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and Mrs. Chief Horner and Wallace Horner Sunday. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family Wednesday were Mrs. Mauldin's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis of Austin.

Dudley Dabble Wilma Armor Delectable Deeds Delineated To Dazzle and Delight

A. W. Burks will start a nine day meeting Friday July 21, 8:30 p. m. at the Dudley Church of Christ. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Magill of Los Angeles, California, have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Windham and Bob have been visiting friends and relatives here.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coughran of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barnard, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor, John and Maryard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville of Opllin, and Miss Kay Harville of McCamey visited the Lawson Armor's Saturday evening.

Betty Coughran spent Friday night with Wilma Armor.

A number of people from this community attended the Jim Ned Home coming Sunday evening.

Glenda and Jimmy Watts of Artesia, N. M. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hawk Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jurcak of Abilene visited in the L. L. Atcheley home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Booth are the parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. C. H. Shadous and daughter, Suzanne; Mrs. Gaynie Gilliland and sons, Gary and Jud, visited Mrs. Sidney Foy at Merkel Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Warren has for her guests, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Battles from Hico; also her grandsons, J. D. Battles, and Mrs. Battles.

McKINLEY REUNION HELD AT COLEMAN PARK

Mr. Joe E. McKinley and his children held their first reunion July 9th at Coleman park. Ten of the eleven children were present and eighteen grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Those of the family and their children present were: E. C. McKinley and daughters, Quida and Janita of Portales, N. Mex.; Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McKinley, Charles Lee, Overton, Tex.; Travis McKinley, son, Eddie, Casa Grande, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McKinley, Billie Gene, Casa Grande, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Summer McKinley and Patsy of Coleman, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce, Jack, Robbie, Sallie and Darrell of Opllin; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dodson, Center, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Claude McKinley, Rene, Claude Lee, Jr., Johnny of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Clint McKinley, Ronnie, Sue, Dorothy of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Duncan and Duane

of Lovington, N. Mex. One sister, Mrs. Roy Boston, was unable to be there.

Other relatives and friends attending were: Mrs. Walter Johnson, Lester and Charlon; Mr. and Mrs. Sebe Monroe; Mrs. Harold Ford and Carolyn Kay; Mrs. George Haynes; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Haynes; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher, Son, William, and Albert Betcher, Sr., all of Lawn, Texas; Mrs. Nolan Lovelace and Dixie of Morton, Texas; Mrs. Bill Garrett, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Culwell and sons, Stanley, Larry and Roger; Mrs. T. G. Culwell; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Culwell, all of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frymire, McCamey; Mrs. Floyd Summerour, Mr. and Mrs. Charnel McWhorter of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Pentecost and family of Goldsboro; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown and Mickey of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pierce of Opllin.

This was the first time for all the McKinley children to be together in 26 years. A most delicious dinner was spread at noon and the remainder of the day was spent visiting and picture taking. It was indeed a happy reunion.

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Belle Plain News Mrs. Bennie Lewallen

Belle Plains Club met at the Community Center July 11 with Mrs. Sargeant as hostess. Mrs. Frances Dunlap was winner of the Penny Drill Eleven members were present. The club is upholstering a chair for the Com-

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Community Center and members of the club fitted the material. A delicious refreshment of soda pop and cookies were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jack Gilliland, July 25th.

Mr. Dick Young had the pleasure of killing a huge rattlesnake this past week. It had been robbing his hen nest. It measured 4 ft. 2 1/2 in. long after Dick had beaten the rattlers off in killing the snake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lewallen, Amos and Wanda Mae, have returned from Mexico where they visited the Carlsbad Caverns and other points.

Sunday night, Mrs. W. S. Salmon and family of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hughes enjoyed a fish fry at J. W. Hughes home. Elmer Gilliland and family and Carl Markham and family, Sweetwater spent the 4th of July with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gilliland.

Mrs. Dick Young visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Newby of Abilene. Mrs. Newby fell and sprained her ankle badly.

County Agent's Column

Oliver F. West 4-H Club Boys Win Prizes Three Callahan County 4-H club boys have been awarded prizes in the Sears Foundation District Heavy litter weight contest. Hulon Crawford, of the Opllin 4-H club, won second place and \$20.00 with a litter of nine pigs that weighed 410 pounds at 56 days of age. Edwin Huddleston, of the Eula 4-H club, won 4th place and \$10.00 for having a litter of 10 pigs that weighed 306 pounds. Johnny McKee, also of the Eula 4-H club, won 6th place with a litter of nine pigs that weighed 302 pounds. This prize also was \$10.00.

There were twelve prizes in the contest. Jerry Kiner of Haskell County had the first place litter that weighed 485 pounds. Other counties competing besides Callahan and Haskell were Taylor and Jones. There were thirty-two boys from the four counties that were eligible to compete for the twelve prizes in the contest.

John Armor Wins First Place With Boar In the District Sears Foundation Boar Management Demonstration Contest, John Armor of the Denton 4-H club, won first place. John was in competition with boys who had boars in Haskell, Taylor, and Jones Counties. John received this boar in the Sears program in May of 1949 and raised and cared for the boar for a whole year. Last October at the West Texas Fair, John showed this boar to first place in the District Boar show. He also first with him at the Callahan County Fair in 1949. First prize for winning the management contest is \$10.00. John still owns this registered Duroc Boar and charges a service fee of \$5.00 of a pig.

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BEN RAMSEY Candidate for LT. GOVERNOR Has the Experience! A Blacktop Road To Every Farm Home

Rowden Round-Up Irene Mauldin

Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Mr. Tom McCoy of Burlington, Washington, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Mattie Gibbs, and other relatives here.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Crow and daughters Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hodges and daughter Joyce of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell and children Monday night.

Having birthday dinner with Don Mauldin Sunday were Nelda and R. L. Smedley and Mike Odom.

People of this community were entertained with a musical and 42 party Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam and children of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Olin English and boys last week. Mrs. Putnam is a sister to Mr. English.

Mrs. Hugh Olson and children of Meridian visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stephens Thursday. Donald Stephens visited Mr.

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# EDITORIAL

## EVEN A GOAT GETS TIRED OF BEING A GOAT

Our Baird community differs in many respects from other communities throughout our land. These differences are attributes which give Baird its identity as such.

On the other hand, we are no different from other communities and other people. Each town and community that progresses, experiences accompanying growing pains. Baird is no different. Progressive projects for the best interest of most of the people always bring on pains of progress. Usually it is caused by opposition of a few. Sometimes this opposition results in sharp issues being drawn.

However, the majority rule usually triumphs, even though some get their feelings hurt, or feel that they have been robbed. But, this is democracy in action.

The regrettable part of it is that too often, the minority opposition usually makes one of their number the goat. The individuals, groups, or even legal entities who feel that their personal interests or financial gain would be affected, usually stay in the background in a cloak of anonymity. They usually select or enslave an individual into deeply opposing a movement or project as such.

In other words they make some one the goat for their own selfish interests. They will use this sometimes unsuspecting individual as a tool or stooge — sometimes for pay or luring promise of reward. They cleverly raise what they think are smoke-screen issues behind which they can hide and at the same time divert attention of the majority from the true issues.

Usually these smoke-screens are thinly veiled issues through which the average person can see. Even if the smoke gets pretty thick, the average fellow can usually smell something.

And when something stinks, that fellow who has been made the goat is the focal point of eyes and the nose, too.

That's when he, too, fails to fool the majority of folks. Because, no matter how well a goat disguises himself in sheep's clothing, he still smells like a goat.

A goat or stooge is sometimes not to be condemned, but rather to be pitied. People in our part of the country are quite familiar with the bored expression of a billy goat as he stands dejectedly on the rubbish heap, chewing the labels off of tin cans. What a dreary life. No wonder he looks bored, too — because even a goat gets tired of being a goat.

P. S. — As a little postscript to the above bit of thinking, no doubt our readers can recall many similar instances in the past, even the recent past, when minority or selfish interests have made someone the goat — someone we know who stands vividly in our minds. And we might expect someone, namely a goat, to bleat or bellow after reading our analysis of one of life's little quirks. The thought occurs to us that this, too, is a natural reaction, because, since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, the guilty conscience causes the guilty one to scream first and loudest — a thing that we expect to happen.

