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The Baird Star

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

CALLAHAN COUNTY, In Central West Texas, organized 1877; area 882 square miles, pop. 11,600. Rolling prairies, and wooded areas of mesquite, post oak, live oak. Soil sandy to chocolate loam. Elevation 1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.

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MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

Wreck Victims Recovering

Mrs. Flossie Lee Kincaid and her four children of Kermit and Frances Wren of Antlers, Okla., were reported to be improving here after they were injured in a highway accident on Mount Airy, two miles west of Baird, last Thursday night, which was fatal to Newton Carter, 22, of Kermit.

The accident occurred when the car driven by Carter, carrying his family, the Kincaid family and Miss Wren, figured in a collision with a truck.

The body of Mrs. Carter was shipped by Wylie Funeral Home to Arkadelphia, Ark., his childhood home, for burial Saturday morning.

USE OF .22 RIFLES REQUESTED STOPPED

Sheriff S. S. Nichols has been asked to control the use of .22 rifles around the Baird community and thus prevent serious accidents in the future. A number of boys have been shooting their guns in the vicinity of the railroad lake, in the outskirts of Baird, and other places where such practice endangers the lives of people and livestock. Sheriff Nichols asks parents of boys to help prevent accidents by not letting their children shoot rifles here. A bullet from a .22 can be dangerous within a mile, and there is no safe place around the city for shooting.

ANN BARTON HONORED ON SECOND BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton honored their daughter, Ann, on her second birthday with an outdoor party at their home Monday.

The hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Tee Baulch, Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mrs. J. B. Paylor, Mrs. Hulan Barr, and Mrs. R. L. Elliott served ice cream cones to the following: Janet Ross, Judy Ann Morgan, Carol Lynn McGowen, Johynn George, Susan Barr, John Coppinger of Abilene, Scotty Scott of Clyde, Betty and Joe Pritchard, Carlise Sue Hunter, Wayne Boyd, Andrea Gay Stone, Arnold Colcleasure, Jr., Mary Jane Jones, Donald Macdonald, Karen and Taber Bearden, David Sutphen, Jud and Gary Gilliland, Dickey Elliott, Cheryl Sue Sims, Johnny Paylor of Clyde, Billie Beth Bell, Sandra Webster of Austin, Barbara and Elizabeth Ann Snyder, Mary Ross, Koma Sue and Lewis Settle, Linda Dill, and Mes. Hugh Ross, Gladys Webb, George Morgan, Carroll McGowen, Buster George, Hulan Barr, Jimmy Settle, Parker Coppinger of Abilene, Alvis Dill, Blanton Scott of Clyde, A. H. Pritchard, Marvin Hunter, Lowell Boyd, Tee Baulch, Andy Stone, Arnold Colcleasure, Sr., Wendell Jones, Lea Macdonald, Frank Bearden, Curtis Sutphen, Haynie Gilliland, R. L. Elliott, Jr., Jack Sims, J. B. Paylor and W. B. Barton of Clyde.

"I'LL BE HOME IN A YEAR" SAYS HAYNIE GILLILAND

The editor stopped by Legion hospital to see Haynie Gilliland when he made a trip to Bandera last weekend. "I'll be home in a year," Gilliland said with much enthusiasm, and from the way he is improving, we know he will be back in that time. He looks better than we've ever seen him. Our daughter, Dolores, returned from Bandera with us after visiting there for a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baulch of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch left Saturday for Jal, N. M., to attend the wedding of J. W. Baulch, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry and daughters, Helen Jane and Pat, of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. W. V. Walls, and his sister, Mrs. Ed Alexander.

Jackson Elected As Legion Commander



RANDALL JACKSON

At the election of officers meeting, June 24th, Randall Jackson, local attorney, was chosen as commander of Eugene Bell Post of the American Legion. Mr. Jackson was one of four candidates for the office. Other officers elected were Bruce Bell, 1st vice commander; D. J. Anderson, 2nd vice commander; Bob Joy, adjutant and finance officer; Billie Mac Jobe, chaplain; B. H. Freeland, service officer; Claude Flores, historian; Dr. M. L. Stubblefield, child welfare officer; Jimmie Settles, assistant adjutant and finance officer; Johnnie Sparks, sergeant-at-arms.

Installation of these officers will take place at the Legion but in Baird, August 12, 1947.

SON BORN ON DAD'S BIRTHDAY

A son was born to County Agent and Mrs. A. R. Grote, Jr., on June 21st, Mr. Grote's birthday. The baby has been named Richard Davis Grote, and both baby and mother are reported to be doing just fine. This red letter day, June 21, was also the wedding day of the County Agent's brother, Frederick N. Grote to Miss Irene Goebler at Yorktown. Congratulations.

NEW CHEVROLET TRUCK DISPLAYED AT RAY'S

A new Advance Design Chevrolet truck is on display at Ray Motor Company. The new truck's exclusive feature is a cab that "breathes," which is said to be the greatest contribution to driver comfort and safety in truck history. Ray Motor Company invites Callahan county people to visit their show room and see the new truck which has increased load space, longer-than-ever wheelbases and a host of other improvements destined to make Chevrolet even more highly preferred by truck owners.

FFA BOYS ASKED TO HAND IN RECORDS

E. L. Reese, vocational agriculture teacher, is asking all FFA boys to bring their project record books to the Agriculture building at the high school on Friday, June 27th, between the hours of 10 and 12 noon.

CORRECTION IN PRICE OF FORD ENGINE

Earl Johnson Motor Company informs The Star that the price of a rebuilt Ford V-8 engine installed is \$125.00. The Ford ad in this issue gives the price of \$202.15, but this is the price for a brand new engine.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our heartfelt thanks for the many deeds of kindness and sympathy, for the beautiful floral offerings and the prepared food brought to the family, during our bereavement. Your kindness will always be remembered.

Mrs. W. E. Jeter and daughter
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jeter
Miss Patricia Jeter
Mrs. Buford Childers.

Mrs. B. F. Andrews and daughter, Gloria, of Abilene, are visiting his sister, Mrs. W. V. Walls.

City Accepts New Service Man

The application of T. D. Smallwood of Brownwood for the position of city electrician was accepted when the city council met in regular session Monday evening. The place will be vacant when R. L. Elliott resigns as utilities manager July 1st. Mr. Smallwood's application was favored over a number of others, but he was not present at the meeting and it is not determined whether he will accept the position in the final end. He is highly recommended for the position, having had a number of years experience in this type of work. His experience has been at Camp Bowie and Camp Hood during the war and later with the Rural Electrification Administration. He is married and has two daughters.

