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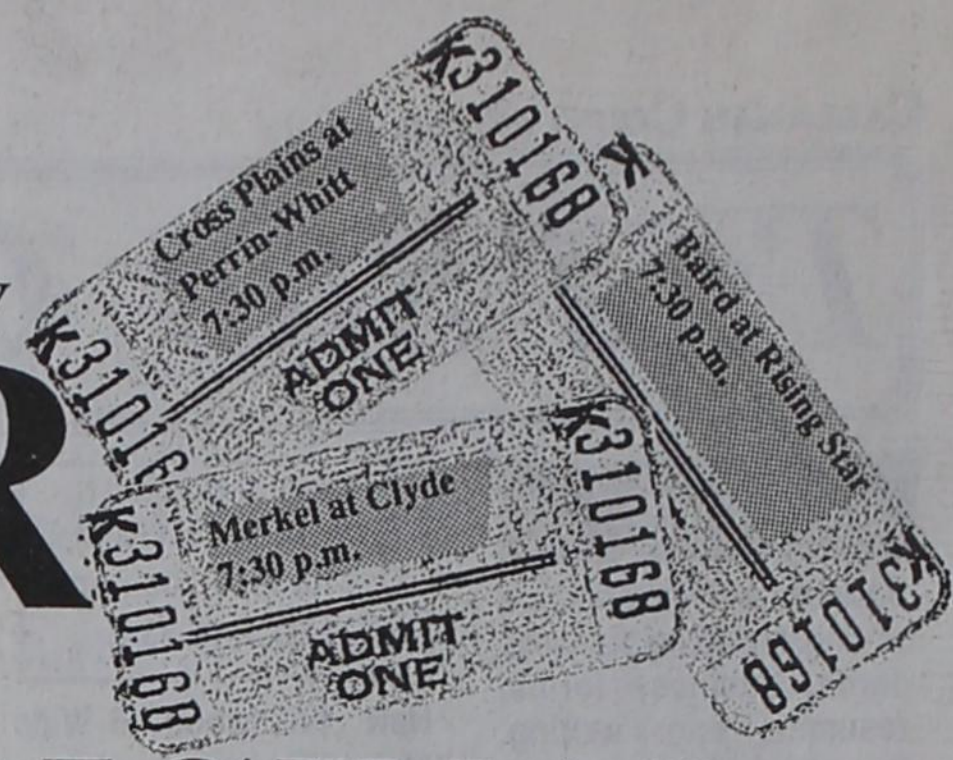
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### Girl Scouts "Make a Difference" on Oct. 25

Make A Difference Day is a day of doing good sponsored by USA Weekend and the Points of Light Foundation on the fourth Saturday of October each year. Local Girl Scouts will be participating this year's event.

Community service has long been a driving force in Girl Scouting. It is at the troop level that girls learn to make a difference in other people's lives and thereby enrich their own. A string of these simple yet meaningful acts of kindness affects many individuals and groups in our community.

Girl Scouting emphasizes four personal development goals for girls: 1) Develop values to her full individual potential, 2) To relate to others with increasing understanding, skill and respect, 3) Develop values to guide her actions and to provide the foundation for sound decision-making and 4) To contribute to the improvement of society through the use of her abilities and leadership skills, working in cooperation with others.

The Girl Scouts of Clyde/Baird will be joining other volunteers across the country on this special day. The girls will be Brownie Troop 59, Junior Troop 56 and Daisy Troop 57 from Clyde will clean flower beds at Clyde Elementary. The Brownie Troop 232 and Junior Troop 286 will pick up trash at the

Baird High School and the Junior troop 286 will clean beds down town Clyde. Brownie Troop 230 will be picking up trash at the Baird Elementary, and Cadet troop 229 from Clyde will be picking up trash on the North and South side of the railroads tracks in Clyde.

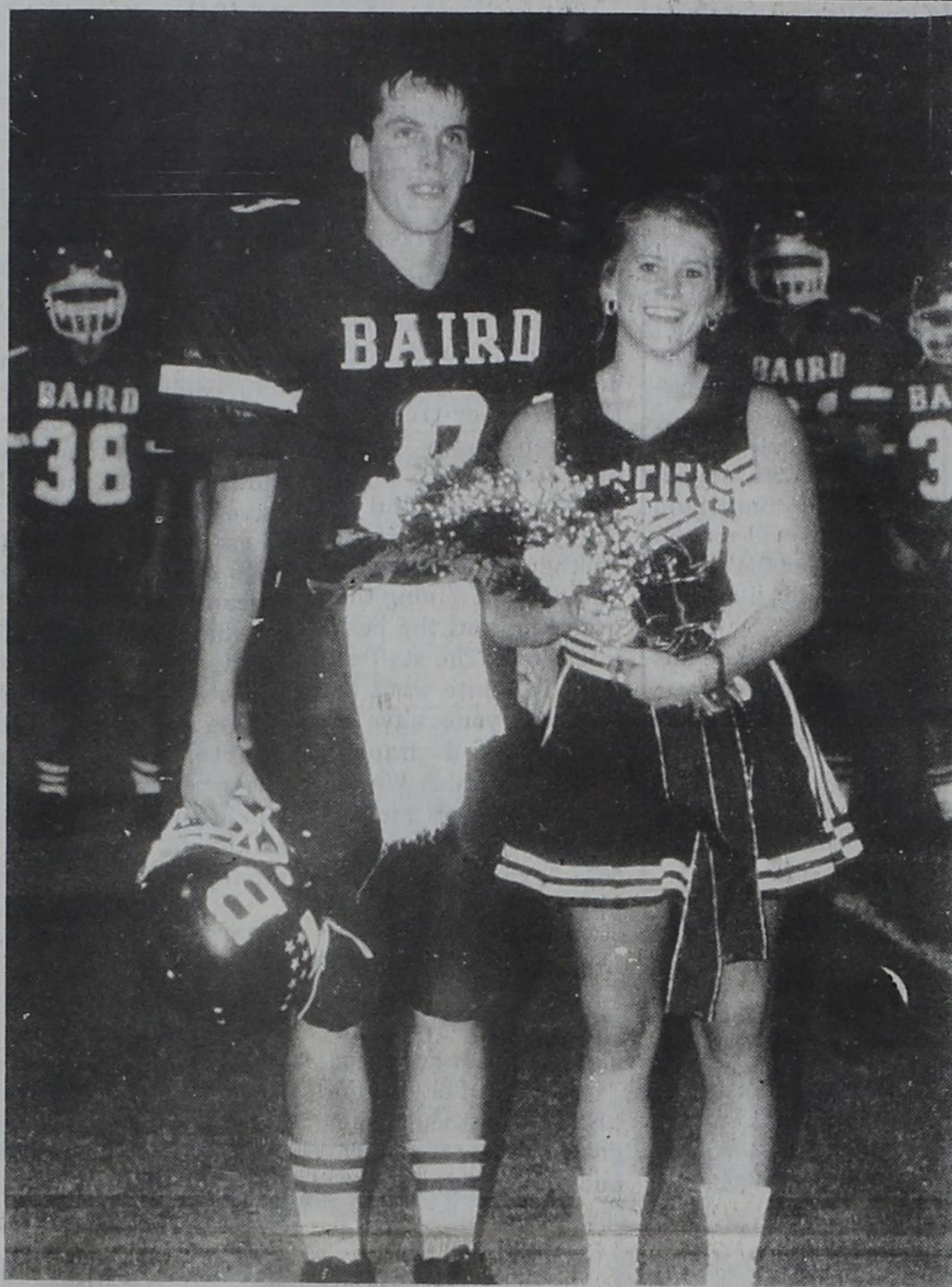
Make a Difference Day is the largest national day of helping others--a celebration of neighbors helping neighbors. Everyone can participate. Last year, 1,042,467 people cared enough about their communities to volunteer on that day, accomplishing thousands of projects in hundreds of towns and helping millions.

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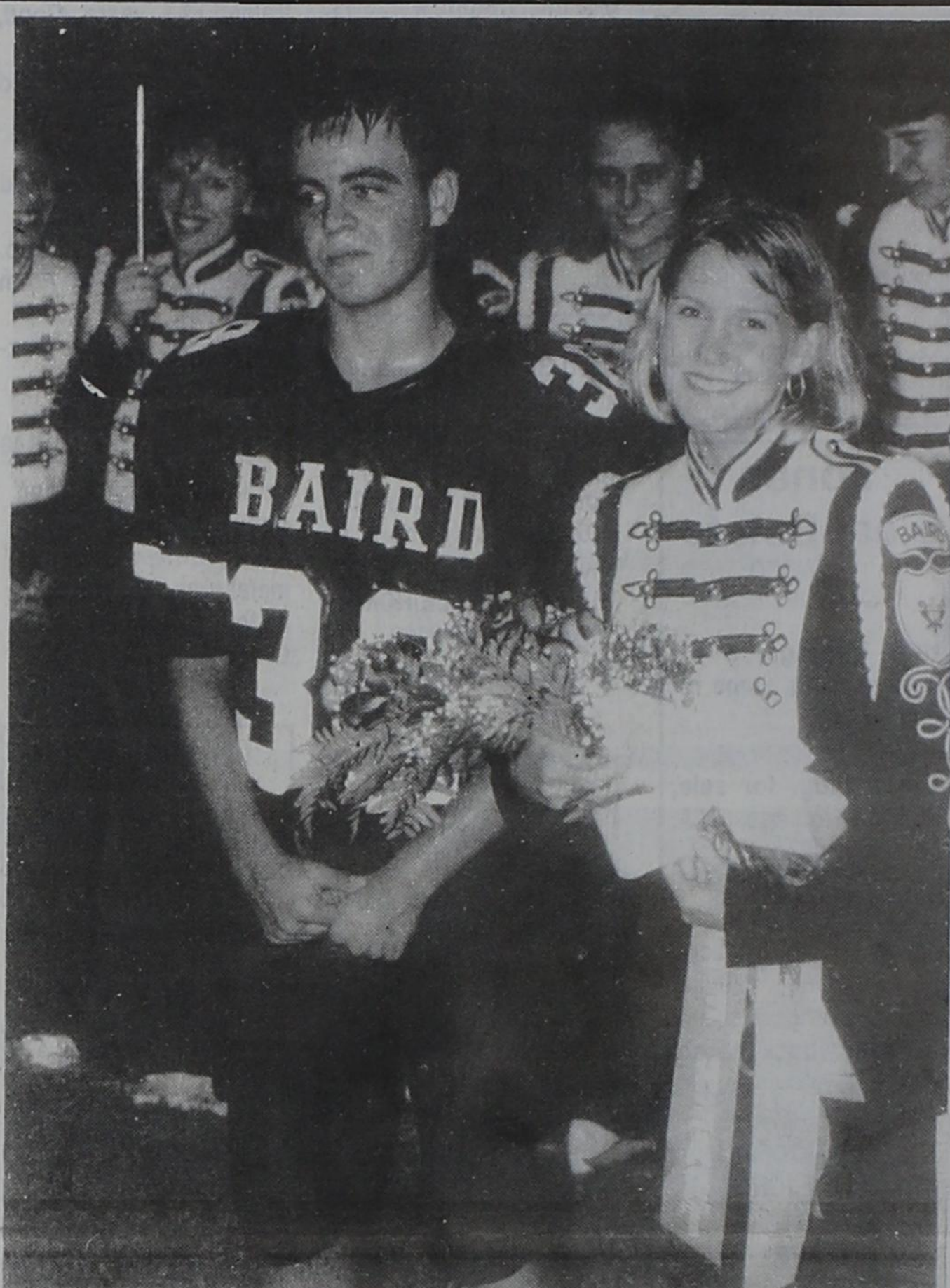
### "Bear Fan Package" to be given away

What better way to show your support for the Baird Bears than to sit in the stands on Friday night wearing your Bear sweatshirt and cap wrapped up in your Bear blanket waving your Growl Towel! One lucky fan will receive one of every souvenir the Booster Club is selling. The "Bear Fan Package" consist of a Bear blanket, t-shirt, sweatshirt, toboggan, scarf, pin, license plate, growl towel, car flag and cushion.