## CONTEMPT FOR SATURDAY'S ELECTION

On the eve of tomorrow's election we cannot refrain from wondering about the turnout of votes. Will Callahan County citizens turn out to the polls? Will they exercise their right of franchise as citizens of a free people?

Right now, we're not so much concerned about who the people should vote for or against. We're more concerned about every eligible voter casting his vote. Only in that way can we make democracy function as it was intended.

In other words, we are right at the point where the lawyer was in a court trial. Pressing his case rather hard and zealously for his client, he was ruled in contempt of court.

This decision apparently caused him no immediate concern; he cheerfully acknowledged the correctness of the judge's contempt ruling, and smiling asked His Honor how much was the fine for contempt.

"That'll be ten dollars," snapped the judge.

"There you are, Judge," said the lawyer cheerily as he peeled a ten dollar bill from a roll and laid it on the desk, "but it doesn't near pay for my contempt of this court."

That, of course is a fable and a favorite joke in the legal fraternity.

But it illustrates something that maybe all voters might emulate. Maybe you have become indifferent or somewhat disgusted with politics in general; maybe you feel that your vote will have no bearing on the election or defeat of a candidate, so why waste time to go to the polls tomorrow.

Be it true or not, you should at least express yourself, voice your God-given right to democratic expression. If you like your candidate, if you think he is the man for the office, certainly you should go out tomorrow and vote for him.

If you don't like any of the candidates for a particular office—if you have just a little contemptuous feeling for the whole pack, don't stay away from the polls—go out and vote agin' 'em even though "that doesn't near pay for your contempt" of the bunch.

There is something to be commended about the spirit of the lawyer in the above fable—regardless of the situation in which he found himself, he was not afraid to express his feelings; and he exerted just a little extra effort to express his sentiment.

In fact, he even risked a higher fine or even a jail sentence, to speak, his convictions.

Maybe we should get just a little mad, or work up a taint of contempt if it will get us out to the polls to vote, even if we feel "it won't near pay for our exertion." It's amazing how people can turn the tide of detrimental things if enough of 'em work up a good mad. This is especially true of Americans, particularly in times of war. It is in times of peace that this very trait works to the detriment of Americans themselves.

So, regardless if you "ain't mad at nobody" go to the polls tomorrow, and cast your ballot. At least, you will have the satisfaction of knowing you made certain candidates happy—especially if your favorite won.

If you harbor just a taint of contempt for all of 'em—go out to the polls and vote against those you hold most in contempt. You'll still have the happy satisfaction of knowing that regardless of the outcome, you fearlessly expressed your feelings, spoke your convictions, and you can say proudly that you are a real American citizen and a true Texan because you have exercised the right that is yours.

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### SMALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS HAVE SPECIAL SERVICES

AUSTIN — The smaller public schools of Texas now have available many special services which have raised the standards of education and improved the health of the children.

Until enactment by the last legislature of the Gilmer-Aikin school laws, only the larger and richer school districts could afford the numerous services now being utilized throughout the state. Miss Waurine Walker, president of Texas State Teachers Association, declared here today.

Increased state funds for districts, after they have met state requirements as to financing on the local level has made available teacher supervisors, student counselors, librarians, visiting teachers, nurses, physicians, itinerant teachers, more vocational teachers, home economics and trades and industries courses, distributive education, and more training of exceptional, or handicapped children, Miss Walker pointed out.

"The time is past when children in rural areas cannot have an education as good and in as many fields of endeavor as students in the centers of population," Miss Walker commented.

State aid to schools is offered on a variety of bases.

Schools are allowed funds for a supervisor or counselor on the basis of one to every forty classroom teachers. Supervisors work with the teachers to improve educations. Counselors devote their time to guiding and advising children.

Librarians, health nurses, doc-

tors and visiting and itinerant teachers are provided for on the basis of the school districts having their choice of one of those for each twenty classroom teachers.

Visiting teachers work with parents to overcome conditions which prevent children's regular attendance of school. Itinerant teachers are those specializing in such subjects as art, music or physical education who give instruction in several schools in the same district daily or several times a week.

School districts in the same county can combine teacher totals to be eligible for more of these specialists.

Vocational education departments increased during the last school year by more than 500, making a total of 2,087 in the 2,492 school districts in the state.

State aid has enabled these high schools, when they have enrollments of sixty or more pupils, to hire instructors in vocational agriculture, trades and industries and home economics.

There has also been a big demand for more distributive education and it is being met. In these courses high school students devote half of their school time to classroom work and the other half to gaining actual experience in their chosen field, whether it is in mechanics, printing, selling, farming, merchandizing or work as beauty operators.

Classes for handicapped children increased 50 per cent throughout the state for the last school year. Another such increase is anticipated during the 1950-51 school year as more teachers trained in this highly specialized work become available.

Smaller school districts can also combine to establish joint classes for these handicapped children. Miss Walker expects that practice to be expanded.

"Handicapped children benefit greatly under specially trained teachers, but outside the larger centers of population there are so few in many school districts it is not feasible from an economic standpoint to hire instructors. Two or more districts generally have a sufficient number of children to make possible this badly needed service," the state association president declared.

### STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

The Mid-Century presentation of Texas agriculture during the 1950 State Fair of Texas, October 7-22, will feature a greater variety of farm products and highly developed techniques and procedures designed to raise farm incomes. Ray W. Wilson, agriculture department manager, has announced.

Progress of this two-billion dollar industry will be displayed in colorful and spectacular exhibits in the Agriculture Building, he said. The agriculture extravaganza will be colorfully showscaped by the Lambert Landscape Company, Dallas, for greater eye appeal.

An outstanding exhibit of Texas soil and soil characters will be featured in the Texas A&M College display. Demonstrations on soil testing and information on plant foods will be given daily.

The Soil Conservation Service and the Texas Research Foundation will show actual living and growing specimens of more than 40 leading varieties of grasses. Grass is fast becoming Texas' leading crop because of its importance to the beef and dairy industries, Wilson said.

The Conservation Service exhibit will be located in the Agriculture Building. The Texas Research Foundation will develop a permanent outdoor display, located across the street from the building.

Supplementing the grass show will be an educational exhibit demonstrating research carried on by the Plant Research Institute of Texas University in the development of grass farming.

Mid-Century achievements of Texas agricultural researchers and "working farmers" will be displayed through exhibits of leading crops, rural youth activities, irrigation and forestry.

Colorful crop phase displays will include exhibits of wheat, cotton, citrus fruits, grain sorghums, pecans, peanuts, rice, sweet potatoes, vegetables and other leading crops.

A huge, animated "horn of plenty" showing leading farm products in all their natural beauty will tell the story of the growth and development of Texas agriculture.

Walter W. Cardwell, Luling, has been named general superintendent of the Agriculture Show.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Scroggins had as guests Mrs. Scroggins' sisters, Mrs. Arslie Greene of Indianapolis, Ind. and Mrs. A. Flache, Brownsfield, Texas from Thursday until Monday. Sunday guests were Mrs. Scroggins nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Flache and children, Robert, Anne, and Gwendolin, also of Brownsfield.