MISS DICKEY GOING TO STAMFORD RODEO

Miss Gwen Dickey will be sponsored in the Stamford Rodeo on July 2, 3 and 4 by the Moutray Hereford Ranch. Miss Dickey is becoming a well-known cowgirl around the arenas throughout West Texas, and Baird is proud of her as a representative.

MISS RUSSELL GRADUATES FROM TEXAS U.

Miss Elayne Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Russell, Jr., graduated from Texas University when exercises were held June 2, obtaining her BA degree in Arts and Science. Miss Russell will be at home here this summer, but has not made definite plans for the coming school year.

INSTRUCTOR TO PREACH AT PUTNAM CHURCH

Harry Payne, instructor in Bible and history at Abilene Christian College, will preach in a gospel meeting to be held at the Church of Christ in Putnam, with services beginning Friday, June 27th and lasting through Sunday, July 6. Everyone is invited to attend all of the services.

ALL DAY SINGING AT ROWDEN SUNDAY

There will be an all day singing at Rowden Baptist Church, Sunday, June 29th. Singing classes from several places are expected to be present. Everyone is cordially invited.

MOWER FOR CEMETERY

The city has purchased a new lawn mower to be used in keeping the grounds at Ross cemetery. Our cemetery is one of the best kept burial grounds in all this section and those responsible for its good condition are to be commended for their work.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Boatwright and daughter, Lenora Ann of Algeria, La., spent the past week visiting Mr. Boatwright's mother, Mrs. Lenora Boatwright and other relatives. Accompanied by his mother, they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith and family of Dallas this week.

Mrs. C. L. Clay and sons, Charles and Robert of Big Spring, are visiting Mrs. Clay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boatwright.

Dan Holt and son, Warren, of Saloam Springs, Ark., and E. B. Holt of Coffeyville, Ken., left Sunday after visiting their sister, Mrs. K. V. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cargal and sons, George and Mike, spent Saturday and Sunday in Sweetwater visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nex.

Basil Johnson, Jr., Walters, Okla., is spending the summer with his mother, Mrs. Bess Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil West and children, Norman, Bowlus, Sarann of Crane, and Mrs. Earl Haley of Big Spring arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. West's mother, Mrs. W. G. Bowlus.

Wreck Victims Rites at Baird

Graveside rites for William Eldreath Jeter, 24, who died following a highway accident at Wills Point about 9 p. m. Friday, was conducted at 4 p. m. Sunday in the Ross cemetery. Rev. A. A. Davis, Baptist pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. John English, Methodist pastor. Burial was under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Jeter's death occurred about 30 minutes after the accident in which Curtis Faulk of Dallas, driving a truck in which Jeter was riding, was killed instantly. Both were employed with the Buckner Construction Co. of Cleburne. Jeter was enroute here to spend the weekend at the time of the accident.

Jeter was born March 3, 1923, in Haskell county, and had lived in Baird eight years. He served in the Navy three years, spending most of that time overseas. He was married to Bess Voights on Dec. 11, 1944, in San Francisco, Calif.

Other survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jeter of Baird; one daughter, Sharon Ann, nine months old; two sisters, Mrs. Maxine Childress of Cisco, and Patricia Sue Jeter of Baird; and grandfather, W. J. Jeter of Haskell.

PUTNAM COUPLE WEDS IN CISCO

Mrs. Ruth Isenhower and E. P. Whitaker, prominent Putnam residents, were married in a quiet ceremony in Cisco May 29th. The vows were read by Rev. Roberts, pastor of the Cisco Baptist Church, in the living room of the pastorate. The announcement of the wedding came as a surprise to the many friends of the couple. As the glad news spread Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker were showered with gifts and messages to wish them happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker are planning to make their home in Weatherford after July 15 where he will open a cabinet shop.

GRASS ERADICATION SLATED FOR JUNE 27

The demonstration on Bermuda grass eradication scheduled for Friday, June 20, has been postponed until Friday, June 27. It will take place at 1:30 p. m. at the Hoyt Lovorn farm ten miles south and one mile east of Baird. The previous date was cancelled due to rain and the absence of the county agent. Everyone who is interested in killing Bermuda grass in their fields or gardens are invited to be present.

Mrs. W. C. Pruitt and her sister, Mrs. Jack Mason of Sweetwater, returned Wednesday from Edgewood, accompanied by their mother Mrs. Mary Long, who has been ill for the past year. Mrs. Long will go to Sweetwater to reside with Mrs. Mason.

We enjoyed a visit with Sam Williamson when he came to town from his Rowden home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sutphen and Bobby Lyn, of Brownwood, visited his mother, Mrs. G. E. Sutphen and other relatives here Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Morris Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Bentley and son, Armo and grandson Joe Ray of Putnam, and granddaughters of Joe Beth, Robbie Jean and Ilene Bentley.

J. T. Boyd, Dallas, visited his niece, Mrs. S. L. McElroy, and Mr. McElroy during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sutphen are invited to be the guests of The Baird Star and the Plaza Theatre

Sunday or Monday
June 29 or 30
to see

"Never Say Goodbye"
(Present this coupon at the box office of the Plaza Theatre for admission.)



FANCY GOLFER — A crowd of miniature golf players gathered around to see John Conlin's technique when he made the course in a 53 score. Conlin was high man for the season until two other golfers hit a 52 on the 18-hole course this week.



YOUNG GOLFERS — Mary Ross, Elizabeth Ann and Barbara Snyder, daughters of Mayor and Mrs. Hugh Ross and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder, find golfing in the cool of the evening at the new Pritchard-Reese miniature golf course to be a lot of fun. Mrs. Snyder was standing by to keep their score when this photo was made.

JOLENE HARRIS AND BILL ECHOLS WED

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris of the Eula community, have announced the marriage of their only daughter, Jolene, to Bill Echols, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Echols of Caddo. The ceremony uniting the couple was read in Ballinger by Rev. Hayes.

Mrs. Echols was a member of the spring graduating class of the Breckenridge high school and was chosen queen of the Future Farmers of America organization of Texas in 1946. While her father was superintendent of Abilene state park four years, Mrs. Echols attended Tuscola high school and was prominent in school activities. The Harris family lived in Caddo last year while Mr. Harris was superintendent of Possum Kingdom lake. They recently moved to their farm near Eula.

Echols, former student of Hardin-Simmons university in Abilene, is associated with his father in the ranching and oil business in Caddo, where the couple will live.

STAR WILL OBSERVE THE FOURTH

The Baird Star office will be closed all day July 4th and 5th, Friday and Saturday to observe the Glorious Fourth. It isn't often that we have the opportunity to celebrate the Fourth of July by closing up and acting like other red-blooded Americans, but as the big day comes on Friday this year, we will get the paper out on schedule, and the office and shop crew will be back on the job (if we don't celebrate just too much) Monday morning to pick up where we left off. We wish for all our readers a Grand and Glorious Fourth.