The Booster Club will hold a drawing for the "Bear Fan Package" on November 7, during half-time of the Baird-



1997 Baird Bear Football Sweetheart is Toni Vestal. She is escorted by football team captain Jim Scott. Vestal is the daughter of Chris and Rhonda Vestal and Scott is the son of Miller and Marion Scott.



The 1997 Baird Band Sweetheart is Annie Gilliland. She is escorted by band president Dusty Barron. Gilliland is the daughter of Jud and Karla Gilliland and Barron is the son of Butch and Sharron Barron.

### Baird Voters to decide on bond election

The first proposal is for a new elementary school building which will be an addition to the current Cafetorium, offices, and 6th grade/junior high classrooms. This will be 18 new classrooms for pre-kindergarten through 5th grade and an activity center/play area for these children. The activity/play area will be used for general activities such as physical education classes, recess/play periods when weather does not permit outside activities.

Also included in this will be additions to the office area to enlarge the secretary's office so that parents and others do not have to wait in the hallway when they need to see the principal, a new principal's office and an office for the technology director who is now housed in the old building in what was the principal's office. There will also be additional storage for the principal's office, a general storage area for chairs and such, and a bookroom large enough to contain necessary textbooks for the elementary school.

All of these facilities will be connected by hallways so that it will not be necessary for any child to be out in the weather to go to the office, cafeteria, activity

center or any where in the elementary complex. New restroom facilities will also be provided as well as classroom storage for each teacher.

Proposal 2 concerns renovations to the dressing rooms, foyer, concession area and seating in the gym. The dressing room renovations would allow the junior high students to have facilities to shower and dress in the new gym as well as separate the current visitor and home dressing facilities for boys and girls. The foyer would be enlarged to allow another entrance into the seating area with pull-down seating on both sides of the playing area which would be relocated to the center of the gym. A concession stand would be built that would be used for football games and basketball games. It would be open to the football field during football games and closed to the gym area. This would be reversed during basketball

games.

If you have had occasion to be in our gym you realize the current seating arrangement is inadequate and puts visitors and home fans side by side, visitors and home team share shower/restroom facilities. The renovation would eliminate most problems in this regard. It would also allow a larger foyer so that fans could enjoy their snacks there and not in the seating area.

If the bond passes on November 8, parents, students, interested citizens, teachers and support personnel will be allowed input into final plans for the construction.

The Board hopes that each citizen in the district will seriously consider the impact on the students and the community of such construction. Yes, it will take a lot of money...2.1 million for the entire project. It will also take a lot of thought, planning and effort on the part of all involved. Make plans now to vote on November 8, or during the early voting time,

**Voters continued inside**

### Open House

Sunday, October 26 - 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Shady Oaks Country Club is honoring Ethelyn McGowen to wish her good luck and happiness on her move to Denton, Tx. No Gifts Please.

### Buffaloes thunder past Bears by Sarah Hatfield

The Baird Bears were hosts to the Forsan Buffaloes Friday night, October 10. The rains came and the faithful Baird Bears fans watched as the Buffaloes thundered past the home team, 25-7. Under pouring skies, the football game was a hodge-podge of fumbles, interceptions, completed and incomplete passes, penalties and a touchdown every now and then.

The Baird Bears, receiving the opening kick-off, replied to Forsan with a punt after two tries on the ground and a completed pass from Jim Scott to Dusty Barron.

The Buffaloes, more than happy to take control of the football, kept a strong drive until Daniel Davis slipped through the line to score. Their kick for the extra point was good, also. With half of the first quarter gone, Forsan was ahead of Baird by 7 points.

The Bears, now growing with annoyance, began their campaign toward Forsan's goal line. Gaining yardage with carries by Jeremy Riney, Jim Scott, and Shannon Campbell, and a completed pass from Jim Scott to Shane Devenport, the Bears did not let up until Jim Scott scored on a keeper early in the second

quarter. Britt Johnson's kick was good and the score evened up 7-7. The Bears, feeling pretty proud about their score, trudged on hard, not realizing that the reality of them scoring again for the night would not materialize.

The Buffaloes received the kick-off and two plays later, the Bears recovered Forsan's fumble. Then, after two more plays, the Buffaloes intercepted a Bear's pass. Next, Baird Bear Shane Devenport snatched a pass from Forsan right out of the air, only for Baird to fumble and loose the ball to Forsan again. The Bears next stint ended with another interception by Forsan. This time the Buffaloes meant business and Buffalo Walker took the ball across their second touchdown of the night. The PAT was not good and with 3:29 left in the first half, the score showed Forsan 14 and Baird 7.

The Bears controlled the ball two more times before the half, but were unable to make any more marks.

Baird opened the third quarter by kicking to Forsan. The Buffaloes gave up the ball after four plays, and the Bears took over. Neither team made

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## Courthouse News

Activity for the week of October 6 - 10

County Court  
Judge Bill Johnson  
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Misdemeanor Filings

- John B. Lindsay, Speeding

Misdemeanor Minutes

- The State of Texas vs. Edward S. Castaneda, Order Granting Probation Under Misdemeanor Probation Act.
- The State of Texas vs. Teresa Blalock, Motion to Dismiss.
- The State of Texas vs. Clinton Jay Tubbs, State's Motion to Appoint a Special Prosecutor Pursuant to Texas Code of Criminal Procedure ART. 2.07.
- The State of Texas vs. Mathew Park State's Motion to Appoint a Special Prosecutor Pursuant to Texas Code of Criminal Procedure ART. 2.07.
- The State of Texas vs. Ralph Honrud, Order Amending Conditions of Community Supervision.
- The State of Texas vs. Shawn Hensler, Order Extending Community Supervision.
- The State of Texas vs. David Burford, Order Extending Community Supervision.

Marriage License

- Joseph Ernesto Siepp and Martha Theresa San-Agustin, from Clyde.
- Elliott Raymond Sewell and Alvie Mae Sewell, from Abilene.

42nd District Court  
John Weeks presiding

Civil Filings

- Shiei Kitchens and Walter Kitchens in the Interest of Christopher Carl Kitchens, Amanda Caroll Kitchens, Dustin Kyle Kitchens, children, Divorce.
- Russell Gene Barnes and Sally DeeAnn Barnes, Divorce.
- In the interest of Kristen Nichole Jones, a child, Petition to Establish PCR.
- In the interest of Nicholas Ray Holmes, Jade Renee Holmes, Petition to Establish PCR.
- B.F. Thomas and Williams Oil and Mineral Trust, Suit for Affirmation of Volinging Oil and Gas Lease.
- Kathy Dianne Black and Brandon Wayne Black, Divorce.
- Farm Life Ins. Co. vs Amelia Ann Saunders, Wayne Saunders and the Estate of Ted Allen Saunders, Dec. - Petiktion in Interpleader.

Civil Minutes

- Citizens National Bank of Breakenridge vs. Michael E. Corly, Notice of Non suit.
- In the Interest of Kelsie Ashton McIntee a child, Agreed Final Oder in suit Affecting PCR.
- Angle Marie Honea and Stanley Honea, and in the Interest of Stanton Brenner Honea a child, Final Decree of Divorce.
- Mark Stallings and Jeriland Stallings, Individually and as next of Friend of Laci Stallings, a minor vs. Superior Tomato and Avocado and

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### Halloween candy and calories?

What's the scariest thing you'll see this time of year?

Forget the spooky masks and the Dracula fangs. It's the mountain of Halloween candy sitting there, tempting you. Every grownup knows that those treats can really trick your determination to eat sensibly. Candy is scary because it's packed with calories and fat and short on vitamins, minerals, protein, fiber and other nutrients.

Let's face it: We are heading into the dangerous season between Halloween in October and Super Bowl Sunday in January. That's when many people can add as much as seven pounds because of party foods and celebrations.

So what's a nibbler to do? How can you keep the trick-or-treating children happy while you refrain from snatching a handful of candy? A pound here, another pound there. It all adds up, mining the waistline and the best intentions. The staff at Scott & White want to help everyone have a healthy and happy holiday. Scott & White is the largest multi-specialty group practice in Texas with 488 physicians and 17 regional clinics.

Here is some timely advice, just in time for the trick-or-treat hoards at your doorstep:

- **BUY LITE, BUY LESS:** Even though the grocery stores are pushing candy before the 4th of July, there's no reason to buy it
- **DONATE THE LEFTOVERS (AND WE DON'T MEAN BRING IT TO THE OFFICE):** Every year, it's the same ritual. People don't want to be tempted by candy at home, so they bring it to the office - where they are still lured to nibble at their desks. Instead, make it an office project to donate everyone's leftover candy to a school, a homeless shelter or food pantry that serves the poor. These candies will be a

welcome treat to many people who cannot afford them.

• **WRITE IT ALL IN A FOOD DIARY:** Keeping a log of what you eat helps you to track the fat and calories for the day. Most important, record how you're feeling as you eat. Are you bored, stressed or angry? This helps you identify trends and patterns to your overeating.

• **REMEMBER MODERATION:** The world won't come to an end if you share three chocolate kisses. But remember to balance the rest of your daily diet by eliminating the fat and calories from another part of your day's menu.

early. The longer the candy is in plain view, the more tempting it is. Buy the candy just a day before the major haunting. When you do shop, buy less than you did last year so you will have fewer leftovers. Those big family-sized bags of goodies simply scream, "Eat me now!" So what if you run out of candy during the Halloween onslaught? Toss a few nickels and quarters into the children's sacks. (Have you ever known a kid to turn down money?)

• **BUY WHAT YOU DON'T LIKE:** Buy only the stuff that turns you off. The quickest way to kill the nibbling urge is to take away the enjoyment. One friend gives all individual packages of Sweet Tarts, her least favorite candy. "Of course," she adds, "it would be a disaster if I had M&Ms or Snickers. I'd eat more than I would give away. So I don't even stock them!"

• **NIBBLE LIKE A BUNNY:** Keep a constant stock of raw veggies and fruits handy. As you dole out the candy bars, chomp down on a carrot stick. Yes, we know it isn't like eating a chocolate bar but your hips will show the difference.

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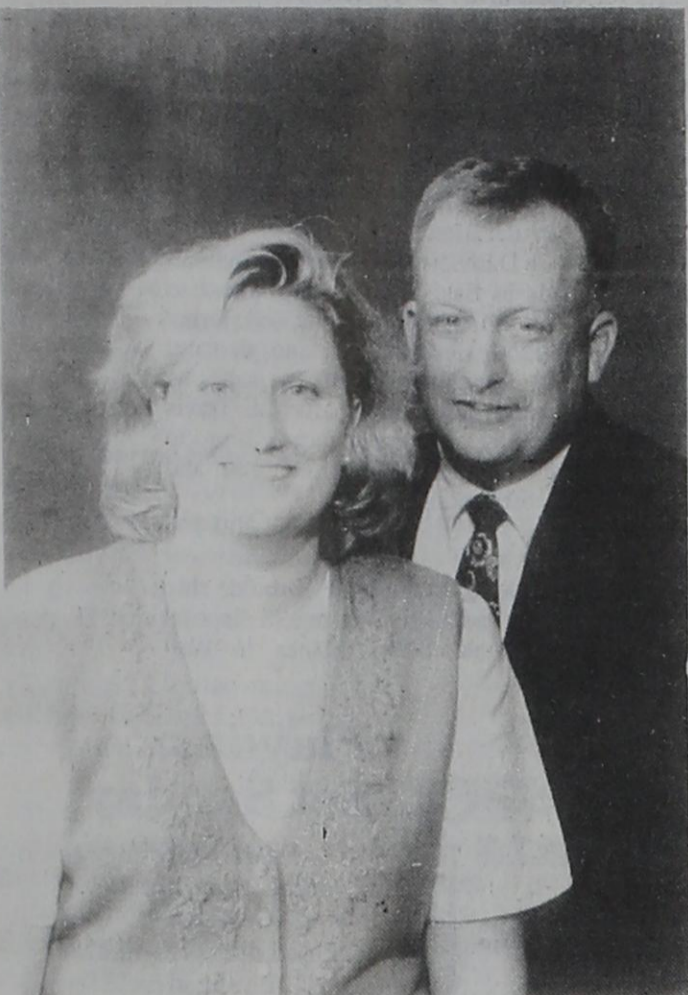
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## Bowes - Clark

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A December 13, 1997 wedding is planned at the First Methodist Church in Canyon, Texas.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Canyon High School, McMurray University and West Texas A & M University. She is employed by Amarillo Independent School District.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Baird High School and attended Cisco Junior College. He is employed by the Texas Department of Transportation.