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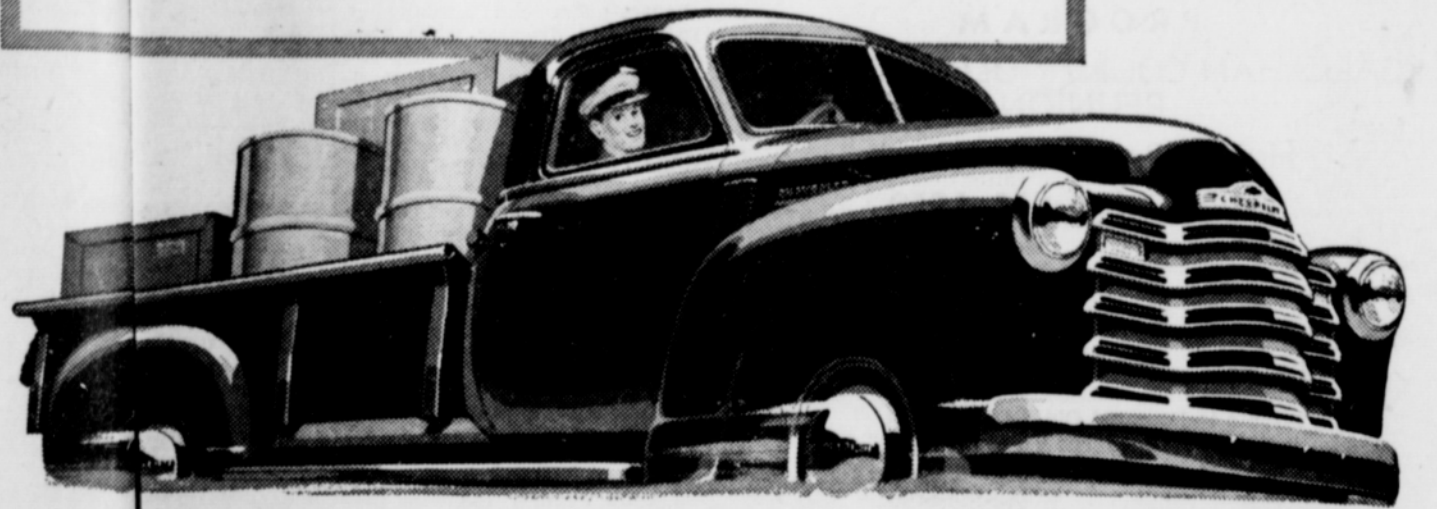
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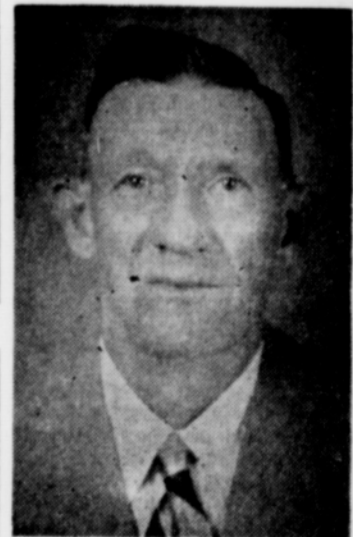
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**Hospital Notes**

Mrs. John Kellner, Putnam, was admitted the 18th.

Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Moran, a surgical patient, is improving nicely.

Joyce Nell Morgan, Clyde, underwent tonsillectomy the 17th.

Mrs. B. Newton, Moran, was a patient for one day recently.

J. B. Easterling, Sr., Clyde, was admitted the 17th as a medical patient.

Mrs. C. W. Allen is a surgical patient.

Mrs. Charline Weed, who was admitted the 16th, is reported feeling some better.

W. M. Tatum, Putnam, was admitted the 16th as a medical patient.

Mrs. Mabel Carrico, Putnam, a patient for several days, was able to return to her home Wednesday afternoon.

W. B. Dean, a medical patient, was dismissed the 17th.

J. N. Williams, Putnam, seems to be slowly improving.

Mrs. Alice Hagar, Moran, is a surgical patient.

Mrs. S. E. Springer, Clyde, is a medical patient.

Mrs. I. G. Mobley, Putnam, was a medical patient recently.

Miss Jane Hall was re-admit-

ted the 18th for further medical treatment.

Mrs. J. J. Spoon and infant daughter returned to their home the 16th.

B. W. Lofton is getting along fine.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramos is ill with pneumonia.

Born the 19th to Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson, a son.

John Birchfield, Cross Plains, is feeling much better.

T. A. Ince is improving.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us during the loss of our husband and father. For every kind word and expression of sympathy, for every service rendered, for the cards and flowers, and to all those who prepared and sent the food, we are deeply grateful. To the doctors and nurses, to all those who visited us at the hospital, and to those who opened their homes to us, we express our thanks. May the Lord bless and keep you is our prayer.

Mrs. J. F. Coffey  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey and children  
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey

No. 963  
**Guardianship of Paul Howell, A person of Unsound Mind In the County Court of Callahan County, Texas**

**TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE PERSON OF UNSOUND MIND OR HIS ESTATE:**

You are notified that I have on the 20th day of July, 1950, filed with the county clerk of Callahan County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make an oil and gas lease on that certain real estate belonging to such person of unsound mind, described as follows:

37½ acres of land out of Sub-division or Block No. 5, of Victoria County School Land, Survey No. 336, Abstract No. 513, as shown in Deed from Oran Powell et al to Paul Howell, recorded in Vol. 184, page 187 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, described by field notes in said deed as follows, to-wit:

**BEGINNING** at the Northwest corner of said Block No. 5;

**THENCE** South 589.6 varas to corner;

**THENCE** East 444.4 varas to corner;

**THENCE** North 55.4 varas to corner;

**THENCE** West 96 varas to corner;

**THENCE** North 534.2 varas to corner;

**THENCE** West 348.4 varas to the place of beginning.

Said real estate also being described in the aforesaid application, reference to which is herewith made for full particulars; that J. L. Farmer, judge of the county court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 20th day of July, 1950, duly entered his order designating the 7th day of August, 1950, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the county court room in the courthouse of such county as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

S/ Mrs. Cathryn Hill,  
Mrs. Cathryn Hill, Guardian of the Estate of Paul Howell, a person of unsound mind. 7-21.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness and kindness to us at the time of the death of our father, Ira Ray. For the food brought in and the beautiful floral offerings sent by our friends and neighbors we are grateful. May God bless and keep you always.

Mrs. A. J. Bruce  
Mrs. Curtis Jones  
Mrs. Granville Wolfe  
Mrs. Monnie Butts  
W. H. Ray

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends for their many kind deeds, flowers, and everything that was done for me while I was in the hospital recently. May God's richest blessings be upon each one of you.

Mrs. Sallie Crawford

Among out-of-town relatives attending the funeral of Ira Ray Thursday, July 13, at Clyde were Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wolfe and family of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bruce and son, Miss Jackie Butts, Carrol Butts of Ajo, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ray and children, Mrs. Mary Freeman, Temple; Asa Ray and daughters of Bryan; Bill Ray and sons of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Myrtle Ray and sons of Littlefield.

**ALLAN SHIVERS CONCLUDES CAMPAIGN FOR GOVERNOR**

Allan Shivers this week concluded his campaign for a term of his own as Governor of Texas by urging all citizens to go to the polls Saturday and vote in the Democratic primary.

"The final test of democracy always comes at the polling places on election day," Governor Shivers said. "The people cannot expect to have representative government unless they participate in choosing the men to represent them. The international crisis should intensify, rather than decrease, popular interest in this fundamental process of democracy, for it is on behalf of a democratic way of life that our boys are fighting in Korea."

The Governor, seeking his first elective term, has conducted his campaign without the usual political fanfare. He has made numerous public appearances at community affairs over the State but has made virtually no political addresses. His principal concern has been to talk with and listen to the people of Texas in order to determine what they want and expect from the State Government.

In his talks at public meetings and on the radio, Governor Shivers has stressed the need for economy in Texas. "By this," he explained, "I mean economy of money, econo-

my of our soil, economy of water, and economy of human resources. That platform, if it may be so labeled, covers a lot of ground, and I believe in it."

**WILL WILSON ENDORSED BY JUDGES AND LAWYERS**

"Men who know Will Wilson best have placed their stamp of approval on his candidacy for the Supreme Court of Texas," says Hugh Lyerly, campaign manager for the Dallas candidate. "In the only two major lawyer association polls in Texas—Dallas County and Tarrant County—Will Wilson was officially declared the best qualified candidate for the Texas Supreme Court, Place 1."

Wilson served as Assistant Attorney General under Gerald C. Mann and Grover Sellers. He is now completing his second term as Dallas District Attorney. He was a combat veteran in the last war, being awarded the Bronze Star for gallantry in action. He is the only veteran in the race.

"As Dallas County's District Attorney, Wilson has attracted nation-wide attention for his racket - smashing," says Lyerly. The candidate is stumping northeast Texas this week in behalf of his campaign.

Miss Theda Kerby of Austin and Howard Bost of Baytown were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kerby.

**Midway Musings**

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

Horace Cook and family, and Edna Cook, of Abilene, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. R. W. Cook, Pink Cook and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bourland, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gibson of Baird; and the Carl Cook family spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Nelson and Clinton spent the day Sunday with the Otto Rogers family.

Mr. Morrison, of Odessa, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Otto Best and Mr. Best.