Miss Carol Ivey, who is attending John Tarleton at Stephenville, spent last weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Coleman, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bennett Sunday.

Mrs. T. E. Burks of Abilene is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Parks.

CARRICO-ESTES WEDDING

Wedding vows were recited by Dorothy Estes and Wilburn Carrico in a beautiful double ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Estes, Friday June 20, at 4:00 o'clock. Attendants for the couple were Clinton Waddell and Mrs. Jack Sims, sister of the bride.

The bride was dressed in a white dress with blue embroidery, with white accessories and wore a white corsage of carnations. Mrs. Sims was dressed in lime green, with black accessories and wore a pink corsage of carnations. Rev. John English read the double ring ceremony before an improvised altar of ferns and white carnations.

After the ceremony a reception was held and the bride and groom cut the wedding cake, which was white, topped by the bride and groom dolls. Mrs. Joe W. Griffin poured punch and the cake was served by Mrs. Bill Henry. Miss Ida Mae Glover presided at the guest book. Only immediate families of the couple were present for the wedding.

Miss Estes was a graduate of Baird high school in 1943, attended John Tarleton and McMurry Colleges, and at present is attending business college. She is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Mabel Carrico of Putnam. After his discharge from the Army, he has continued his ranching and farming interests near Putnam.

After honeymooning in San Antonio and other points, south, the couple will be at home in Putnam.

ODDFELLOWS TO INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

The semi-annual installation of officers will take place when the Odd Fellows Lodge meets at the Baird hall Tuesday night July 1st, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend this meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Griffin left Monday for a few days visit in Lubbock.

FFA Office Moves Sub-Office Here

Due to a reduction in force caused by a reduced budget for the fiscal year 1948, the Farmers Home Administration office at Baird will be moved to Abilene, Texas. The office in Abilene is located on the second floor of the Agricultural Building which is just east of the court house.

There will be a sub-office at Baird and it will be open on Wednesday of each week. The office is on the third floor of the court house in the same office previously occupied by the Farmers Home Administration. Mr. Clarence Symes will come to Baird each Wednesday to attend to any matter of business here.

Nathan A. Waldrop, who has been in charge of the Baird office, has not decided whether he will accept a transfer or remain in Baird.

CONTRACTOR MOVES IN FOR HIGHWAY JOB

Harry Campbell, contractor for the Clyde-Baird section of the re-routing of Highway 80, is moving in this week, setting up present headquarters in Clyde. A fleet of house trailers is being brought in by highway workers and their families to be ready when the road project begins.

BOBBY SUE EDWARDS AND AUBREY GROUND MARRIED

In a twilight ceremony on Friday, June 20, at the home of Rev. Joe R. Mayes of Abilene, Miss Bobby Sue Edwards, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Edwards of Baird and Robert Edwards of San Angelo, became the bride of Aubrey Ground, son of Mrs. Walker Ground and the late Mr. Ground of Baird. Rev. Mayes read the double ring ceremony. Miss Carol Ivey and Burl Varner were the couple's only attendants.

The bride's dress was of aqua crepe with draped skirt, and she wore a hat of starched pink lace, with other accessories in black. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Her only jewelry was a gold bracelet given to her mother in her girlhood days. Miss Ivey wore a two-piece dress of pink linen, with white accessories, and corsage of white gladioli.

The bride is a 1947 graduate of the Baird High School, where she was a member of the Headlight staff, the Personality Club, and Choral Club, and was chosen most beautiful girl in 1945-46.

Mr. Ground, who graduated from Baird High School in 1940, served in the Army Air Corps for five years. He is employed by the State Highway Department in Baird, where the couple will reside upon their return from a brief wedding trip.

Following the ceremony, an informal reception for the bridal party was held in the Edwards' home, where Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Walker Ground received guests, and Miss Betsy Hickman presided at the bride's book. Throughout the house, floral decoration were of gladioli, Shasta daisies and fern.

An all-white theme was carried out in the crystal and china appointments of the lace-laid dining table, which was centered by an arrangement of daisies on a mirrored reflector, flanked by white candles in crystal holders. Mrs. J. N. Watts of Clyde, aunt of the bride, laded punch, and the wedding cake topped by a miniature bride and groom, was served by the groom's aunt, Mrs. W. L. Bowlus.

Others present at the reception were the groom's sisters, Mrs. Gwendola Shannon of Odessa and Miss Doris Ground, Mrs. Weno Wagner, Misses Corinne Glover, Dehla Thompson, Bernice Ray, Danna Elliott, and Messrs. Glenn Irwin, Robert Warren, Gene Swinson and Paul Varner.

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

Rev. A. A. Davis of Baird delivered our sermon Sunday. Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Echols and Mr. Acheson were with him.

J. C. Cook of Abilene spent last week with his mother, Mrs. R. W. Cook, who has been sick. Raymond, of Monahans, and Edna, of Abilene spent the week-end with her. Raymond is an instructor in a recreation school in Monahans.

Nancy Foy of Brownwood is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin.

Glyna Tarver spent the week-end visiting a sister, Mrs. C. D. Craghead and family of Collinsville, Okla.

The Edmund Webb family are driving a gray Plymouth lately.

Marine Cpl. Jimmy Stokes of Corpus Christi called at the Tarver home Monday. He and ex-Marine Cpl. Foy Tarver served almost three years together in the south Pacific. Needless to say, Texas looks good to him.

The W. T. Faircloth, Sr., home was a festive center Sunday. It was Mrs. Faircloth's birthday. All of their six children were present and also a host of grandchildren and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burklow are visiting a new grandson in Abilene. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Aswell Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens and children of Abilene, visited Mrs. Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson, Sunday.

Gene Faircloth had the misfortune of having his car wrecked in Abilene last week by a drunken driver.

Several from this community attended church in Clyde Sunday night.

Mr. Burton of East Texas, is visiting his sister, Mother Mosley.

Mrs. Pete Burton of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Faircloth, Sr.

The Otto Rogers have relatives visiting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin of Rotan was in our midst Sunday.

Oneal Faircloth is visiting near Bradshaw.

Earl C. Hays was a business visitor here Tuesday from Clyde.

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Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Alexander of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Alexander of Mineral Wells were weekend visitors in the home of their mother, Mrs. L. W. Eanta. They returned Friday by way of Sweetwater where A. B. and wife will visit for a short while before returning home in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Suddereth are spending a few days here. Prof. Suddereth has been teaching on an Indian reservation in New Mexico. He plans to teach in Texas this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Dyess of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collier visited in the home of Mr. W. B. Allen. Mrs. Dyess and Mrs. Collier are daughters of Mr. Allen.