**Voters continued ...**

so that your opinion will be known. After the election, will be too late.

Remember, this is not something that will affect only the students now in school, but also all those to come. The physical facilities of the school, effects the chances of bringing in new business ventures as well as new families.

Mark your calendar now for November 8, Let the Board of Trustees know what you feel is best for Baird students by casting your vote.

# Win big with Project Graduation

How would you like to win a 1998 Jeep Cherokee or \$15,000 Cash?

Parents of the 1998 seniors of Baird High School have voted to continue the exciting method of selling tickets to give away a new vehicle and many cash prizes for raising funds for "Project Graduation". The purpose of "Project Graduation" is to provide a safe, alcohol and drug free celebration for graduation night. All seniors who participate in the all night party are treated to special gifts, games, and goodies.

In place of a dozen or more fund raisers held throughout the year, usually in competition with other charitable organizations and clubs, only one fund raiser is planned for this year where the grand prize is a 1998 Jeep Cherokee or \$15,000 cash and 12 other cash prizes.

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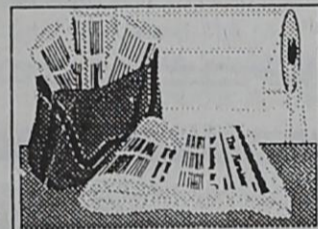


Water is a necessary ingredient in any diet or exercise program.

the Baird Chamber of Commerce, the parents of the 1998 senior class will kick-off the fund raiser on Friday, September 5, 1997. Only 300 tickets will be sold between September 5 and December 6. Drawing for all the prizes will be December 6, 1997. Cost per ticket is \$100.

In addition to the grand prize, twelve tickets will be drawn for cash prizes ranging from \$100 to \$350. Every 25th name drawn on December 6, 1998 will receive a cash prize beginning with \$100 and increasing \$25 each time. The 300th ticket drawn receives the grand prize.

Watch for updates in the our local newspaper. Start saving those dollars now!!! The big winners will be the 1998 Senior Class of Baird High School, who will enjoy a safe and exciting graduation celebration!



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## The FAX of Life is a free weekly service from Rubel Shelly and the Family of God at Woodmont Hills

Subject: A Distinct Family Resemblance Date: For the Week of October 13, 1997

Perhaps you have visited the Alamo in San Antonio, Texas. Around the walls are portraits of Sam Houston, Davy Crockett, and others associated with the Alamo. Near the main entrance is a painting with this inscription that caught my eye: "James Butler Bonham -- no picture of him exists. This portrait is of his nephew, Major James Bonham, deceased, who greatly resembled his uncle. It is placed here by the family that people may know the appearance of the man who died for freedom."

Ever wish to see God? Know more about his nature? God has stamped his own image on human beings so we may know something of who he is. When impersonal nature seems to care about nothing and nobody, men and women of the human race show their capacity for caring passionately. Without the ability to distinguish good from evil, nature often inflicts great harm: then human character displays itself by making distinctions and acting on principle.

Instinct doesn't account for it, for the basic instinct in a physicalist account of man is the drive for personal survival. Gorillas will pick ticks from one another's backs or even carry an injured child to a door of their compound. Mother lions or birds will fight to the death for their babies. But human beings will risk and forfeit their lives for people they do not know and from whom they will never receive anything in return.

But what of the evil of some people that stands out in such bold relief? How do we account for a Jezebel or a Hitler or a sadistic prison guard? We term their actions "inhuman" or "animal." In other words, our very language distinguishes certain types of behavior as distinctly appropriate to humanity. Made in the image of God, humans are capable of reflection, abstract thinking, and self-contemplation. At our best, we are capable of loving others in non-familial, non-sexual, non-reciprocal ways. We can love in the same self-giving way that God loves. We can even have eternal fellowship with God. Nobody is worthless or undeserving of your concern. That's why racism and sexism are wrong. It's why Christians oppose such things as abortion, child abuse, violence, and pornography. It's why compassion and charity are important to us. Please try to recognize and honor the family resemblance to God in other men and women you encounter today - and in yourself as well. Remember who you are. Regardless of where you've been or what you've done, you bear God's likeness and are of infinite value to him. If you are ever inclined to doubt it, look at Jesus dying on a cross for you and you will know it is true.



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**State Capital**



**HIGHLIGHTS**

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
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AUSTIN — Child support payments by delinquent parents in Texas rose to \$700 million last fiscal year, an increase of 13 percent over last year, the attorney general's office announced last week.

The attorney general's Child Support Program collected \$427 million through wage withholding, \$78 million through IRS refund receipts and \$55 million through its license suspension program. Another \$140 million was collected through direct payments, lien collections and lottery winnings interceptions.

Attorney General Dan Morales credited his staff with the increase in child support payments, and said that each year the collections program increases and improves its services to children and families despite an ever-growing case load.

He added, however, that "Texans shouldn't lose sight of the fundamental absurdity of expecting government to force parents to take care of their own children. No technological innovation, indeed no government program can ensure that children will get the support that they are due."

Since state fiscal year 1990, cases with court orders have increased by 145 percent; paying cases have increased by 233 percent; and the number of children for whom paternity was established increased by 269 percent.

Despite the improvements, however, collections overall have reached just 22 percent of the 915,064 cases being handled by the attorney general's office.

**Water Zone Map Released**

The Texas Water Development Board has released a draft of a map dividing the state's 4,959 square miles of inland water into 14 regional water zones.

Last week, the water board scheduled public hearings to be held around the state in October to receive comments on the draft.

Senate Bill 1, the comprehensive water bill passed during the legislative session that ended in June, requires the water board to transfer

the responsibility for managing water resources to 14 regional water planning areas.

Water resource management had been shouldered by the state and a loose network of more than 7,000 river authorities, water conservation districts, utility companies and others.

Sen. J.E. "Buster" Brown, R-Lake Jackson, co-author of the legislation, knows that disputes are likely.

"The nice thing about the process is that those concerns get to get aired before the lines are drawn," Brown was quoted in the *Wall Street Journal*.

SB 1 requires cities, counties, water districts and local entities to map out how they will conserve water supplies and respond to future droughts in their planning areas. The legislation also requires the regional water planning areas to submit plans to the water board for approval every five years, beginning Sept. 1, 2000.

**Judge Defends Prof's Right**

In an interview with the *Austin American-Statesman*, Judge Fortu-

nato "Pete" Benavides of the 5th U.S. Court of Appeals said University of Texas law professor Lino Graglia has the right to speak his mind, even if his ideas are offensive to some.

Graglia's comments sparked national attention in September when he said most black and Mexican-American students can't compete with white students because those groups don't look upon failure as a disgrace.

He made the comments at a news conference in support of the New Orleans-based 5th Circuit's "Hopwood" decision which barred the University of Texas School of Law from using race as a factor in student admissions.

Benavides said it is "wrong to call for (Graglia's) resignation. We all say things that are wrong."

And he defended the "freedom of professors, above all, to speak out even when they're wrong or when they're perceived to be wrong or whatever by the community, whether they are or not."

"To me," Benavides said, "a college campus is supposed to be

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for ideas that are spoken about freely and checked out to see whether they're true or not."

**Other Capital Highlights**

■ Teachers would have to be recertified every five years under a proposed state requirement. The Texas Federation of Teachers says teachers should be allowed to vote on the proposal. Currently, 97 percent of teachers in Texas are certified but at least half teach subjects outside their field of certification.

■ Democrats are airing television ads in East Texas asking voters to call the district office of Sen. Drew Nixon, R-Carthage, and demand his resignation. Nixon said he would not resign after a Travis County jury sentenced him to six months in jail on gun and prostitution charges.

■ The U.S. House voted 309-106 last week to approve an agreement allowing Maine and Vermont ship their radioactive waste to a disposal site near Sierra Blanca in West Texas.

**MS Support Group To Meet Thursday In Breckenridge**

The Breckenridge Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Support Group Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 16, at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Tower Room at First National Bank, Albany/Breckenridge, located at 101 East Walker, Breckenridge. Anyone in Eastland County or Callahan

County area, who has Multiple Sclerosis, (no matter how advanced the symptoms are, or how long they have been diagnosed), or anyone who is a caregiver or who is a friend of someone who has MS, is invited to attend. For more information call Wanda Hallmark, 1-254-559-5412.

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**Playday Set Sunday**

The Eastland County 4-H Horse Program Playday of October 12 was canceled due to rain. The playday has been reset for Sunday, October 19, 1997, at 2 p.m. We are starting early in order to award buckles at this final playday.  
For more information call Laurina Bacon 254-442-4081, or Diana Reynolds 254-629-1873.

**CRP Seminar**

Congressman Charlie Stenholm will host a seminar focusing on the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) at the Abilene Civic Center on October 16, 1997 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.  
The CRP is a voluntary and incentive-based program to reduce soil erosion, improve water quality and enhance wildlife habitat. The 16th general sign-up will get underway on October 14th and run through November 14th.  
Parks Shackelford, Assistant Deputy Administrator for Farm Programs, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), will participate in the seminar. Shackelford is responsible for the overall management of the CRP nationwide.  
In addition, there will be representatives from the State Farm Services Agency (FSA) and the National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS).  
"Many questions arose during the last CRP sign-up, and I arranged this seminar in order to give producers a better understanding of how the CRP is currently structured and what they can do to improve their chances for inclusion in the 16th CRP sign-up," said Stenholm.

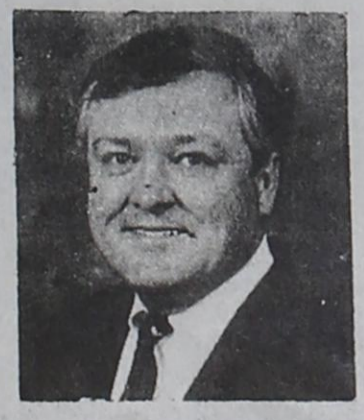
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## Moran News

By Mrs. Luke Huskey

The Moran School Homecoming was a great success, with lots of laughs and reminiscing being done. Robert Charles Green was Master of Ceremonies. Gay Tabor was crowned as Homecoming Queen and Mart Hitt was crowned as King. The Class of 1948 will be responsible for the 1999 Homecoming.

Mary Barton Seay traveled the farthest to attend the Homecoming. Clarence Garlitz was the oldest graduate to attend. Gary Gilmore won the gun.

The next Homecoming will be in October 1999, so make plans now to attend.

Mrs. Winnie Culwell and Susie of Athens spent the weekend with her father, and attended the Moran School Homecoming.

Only six members of the Moran Birthday Club met last Thursday for the October meeting. Conflicting events prevented others from attending. No one present has a birthday in October, but "Happy Birthday" wishes were sent to Mrs. Ray Spurgeon who has a birthday in October.

The next meeting will be November 14, at the

High Lonesome Cafe in Albany.

Those present were Ray Spurgeon, Mae Delle Jones, Audrey Brooks, Mildred Smith, Elma May Huskey and Hubert Brewster.

Lisa Schaefer and Rocky spent the weekend in Conroe with her brother, Dale Elders, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gene Morris of Greenville spent Friday night with Mae Delle Jones and attended the Moran School Homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Seay are spending some time at their home in Moran, visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Seay is a missionary in the Solomon Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jet Cottle of Fort Worth and Johnnie Cottle of Dallas spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cottle and attended the Moran School Homecoming.

Vicki and Frank Heston of Tuscon, Arizona and Kathy and Paul Croft of Portland, Oregon visited with their mother, Mrs. Bea Weir, last week, also visited other relatives.

