes the cake. But it is only one of 44 "rules" demands filed by the leaders of the operating unions. If all these demands were granted, they would cost the railroads an added BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR.

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On top of these "rules" changes, the leaders of the operating unions have filed an additional demand for a wage increase of over 30 per cent. If granted, this would be an added cost to the railroads of \$400,000,000 a year.

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In addition to this, an Arbitration Board has just granted a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour to the million employees represented by the 17 non-operating unions. This will cost the railroads \$468,000,000 a year.

Where Will The Money Come From? Where will all the money come from to pay these increases? They total several times as much as the railroads made in 1946 or will make in 1947.

In July, the railroads filed an application for increased freight rates to close the gap which then existed between wage and material costs, and railroad revenues. Since then it has been necessary, because of further increases in wages and material costs, to supplement that petition and to ask for an additional freight rate increase. No other course is open.

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**WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETS AT JACKSON HOME**

Good Management in the Home was the program theme for the October 12th meeting of the Wednesday Club in the home of Mrs. J. R. Jackson. Seventeen members answered roll call with "My Pet Economy," which suggested many worthwhile and unusual ways to save.

Mrs. Fetterly presided at a short business session at which the Club voted to pack a box of clothing for the British. Members are asked to leave cleaned and mended garments at Swin's Furniture Store. The Club also voted to support the government's food conservation program.

Mrs. White in her talk on "Are Budgets Practical?" showed ways in which both money and worry could be saved by a carefully planned budget in which each member of the family was interested. Mrs. Lewis spoke on "Fin-

ancial Security" and discussed the necessity of insurance and systematic saving. Miss Ruth Swin, a guest of the club, played a group of beautiful old airs.

The program was followed by a social hour during which the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickson and daughter, Yvonne, Abilene, and Mrs. Dock Dickson left Friday for Mineral Wells to visit Mrs. Dickson's brother, F. L. Harper.

Judge F. E. Mitchell has been a patient in Callahan County Hospital for the past two weeks. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde went to Dallas Friday to visit with Mrs. Cotton's mother, Mrs. Fannie Richardson, and to attend the Fair. They returned home Monday.

**HOSTS TO FORTY-TWO PARTY SATURDAY**

Mrs. H. M. Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Atehey were hosts for a forty-two party honoring the Home Demonstration ladies and their families of the Dudley community, Saturday night, Oct. 11. Mrs. H. M. Burleson gave a report on the convention held at Galveston.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Finley Cougran and Betty Lou, Mrs. C. H. Betcher and Ross, Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Jr., and Elwood and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford, Stanley and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wolf, Norma and Billy, Mrs. C. H. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Preston and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Betcher, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wise, Mrs. Jim Barton, Jesse Coffman, Mrs. Etta Pearl Morgan and J. L., Orlan Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chrane Kathleen and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Knight, Mrs. H. M. Burleson and Ann, Jan, Ru, Micki and Patsy, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Atehey and Thurman.

Miss Rita Murphy, Field Director of Callahan County TB Association, met with the association Wednesday, October 8, and made plans for the sale of Christmas Seals.

Mrs. Will Poindexter and Mrs. Maye Brooks of Oplin were attending to business in Baird Monday. They spent most of the day with Mrs. Edith Likens and family.



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**Oplin Observations**

Odds and Ends—Opportunities Offered in Opea Order.  
By Joreta Gwin

Mrs. Patti Looney of California is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Thurman Lambert was operated on for appendicitis in the St. Ann's Hospital in Abilene Oct. 7th. She is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican of Baird spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin.

Mrs. Iris McKinley honored her daughter, Patsy, with a birthday party Saturday night. It was her thirteenth birthday. After games were played refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to guests.

The Oplin basketball teams went to Bayou Friday night. The Bayou girls won from Oplin and the boys lost their game.

Mrs. Clyde Floyd was in the hospital last week.

Mrs. Iris McKinley, Mrs. Inez Windham and Mrs. Viola Preston were called to San Angelo Monday, where their brother, Buster Furgeson had been injured when a horse fell on him.

**Eula Episodes**

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The Eula school system has received a motion picture projector that was purchased some time ago. The equipment will be used as an aid in visual education and also to provide community entertainment. Last week a lesson on the growth and manufacture of coffee was held. On Thursday night an outdoor western film was shown to the public at a small charge.

Miss Ethel Trotter and her friend, Miss Jeanette Kinman of Big Spring, were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Trotter. They spent Monday in Abilene shopping before returning to Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville H. White of Abilene were weekend visitors in the home of his sister, Mrs. R. G. Edwards and family.

The seniors of the Eula school were accompanied to Dallas Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Newell Odell and Mrs. A. G. Black to attend the State Fair. They returned Sunday.

**RECENT BRIDE HONORED**

Mrs. Glenn Erwin of Breckenridge, who was Corinne Glover until her marriage on Sept. 7, was honored Thursday evening with a gift party in the home of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn. Other hostesses were Mesdames S. L. McElroy, Archie Nichols, Robert Estes, A. E. Dyer, Lee Ivey and Misses Madge Loper, Carol Ivey, and Dehlia Thompson.

Guests were received by Mrs. Blackburn, who introduced the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Joe Glover. Presiding at the register was Mrs. Wilburn Carrico of Lueders. Mrs. Estes invited guests into the dining room.

The table, which was laid with a lace cloth and appointed in crystal, was centered with an unusual arrangement of pink dahlias and queen's wreath in a crystal and gold embossed bowl. Matching candelabra held white candles. Mrs. Ground and Miss Thompson served punch, cakes, and mints. They were assisted by Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. McElroy. Others in the houseparty were Mrs. Myrtle Edwards and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

The many friends of Roy Kendrick regret that he is in the hospital here, having become ill this week. They hope he will soon recover.

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**EULA H. D. CLUB MEETS**  
Fourteen members and two visitors were present when Mrs. E. E. Harrison was host to the Eula Home Demonstration Club Wednesday in her home. Members spent the afternoon filling out report blanks on the food conserved at home and the farm income from poultry and dairy products during 1947. They also made a Chenille rug to be sold in Baird, Oct. 18. Next meeting will be Oct. 15, at 2 p. m. in the home of Willie Mae Bourland.

Miss Kay McCoy left for San Antonio Sunday after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Will McCoy. Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramsey of Abilene were visiting friends here Tuesday.

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