Mrs. W. E. Carpenter has been quite ill this week and is still very sick at this writing. Those of her children who have visited with her over the week were Mr. and Mrs. Less Vann and children, of Lampassas, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Green and daughter, Vonceille of Belton. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carpenter and family of Santa Anna.

Miss Gracie Lee Smith of San Angelo visited her aunt, Mrs. Wade Smith last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bray and girls, of Lubbock, visited the K. B. Robbins home Sunday. Mrs. Bray is a sister of Mrs. Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cooper and children of Cisco, visited in the V. C. Lassiter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tobey of Chino, Calif., visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Moore, last week.

DENTON VALLEY NEWS
Mrs. J. E. Scott
Maurice Ruth Loper, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Loper of Freer, and E. C. Gray, son of Mrs. and Mrs. E. C. Gray of Anson, were united in marriage June 17th in Anson. They will make their home at Anson.

Mrs. W. L. Loper and son, Duane, of Freer, are visiting relatives in Denton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gleason are living in Clyde at present. Mr. Gleason is employed with the Highway Department on construction of Highway 80.

Claude Flores spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Merchant in Abilene, and with the Merchants visited Miss Jane Patton Hall's new ranch home south of Abilene.

Marie Moore of Memphis, Tenn., has arrived in Clyde to spend her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Moore. Other guests of Mrs. Moore the past several days are her brother, W. B. Day from El Paso, and another brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Day from Gorman.

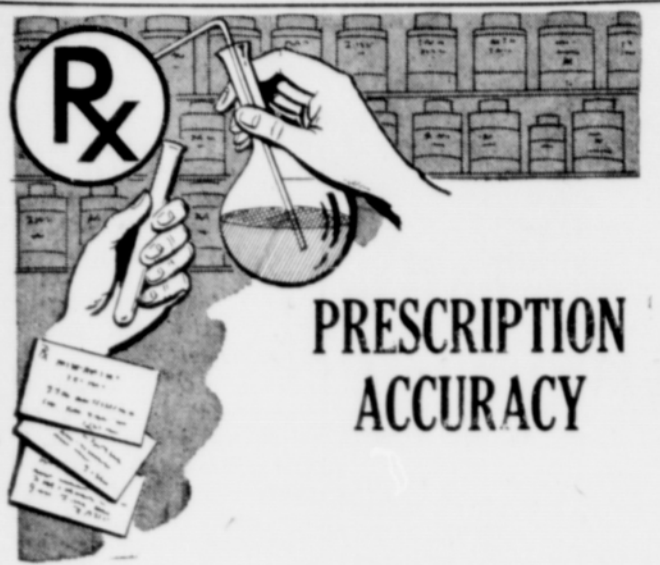
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Farmer have returned from Fort Worth and Mineral Wells where they visited relatives and friends.

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SUMMER ARRIVES WITH VARIETY

Summer arrived Sunday with new floods, a tornado, freezing temperatures and a heavy snow-fall in the Yellowstone National Park region that caused a combined total of at least fifteen deaths.

For much of the nation the coming of summer was marked by the same below normal, rainy weather that made spring one of the coldest and wettest in years.

A flash flood that sent from three to four feet of water cascading through the streets of Cambridge, Neb., drowned an estimated ten persons and a Red Cross representative said the toll might go as high as fif-

teen. There were reports that fifteen to fifty persons had drowned but the Red Cross worker expressed the belief the lower figure was more likely.

The unexpected wave of flood water at 5 a. m. trapped many residents asleep in their beds.

Meanwhile, sixty miles northwest of Cambridge, two motorists were drowned when their car plunged into a creek near Miller, Neb., after hitting a highway washout.

About 100 homes were reported under water at Cambridge where rampant Medicine Creek rose to five feet above its previous highest level.

Ben Frank, manager of the Municipal Airport at near-by McCook, said after a flight over

Cambridge that four feet of water covered the city, including all the business section, and that persons were sitting on rooftops awaiting rescue.

A heavy rain drenched the Cambridge area a few hours before the flood, and tornadoic winds ripped through the central and southwestern section of the state, injuring at least nine persons and causing considerable property damage.

Snow plows inched through heavy drifts on the Montana-Wyoming border, where a snowstorm Friday killed three persons and stalled many automobiles. The plows were seeking to reach the bodies of three park road camp employees, entombed in their truck on an

11,000 foot pass, thirty-five miles west of Red Lodge, Mont. The vehicle bogged down when the employees sought to aid tourists whose cars were stranded in the deep snows.

Other rescue crews, which dug the tourists out after twenty-seven hours, found the bodies of three workers. Their truck was covered by fifteen feet of snow.

Although the flood situation was easing along the Mississippi, additional rains elsewhere threatened to prolong flood conditions that have made more than 20,000 homeless and inundated millions of acres of farm lands in Iowa, Illinois, and Missouri.

Leadville, Colo., was the col-

est place in the nation's weather map, showing 32. Laramie, Wyo., and Butte, Mont., each recorded 34.

Rains were general over the Great Plains and there were thundershowers south of the Ohio River in Kentucky, South Carolina and Georgia.

The Southwest was the only place where the weatherman could find indication that summer had really arrived. Texas had temperatures about normal for this season as did New Mexico and Arizona. In other sections the readings were below normal but the Chicago forecaster said hopefully that there are indications of a slow rise developing.

OCTOBER 4 SET AS PRESS DAY AT STATE FAIR

AMARILLO, June 19 — The joint meeting of the Texas Press Association and the Texas Newspaper Publishers Association today adopted October 4 as official Press Day at the 1947 State Fair of Texas.

The motion was adopted by the general assembly at the Herring Hotel after Secretary Deskin Wells read an invitation from W. H. Hitzelberger, executive vice president and general manager of the State Fair of Texas. Declaring that the press and radio of Texas and the State of Texas have long been partners in the progress of the Southwest, Mr. Hitzelberger invited the newspapermen to a full day of activity at the State Fair.

Headline events of Press and Radio Day will include a barbecue luncheon served by the Chuck Wagon Club of Odessa, a performance of the Broadway

musical hit show, "Annie Get Your Gun," starring Mary Martin; the White Horse Show, and a night football game between Southern Methodist University and the University of Missouri.

"The friendship and support of the Press have been responsible, to a great degree, in making the State Fair of Texas the largest and finest fair or exposition in the country," said Mr. Hitzelberger in his invitation letter to the convention. "The State Fair looks upon the Press and Radio of Texas as the most important single group among the thousands of public-spirited groups and individuals who work for the continuing success of this great Southwestern institution."