## Moran Class Of '37 Holds 60th Reunion

James L. Snyder hosted the sixtieth reunion of the Moran Class of '37 at his home north of Baird.

Snyder was President of the graduating class of fifteen. Ten of the fifteen graduates are still among those

should be proud of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kays and C.L. Miller attended the Grand Chapter Session of the Order of the Eastern Star, Grand Chapter of Texas in Dallas, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henry of Abilene spent last Friday night with his aunt, Gertrude White and attended the Moran

School Homecoming.

Funeral for J.C. Carr, 86, of Cisco was held Thursday at 2 p.m. Mr. Carr was the brother of Mrs. Rosa Lee Wiloth of Moran.

After November 1, the people of Moran will have to mail their electric bill into Tulsa, Oklahoma, as the West Texas Utilities is closing the local collecting office.

## Vets' Seminar Saturday, Abilene

A Veterans Awareness Seminar is planned from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 18, at the Abilene Civic Center.

Professionals from numerous veterans associations, social security, Texas Workforce Commission, VA Medical Centers, and Texas Land Board, among others, will be present to answer questions. Each organization will have a separate booth and will conduct one-on-one interviews.

All active-duty, retired personnel, and veterans, including spouses, are encouraged to attend the seminar. Topics to be covered include benefits, pensions, education, training, home loans, life insurance, burial benefits, medical, nursing home care and more.

The seminar is sponsored by the Taylor County Veterans Service Office and the Veterans Service Organizations of Taylor County, and is free of charge.

present, and six of the ten were willing, ready and able -- not to mention "happy" to meet again.

Jim and Kim Snyder and their daughters, Natalie and Meredith, joined James to welcome his guests. With husbands, wives, sisters and a daughter, there were twelve reunioners who enjoyed the ranch style dinner (steak, potatoes, beans and peach cobbler) catered by Barbara and Felix Manion and assistants of Baird.

Ella Reese (Jackson) Shelton came the farthest -- from Anaheim, Ca. She was accompanied from California by her sister Murel Brown of San Juan Capistrano, Ca., and they were met by sister Estaleene Antinoro, a Moran graduate of '35, from Fayetteville, Ar.

Robert and Tommie (Purves) Pheil drove up from San Antonio to join Tommie's classmates.

Nearer the Moran "roots" was Aline (Gunn) Brewster of Cisco. Her daughter, Vernetta, came with Aline. Malcom and Katherine (Freeman) Ricks joined the group from their home in Abilene.

Walton and Julia (Ballard) Worthy of Eastland and host

## News And Views For 17th District

By Congressman Charles Stenholm

### Taming The Tax Collectors

It's not exactly headline news that the tax collector probably will never win a Mr. Popularity award. Even as far back as biblical days, he's one guy most people didn't want invited to the party.

But while a little grumbling about the Internal Revenue Service might be expected, complaints against our current tax collecting agency extend far beyond human nature's instinct to hold on to our hard-earned income. If there was any doubt before, stories which surfaced as part of Congressional investigations into the IRS reveal just why it's time to reform this federal agency.

I am supporting two bills intended to remind the IRS what the "S" in its name stands for. The first, H.R. 2292, is a bipartisan bill entitled the Internal Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Act of 1997, and was based on recommendations by a National Commission.

The bill would mandate

James Snyder made up the rest of the party. Before, during and after dinner "do-you-remember's" flew around the tables and continued after chairs were pushed back and the conversations became general.

The group decided to gather again in 1999, the year for the next Moran Homecoming, despite the fact that it will be sixty-two years since graduation. After all, an example has to be set for the youngsters!

better customer service for taxpayers who deal directly with the IRS; improve the management, training and modernization plans of the agency; upgrade computer systems; and establish an IRS Oversight Board composed of nine members, seven of whom would be private citizens, not employees of the Federal government.

Reforming an agency that processes more than 120 million individual and five million corporate tax returns won't be easy. To some degree, citizens will have to recognize the challenges which this agency faces, no matter how well it is run. But this bill would cause changes in the agency's structure to bring about much-needed fundamental shifts in attitude and philosophy that now seem to exist at the IRS.

The second bill is more narrowly focused but also speaks to the relationship between tax payers and IRS agents. The bill, the Taxpayer Confidentiality Act, would prohibit access by the IRS to details about advice, analyses, consultations, and conversations between a taxpayer and his tax advisor preparer. The IRS would be forced to rely on "just the facts," rather than grilling a

taxpayer on tax advice and related conversations now considered confidential only if they are conducted with an attorney, but not confidential if with any other advisor.

We still need to reform and simplify our tax code, but these bills could make a difference in our tax collectors.

### 'Tis Blessed To Give & Receive

This week I had the pleasure of both giving and receiving during a ceremony set at Tarleton State. First, I received words of appreciation from the A&M University System, delivered by the Chancellor of Texas A&M, Barry Thompson; President of Tarleton, Dennis McCabe; and one of the greatest influences on my professional life, Dr. Joe Autry, a beloved professor during my days at Tarleton.

After receiving such generous words, I have the privilege of giving the 1997 Charles Stenholm Academy of Honor in Agricultural Credit Scholarship to Michelle Heirman of Albany. This \$3,000 scholarship is made possible by the Farm Credit Bank of Texas and is awarded to a student carrying a full course load of graduate studies in agribusiness, agricultural finance or economics. The student must maintain a 3.5 grade point average on the graduate level.

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Answers:  
 1. A nightmare!  
 2. In a waterbed.  
 3. Chocolate chip cookies.  
 4. By standing by a fan.  
 5. Banana split.

## OLYMPIC RECORDS

The Olympics are a series of sporting events in which the best athletes in the world participate. They compete either on their own or as a member of a team in games of speed, strength and skill. The Games are held every two years, alternating between Winter Olympics and Summer Olympics. They take place in different cities around the world.

Athletes who compete in the Olympics have usually spent much of their lives training and practicing. It takes many years to develop the skill and physical conditioning required to compete in these special events.

The last Summer Olympics were held in 1992 and the last Winter Olympics were held in 1994. Listed below are some of the 1992 Summer Olympic gold medal winners and the highest placing American winner in each event.

**Archery (Men's Individual)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Sebastien Flute (France)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Jay Barrs (5th place)

**Badminton (Men's Singles)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alan Budi Kusuma (India)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Chris Jogis (3rd place)

**Baseball**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Cuba  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (4th place)

**Basketball (Men's)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team U.S.A.

**Boxing (Heavyweight)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Felix Savon (Cuba)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Danell Nicholson (3rd place)

**Canoe (Men's C-2 Whitewater Slalom)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Scott Strausbaugh/Joe Jacobi (U.S.A.)

**Cycling (Men's 1-km Time Trial)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Jose Moreno (Spain)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Erin Hartwell (3rd place)

**Diving (Women's Platform)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Fu Mingxia (China)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Mary Ellen Clark (3rd place)

**Equestrian (Individual Jumping)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Ludger Beerbaum/Classic Touch (Germany)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Norman Dello Joio/Irish (3rd place)

**Field Hockey (Men's)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Germany  
 U.S.A. did not qualify

**Gymnastics (Women's Team)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Unified Team  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (3rd place)

**Judo (Men's Half Middleweight)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Hidehiko Yoshida (Japan)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Jason Morris (2nd place)

**Pentathlon (Team)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Poland  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (4th place)

**Rowing (Women's Single Sculls)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Elisabeta Lipa (Romania)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Anne Marden (4th place)

**Shooting (Women's Smallbore Rifle)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Launi Meili (U.S.A.)

**Soccer**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Spain  
 U.S.A. eliminated in first round

**Swimming (Men's 50-m Freestyle)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alexander Popov (Unified Team)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Matt Biondi (2nd place)

**Swimming (Women's 50-m Freestyle)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Yang Wenyi (China)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Angel Martino (3rd place)

**Tennis (Men's Singles)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Marc Rosset (Switzerland)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Pete Sampras/Jim Courier (Tie—3rd place)

**Tennis (Women's Doubles)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Gigi Fernandez/Mary Joe Fernandez (U.S.A.)

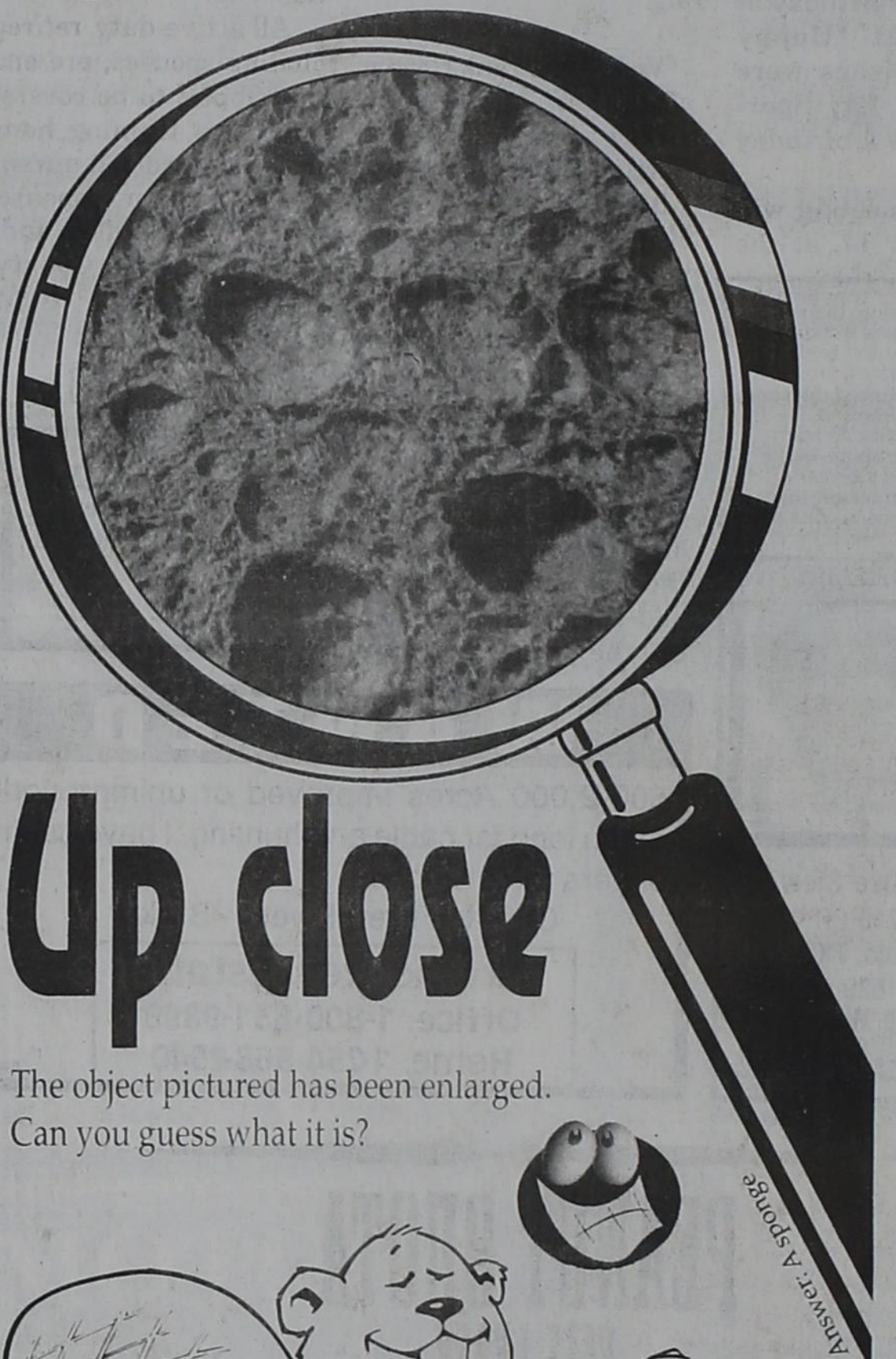
**Track & Field (Men's 200 Meters)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Mike Marsh (U.S.A.)

**Volleyball (Women's)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Team Cuba  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Team U.S.A. (3rd place)

**Weight Lifting (243+ lbs.)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Alexandre Kourlovitch (Unified Team)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Mario Martinez (8th place)

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 1992 Gold Medal Winner: John Smith (U.S.A.)