Anna Baker, of College Station, spent the weekend with Fay Etta Faircloth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Faircloth and Elaine, of Fort Worth, spent Saturday and Sunday with the James Faircloths.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb spent several days last week in Marfa visiting their children there.

Mrs. I. R. Adams and children of College Station, are visiting the Griffins and other relatives this week. Also visiting the Griffins is little Kay Neil Niccolis of Marfa.

Richard and David Jones, of Abilene, are visiting the Griffins.

Mrs. W. B. Atchison is visiting in Kopperl.

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To The  
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Place 1

A Staunch Texan—to protect your rights.  
A new man for the Supreme Court  
Only veteran in the race  
Dallas racket-busting District Attorney  
Capable . . . Courageous . . . Qualified.

Friday - Saturday  
**"The Sundowners"**  
Color by Technicolor  
ROBERT PRESTON

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.  
**"Mother Didn't Tell Me"**  
DOROTHY McGUIRE  
WILLIAM LUNDIGAN

Wed. - Thurs.  
**"The Doctor And The Girl"**  
GLENN FORD  
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**Easy Spindrier Washer**  
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**IN YOUR community... and in 122 other towns and communities in Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Arkansas... The Texas and Pacific Railway and its subsidiaries is a citizen and a taxpayer. It helps support and maintain schools and roads, police and fire protection, streets and parks and all the other functions performed by the federal, state, county and municipal governments in these 123 communities. In 1949 it helped to the extent of paying a tax bill of \$5,892,975.01!**

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Here are the taxes paid by the Texas and Pacific Railway and its subsidiaries in 1949:

Federal	\$4,245,670.67
State	527,312.27
County or Parish	209,766.20
Road (highway)	142,501.09
School	458,393.19
Drainage-Levee, etc.	82,838.10
City	226,493.49
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,892,975.01</b>

**TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY.**



CLASSIFIED

POSTED - My pasture is posted. No fishing will be allowed. Frank Windham. tfn.

WALDROP HOUSE FOR SALE 5 Rooms - Bath - Garage \$5,600.00

The N. A. Waldrop house located just next door to the new Ross Acres Addition, now under construction, is for sale. And if you are desiring to own a comfortable, nicely located home in Baird, without paying too much for it, this is your opportunity.

This place is partly financed at the present time, and the loan can be transferred. All taxes are paid. Good title. For particulars call: THE BAIRD STAR

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS and other office supplies. The Star office supply store will be glad to supply them.

FOR SALE - Good Cedar posts, 20c and 25c each. White Auto Store. tfn.

FOR SALE - Daters, 60c; Pencil Sharpeners, \$2.00. The Baird Star.

FOR top quality U. S. Approved-Pullorum Clean New Hampshire Baby Chicks and Broad Breasted Bronze Poults book Wilson's chicks and poults hatched from own breeder flocks exclusively. Chicks hatched the year round. Wilson Poultry Farm & Hatchery, Clyde, Texas. tfn

NOTICE - Covering buttons and buckles, bradded eyelets and belts, also make buttonholes while Mrs. Heslep is away. Mrs. Rosa Ryan. tfn.

WANTED - To rent or lease a farm for 1951. Dewey Ennis, Rt. 1, Baird. 4tp.

ATHLETES FOOT GERM AMAZING RESULTS IN ONE HOUR

By using T-4-L, a STRONG, penetrating fungicide, you reach imbedded germs to kill ON CONTACT. FEEL this quick-drying liquid take hold INSTANTLY. You must be pleased or your 40c back at any druggist. Today at

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Saturday Matinee, 1:30 P. M. Sunday Matinee, 2:00 P. M.

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"The Golden Stallion"

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-in- "Yellow Cab Man"

Tuesday Only JOAN DAVIS ANDY DEVINE

"Traveling Saleswoman"

From SOAP to NUTS It's Joan's funniest picture

Wednesday - Thursday "The Prince Of Peace"

Late Newsreel every Sunday - Monday

Comedy Every Day

FOR SALE - A well built, modern home in Baird. Two blocks from school, two blocks from new highway 80. Austin stone front, breezeway, garage. The house is insulated with rock wool and has Time-o-stat heat control. Heavy sheetrock throughout, extra good lumber, new guaranteed roof. If you want to buy the nicest home in Baird, here it is. Partly financed. For complete details, call The Baird Star.

Five Room House In Baird For Sale or Trade

Would trade this place for farm or sell outright. The five-room house has sleeping porch, nice kitchen cabinet, remodeled, new roof, no bath fixtures, garage, on paved street, west part of Baird, six lots. Will sell all or any part. \$2500 for house and one lot, \$1200 for lot and garage, \$400 for corner vacant lot, \$200 for each of the other three lots or \$500 for all three. Will sell this property as listed above, or the whole thing for \$4000. For further details inquire at The Baird Star.

NOTICE - After April 1st, 1950, all credit sales will be 1c per gallon above cash sales if not paid within 10 days. I cannot run a credit business as I need what money I have to operate with and when I run out of money it is like running out of gasoline. Credit sales are my biggest worry. I can get gasoline to you if you will pay me on delivery. Please do your part. I certainly will appreciate your cooperation. Finance your business and I will finance mine. John W. Loven. tfn.

Complete automobile trim-work. Seat covers tailored to fit. Eaton Trim and Shoe Repair Shop, Clyde, Texas. 5tp.

VACATION TIME IS HERE - Don't take chances with your old tires. Trade them in on a new set of Ward's Riverside today. Black's Farm Store. tfn

FOR RENT - Attractive partially furnished apartment, the Webster apartment back of Holmes Drug. If interested please see Mrs. J. H. Terrell, 318 Walnut, Baird, Texas. tfn

RAINBOW COURTS, located in West Baird on Highway 80, is for sale. Owner must leave Baird. We will sell the place each cabin separate or all together. A two-room cabin and lot, ideal for couple to call home, for only \$1500 cash. A four-room furnished cabin for \$2250. After cabins are sold, will sell service station for \$1,000 and the stock for approximately \$500. This is not a gyp. The court is small but is the nicest tourist court in Baird and worth much more than these prices. If you are interested, deal directly with us, or call The Baird Star.

FOR SALE - 4-room house on 1 1/2 lots, east front, garden, in West Baird. For quick sale will take \$2,500 cash. C. F. Young, 538 Peyton St. Baird. tfn.

FOR HAND TOOLED belts, billfolds, watchbands, and other hand-made leather work, painted and personalized, see J. H. Poindexter, 543 Walnut, Baird.

FOR SALE - Living room suite, bedroom heater. Mrs. Scott Bryant. 1tp

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YOUR ENTIRE FAMILY MUST SEE IT.

FOR RENT - 2 or 3 room furnished apartment. See Mrs. Stiles, 244 Spruce St. 1tp.

PIANOS - Console piano been out on rental, going to sell in your community. New piano guarantee. Save \$200.00. Will take trade in. Up to 24 months to pay. Also good medium practice piano \$175.00. Better buy your piano now, while they are a few left. Ralph Nelson Piano Co., 1808 Rose St., Wichita Falls, Texas. 1tc

LOST - Saddle blanket, maroon color. Lost between blacksmith shop and McIntosh Dairy. Reward. Dale McIntosh. 1tc

Eula Episodes Mrs. R. G. Edwards Elevating Elucidations for the Enjoyable Enlightenment of Everybody Everywhere.

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POLITICAL Announcements

Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary July 22, 1950

For County Judge: J. Lester Farmer Re-election J. Rupert Jackson, Jr.

For Sheriff: Joe Pierce Re-election S. S. Nichols

For County Clerk: Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson M. H. (Bob) Joy

For County Treasurer: Hazel Reynolds

For District Clerk: Corrie Neithercutt Re-election

For County Superintendent: L. C. Cash B. C. Chrisman

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1: G. H. Corn Re-election

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1: H. A. Warren (Re-election) J. W. (Wes) Patton

Precinct No. 2: Clyde T. Floyd Re-election Fred C. Graham

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3: R. B. (Slim) Taylor

For State Representative 107th Floterial District Charles H. Dawson L. R. Pearson O. O. Odom, Jr.

The following was written by Mrs. H. E. Baldrige, Garfield, Ark., when she renewed her subscription to The Baird Star:

"Enclosed is a check for a year's subscription for the Baird Star. We look forward to reading it each week. We still like Arkansas and it still rains here. Rained 66 inches last year."