More than a thousand newspapermen and their families were guests of the Fair on the opening day last year.

SUSPENSE IN SCREEN STORY OF TWIN SISTERS

Acclaimed as one of the most intriguing psychological melodramas ever screened, Nunnally Johnson's production, "The Dark Mirror," an International Picture, at the Plaza Wednesday and Thursday. Olivia de Havilland and Lew Ayres co-star and Thomas Mitchell heads the strong supporting cast.

"The Dark Mirror" is one of those films which, because of its many interesting facts, no movie goer wants to miss.

In it, Ayres returns to the screen after an absence of more than four years, playing a role perfectly tailored to his abilities. The story provides Miss de Havilland with her most exacting and satisfying portrayal to date, a dual part in which she plays twin girls, one of whom is a paranoiac murderer.

In this psychological melodrama, Hollywood's new directorial sensation, Robert Siodmak, surpasses his success in creating dramatic suspense for "The Spiral Staircase" and in building rugged melodrama in "The Killers."

Maurice Atwood was here from his farm near Wylie Friday.

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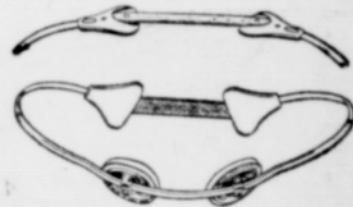
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AMARILLO, June 21 — Paul Porter, head of President Truman's recent economic commission to Greece, said here Friday night that the best ammunition to use against the spread of Communism is the ripening wheat of Texas. In an address prepared for the annual dinner of the Texas Newspaper Publishers Association and the Texas Press Association, Porter declared "we are faced with impending collapse in large areas of Western Europe."

Fuel and food are America's best weapons against totalitarianism, Porter said. These American commodities will be used in favor of economic security and political liberty. Porter described the plan for Greek recovery, which he said was hoped would spread to all Europe. Failure would mean not just economic and political disaster for Europe, but might mean economic and political disaster for the United

States, according to Porter.

Porter said there was no point in concealing the fact that the Greek regime has corrupt and reactionary elements, and that many reforms are necessary.

Porter said that without the aid Britain gave Greece a major economic disaster would have taken place in the country long before now.

The joint session of the Texas newspaper organizations at lunch heard Edward Kennedy, managing editor of the Santa Barbara, Calif., News Press tell how and why he sent the controversial news dispatch telling of Germany's surrender 24 hours before the allied commander released the news. Kennedy said appeasement of Russia was behind the effort to hold up the news until Russia was ready to announce it.

Kennedy told the newsmen that sending his eye-witness account of the German surrender involved "no violation of confidence, no breaking of faith, no impropriety whatsoever of any kind."

He said that his credentials as a war correspondent were returned to him. "I'm all fixed up as a correspondent for World War II," he declared.

The annual press meetings were concluded Saturday morning with business sessions, followed by an afternoon at Ama-

rillo's famous Boys Ranch at Old Tascoca, northwest of the city.

TEXAS CITY BURIES ITS 63 UNKNOWN DEAD

TEXAS CITY, June 22 — Sixty-seven days after its disaster of chainlike explosions and fire, Texas City Sunday committed its sixty-three unknown dead to "God's gracious mercy and protection."

At a one-acre memorial cemetery on the sun-swept Texas coastal plains, five ministers conducted a twenty-minute all-faith burial service for the charred and broken bodies of the unidentified among the 468 known victims of the nation's greatest postwar disaster of April 16-17.

In the background, four miles to the south, rose the skeleton remains of once-proud industrial plants, now only a constant reminder of the catastrophe that touched, directly or indirectly, practically every home in this little city of 15,000.

The quiet-spoken crowd of 2,200 stood patiently around the small cemetery, cut from the roadside edge of a pasture on the northern outskirts of town, as delay in placing the sixty-three identical caskets over the trench-like graves held up the services for two hours.

The services were read in Hebrew, Latin and English from a small rostrum at the center

of the cemetery. Directly in front of the speakers was a large wreath of white roses, containing a red cross. To each side and behind the stand were other floral tributes bearing such simple markings as "mother and dad," "carpenters local," and "Medrano family."

Rabbi Louis Feigon of Galveston opened the service with a Jewish prayer asking, "O God, full of compassion, grant perfect rest unto the souls of these our dead."

Father Carl Kermit, who was assigned to St. Mary's Catholic Church at Texas City after the death of Father William Roach, one of the disaster victims, read the requiem mass.

Three Texas City Protestant clergymen, the Rev. Frank S. Doremus, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church, the Rev. Kenneth Teegarden, pastor of the First Christian Church, and the Rev. M. Johnson, pastor of the Negro First Baptist Church, conducted the Protestant rites.

Doremus, in reading the three fold-faith benediction from the Episcopal prayer book, said, "Unto God's gracious mercy and protection we commit you. The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord makes His face shine upon you and be gracious upon you. The Lord lifts up His countenance upon you and gives you peace, both now and for-

ever."

Following the brief services, the 240 pallbearers, members of Texas City veteran and labor organizations, assisted funeral directors in lowering the cypress caskets into individual boxes in the graves.

The caskets were placed in six rows, three at each end of the cemetery.

As the pallbearers completed the grim task, relatives and friends, many with assistance, walked among the rows and examined closely the simple identification numbers, the only markings on each grave.

Funeral directors from over forty South Texas cities worked throughout Saturday night at the Camp Wallace morgue in preparing the bodies for burial.

Vic Landig, Houston, chairman of the Texas City body commission, said only recognition of personal effects found on the bodies would permit identification in the future.

"It would be impossible to make identification through the charred, broken bodies themselves," he said.

Of the sixty-three victims buried Sunday not a single body was intact, he said.

Prior to the burial, Texas State Department of Public Safety officials made careful records of personal effects of each body. Such records, now at the Texas City Municipal Building, bear an identification number that corresponds with number on the grave containing the victim concerned.

Each steel gray casket, each individual wooden casket box and each canvas bag in which the bodies were placed also carried the identification numbers.

With police motorcycle escort, the funeral procession left Camp

Wallace at 8:30 a. m., original hour at which the services had been scheduled. An honor guard of Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion flanked the cemetery entrance as the pallbearers bore the caskets to the graves.

A spray of chrysanthemums was placed on each grave after workmen with mechanical equipment had filled the trenches.

Carl Yarbrough is located with the Forest Rangers in Idaho. During the spring semester of college at Ft. Collins, Colo., Carl made all A's.