**Yachting (Finn Division)**  
 1992 Gold Medal Winner: Jose Van Der Ploeg (Spain)  
 Highest U.S.A. Ranking: Brian Ledbetter (2nd place)



## Up close

The object pictured has been enlarged. Can you guess what it is?



## The Puzzle Box

## At The Pool

By Martha J. Morrison, Candor, NY



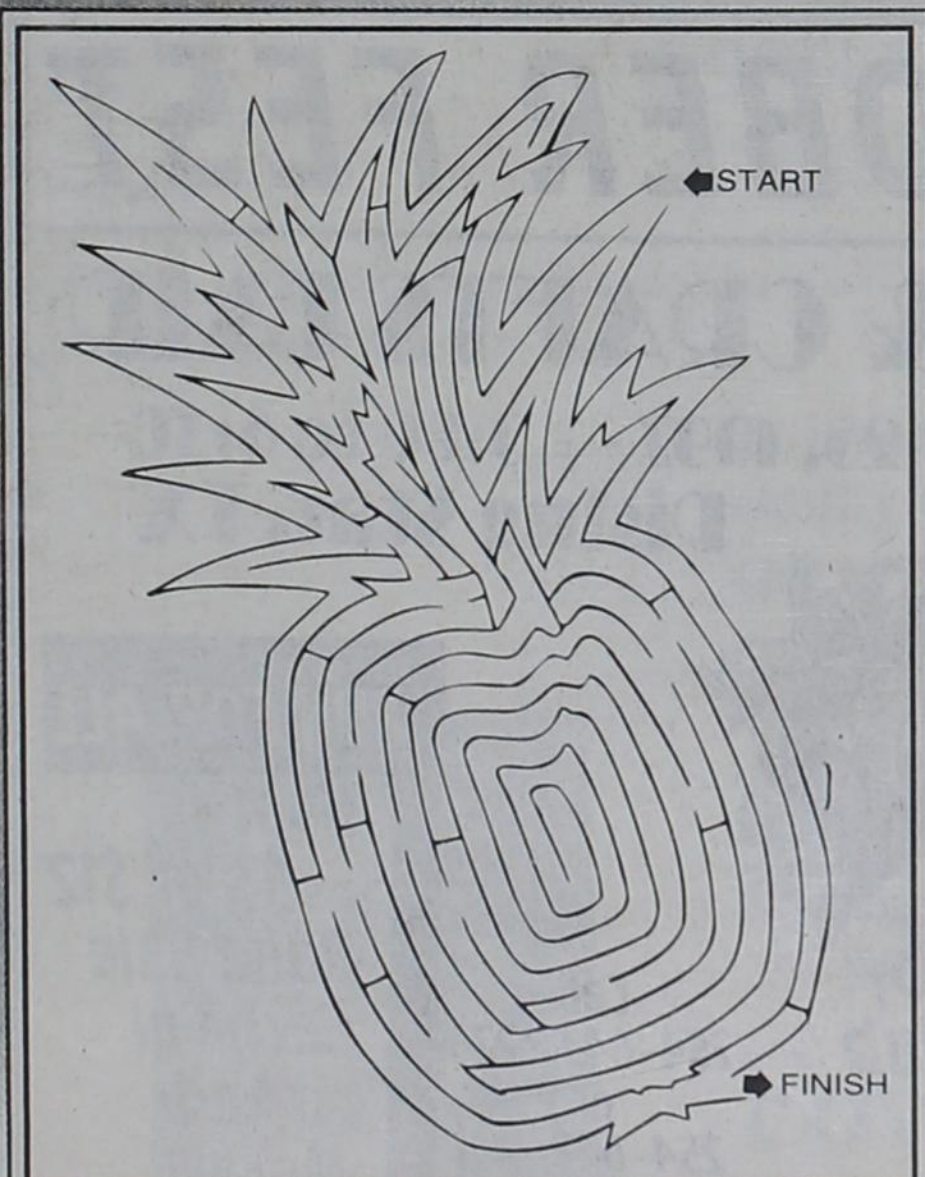
Nicole, Michelle, Kaitlynn and Tina met at the pool. Each carried a towel (one pink, one aqua, one blue and one white) which was rolled with something inside. One girl had sunglasses, another had a radio, the third had suntan lotion and the last had a book. Use the clues to find out which girl's towel was blue and who had the sunglasses. Use the grid to help you. Put an "X" in each incorrect box and an "o" in each correct box.

1. Michelle's towel had a pattern of flamingos in a shade darker than the background color.
2. Tina forgot her glasses and couldn't use what she brought.
3. Kaitlynn's towel was neither blue nor white.
4. The cap was loose on the suntan lotion and some of it spilled on the aqua towel while its owner was walking to the pool.
5. Everyone used what Nicole brought at the same time.
6. The book was not in the blue towel.

	Sunglasses	Radio	Lotion	Book	Pink	Aqua	Blue	White
Nicole								
Michelle								
Kaitlynn								
Tina								

Answer: Nicole had the blue towel and Michelle had the sunglasses.

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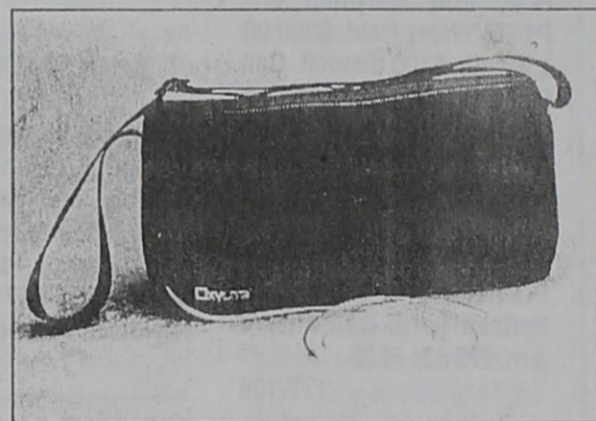
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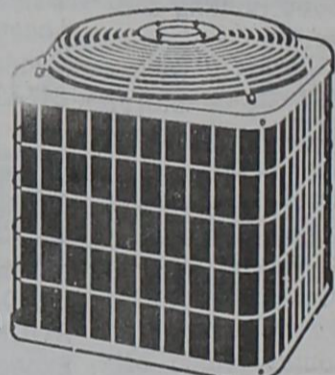
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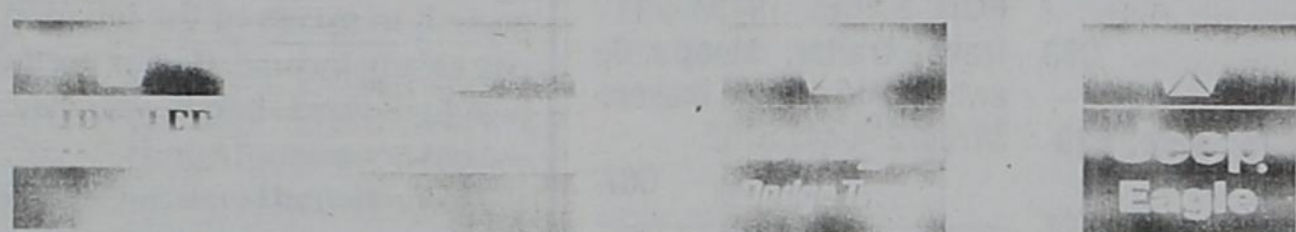
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Ms. C. A. ... Eastland, TX

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number 2 in a bag. She can't afford to buy enough bags to last her and she gets funny about leaving the house. She's worried she is going to smell. Could you buy her some bags so she won't be afraid to go to church? I'm going. Our preacher is very nice. Well, bye for now and thank you.

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Mr. D. R. ... The Post, Denver, CO

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Editor's note: ... at www.tha...

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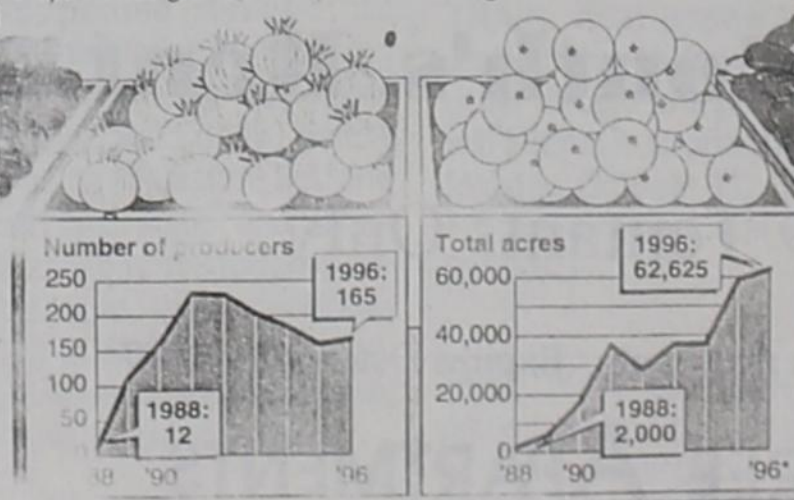
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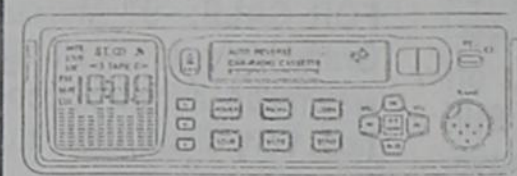
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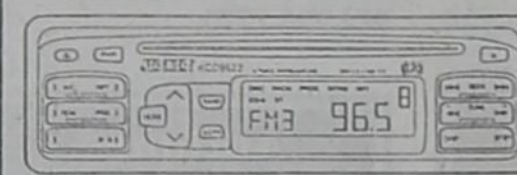
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# Putnam As I See It

By Doran Cline

Boy, I'm glad to report approximately 1/2" rain along with the cooler temps in Putnam.

With the slow rain my turnips, tomatoes, and herbs are looking good.

"Blast from the Past" Class of '48 from O' Moran High Branch hosted by Wanda Ellis in Moran, Sat. 11 in attendance, Marvin Kays of Moran, Norman McCoy from the Brazos south of Weatherford, Lorene Midkiff of Moran, Patsy Werth of Austin, Christine and Howard Lankford of Cisco, Wanda Ellis with son and daughter, Roger and Kay Ellis all of Moran, Doran Cline of Putnam.

An afternoon program included Moran Homecoming crowning of King Mark Hitt, and queen Gay

Tabor.

I'm sure all Moran graduates thank Donna Fuller Funderburg and Nancy Fuller Branham for putting together this nice get-to-gether event.

xxx  
"The Story of Thomas Eubank and Indian Atrocities." Stories of Indian atrocities during the later 1860's abound, but the only instance in which a member of our Eubank family became a victim of Indian violence involved Hezekiah's brother, John Thomas Eubank. A portion of this account is quoted from the book, "The West Texas Frontier," written by Joseph C. McConnell. Another portion which differs from McConnell's story is from what I remember being told to me

by my father, Marvin Eubank. Tom Eubank was an uncle to him.

The father of Tom Eubank who was Johnny Eubank, first settled in Parker County in 1854. Two years later he moved to Palo Pinto County, and during the Civil War, settled on Hubbard's Creek, about ten miles south of the present city of Albany, and just west of the George Greer Ranch.

It is indeed difficult for us to realize the conditions as they then existed on the frontier. People thought differently, acted differently, and things seemed differently, to what they do today. The country was wild, open, and unsettled, and an abundance of buffalo, bear, deer, antelope, turkeys, and other game, were well distributed through the western counties. Opportunities, too, were unexcelled. Ranch life everywhere was as real and picturesque as ever painted by the most sublime poetry or prose.

Cattlemen during these days, worked together for mutual protection, and there was going to be a general roundup on Jim Ned and the head waters of Pecan Bayou. Johnny Eubank joined a group of the ranchers for the round

up. Tom, his sixteen year old son begged to go, but his father refused, telling him that he must stay at home to watch after the safety of the women.