We always enjoy hearing from our readers. The Baldridges are former residents of Callahan County and their many friends will welcome a message from them.

Office ruled forms. The Star.

EVERYBODY SHOULD VOTE Saturday Is The Day After casting your ballot, come to W. D. Boydston Dry Goods and get some of those bargains he will have for you. One lot Children's Panties, 3 for 50c One lot Children's Blouses, 2 for \$1.00 One lot Boy's Summer Suits, each \$1.00 All Our Best Prints, yard 45c MANY OTHER BARGAINS WILL D. BOYDSTUN

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Relatives from Lubbock and Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley and Jerry visited Thurman Johnston Thursday night who had the misfortune of breaking his leg. He is very slowly recovering.

Visiting Edd Farmer Sunday were Freddie Kemper, Bud Farmer and Comer Agle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley and Jerry visited Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Scott and baby girl Friday night. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Doras Crawford and L. Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley Saturday night.

Ruth Connel visited the Asheal twins the past weekend.

Pat and Jerry Whitley visited Fay Scott who returned from Harrington, Texas Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and daughters, Carol and Susan, of Denver, Colo., arrived Sunday to visit Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Allen and small son, of Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith, of El Paso, will return this weekend for their 8 month-old-son, who has been visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith.

John Tombs, of Abilene, representing the Gideons, was guest speaker at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. The purpose of his visit was to tell of the call for five million copies of the Bible made by our Commander in the Pacific, General Douglas MacArthur. He told of a deal that had been made by that organization with a Japanese printer to print copies of the New Testament for eight cents each. A contribution of \$46.26 was made by the church. A similar contribution was made at the Methodist Church, but I did not see any of the Methodist people to find out the amount.

Mrs. Britt McCarver of Ecu, Miss., is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cole Warren, Mr. Warren and family. She will accompany her son, Richard and wife, of Memphis, Tenn., home some time next week. They are due to arrive here this weekend for a few days vacation.

LOWER PRICES EVERY DAY

Don't be misled by weekend specials which are 25% higher during balance of week. Our prices are every day low.

Valley Rose, sliced No. 2 can Pineapple . . . 27c

Greenies, Early 1 lb. can Green Peas, . . 23c

Greenies, small size 1 lb. can Lima Beans, . . 27c

Valley Rose 46 oz. can Tomato Juice . 27c

Garth 3 No. 2 cans Tomato Juice 25c

Valley Rose Whole No. 2 can Green Beans . . 23c

Argo Country Gentleman 303 can Corn, 2 for . . . 23c

Buffalo Tomato 4 1/2 oz. cans Puree, 3 for . . . 10c

IGA Grated Tuna . . . . . 33c

Recipe Pink Salmon tall can 45c

Valley Rose No. 2 can FLOUR, 25 lb. bag . . . . . \$1.69

HUNT'S PEACHES, buffet size can . 11c

IGA RED SOUR PITTED CHERRIES, No. 2 can . . . . . 29c

COMSTOCK PIE SLICED APPLES, No. 2 can . . . . . 19c

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**DICKSON CANDIDATE FOR STATE SUPREME COURT**

More than seven years of fighting the people's battles against monopoly, waste of natural resources and public school fund raiders as a key member of the State Attorney General's Office have earned him a promotion, says Fagan Dickson of Austin and San Antonio, candidate for the State Supreme Court, Place One.

"My opponent has bought all the billboards," said Dickson. "I can only offer my services on the basis of my qualifications. My 21 years experience as a trial lawyer, representing small, independent clients and the state in Texas civil courts, I believe have fitted me for service on the highest civil court."

Three attorneys general appointed Dickson to head departments. Jerry Mann made him chief of the land division. Gro-

ver Sellers made him head of the oil and gas division. Price Daniel made him First Assistant Attorney General.

"As first assistant, I issued more than 100 opinions to state departments, none of which has ever been overruled," said Dickson. "This is identical with the work done by judges on the Supreme Court. I urge you to compare the qualifications of all candidates, and have confidence in your judgment."

Dickson resigned as Attorney General Price Daniel's first assistant last year in order to make the race on his own time. He asked the people to get the facts about whether other candidates have been as fair with the taxpayers.

The former president of the San Antonio Bar Association is 46, a deacon in the Christian Church, is married, and has a family of three.

**WILL WILSON CANDIDATE FOR TEXAS SUPREME COURT**

AUSTIN — Texas has seen much of Will Wilson of late. The Dallas County District Attorney, who is candidate for the Supreme Court, has campaigned vigorously in West and South Texas since he announced his candidacy in Austin the latter part of May. His plans include visits to East Texas and other sections of the state during his campaign tour.

"Justice is the only thing that a candidate for the Texas Supreme Court can promise voters," Wilson stated in addressing the Army and Navy Association in San Antonio Thursday. "I pledge, if elected, to add my efforts to those of the present court, toward this end."

Wilson, the only veteran in the race, returned from World War II service in the Southwest Pacific with a desire to enter

public life. He was elected Dallas County District Attorney in a five-man race in 1946, and re-elected two years later by an overwhelming majority.

His drive in Dallas against organized crime attracted national attention. Formerly president of the District and County Attorney's association of Texas, Wilson is now chairman of the Texas Bar Association's steering committee to modernize the State Penal Code.

Wilson attended the Dallas public schools, and then earned a science degree from Oklahoma University and law degree from Southern Methodist, working as a roughneck in the oil fields to finance his education.

During the war he saw active combat on Blak and Luzon. As commanding officer of the 465th Field Artillery Battalion on Northern Luzon, he accepted the surrender of the forces of General Yamashita, infamous Japanese

military leader. During his service with the Army, he earned a bronze star for voluntary patrol behind Japanese lines.

Before the war, Wilson was trial lawyer for a large Dallas civil law firm, later resigning to become Assistant Attorney General under Gerald Mann and Grover Sellers. He specialized in fully prosecuting cases involving millions of dollars of endowment funds for the public schools.

"To the Supreme Court, I will bring the vigor of my middle years and the experience of a court room attorney, fresh from the trial of contested lawsuits for the people of Texas," says Wilson. "I hope to carry on the tradition of fine public service to which Judge Taylor has devoted his life." It is a retiring Judge W. M. Taylor's place on the Supreme Court bench which Wilson seeks.

**RAMSEY MOVING INTO FAVORITE'S POSITION**

Ben Ramsey, former Secretary of State and candidate for lieutenant governor, is moving into the favorite's position in the race, the Lufkin Daily News said in an editorial.

As Ramsey completed another campaign swing in his whirlwind tour of the state, he reported that although the news from the Korean battlefields had overshadowed interest in politics, he was still encouraged by the pledges of support he was receiving across the state.

His most recent campaign swing carried Ramsey through a large portion of East Texas, winding up at his hometown, San Augustine, where the candidate took time out to catch up on chores around his 200-acre farm. Ramsey sprayed his cattle which were bothered by flies in the July heat, and made a tour of pasture lands where the vetch had been knee-high just before his return home. Dallis grass had completely halted erosion in one section of the pasture.

The editorial in the the Lufkin Daily News endorsing Ramsey's candidacy for lieutenant governor said in part:

"Ramsey served two terms as state senator from this district and his legislative accomplishments were many. Throughout his career he has stood for economy and soundness in government, and firm against leftist experiments and wasteful spending."

"Following his retirement from the state Senate, the late Gov. Beauford Jester gave Ramsey still further honors by appointing him Secretary of State. He held this office with customary capability into the administration of Gov. Allan Shivers, resigning the post to enter the race for lieutenant governor."

"All those who have known Ramsey through his years of public service know that if elected lieutenant, governor, he will make Texas a most capable state official. More and more Texans are learning this fact daily, and as he becomes better known throughout the entire state, Ramsey moves into the favorite's position in the campaign sweepstakes."

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:**

The Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School District, will receive competitive sealed bids at the Baird High School until 3:00 P. M. Tuesday, July 25, 1950 separately for the construction of a masonry Elementary School and the remodeling of the present 3 story brick school building into an auditorium.

Plans and Specifications are available upon application to the Architects, Paul G. Silber & Company, 1919 Cincinnati Avenue, San Antonio, on deposit of \$25.00.