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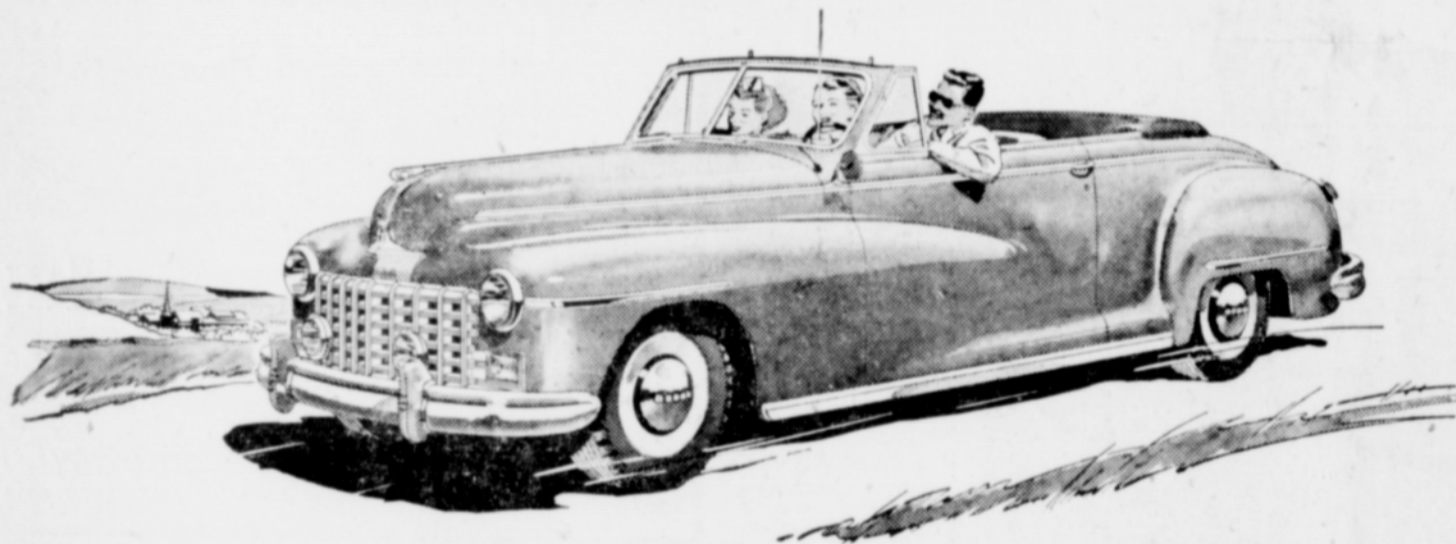
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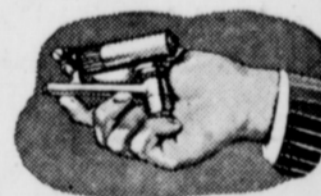
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**County H. D.
Agent's Column**
Evelyn Wieland

NEXT SPRING'S GARDEN

Right now, weeds, lawn clippings and other types of growth around the house are plentiful, and these can be put to a good use if you'll put them all together in a compost pile to use in your garden next spring.

Compost, you know, is a decayed mixture of soil and plant or animal matter, and it can come in handy as a means of improving the physical condition of your garden soil in growing seedlings for transplanting, or for mulching. Evelyn Wieland, county H. D. Agent says that you can make good compost by first piling your soil and organic materials, such as barnyard fertilizer or lawn

clippings in layers. Between each layer of organic material, put in a two to three inch layer of soil. Then every three or four months, turn or stir the heap. Now an important point to remember is that the compost heap must be kept moist at all times, to keep that rotting and decaying process going. Usually, in about 12 months time you'll have a good supply of compost.

This material should not be considered a good garden fertilizer alone, but it does have a definite value in holding in moisture as a mulch and in putting your soil in good shape.

JOBS FOR SODA

From the U. S. Department of Agriculture household specialists come some tips for homemakers on the use of baking soda for cleaning jobs around the house.

You can use soda, say the specialists, as a gentle scourer for stains on china, pottery, glass or cooking utensils made of enamelware or glass that would be scratched by rougher scouring materials. For example, tea or coffee stains on china cups may be removed by rubbing with a damp cloth dipped in soda. Don't however, rub soda on gilt decorations on china.

Soda will also help soften food particles that have scorched on enamelware or glass, and it's

also good for washing the refrigerator or rinsing out vacuum bottles.

Brightening silver is another use to which soda can be put, the specialist say. For a fast silver cleaning chore, fill an aluminum kettle with water containing salt and soda, one teaspoon of each to a quart of water. Bring the water to a boil, lay in the silver and continue boiling for just two or three minutes. Then remove and wash it. Some housewives keep an aluminum cup of hot water containing soda beside the dishpan when doing breakfast dishes. Into this cup go spoons or forks discolored by breakfast eggs or any food. By the time the dishes are done, the soda has made the silver bright again.

IMPERSONATION FAR MORE CONVINCING THAN TRUTH

Forrest Tucker, the six-foot six blond giant who causes Errol Flynn to lose his first screen fight in Warner Bros. "Never Say Goodbye," at the Plaza Theatre Sunday and Monday, holds the doubtful distinction of having been pulled in by the FBI.

During the war, Tucker relates, he was a lieutenant in the Signal Corps, Motion Picture Unit, stationed in San Antonio, Texas. He was appearing

in an army training film instructing GIs on the treatment of war prisoners.

One morning, just as Tucker finished his breakfast in his hotel room, three men entered, flashed FBI credentials, and placed him under arrest. Tucker got a passing view of the hotel corridor which was jammed with agents. Police cars had completely surrounded the hotel.

The cause of all the furor was finally revealed to be the Nazi captain's uniform hanging in Tucker's closet, worn by the actor in the film being made by his unit. The outfit had been seen by the waiter who served his breakfast and was immediately reported to the authorities.

It took Forrest five hours to clear himself, with the government agents refusing to release him until phone calls to Fort Sam Houston and Washington, D. C. had corroborated his claim of being a loyal American officer on army duty.

"Never Say Goodbye," in which Flynn co-stars with Eleanor Parker, is Tucker's first screen appearance since he was discharged from service.

JESTER KILLS LIQUOR CONTROVERSIAL BILL

AUSTIN, June 21 — The controversial liquor control bill of the 50th legislature had the veto of Governor Jester.

He affixed his disapproval late yesterday to the House measure by Rep. Augustine Celeya which had been amended in the Senate to permit incorporated cities and justice precincts to vote themselves wet in more than 40 dry counties. Ninety seven other dry counties which have been dry since national repeal in 1935 were constitutionally exempt from the amendment.