As days passed, Tom became more and more restless and begged his mother to let him go to meet the ranchers as they would be returning. She at first refused, knowing the danger of a young boy traveling alone in Indian country. At Tom's insistence, his mother finally gave him permission to go to meet the ranchers.

When the roundup was over, the cattle were penned and herded at the old Narbo Ranch, in Callahan County. Upon returning home, Johnny's wife asked where Tom was. He was surprised and told her that he had not seen Tom. Tom's father, brothers, and friends, feeling assured that he had fallen into the hands of the Indians, began to search.

They followed the trail, he had probably followed. Somebody reported they heard shots in the territory south of the present town of Moran.

Two dead horses were soon found in this territory, near where the counties of Shackelford, Stephens, Eastland, and Callahan come together,

and about one fourth mile east of Eubank Mountain, which was named for Tom Eubank, who had disappeared.

A dead Indian was also found, and with this Indian were buried two shields, silver plates, an extra pair of moccasins.

His regalia seemed to indicate this Indian was a war chief. When Johnny Eubank recognized that buried with the chief were Tom's powder horn and belt, Johnny knew that his son had either been killed by the Indians or taken into captivity. Hoping he was wrong, Johnny examined again the powder horn and was able to identify it beyond question for it was made by a Negro named Dan, whose name was cut on the horn. For days and days a group of men searched for Tom without finding a trace of his whereabouts.

Johnny Eubank held out hope that Tom had been taken to an Indian Reservation, so he began a long trek of going in search of his son. When Johnny inquired of his son at the reservation, several white boys were brought before him, but his beloved son was not one of them. Johnny left the Indian territory in despair and found his way over the frontier back to his ranch in the west. Feeling despondent over the loss of his favorite son, he moved back to Palo Pinto County. The question in his mind and in the minds of the pioneers was, "What became of Tom?"

About three years after Tom's disappearance, some cowboys accidentally found a person's skull in a little branch, near from where the two dead horses were found, to the east of the Eubank Mountain, and two or three miles south of Moran. They then found most of the remaining bones, a homemade shoe, and stir-

rup, on the bank of this little branch, and in a dense thicket of live oak timber. This was unquestionably Tom's remains, and his family later identified the shoe and stirrup.

For many years, Johnny kept the bones of his beloved boy in a sack.

My father told me that one time when he and other children were playing in the attic, one of them asked if he wanted to open the sack where Uncle Tom's bones were to look at them. His reply was, "No, I don't want to look at any dead bones."

Both of Tom's parents requested that when they died, Tom's bones would be buried with each one of them. Their request was granted. Johnny Eubank lies buried in the Lower Graveyard of Palo Pinto, and W.J. Hales states he assisted in placing the bones beside Johnny's body at the time of his burial.

Prior to his trek into the Indian Territory in search of his son, Johnny wrote to J.W. Throckmorton, Governor of Texas, soliciting his assistance in retrieving his son. His letter is found in "The Indian Papers of Texas and the Southwest", vol. IV, page 122. It is quoted here verbatim:

Palo Pinto, Texas Nov. 1st 1866  
His Excellency  
Govr. J.W. Throckmorton

Dear Sir,  
I am in great distress on account of my son Thomas Eubanks and I thought that as the legislature was in session you might be able to assist.

My son left my ranch in Stephens County in the early part of the summer to go on a cow hunt and has not even been heard of. We found in the direction to go on a cow hunt and a dead Indian and two dead horses with the dead Indians with some of my

# Wedding Announcement

## Perrin - Reatherford

Shelli and Chris Perrin and Kagan and Radley Reatherford are pleased to announce the approaching marriage of their parents Paula Cecile Perrin to Blain Bateman Reatherford on Friday, October 17, 1997 at 7 p.m. at their new house at 1107 S.

Miller in Breckenridge. The bride-elect is a graduate of Ranger High School. She is employed by Dr. Prater as an office nurse in Breckenridge. She also works for Lee Medical Supply.

Her parents are Robert and Ramona Conner of Olden. Her grandparents are Cecil and Zula Sewell of Blevins, Arkansas.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Breckenridge High School and TSTC graduate for Emergency Medical Tech. and is employed by Reatherford Construction and Lee Medical Supply.

His parents are Frankie C. and Mary Reatherford. His grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Frankie E. Reatherford and the late Mr. and Mrs. C.M. (Shorter) Williams all of Breckenridge.

All friends and family are invited to attend this joyous occasion.

son's property. We have many evidences to believe that he was captured and taken off by them. I am now on my way to the agency to see what I can learn concerning him. If I should find him with the Indians it is my intention to ransom him if I can. But sir I am a poor man and can't raise the means to pay what they ask for prisoners. Can you assist me? Please let me hear from you at once.

Direct to Palo Pinto Texas

Yours in Distress  
Jon A. Ewbank

We find from time to time a difference in the spelling of the Eubank, which is the accepted way of spelling at the present in our family. Perhaps in some instances the differences are because of peculiarities in writing.

Submitted by Mary Lou Eubank Williams, Houston, Texas, via Mrs. John D. Isenhower and Doran Cline of Putnam

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ACROSS  
1 Sharp  
6 To soothe  
12 Corn portion  
15 TV listings  
18 Telescope view  
20 Guidance  
21 Shipwreck  
22 Computer acronym  
23 Start of a remark  
27 Toast topper  
30 Solo  
31 Handy bit of Latin  
32 Night worker?  
35 Vestibular  
38 Handy bit of Latin  
39 High dudgeon  
40 Sign of spring?  
41 Correct a text  
43 Maharashtra music  
44 Research site  
47 1962 hit for the Tornadoes  
49 End of remark  
50 Cold storage  
54 Vandyke site  
55 He's paid to play  
56 "One Day - Time"  
57 Mite out the minestrone  
58 Joy  
60 Hoops up  
62 Used coupons  
63 Lock  
64 Geological feature  
65 Diet and exercise, e.g.  
68 Part 3 of remark  
69 After the fact  
70 Called to mind  
71 Watership Down author  
73 "Shogun" setting  
74 Sounds of

DOWN  
75 Actress  
76 Peace's partner  
77 Dracula's alter ego  
80 Monty's milieu  
81 Match socks, e.g.  
82 Nautilus relative  
84 Part 4 of remark  
89 Toast topper  
90 Solo  
91 Handy bit of Latin  
92 Night worker?  
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109 End of remark  
114 Remnant  
115 Bellefleur  
116 Founded the podium  
117 Pious  
118 Dawn  
119 Calculating person, in brief?  
120 Yod  
121 Bob Marley was one  
D.W.N.  
1 Ice-cream ingredient  
2 Sidewalk eatery  
3 - Bator  
4 Make a dolly  
5 Do as the doctor orders?  
6 Conrad of "Diffrant"

Strokes"  
7 Sits  
8 - Marie  
9 Sait  
10 Objective  
11 Manage to gather  
11 Mortise's mate  
12 "Mirabella" rival  
13 Simile center  
14 Cattle crook  
15 Wedding dress feature  
16 Planist Jorge  
17 Build a fortune  
18 Gulf nation  
19 Travel with  
20 Tonto  
25 Slick one's neck out  
30 '88 Midler movie  
33 Crab  
34 Punta del -  
35 Super Bowl sound  
36 Steel clear of  
37 "M\*A\*S\*H" man  
38 Borscht ingredient  
39 Design  
40 Pom's perch  
43 Tend the sauce  
45 Put the metal to the metal  
46 Completes the cake  
47 Cheerleader's maneuver  
48 Castle or Dunne  
49 Sniffed  
51 Tongues of fire  
52 Carried on loudly  
53 "East of -"  
58 Falony  
59 Musical Myra  
60 Kind of roof?  
61 Director  
62 Indian sectarian  
63 "Younger - Springtime"

64 Shed  
65 Mend  
66 Tim Flaco  
67 "The Overcoat" author  
68 Angler's dangles  
71 Numskull  
72 See socially  
73 Slicks out  
75 Escalator sign  
76 Bee product?  
77 "Showboat" song  
78 Cruising  
79 Adventurous Heyerdahl  
81 Bring to a halt  
82 Canterbury cleaner  
83 Pea soup, e.g.  
85 Places for sins?  
86 Stretchy  
87 Make the old new  
88 When the French fry  
92 Prejudice  
93 Egged on  
94 Library patron  
95 Cook for a crowd?  
96 Where the action is  
97 Diacritical mark  
99 Detective Templar  
102 "Cape Book" aunt  
103 Discourteous  
104 "Gig" author  
105 Border on  
106 VHS alternative  
108 Nile sitherer  
110 Say please too often?  
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# Public Notice

## NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN  
BAIRD INDEPENDENT SCHOLL DISTRICT

### TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE BAIRD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the BAIRD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT on the 8th day of November, 1997, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees which is a part of this notice for all purposes and reads as follows:

A RESOLUTION ordering a bond election to be held in the Baird Independent School District, making provision for the conduct of the election and resolving other matters incident and related to such election.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School District hereby finds that an election should be held to determine whether said governing body shall be authorized to issue bonds of said District in the amounts and for the purpose hereinafter identified; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE BAIRD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

**SECTION 1:** An election shall be held on the 8th day of November, 1997, in the Baird Independent School District, which date is forty-five (45) or more days from the date of the adoption hereof, and the holding of the election on such date rather than on a uniform election date is hereby found to be in the public interest. At such election, the following measures shall be submitted:

**PROPOSITION NUMBER 1**  
"SHALL the Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School

District in Callahan County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the District in the principal amount of \$1,500,000 for the construction and equipment of school buildings in the District, including but not limited to a new elementary school; and shall there be pledged and levied, assessed and collected annually ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the District sufficient, without limit as to rate or amount, to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due; said bonds to mature serially or otherwise not more than TWENTY (20) years from their date, to be issued in one or more series at any price or prices, and to bear interest at such rate or rates (fixed, floating, variable or otherwise and not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by law at the time of issuance of the bonds) as in its discretion the Board of Trustees shall determine?"

### PROPOSITION NUMBER 2

"SHALL the Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School District in Callahan County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the District in the principal amount of \$600,000 for the construction and equipment of school buildings in the District, including but not limited to renovating and improving the existing high school gymnasium; and shall there be pledged and levied, assessed and collected annually ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the District sufficient, without limit as to rate or amount, to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due; said bonds to mature serially or otherwise not more than TWENTY (20) years from their date, to be issued in one or more series at any price or prices, and to bear interest at such

rate or rates (fixed, floating, variable or otherwise and not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by law at the time of issuance of the bonds) as in its discretion the Board of Trustees shall determine?"

**SECTION 2:** The District shall be divided into two (2) election precincts for this election and the polling places designated for each election precinct and the persons hereby appointed to serve as Presiding Judge and Alternate Presiding Judge for each polling place are shown in Exhibit "A", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as a part hereof for all purposes.

Each Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two (2) nor more than four (4) qualified clerks to serve and assist in holding said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge herein appointed actually serves, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of the clerks.

On election day the polls shall be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

The Superintendent's Office, High School, 600 West 7th Street, Baird, Texas (Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1147, Baird Texas 79504-1147) is hereby designated the early voting place, and Lana Walls and Linda Hart are hereby appointed Clerk and Deputy Clerk respectively, at such early voting place. Early voting for this election shall begin Wednesday, October 22, 1997 and end Tuesday, November 4, 1997, and the hours designated for early voting by personal appearance shall be from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on each weekday, except on Friday, October 24, 1997, the hours for early voting by personal appearance shall be extended to 7:30 P.M.

For purposes of processing ballots cast early voting, the election officers of Election Precinct No. 1 shall also serve as the early voting ballot board for this election.

**SECTION 3:** Paper ballots shall be used in this election, which ballots shall be prepared in accordance with V.T.C.A., Election Code, and permit electors to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid measures which shall appear on the bal-

lot substantially as follows:

### PROPOSITION NUMBER 1

"THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,500,000 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO A NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

### PROPOSITION NUMBER 2

"THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$600,000 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, INCLUDING BUT NOT TO RENOVATING THE EXISTING HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

**SECTION 4:** All resident qualified electors of the District shall be permitted to vote at said election, and on the day of the election, such electors shall vote at the polling place designated for the Scholl District Election Precinct in which they reside. This election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the V.T.C.A. Election Code, except as modified by the provisions of the Texas Education Code, and as may be required by law, all election materials and proceedings shall be printed in both English and Spanish.