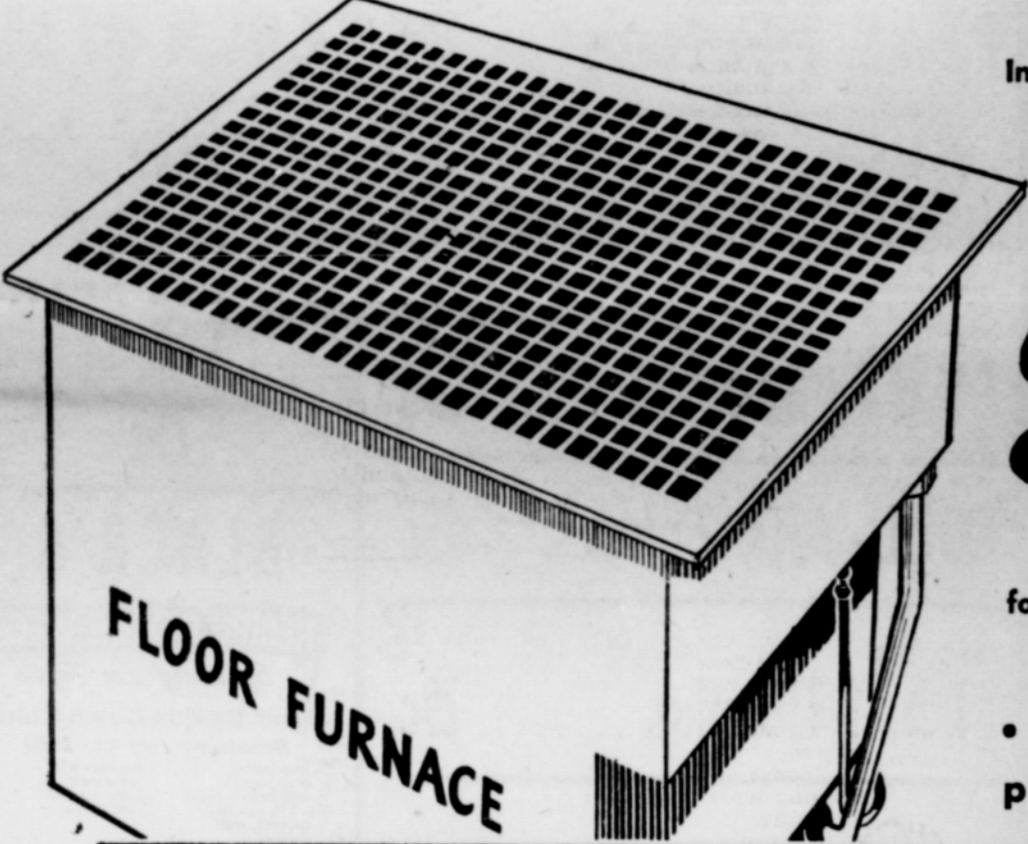
All bids must be submitted on forms prepared and furnished by the Architects.

A certified check or Bidder's Bond made payable to the Baird Independent School District in the sum of \$3000.00 must accompany the General Bids, and \$500.00 each on the Mechanical bids.

The Trustees reserve the right to accept any or reject any or all bids.

July 6, 13, 20.

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When cold weather strikes there is always a rush for heating equipment. If you are caught in this rush, installation of your heating equipment may be delayed. You will suffer discomfort and inconvenience.

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- Flue-Vented**—Products of combustion are carried to the out of doors through a vent. This helps prevent wall and window sweating; eliminates stuffy air.
- Tends itself**—Automatic control turns furnace on and off to maintain desired warmth. Set it and forget it. New controls are not affected by periodic power failures.
- Economical**—Floor furnaces equipped with automatic controls use only enough fuel to maintain desired temperature. No fuel wasted by overheating. Saves redecorating costs caused by excessive wall and window sweating.
- Healthful**—Floor furnaces' air circulation distributes warmth evenly. No underheating or drafts which may cause dangerous colds.
- Satisfaction assured**—Lone Star Gas Company heating specialists are qualified to locate and install furnaces for efficient operation. Your investment is protected further by manufacturer's 10-Year Guarantee.



Many Gas Appliance Dealers, Heating Contractors as well as Lone Star Gas Company are holding Summer Sales on heating equipment. Take advantage of the savings. Get your home ready for winter now.

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**NELSON SEEKS PLACE ON CRIMINAL COURT**

Former State Senator G. H. (Hobert) Nelson of Lubbock County is spending the last days before the July 22 primary campaigning in his native North East Texas for Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Nelson, who has been honored by the people of West Texas as county attorney, district attorney and state senator, was reared in Cass County. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Nelson of Linden, Texas. He was educated in the public schools of Cass County, East Texas State College at Commerce, and the University of Texas law school. He married the former Miss Aileen Hackney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hackney of Pickton, Hopkins County.

Nelson has received editorial support for the judgeship of the Court of Criminal Appeals from newspapers large and small in various sections of Texas, including the San Antonio Express and the Victoria Advocate.

Senator and Mrs. Nelson have four children, the oldest of whom, Mrs. Roland Nabors and her family, reside in El Paso where her husband, Roland Nabors, is football coach at Texas Western.

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

Purebred hogs, exemplifying the progress made in the Texas swine industry during the past 50 years, will be a big feature of the 1950 State Fair of Texas Mid-Century Exposition, Oct. 7-22, Ray W. Wilson, manager of the Fair's livestock department, has announced.

Breeders will compete for \$8,636 in premiums in the show scheduled for October 7-15.

The judging program includes: Poland China, Spotted Poland China, Berkshire and York-

shire, Monday Oct. 9; Hampshire, Duroc, OIC and Chester White, Tuesday, Oct. 10; and Fat Barrows (all breeds), Wednesday, Oct. 11.

This will be the first time in the 65-year history of the State Fair that the Yorkshire breed has been exhibited.

The State Fair gives swine breeders the opportunity of showing to the largest audience in the world. More than 2,000,000 persons are expected to attend the great 1950 exposition, Wilson pointed out.

Included in this vast audience will be more than 100,000 4-H Club boys and girls. Future Farmers and Future Homemakers who will be guests of the Fair on Opening Day, he explained.

Swine barns have been completely repainted and redecorated. A well balanced program of wider appeal has been arranged. Hogs will be presented in an effective streamlined show.

With a total of \$72,659 in premiums, the greatest livestock shows in the Fair's history are assured, Wilson added. The program will include beef cattle (Aberdeen-Angus, Brahman, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Short-horn), dairy cattle (Jersey, Guernsey, Holstein-Friesian, Miking Shorthorn), horses (Quarter, Palomino, American Saddle), Sheep and Angora Goats and the Junior Livestock show.

Swine judges are: A. L. Anderson, Ames Iowa and J. H. Baumgardner, Lubbock W. L. Stangel, Lubbock, is general superintendent of the livestock shows. Fred Hale, College Station, is swine superintendent and Dan Kiber, Arlington, is assistant superintendent.

RANGER RODEO OPENS WEDNESDAY JULY 19TH

RANGER — The 5th Annual Jaycees Championship Rodeo will open July 19, this year with a gigantic parade at 4 p. m. Music will be furnished by several bands of this area. Last year's parade was viewed by more than 5,000 spectators. The Sheriff's Poses of Palo Pinto and Parker counties will also be on hand for the parade.

Opening performance for the rodeo will be at 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, July 19 and continue through Saturday, July 22. Many features have been lined up for the show to make this one of the largest and best rodeos of the entire West. Prize money will total over \$2,500.00.

Silver Johnson and his famous Comey-Car act, direct from California, will be on hand to entertain the spectators, along with World Famous Clowns and Bull Fighters Don Wilcox, Ruth Marlam and Mitzel Lucas Riley will exhibit all forms of trick and fancy riding. Other features

include Cowgirls Sponsor Contest, Cutting Horse Contest, plus bareback and saddle bronc riding, Brahma bull riding, calf roping and steer roping.

Ted Gouldy and his Texo Feed Hired Hands will be on hand each evening for a program just prior to the rodeo, and will play for a dance after the rodeo the first three nights.

Special events for Thursday night's performance will be a calf scramble for FFA boys for registered Jersey heifers, and on Friday night a pig scramble.