"Without this amendment I would have heartily approved and signed the bill," Jester declared.

"As originally introduced in the House, this bill contained excellent regulatory provisions which would strengthen liquor enforcement and control," he explained. "It would have given more authority to our very able and efficient Texas Liquor Control Board."

The governor noted that the measure had been closely contested in both houses of the legislature, passing the Senate by a slim 16 to 14 and the House by 61 to 54. He reasoned that the measure "unfortunately came before the legislature in the closing days of the session when time did not permit the

mature and careful study and discussion to which the amendment was entitled."

Jester said he agreed with proponents of the amendment that it is "logical, fair and probably legal to provide for voting wet precincts in dry counties since dry precincts can be voted in wet counties," adding:

"However, it is my opinion that it is not to the present or future best interest of Texas, Texas people, and Texas institutions that the extension of liquor and beer sales into a precinct or precincts of some 42 counties that are dry now be made possible.

"This provision has brought widespread protests from the dry counties of Texas. These protests point out that the ease of transportation in these modern days would result in wet precincts nullifying county-wide local option."

The governor termed in "unfortunate" that he could not veto the "questionable part" of the bill and let the regulatory provisions become law. Since the bill had to be either approved or vetoed as a whole, he said he deemed it best to veto it.

Mrs. George Crutchfield, Jr., and daughter, Belinda, left Saturday for Chattanooga, Tenn., to be at the bedside of her sister, who underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Yarbrough of Odessa announce the birth of a daughter, Dian Ruth, born May 27. The new arrival weighed 6½ pounds. Mr. Yarbrough is assistant engineer for the city of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Worsham, Ft. Worth, visited her mother, Mrs. Sallie Eastham during the weekend.

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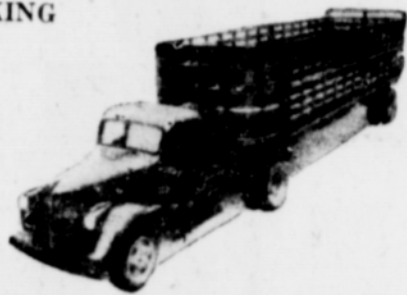
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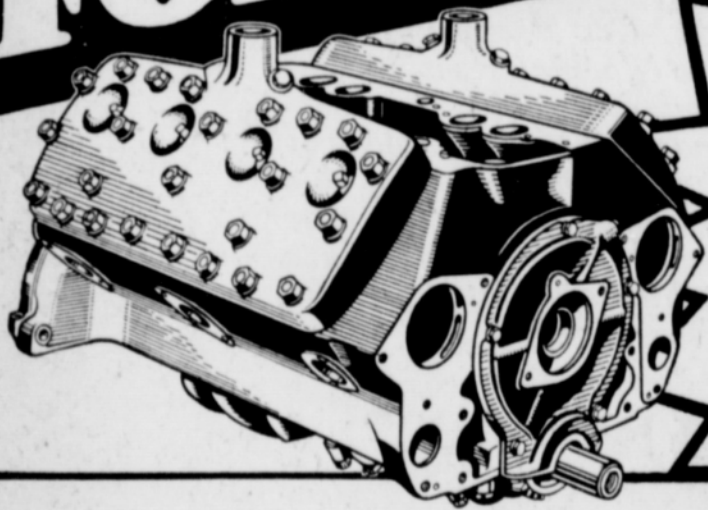
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Rowden Round-Up

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

The fifth Sunday singing will be at Rowden church Sunday. There will be all day singing with lunch spread on the ground. Come early and stay late.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and sons, James and Glenn, have been vacationing at Brady and other points.

Dorris McClain has been visiting with relatives in Putnam. The Bayou Girls 4-H Club will meet in the home of Dorris

McClain, July 2 at 2:00. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Orañ Bains went to San Angelo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bruce and daughter, Tennella, of Austin, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain and family Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. N. A. Smedley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Patterson and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smedley, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smedley and children, all of Salem, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smedley and children of Plainview; Mr. N. L. Smedley of Comanche; Mrs. Sikes Smedley and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Miller and son of Eula; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smedley and children; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. W. M. Price; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smedley and son; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs and sons; and Mr. Wiley Smedley, all of Rowden. Mr. and Mrs. Arden Jones

called on Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain Sunday.

Mrs. G. H. Parrish returned to her home Sunday morning from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Jones are planning a family reunion for sometime in July.

Irene, Jean, Roland D. and Don Mauldin visited with Mrs. Orañ Bains and children Wednesday.

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Mrs. Opal Wolfe

Mrs. Milton Riley and Mrs. John Wolfe visited in Abilene this week, and Mrs. Wolfe visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Coker in Brownwood last week.

Mrs. A. J. Bruce and Mrs. C. C. Butts and children have returned to Ajo, Arizona, after a visit with their sisters, Mrs. Opal Wolfe and Mrs. Curtis Jones of Baird. Their father, Ira Ray of Clyde, accompanied them home for a visit and a rest.

Mrs. Milton Riley and Mary Wolfe visited Mrs. Opal Wolfe this week.

Mrs. Ray McCoy of Moran visited Mrs. Opal Wolfe Wednesday.

Mattie Rupert of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, is visiting her niece,

Mrs. Opal Wolfe.

Mrs. Henry (Buster) Ray and family of Temple have returned home after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Opal Wolfe and Mrs. Ray's brother, U. C. Hamilton of Abilene.

Mrs. Luther Clifford of Moran spent the weekend with Mrs. Opal Wolfe. Mrs. Wolfe and Mrs. Grant Collingsworth visited Mrs. Charles Harbor in Moran Thursday and Mrs. Clifford in Moran Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Mauldin is on the sick list and her daughter, Mrs. Leo Evans, is at her bedside.

We are sorry to lose our friends, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Riley, who are moving away.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

To The Bidder and Qualified Voters of Callahan County:

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids, addressed to J. L. Farmer, County Judge of Callahan County, Texas, at Baird, Texas, will be received until 10 o'clock a. m., on the 14th day of July, 1947, for the purchase of one Gasoline Powered Motor Grader of not less than 40 H.P.

It is the intention of the Commissioners' Court to make payment for the above described equipment and the contract therefor by the issuance of time warrants in the maximum amount of not exceeding \$4,000, bearing interest at the rate of 4% per cent per annum with maximum maturity date 1963; and it is contemplated a portion of the \$15,000.00 Callahan County Road and Bridge 4% Warrants, dated June 15, 1947, which have been made ready for this and similar purposes may be used for that purpose.

J. L. FARMER,
County Judge.

5-20, 27, 6-4.