**SECTION 5:** A substantial copy of this resolution shall serve as proper notice of said election. Said notice, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be (i) published at least one time not more than thirty (30) days or less than ten (10) days before the day of the election in a newspaper of general 21st day before the election and remain posted continuously through election day on the bulletin board used for the posting of notices of meetings of the Board of Trustees of the District. PASSED AND APPROVED, this day 22nd day of September, 1997.

### AVISO DE ELECCION PARA BONOS

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS  
CONDADO DE CALLAHAN

### DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE BAIRD A LOS RESIDENTES CON DERECHO DE VOTAR DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE BAIRD:

AVISO de que una eleccion tendra lugar en El DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE BAIRD el dia 8 de noviembre de 1997, de acuerdo con una resolucio aprobada por la Junta Directiva la cual es parte de este Aviso para todo objeto practico y se lee como sigue:

UNA RESOLUCION ordenando una eleccion para bonos a tener lugar dentro del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird, estableciendo medidas para dirigir la eleccion y resolviendo otros asuntos incidentes y pertinentes a dicha eleccion.

UNA RESOLUCION ordenando una eleccion para bonos a tener lugar dentro del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird, estableciendo medidas para dirigir la eleccion y resolviendo otros asuntos incidentes y pertinentes a dicha eleccion.

VISTO QUE, la Junta Directiva del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird, por este medio llega a saber que se debe llevar a cabo una eleccion para determinar si se debiera autorizar a dicho cuerpo gubernativo a emitir bonos de dicho Distrito por un total y con el fin identificados mas adelante; por consiguiente,

### ES RESUELTO POR LA JUNTA DIRECTIVA DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE BAIRD:

**SECCION 1:** Una eleccion tendra lugar el dia 8 de noviembre de 1997, en el Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird, cuya fecha sea cuarenta y cinco (45) o ma's dias despues de la fecha de aprobar esto, y el llevar a cabo de la eleccion en dicha fecha en vez de la fecha regular para eleccion es por este medio decidido a ser en el interes del pueblo. En dicha eleccion, se presentaran las siguientes medidas:

### PROPOSICION NUMERO 1

"SE DEBERA autorizar a la Junta Directiva del DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE BAIRD del condado de Callahan en Texas, a emitir bonos de dicho Distrito por la cantidad principal de \$1,500,000 para la construccion y el equipo de edificios escolares en el Distrito incluyendo pero no limitandose a una nueva escuela primaria; y se caucionaran y recaudaran, tasaran y cobrarán anualmente impuestos ad valorem a todo bien imponible en el Distrito suficientes, sin limite en cuanto a la tasa o cantidad, para pagar el principal y el interes de dichos bonos cuando los mismos venzan; dichos bonos a vencer en serie o de otro modo, por un periodo a no sobrepasar VEINTE (20) años a partir de la fecha, a ser emitidos y vendidos en una o mas series al precio o precios y a devengar intereses a la tasa o tasas (fija, flotante, variable

o de otro modo a no sobrepasar la tasa maxima permitida por ley al emitir los bonos) como sea determinado a voluntad de la Junta Directiva?"

### PROPOSICION NUMERO 2

"SE DEBERA autorizar a la Junta Directiva del DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE de BAIRD del condado de Callahan en Texas, a emitir bonos de dicho Distrito por la cantidad principal de \$600,000 para la construccion y el equipo de edificios escolares en el Distrito incluyendo pero no limitandose a renovar y mejorar el gimasio en existencia de la escuela secundaria; y se caucionaran y recaudaran, tasaran y cobrarán anualmente impuestos ad valorem a todo bien imponible en el Distrito suficientes, sin limite en cuanto a la tasa o cantidad, para pagar el principal y el interes de dichos bonos cuando los mismos venzan; dichos bonos a vencer en serie o de otro modo, por un periodo a no sobrepasar VEINTE (20) años a partir de la fecha, a ser emitidos y vendidos en una o mas series al precio o precios y a devengar intereses a la tasa o tasas (fija, flotante, variable o de otro modo a no sobrepasar la tasa maxima permitida por ley al emitir los bonos) como sea determinado a voluntad de la Junta Directiva?"

**SECCION 2:** Se dividira el Distrito en dos (2) recintos electorales para esta eleccion y los lugares para votar y las personas por este acto nombradas como juez actuante y juez actuante suplente de cada lugar para votar serán señalados en la Exhibicion "A" anadida a esto e incorporada aqu dentro por referencia como parte de esto para todo objeto practico.

Cada juez actuante nombrara no menos que dos (2) ni mas que cuatro (4) oficiales calificados para trabajar y ayudar en llevar a cabo dicha eleccion; con tal que si el juez actuante particular aqu dentro nombrado desempene sus funciones, el juez actuante suplente sera uno de los oficiales. Durante el dia de eleccion, los lugares para votar estaran abiertos desde las 7:00 de la manana hasta las 7:00 de la noche.

La Oficina de Superintendente, Escuela Secundaria, 600 West 7th Street, Baird, Texas (Correo: P.O. Box 1147, Baird, Texas 79504-1147) se designa por este medio como el lugar para registrar los primeros votos, y se nombra por este medio a Lana Walls y a Linda Hart escribiente y escribiente suplente respectivamente de dicho lugar para votar. Los primeros votos para esta eleccion empezaran el miercoles, 22 de Octubre de 1997 y terminaran el martes,

4 de Noviembre de 1997, y las horas nombradas para registrar los primeros votos hechos en persona serán desde las 8:00 de la manana hasta las 5:00 de la tarde todos los das con la excepcion del viernes, 24 de octubre de 1997, se prolongaran las horas los primeros votos hechos en persona has las 7:30 de la noche.

Con eol fin de revisar balotas dadas en los primeros votos, los oficiales electorales del recinto numero 1 tambien servirán de Junta papra balotas en los primeros votos de esta eleccion.

**SECCION 3:** Se emplearan balotas electorales de papel en dich eleccion y se prepararan cuyas balotas de acuerdo con el Codigo de Elecciones, V.T.C.A. de manera de permitir a los electores votar "EN PRO" o "EN CONTRA" a la antedicha medida que se presentara basicamente de la siguiente forma en la balota:

### PROPOSICION NUMERO 1

"LA EMISION DE BONOS POR UN TOTAL DE \$1 500, 000 PARA LA CONSTRUCCION Y EQUIPO DE EDIFICIOS ESCOLARES, INCLUYENDO PERO NO LIMITANDOSE A UNA NUEVA ESCUELA PRIMARIA, Y EL GRAVAMEN DE LOS IMPUESTOS EN PAGO DE ESTO"

### PROPOSICION NUMERO 2

"LA EMISION DE BONOS POR UN TOTAL DE \$600,000 PARA LA CONSTRUCCION Y EQUIPO DE EDIFICIOS ESCOLARES, INCLUYENDO PERO NO LIMITANDOSE A RENOVAR Y MEJORAR EL GIMASIO EN EXISTENCIA DE LA ESCUELA SECUNDARIA Y EL GRAVAMEN DE LOS IMPUESTOS EN PAGO DE ESTO"

**SECCION 4:** A todos los residentes con derecho de votar del Distrito se les permitira votar en dicha eleccion y el dia de la eleccion, dichos electores votaran en el lugar para votar nombrado como recinto electoral del Distrito Escolar en donde tienen su domicilio. Se llevara a cabo esta eleccion y esta eleccion tendra lugar de acuerdo con las estipulaciones del Codigo de Elecciones, V.T.C.A. fuera de las modificaciones hechas por las estipulaciones en el Codigo de Educacion de Texas; y como sea requerido por la ley, se imprimiran los materiales de la eleccion y los procedimientos para esta eleccion tanto en ingles como en espanol.

Attending were: JoAnn Collinsworth, Lavern Crawford, Ruth Fisher, Lucibel Manion, Joyce McAuley, Floy McMullen, Brigitte Rody, Ruby Weathermon, Inez Wylie and hostess Ferne Lee.

Thursday, October 16, 1997

**SECCION 5:** Una copia fidedigna de esta resolucio servira de aviso adecuado de dicha eleccion. Se publicara dicho aviso, incluyendo una traduccion al espanol de esto, (i) al menos una vez no mas que treinta (30) dias ni menos que diez (10) dias antes del dia de eleccion en el periódico de amplia circulacion en el Distrito y (ii) se fijara dicho aviso no mas tarde que 21 dias antes de la eleccion y quedandose fijado continuamente, hasta el fin del dia de eleccion en el tablon de anuncios, que se usa para fijar anuncios de reuniones de la Junta Directiva del Distrito.

**ACEPTADA Y APROBADA,** este dia 22 de septiembre de 1997.

Kenneth W. Brock

Presidente, Junta Directiva Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird

**ATESTIGUA:**

David Butch Barron

Secretaria, Junta Directiva Distrito Escolar Independiente de Baird

(Sello del Distrito)

## Wednesday Study Club

The Wednesday Study Club met October 8, in the home of Ferne Lee. Ten Members were present.

Invocation was given by Ruth Fisher. Pledges to the U.S. and Texas Flags were led by Lavern Crawford. Roll call was answered with "Current International Affairs." President Joyce McAuley presided over a brief business session.

The program "Cultural Exchange" was brought by Brigitte Rody. She showed a video made of her recent trip to East Germany. Highlight of her trip was a visit to Wittenburg where on October 31, 1517 Martin Luther posted his 95 Theses on the door of the Palace Church, thus beginning the Reformation Movement and establishing of the Protestant Churches. She also visited Eisleben, Martin Luther's birthplace; Potsdam, site of the signing of the treaty that divided Germany and the DMZ where she saw the observation towers that the Russians used to guard the Berlin Wall before its collapse. Mrs. Rody visited several other places of interest.

SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION PRECINCT	POLLING PLACE	PRESIDING JUDGE	ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE
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# Obituaries

## Maude Wolfe

Maude O. Wolfe, 92, of Dallas and formerly of Clyde, died Saturday at a Dallas care center.

Services were held at Bailey Funeral Home Chapel in Clyde with the Rev. Mike Whisnant officiating. Burial was held in the Dudley Cemetery under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wolfe was born in Indian Territory before Oklahoma became a state. She had lived in various places from Louisiana to Arizona and had spent most of her life in Cloudy, Okla., Dudley, Dallas and Clyde.

She married Mack Wolfe in 1919. She was a housewife and a member of First Assembly of God. She moved to Dallas from Clyde in 1967.

Survivors include one stepdaughter, Grace Hash of Abilene; 33 grandchildren; 65 great-grandchildren; and numerous great-great-grandchildren.

## Brian Tate Fletcher

Brian Tate Fletcher, 23, of Clyde and formerly of Denver City, died Wednesday in Abilene.

Services were held Saturday in Denver City First United Methodist Church. Graveside services were in Valera Cemetery, directed by Roger Pool Funeral Home of Seminole.

Mr. Fletcher was born in Artesia, N.M., and graduated from Denver City High School in 1992. He formally lived in Abilene. He moved to Clyde in 1994 and graduated from Cisco Junior College in Abilene in 1997. He worked for McMurry University and later was a bricklayer. He was a bass guitarist for the Back Roads band in Clyde and was a member of Denver City First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his parents, Bruce and Connie Fletcher of San Angelo; two sisters, D'Lee Fletcher and Kristy Engle, both of San Angelo; one brother, Luke Fletcher of Denver City; his grandparents, Theresa Fletcher of Clyde and Berl Ancell of Artesia, N.M.; one nephew; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Memorials may be sent to Eleanor Tipps Scholarship Fund at Denver City First United Methodist Church.

## Effie Richardson

Effie Richardson, 96, died Wednesday in an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were held in Ross Cemetery with Gary Williams officiating, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

Mrs. Richardson was born in Baird and lived, for 52 years, in Dallas where she worked as a bakery manager. She returned to Baird in 1974. She was a 50-year member of the Baird chapter, Order of the Eastern Star; and also was a member of the Putnam Church of Christ.