Reserve tickets are now on sale at the rodeo ticket office, Phone 418, 214 Main St. Ranger.

VIEWS ON FARM PROGRAM EXPRESSED BY McDONALD

Veteran Commissioner of Agriculture, J. E. McDonald, has definite views on a national farm program.

He believes in a two-price system for marketing agricultural products—a full parity price for that portion allotted for consumption in the United States, this allotment to be made in units such as bales, bushels or pound and NOT in acres—and the farmer left free to produce in excess of American needs for sale in foreign markets at world market prices.

McDonald believes that each commodity should finance its own program.

"Cotton should finance the cotton program," McDonald explained, "wheat the wheat program, etc., making it unnecessary for Congress to appropriate funds out of the Federal treasury."

"This program would enable the American farmer to have purchasing power with which to live by American standards and, at the same time, place him in the best position to maintain and extend foreign markets for our agriculture products, which is so essential for full employment on the farm and in the factory."

"Any farm program that does not benefit other essential American groups as it does the farmer himself will fail and should fail," according to the Texas Commissioner of Agriculture.

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"PRINCE OF PEACE" UNUSUAL PRODUCTION

One of the most unusual—and definitely one of the most worthwhile—movies to reach a local theatre screen in many years is the new cinecolor production, The Lawton Story of "The Prince of Peace", showing at the Plaza Theatre, starting next Wednesday, July 26th. Its reverence, simplicity and faithful portrayal of the Life of Jesus Christ makes it indeed a thing of beauty and a picture of great significance in this war weary world.

Produced at a cost of more than \$2,500,000 by Hallmark Productions as an answer to the plea from Christian leaders everywhere for a feature-length motion picture with a great spiritual message, "The Prince of Peace" is a gem that will be viewed over and over again by youngsters and adults alike as the decades roll by. Its current showing at the Plaza is to be its only local run within three years, according to the theatre's announcement.

The Lawton Story of "The Prince of Peace" is actually two stories in one. The picture is based on the life of the famous Little Minister, Rev. A. Mark Wallock of Lawton, Oklahoma, and his world-famous Easter pageant which has become America's greatest Passion Play. A full year in filming, the producers have tried the impossible and accomplished the unusual by casting professional Hollywood actors and actresses into certain of the story's rolls and surrounding them with a cast of more than 3,000 strict amateurs—citizens of Lawton, Oklahoma—who handle the biblical roles with sheer perfection and amazing sincerity.

"The Prince of Peace" is top screen fare for Christian people—men, women and children who believe in God and who want to learn more of the story of Jesus Christ. It incorporates 53 tableaux from the New Testament in providing the screen's first great treatment of The Passion Play.

The Story of Jesus is enacted with such simplicity and told with such thoroughness that from tiny tots to aging ministers, everyone in the audience learns more of the Greatest Story Ever Told than has ever been possible thru reading or studying. Visual education is at its very best in "The Prince of Peace"—and the film already has been tagged as one that will be seen by more school children than any other picture ever made.

A new and pleasing child-star, 6-yr-old Ginger Prince, is introduced in The Lawton Story of "The Prince of Peace". A native of Atlanta, Ga., Miss Prince is a discovery of Hollywood's young Ohio-born producer, Kroger Babb, and her talents are well displayed in this, her first screen vehicle. Ginger sings four songs well and gives a creditable performance throughout. Her rendition of the well-loved hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy" in Uncle Mark's church choir will move the most hard-hearted. In gayer vein, Ginger really puts over "Down in Oklahoma" and has the audience humming it as they leave the theatre. She sings two other songs with charm and an amazing sense of rhythm in one so young.

When the actual scenes of the life of Christ come on the screen the audience is hushed to silence. Its beauty is breathtaking. There is not a single professional actor in the pageant. Every part is taken by a native Oklahoman, coached and rehearsed by Rev. Wallock. The sincerity and genuineness of their portrayals has resulted in

a story of the life of the great Man of Nazareth that will appeal to persons of all religions—or of none. Millard Coody plays the role of Jesus and it is hard to believe that he is actually a man living in the world today, even though we see him earlier throughout the film playing the role of himself, a bank teller in his home town of Lawton. His portrayal of Christ is so real that viewing the picture one has the feeling of living in His time. The role of the Virgin Mary is played by Darlene Bridges and it is one for which her gentleness of manner and voice fit her perfectly.

HEALTH FACTS

AUSTIN — State Health Officer George W. Cox has turned the bright light of optimism on the heretofore dark picture of polio in Texas.

Observing that the state's 1000 cases of polio since the year's beginning has occurred among a population of 7½ million people, the health official Thursday deplored "the attitude of hysteria that polio creates in a community."

That didn't mean people should not be concerned, the doctor commented, for a case of illness in any form is good reason for great concern.

"I'm talking about the fear that keeps a person or a whole community from thinking straight. Of course each case of polio is an individual tragedy for the family involved, but wholesale public panic simply is not justified."

He doesn't want to encourage complacency either, the state health officer said, adding:

"Every clear-thinking effort must be made to keep every home, every community, every vacation camp consistently clean and sanitary. Briefly, elimination of fly and insect breeding places, personal cleanliness, and getting milk, water and food from safe, approved sources will aid in preventing a number of communicable diseases."

National statistics, Dr. Cox asserted, show good reason for optimism in most cases of polio. According to the figures, from 40 to 60 per cent of all victims recover completely and can do anything they choose.

From 25 to 40 per cent recover with only minor disability, and can, within very wide limits, lead perfectly normal lives. From 15 to 20 per cent are more severely handicapped, and 5 to 10 per cent terminate fatally.

"It all goes to show that polio is actually a minor cause of illness, and an even less significant cause of death, when compared to certain other communicable diseases," the health officer concluded.

Mrs. Cordie Bailey of Clyde, Mrs. Ella Farrar and Mrs. Lella McGowen of Baird visited Mrs. Nora Warren at Cisco and Mrs. Lettie Short and family at DeLeon this week.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY:

An abnormally large amount of business passing through the Sheriff's office the past several weeks has occupied all of my time, denying me the privilege of contacting many voters in behalf of my candidacy for reelection to a second term. Hence this letter of explanation to let you know that I am deeply desirous of your support in the forthcoming primary election.

I believe all of you realize that it is my sworn obligation to dispatch the duties of the office to which you elected me, and I hope those whom I have been unable to contact will understand my position. Between now and July 22 I hope to see and solicit the support of those of you whom I have missed, but should I fail to contact anyone it is my sincere wish that this will be construed as a personal request for your vote on election day.

Thanking each and everyone for the courtesies accorded me during the campaign, the fine cooperation given the Sheriff's department during my tenure of office, and with very best wishes to all, I am

Your servant,  
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Supt. and Mrs. K. H. Rowland and daughter, Nancy, returned Saturday night from a vacation trip to Salt Lake City, Yellow Stone National Park and points of interest in Colorado.

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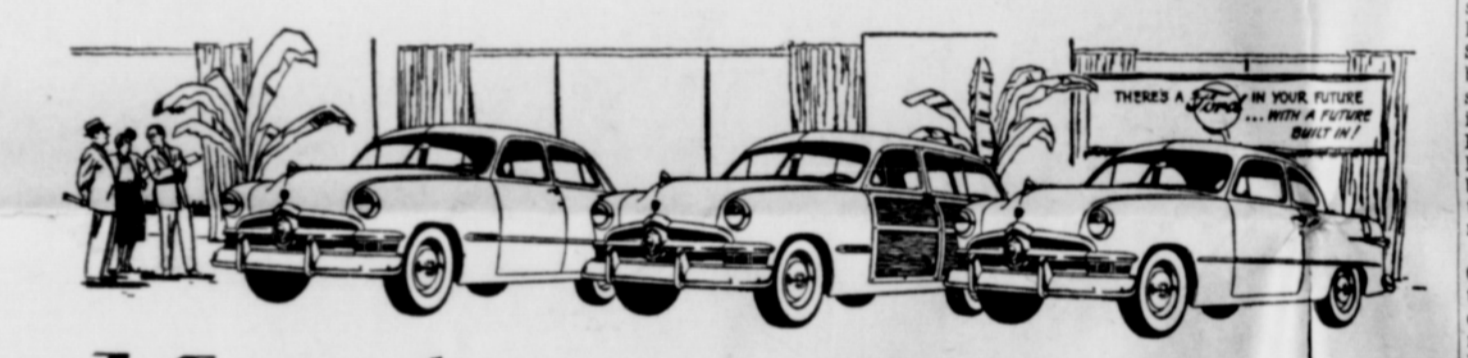
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In Our Home Town  
By Atrelle Dill

Last week we made mention of the Baird children attending summer camps throughout the district, and at the request of the parents of these children we want to tell you that each child from this community who attended a Girl Scout camp was eligible for and received a "camp scholarship" from the Girl Scout Council here. This paid part of the tuition fee. So now, you townspeople who have subscribed

so generously to Scout work, realize more than ever the fine use your money is put to.