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Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pruet of Putnam, are happy over the arrival of a son born the 23rd. His name is Michael Alan, and weighed 5 lbs. 14 ozs.

Mrs. Lutie Eager, Clyde, returned to her home by ambulance the 24th, after two weeks hospitalization. She was improving nicely.

Mrs. W. L. Parks, Putnam, is some better at this writing. Miss Evelyn Favor, a surgical patient, is improving.

Master Alfred Moreno, Clyde, has returned to his home. He was getting along just fine.

J. S. Gamble, Burl W. Lofton and W. G. Morris are among the patients who are doing fine.

Mrs. G. F. Black and infant son returned to their home the 21st. Both were getting along nicely.

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

Mrs. C. L. King, Putnam, was a medical patient the 18th. Master Dennis Roach, Jal. N. Mex., underwent tonsillectomy the 18th.

Mrs. W. G. Parish, who recently underwent major surgery, has returned to her home.

John Hill, a surgical patient, returned to his home the 24th. He was improving.

Geo. A. Perry, a medical patient, is feeling some better the past few days.

Mrs. G. L. Sledge, who underwent major surgery the 21st, is reported resting as comfortably as can be expected, at this writing.

Mrs. E. J. Abernathy and infant daughter, have returned to their home in Putnam.

Mrs. W. M. Price, Cisco Rt., is a patient. She is resting well at this writing.

L. W. Swafford is a medical patient and improving nicely.

Homer Driskill received medical treatment for several days this week.

Mrs. C. J. Lloyd, Clyde, who underwent appendectomy the 20 is recovering nicely.

Little Timothy Davis, Sweetwater, is a medical patient.

Master K. D. Griffin, Clyde Rt., underwent tonsillectomy the 23rd.

Mrs. Earl Johnson was able to be taken by ambulance to her home late Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. W. Briscoe, Tom Walker, Mrs. Tom Walker and son, Tommie, all of Austin were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Viva Tucker.

Mrs. Mae Lewis has returned from a vacation visit with Dallas relatives.

Mrs. Bill Work, Misses Martha and Patsy Kay, visited Mrs. C. S. Gee in Dallas this week.

Guests in the H. A. Warren home were his mother, Mrs. J. A. Favor of Hobbs, N. M., and Mrs. John T. Crofford, an aunt, of Bessemer, Ala.

Pete Swafford was a business visitor here Saturday from Rowden.

Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough returned home Friday from Odessa where she visited her new granddaughter, Dian Ruth Yarbrough.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence arrived home Sunday from Dallas.

After visiting the Stokes family and the Ferguson family of Brownsville while in Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper came through Baird and took Mr. and Mrs. Will D. Boydston to Carlsbad Cavern, then left Saturday for their home in McAlister, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tyson have returned to Clyde from a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Burleson and family at Richland Springs.

Mrs. James Cullar and daughter, Sandra Kay, of Abilene, were recent visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. G. C. Flaherty in Clyde.

SPONSOR ENTRIES AT STAMFORD POURING IN

Entries in the Cowgirl Sponsors Contest to be held in connection with the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford on July 2, 3 and 4, continue to pour in, according to A. C. Bishop, Chairman Sponsor Committee. Among the latest entries are: Peggy Stanford, Wichita Falls; Jo Gregory, Colorado City; Jean Diers, Sagerton; Judy Kyle, Swann Ranch; Punkins Moore, Wellington; Mrs. Muri Ward, Spur; Roda Thornton, Haskell; Billye Pipes, Comanche Chamber of Commerce; and Mrs. Dorothy Stephens, Criswell Ranches of Scurry and Baylor counties.

Mrs. Russell Crownover, Hostess to all visiting sponsors and Miss Patty McDonald, Stamford host sponsor, have planned an extensive round of entertainment for the three days. The Sponsors Ball, for sponsors and their escorts will be held opening night at 11 o'clock and will be broadcast over Station KDWT. A breakfast for sponsors only will be held the morning of July 3, at 9:30 at the guest cabin on the Reunion grounds. Sponsors and their escorts will be admitted free to the chuck wagon dinner at noon July 4. All sponsors will ride in the big opening day parade at 11 o'clock July 2. Open dances will also be held the nights of July 3 and 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hollingshead of Big Spring visited in Baird on their way to Fort Worth and the Rio Grande Valley.

Dickie Eastham, Tucson, Ariz., is spending the summer with his grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Eastham.

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J. L. FARMER
County Judge.



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My favorite day is WOMAN'S DAY—that grand magazine you can get at A&P Stores and nowhere else. It's filled with new recipes, delightful menu suggestions, fashions and movie news, as

well as fascinating fiction. I'd call it a bargain at five times the nickel it costs. What's more, WOMAN'S DAY saves me plenty with its budget-stretching ideas. Get a copy at your A&P. You'll love it!

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The nutty flavor of SUNNY-FIELD WHEAT PUFFS from the A&P is delicious in cookies made like this: Beat 2 egg whites with ¼ tsp. salt till foamy. Add ¼ cup sugar gradually, beating till whites stand in peaks. Beat in ½ cup peanut butter. Fold in 2 cups SUNNY-FIELD WHEAT PUFFS and 2 tps. grated orange rind. Drop by teaspoonful on cookie sheet. Bake in moderate oven 375° F., about 12 minutes. Makes 3 dozen cookies.

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See me at store 3 1/2 miles west
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LOST — Little black dog,
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FOR SALE — 5-room house
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Have in stock any Maytag
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W. M. James, who is recov-
ering from a sick spell, and his
son-in-law, J. F. Boren, of Abi-
lene, were in town Friday.

Miss Zelda Price is visiting
her grandmother in Ranger this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilcox,
George Wilcox, Jr., and Mrs.
George Wilcox, Sr., Cisco, at-
tended the funeral of Eldred
Jeter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen, Jr.,
of Roswell, N. M., visited in the
home of Mrs. Allen's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes last
week, after a vacation trip to
Monterrey and Mexico City. Mr.
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WHEATIES	Large Box	10c
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COFFEE	Admiration, pound can	42c
HAWAIIAN PINCH	1 pt. makes 6 pts.	49c
SQUASH	per pound	5c
CUCUMBERS	per pound	6c
CARROTS	3 bunches	10c
ROASTING EARS	3 ears	10c
BLACKEYED PEAS	pound	5c
SPUDS	No. 1, per pound	5c
FRESH PINEAPPLE	Extra Large dozen	\$2.75
SOAP	Palmolive, Bath size	14c
SOAP	Palmolive, regular size	9c
SOAP	Cashmere Bouquet	10c
SUPER SIDS	large box	32c
V.F.I.	large box	33c
SOAP	Crystal White, 3 giant bars	25c



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