Survivors include one nephew, Thomas Dean of Cotton Valley, La.; and one step-nephew, Earl Lasater of Seminole.

## Hazel Lavinia Kelly

Hazel Lavinia Kelly, 65, of Clyde died Monday at a local hospital.

Services were held Wednesday in the Bailey Funeral Home Chapel. Graveside services were held at Necessity Cemetery, south of Breckenridge, under the direction of the Bailey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kelly was born in Breckenridge. She married Leonard Wade Kelly Sr. in 1975. They moved to Clyde in 1980 from Abilene. Until her retirement, she was the owner and operator of a day care center and was a member of the Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband of Clyde; four sons, Gary Frank Sanders of Clyde, Timothy Lee Sanders of Munday, Leonard Wade Kelly, Jr., and James Roy Kelly, both of Clyde; three daughters, Kathy Wimberly, Doris Laverne McGinnis and Ruby Dell Doty, all of Clyde; one sister, Mrs. Laun (Eva) Templeton of Plano; 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

## Gerald Dempsey

Gerald Dempsey, 54, of Ranger, died Sunday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Services were held Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Eastland with Dr. Tom Goodman officiating. Burial was held in Bullock Cemetery under the direction of Edwards Funeral Home in Eastland.

Mr. Dempsey was born and reared in Ranger. He also attended Gallaudet College for the Deaf in Washington, D.C., was a house parent at Maryland School for the Deaf in Maryland and he attended electronics school in Austin. He married Anita Comstock in 1971. Mr. Dempsey worked for Terra Firma Tile Co. in Cisco in maintenance and for Thrift Mart Supermarket in Eastland in stocking and sacking.

Survivors include his wife, Anita Dempsey, of Ranger; his daughter, Paula McDowell of Clyde; his sister, Carolyn Allen of Stephenville; and two grandchildren, Amber and Johnny McDowell of Clyde.

Memorials may be sent in lieu of flowers to the First Baptist Church of Eastland to be used for other cancer patients and the Bullock Cemetery Association Fund.

## Bertha Kanady

Bertha Kanady, 84, of Baird, passed away Saturday in the Nursing home in Cross Palins, Tx. Graveside services were held Monday at Belle Plaine Cemetery with the Rev. Phillip Schaefer officiated.

She was born March 24, 1913 in Carlsbad, N.M. She had lived in Callahan County most of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of the Untied Pentecostal Church. She married Berry Kanady in Baird, Tx in 1930.

She is survived by her husband Berry Kanady of Baird; one daughter Mildred Tollett of Clyde; one son Gilbert Kanady of Baird; 12 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.



Lord I'm your sheep that's gone a-stray. I know you are real, want you show me the way.

There's so many problems, I don't know what to say.

I'll try real hard, Lord show me the way. I know dear Jesus, this is only a test. I'm just human, but Lord you are the best.

I'm so tired of all this sin. Will you reach out

## Stenholm legislation pass

Washington, D.C.—The House Agriculture Committee overwhelmingly passed Congressman Charlie Stenholm's legislation transferring authority for the Census of Agriculture from the Department of Commerce to the Department of Agriculture (USDA).

"If you're going to have good farm policy, you need good data and the only place to get this data is from those of us who farm," said Stenholm. "I believe that giving just one federal department the authority to collect agricultural statistics will streamline operations, cut costs, and reduce the burden, frustration and confusion many of us have experienced with the current reporting requirements."

The Census of Agriculture is conducted nationwide every five years and provides key data on the number and size of farms, land use, production expenses, the value of crops, livestock and land, along with other demographic information. Under Stenholm's legislation, the National Ag Statistics (NASS) would be responsible for carrying out the Ag Census.

"Giving USDA the authority to conduct the Ag Census will reduce the reporting requirements for farmers and ranchers, making the census less intrusive, reducing costs, and hopefully making the information more readily available to those in the agriculture community who can most benefit from it," said Stenholm.

The Committee also passed Stenholm's legislation to reauthorize the Dairy Indemnity Program (DIP) which "indemnifies" or compensates farmers and manufactures for milk that has been removed from the market because it contains residue from pesticides and toxic substances, if the problem occurs through no fault of the producer. "When our dairy producers can't sell their milk on the market, they also lose the value of the contaminated feed, along with other costs to clean up the problem," said Stenholm.

and take my hand? My friend's are cold, my family is few. All I have Lord is you.

I owe so many, In so many ways, But Lord you gave me a song of praise. Show me lord how to trust for I have gone through so much.

Turn it around, I'm ready to lay my burdens down.

Take my heart make it true, Lord I want to be, just like you.

## Courthouse News continued .....

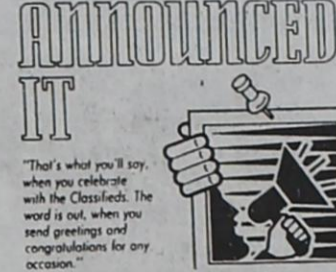
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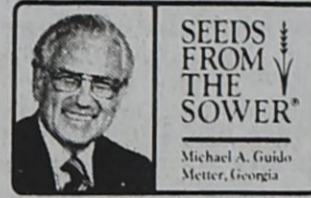
- Tawna Grace Van Allen and John Charles Van Allen and in the interest of Galen C. Van Allen, and Jerika L. Van Allen, children.

## Wednesday Study Club

On October 4, the Wednesday Study Club hosted the Federation of Women's Clubs Mesquite District. The District consists of 15 Federated Clubs. Mrs. Almata Young of Hamlin is president. Club members from Albany, Aspermont, Clyde, Hamlin, Haskell, Knox City, Merkel, Moren, Rule and Stamford Attended. The noon luncheon was catered by the Baird United Methodist Women.



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A little girl said at bedtime, "Mom, I've had a happier day today than yesterday." "Really?" she replied. "What made the difference?" "Yesterday," she explained, "my thoughts pushed me around. Today I pushed them around." Every day you're becoming more like your thoughts. If your thoughts are evil, your acts will be evil. If your thoughts are godly, your acts will be godly. You can't think in terms of failure and succeed; or in terms of doubt, and have faith; or in terms of weakness, and be strong; or in terms of fear, and be courageous. Whatever gets your attention, gets you. Guard your thoughts.

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-lic Worship, 10:00 a.m.
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-ship, 11:00 a.m.; Choir practice  
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Wednesday evening 6:00 p.m.
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Johnny Hailes, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-  
-day morning worship, 10:55  
a.m.; Discipleship Training, 5:00  
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7:15 p.m.
- CHERRY HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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- EULA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
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Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sun-  
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Sometimes by Step  
Chorus: Oh God, You are my God and I  
will ever praise You. I will seek You in  
the morning and I will learn to walk in  
Your ways, and step by step You'll lead  
me and I will follow you all of my days.  
Rich Mullins and Beaker

Proverbs 3:5-7  
Trust in the Lord with all thine heart;  
and lean not unto thine own  
understanding. In all thy ways  
acknowledge him, and he shall direct  
thy paths. Be not wise in thine own  
eyes; fear the Lord, and depart from  
evil.

After being scattered and lost...  
Deuteronomy 4:29  
But from there you will seek the Lord  
your God, and you will find him, if you  
search after him with all your heart  
and with all your soul.

John 14:25-26  
"These things I have spoken to you,  
while I am still with you. But the  
counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the  
Father will send in my name, he will  
teach you all things, and bring to your  
remembrance all that I have said to you.

Dear Heavenly Father, I love you. I  
praise you and I want to seek you  
always. When I sin and I fail, thank  
you for your forgiveness through Jesus  
and your guidance through the Holy  
Spirit. Thank you for always loving and  
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**The Point After...**



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**Watch for Lupe's sports editorial starting soon**

**Bear football continued ....**

third quarter, each holding their own defensively.

Now, the fourth quarter was another story. Baird's offense could not get a good rally fired up and their defense had trouble holding the Buffaloes as Justin White managed to score two touchdowns in the final quarter, the latter one with only 2:51 seconds left in the game. Neither attempt for extra points was successful. The rain continued as the game ended with the Class II-A Forsan Buffaloes defeating the Class I-A Baird Bears 25-7 in the non-district game.

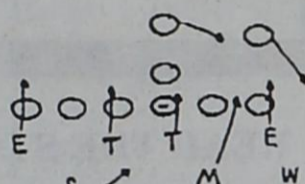
Leading the Baird Bears' defensive campaign were seniors Kolt DaPron, Lee Michael Reyna, Robert Gunn, Britt Johnson, Jim Scott, Shannon Campbell and Shane Devenport. Juniors playing for the Bears were Jeremy Riney, Dusty Barron, and Jason Gomez, Justin

Rivera, J.J. Carillo, Robert Mendez, Logan Russell, Lee Harle, and Ty Wilson. Last, but not least was freshman Mike Rudder.

The Baird Bears (4-2, 2-0 in district) will pick up District 8-A play again Friday night, October 17, at 7:30 PM. The game will be played in Rising Star's Wildcat Stadium.

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Senior Baird Bear golfers pictured are Clark Cabus, Randi White and Annie Gilliland.

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**1997 Tax Practitioner Workshop series announced**

M. Davy Vestal College Station—The schedule for the 1997 Tax Practitioner Workshop series has been announced.

These workshops are designed to meet the needs of tax practitioners across the state and present a variety of topics. Workshop director is Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The workshops will be

held from the latter part of October through December. An additional workshop will be held in January in Durango, Colo.

The general tax practitioner workshop is a series of two-day meetings and will emphasize new income tax developments and problem areas. The meetings will be held in Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Houston, Lubbock, Midland, Mount Pleasant, Overton, San Angelo, San Antonio, Sherman, Stephenville, Waco and Weslaco. The fee is \$160.

The advanced tax practitioner workshop costs \$170 and will be held in

Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, Overton, San Antonio, Waco and Weslaco. This workshop is designed for the practitioner who has substantial experience.

An estate planning workshop will be held in Amarillo, Houston, San Angelo and San Antonio. This workshop is designed to make tax advisors familiar with a wide array of planning options they can discuss with clients where concurrent income tax planning and estate planning are needed and to create awareness of the filing requirements and forms for gifts and estate tax returns. The one-day workshop costs \$125.

Fiduciary income taxation workshops will focus on the differences between individual and fiduciary taxation and the mechanics of preparing a basic Form 1041. Special emphasis will be given to the interrelationship between trust and tax law for

the proper completion of a fiduciary tax return. This one-day workshop will be held in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio and costs \$125.

Amarillo, Houston, Lubbock and San Antonio will host the agricultural tax issues workshops,

which are a series of one-day seminars to assist practicing accountants and lawyers in the specialized area of agricultural taxation. These meetings cost \$125.

The Partnership/LLC tax workshops will focus on the various alternatives facing a business organization. It will examine partnerships in more detail. These two-day workshops cost \$185 and will be held in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio.

Ethics for Texas CPAs will be the focus of a series of one-day workshops held in Austin, Dallas, Houston and San Antonio. This workshop is being offered as a telecourse over the TransTexas Videoconference Network in Amarillo, College Station, Corpus Christi, El Paso, Fort Stockton, Lubbock, San Angelo, Vernon and Weslaco. The cost is \$60.

Workshops on IRS problem resolution will be held in Austin, Dallas, Houston and San Antonio. These one-day workshops cost \$60.

A final workshop, on Jan. 13-16 in Durango will discuss topics such as the 1997 tax law and how it affects individuals and families, selecting the best business organization, harvesting retirement

plans and estate planning for business owners. The cost of \$995 includes tuition, airfare, hotel accommodations and lift tickets for two days.

Most of these workshops offer taped versions of the course and follow-up exams.

Additionally, an audio course on timber taxation issues is available for \$60.

These courses conform to the standards adopted by the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy. Dates of individual workshops are available from Dr. Wayne Hayenga, Texas Extension Education Foundation Inc., P. O. Box 946, College Station, TX 77841-0946, telephone (409) 845-2226.

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