Guess who we saw this week? Clifton Harris, a former Bairdite who is visiting here from California. Clifton, remember, was assistant printer at the Baird Star when ye olde reporter was just beginning to push a pencil. It was good to see an old friend and remember the good old days, and nice too, to meet the very pretty Mrs. Harris and two lovely children.

An enthusiastic hobby clubber is Lyndall Mae Ault. Mrs. Ault collects unusual salt and pepper shakers. She has over fifteen sets, all different. Some hale from Mexico, others were made in Hawaii—all are unique and interesting.

Pretty yard mention goes this week to the McClung home. The shrubbery arrangement, the expense of well-kept lawn, all make this one of the most attractive places in town.

You know, of course, that Glen Rockey is a good businessman, a fine fella' to know, but did you realize that he's a slightly terrific musician? I don't know his exact rating, but it's somewhere around the genius mark. Glenn has one particular "stunt" his friends never tire of hearing. It concerns a story which Glenn is tops in telling, about a man who can play but one tune, but the way he varies that melody to carry it from a wedding march to a funeral dirge is one for the book. Ask him to do it sometimes.

Mrs. Charnell Harp and daughters, Sally of Pawnee, Okla., Mrs. Garvin Jones and Jerry Lynn of Greggton and little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ramsey of Fort Worth, who were visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. D. F. Harp, have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and daughter, Glynda, spent last week on a vacation trip to Houston, Galveston and San Antonio. In Houston they visited Mr. Gilbreath's brother, John Gilbreath and Mrs. Gilbreath, and in San Antonio they visited his sister Mrs. J. T. Seate and family. Kay Gilbreath visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Penn at Mercury last week.

## BEN RAMSEY WINDS UP CAMPAIGN

Ben Ramsey wound up his campaign this week for Lieutenant Governor among his old friends and neighbors in the piney woods of East Texas. Ramsey predicted at Lufkin, in the heart of his old Senatorial District, that he would lead the ticket Saturday by a substantial majority.

"My opponents are fine men," the tall East Texan said, "but the people will vote for me because I am the candidate with the most experience. Our citizens need and demand the sound judgment and technical know-how that only experience can provide."

Ramsey traveled extensively all over the State talking to the folks at the forks of the creek. "The people know that I understand their problems," Ramsey said, "and my record proves that I will fight to serve their interests."

"With radical forces on the march throughout the world," Ramsey continued, "this is the time that Texans most need a steady hand at the helm."

## FARMERS HAVE TEN DAYS LEFT FOR FILING

Farmers have only 10 more days to file their applications for free government classing and market news services, H. J. Matejowsky said today.

Matejowsky is in charge of the Abilene cotton classing office, U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

August 1 is the deadline for filing applications for these services due all farmers who belong to organized cotton improvement groups.

Last year, seventy per cent of the cotton ginnings in this area were classed by the Abilene cotton office. This cotton was classed for farmers without cost under the Smith-Doxey Act, Matejowsky reported.

Applications should be mailed to P. O. Box 2001, Abilene, Texas.

Mrs. S. E. Stokes of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Stokes and children, Susan Ann and Terry Elizabeth, of Austin, were weekend visitors in the W. D. Boydston home.

## STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

One-hundred thousand 4-H Club boys and girls, future Farmers and Future Homemakers, the largest gathering of rural youth in the world, is the goal set for Rural Youth Day at the Mid-Century Exposition of the 1950 State Fair of Texas, Ray W. Wilson, manager of the Fair's Rural Youth activities program, has announced.

This group of young and enthusiastic future farmers, future homemakers and ranchers will swarm the grounds of the great state fair in the world on Opening Day, Oct. 1, as guests of the State Fair, Wilson said.

The farm youngsters are expected to converge on Dallas from every corner of Texas. They will be admitted free to the Fair and will be furnished with a free lunch, provided by Dallas business leaders and the Dallas Chamber of Commerce.

The State Fair regards its rural youth project as one of its most important educational undertakings. From a healthy start in 1946 when 30,000 boys and girls attended the Fair, the event mushroomed to a record attendance of 75,000 in 1949, Wilson said.

On Friday night, October 6, recognition will be given 50 outstanding Future Farmers, Future Homemakers, 4-H Club boys and girls at the honor Award dinner in the Crystal Ballroom of the Baker Hotel. The dinner will be sponsored by Dallas business leaders and the Dallas Chamber of Commerce.

Hotel accommodations have been arranged for this group of outstanding Future Farmers, Future Homemakers, 4-H Club boys and girls. Their parents, teachers and extension agents are also being invited to be guests at the Honor Award Dinner.

Even though last year's attendance of 75,000 rural youth broke all records, the 1950 goal of 100,000 will attract more attention than ever before. These young homemakers, farmers and ranchers from every section of the state will receive the recognition they deserve for their part in the development of Texas' agriculture and livestock industries, Wilson said.

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## PIERCE BROOKS OF DALLAS HAILS BELDON POLL

Pierce Brooks, Dallas insurance executive, and candidate for lieutenant governor, hails the Beldon poll which shows him far in the lead of all his opponents, as convincing proof that the runaway cost of state government is the number one concern of the people.

Brooks is campaigning for lieutenant governor on a platform calling for the elimination of waste and extravagance in the operation of the state government and a curb on any new taxes until the state's financial affairs are put on a sound business basis.

"Our state government," Brooks says, "is composed of 188 boards, bureaus and commissions which perform not more than 20 clearly defined functions. It is a hodge-podge of disjointed agencies lying around loose and spending all the money they can get. The whole procedure violates every principal of sensible and economical conduct of good business."

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## JOAN DAVIS COMEDY SET FOR LOCAL BOW

Columbia's Pictures' "The Traveling Saleswoman," starring Joan Davis in the title role, is coming to the Plaza Theatre next Tuesday. Featured in support of the comedienne are Andy Devine, in the principal assisting role, and Adele Jergens, Joe Sawyer and Dean Riesner.

Joan, as the Traveling Saleswoman, is the answer to the question of what made the Wild West wild. With Andy playing the romantic interest, Joan is said to make a whirlwind tour of the wide open spaces selling soap — and the biggest laughs of her career.

The screen play by Howard Dimsdale was directed by Charles F. Riesner.

Mrs. C. F. Young was taken to Dallas Saturday where she will receive medical treatment. She was accompanied to Dallas by her son, Bernie Young, and Carl Gillit.

Mrs. A. M. Waggoner and her granddaughter, Betty Jo Holt of Albany, left Thursday for Del Rio to visit Mrs. Waggoner's sister, Mrs. J. C. Bureson.

## H. D. COUNCIL MEETS

The Callahan County Council met in regular session, Monday July 10 in the Court House in Baird, with 11 officers present and 2 visitors. Mrs. Patton, chairman presided for the business meeting.

Plans were made for the annual club encampment which will be held August 1 and 2 at Mrs. P. H. Patton's cabin at Ft. Phantom Lake. All clubs of the county are invited to attend.

Mrs. J. N. Broadfoot was elected T. H. D. A. chairman.

Mrs. Wes Patton, Mrs. E. E. Harrison and Mrs. J. N. Broadfoot were elected as delegates to the State Meeting to be held in Big Spring on August 33-24.

## LEGION MEETING

The American Legion will hold a meeting Monday night, July 24, to discuss much important business, among which will be the election of a new commander. Due to the increased duties on the Draft Board, Mr. Terrell Williams finds he will be unable to assume the responsibilities of Post Commander.

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