

The Baird Star

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

Burrow-Yarbrough Wedding at Clyde

Miss Mary Ellen Burrow became the bride of William Bailey Yarbrough, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ollie Burrow, in Clyde.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. J. L. Yarbrough and the late Mr. Yarbrough of Waco.

Rev. W. H. Gaston, pastor of the Methodist Church of Clyde, officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The couple stood before an improvised altar of tall baskets of white and pink gladioluses and ferns, flanked on either side by branched candelabra holding pink and white candles. During the ceremony "Because" was played softly.

Attendants were H. B. Terry of Baird, best man, and maid-of-honor, Miss Hazel Young, Clyde.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Joe B. Ellis of Paris, chose for her wedding a dress of white eyelet French organdy, street length, with full skirt and tight fitting waist. The neckline was scalloped over the short sleeves. Her waist length veil of French imported illusion was caught to a tiara of seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with a corsage of pink carnations and wore white accessories.

The maid of honor wore a pink nylon linen street length dress, white carnation corsage and white accessories.

Jerry and Jimmy Bills, nephews of the bride, lighted the candles.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's mother.

The bride's table, lace-covered, was centered with pink and white gladioluses and pink and white candles in crystal candelabra. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Billie Merl Medley and Mrs. Joe B. Ellis, sister of the bride, serving cake and punch. Registering names in the bride's book was Johanna Christian.

The bride graduated with this spring's class from the Clyde high school and is employed in the County Clerk's office in Baird.

The bridegroom attended the McGregor schools, and served three years in the U. S. Air Force and 9 months in Japan. He is now employed by the Texas and Pacific Railway Company in Baird. After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M., and other points in New Mexico, the couple will live in Baird.

Funeral Wednesday For Dudley Resident

Funeral for Alf Loper, 72, was held at the Dudley Baptist Church Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Mr. Loper died in Callahan County Hospital Tuesday at 9:30 a. m. He had been in ill health for several years, and in the hospital for two weeks.

Mr. Loper lived in the Dudley community and was a retired farmer. He was born in Coryell county Jan. 28, 1880, and moved with his family to Dudley community while he was a youth. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors are one son, Alvin of Ohio; five sisters, Mrs. Lulu Motley, Ackerly, Mrs. Rosa Hester, Lamesa, Mrs. Myrtle DeArmon, Wichita Falls, Mrs. Sally Sigal, Junction and Mrs. Della Farrar, Baird; one brother, Jim of Monahans.

Palbearers were Hawk Roberts, Leaman Hayhurst, Ott Neal, Lawson Armor, Wiley Bailey and Finley Coughran.

C. J. Ault, who has been employed at Winters for the past few months, was a visitor at the Baird Star office to renew his subscription yesterday.

TEXAS ALMANAC — 1952-1953 for \$1.25. By mail \$1.44 at The Baird Star.

Fredalyn Cook, B. J. Everett Wed

Miss Juanita Fredalyn Cook became the bride of Billy Jim Everett Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in a double ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents at Putnam.

Rev. Harry Grantz officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook of Putnam. Mr. Everett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Everett, also of Putnam.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a shantung suit of shell pink. Her half hat was covered with lilies of the valley in shades of pale pink, and the veil was tied in back, with narrow pink velvet ribbon. She wore a diamond lavalier which was a wedding gift from her father to her mother. She carried a white orchid showered with lilies of the valley on a white Bible. Inside the Bible was a miniature gold amulet engraved with the Lord's Prayer, which has been carried by all the brides in her mother's family.

Maid of honor, Miss Barbara Davis of Austin, wore an aqua shantung suit. She chose a white lace hat accented with rhinestones and carried a nosegay of pink feathered carnations centered with pink rosebuds.

Best man was James Cox, of Cleburne.

Miss Frances Waddell, pianist, played traditional wedding music.

The wedding was solemnized before a double window banked with fern and flanked on either side by tall baskets of white gladioluses.

A reception followed the ceremony in the home. The table was laid with a white lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and white sweetheart roses. The tiered wedding cake was decorated with white rosebuds and topped with wedding bells.

Only members of the immediate families attended.

Following a wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 2228 South 13th Street, Abilene.

The bride is a June graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, where she was a member of Alpha Chi, Cowgirl Band, Future Teachers, Cowgirls, and Associate Editor of the Bronco, school yearbook. She will teach in the Abilene public schools next fall.

The bridegroom is employed by Batjer and St. John. He will resume his studies at Hardin-Simmons in the fall, receiving his degree in January.

Family Reunion At Payne Home

Attending a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Mayes and Ludie Joe, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jack I. Mayes, Jack R. and Kitty Sue, Richmond, Calif.; Mrs. V. R. McEachern, Pasadena, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jennings and Edista Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crass and Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. R. Crass, Raymond and Claude, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hawkins, Mrs. R. L. Hawkins, Faye and Fern, Loving; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hawkins, Graham; Mrs. Vila Walsh, Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Payne and children, Alton, Martha Faye, Lynn and Peggy.

County Boys Register With Draft Board

Forty Taylor and Callahan county youths who became 18 years of age during May have registered with the Taylor-Callahan Draft Board, Miss Georgia Singletary, clerk of the board announced Monday.

Callahan county boys are: Kenneth W. Anderson, Billy J. Tarrant and Silas O. Tucker, of Clyde; Curtiss L. Chatham and Joe H. Ryann of Baird; Donald W. Beeler and Robert L. Vaughn of Cross Plains.

Long-Time Resident Of County Dies

Funeral for Samuel Jobe, 91, will be held at the Putnam Baptist Church at 3:30 p. m. today (Friday). Rev. H. N. Baldersee, minister of the Cisco Baptist Church will officiate, with Rev. Harry Grantz, Putnam minister, assisting. Burial will be in Putnam Cemetery, with Bailey Funeral Home of Clyde, in charge.

Mr. Jobe, who had lived in the Putnam community for 71 years, died in Callahan County Hospital at 12:30 a. m. Thursday. He had been in the hospital since June 25.

Born in Johnson county in 1861, Mr. Jobe moved to Callahan county in 1881. He was married to Laura A. Davis in 1891. One son, Howard, preceded him in death in 1918.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Laura Jobe of Putnam; three daughters, Mrs. Ella Hale of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Della Wise of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Loren Everett of Putnam; one son, Frank Jobe of Big Spring; 6 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Campbell Funeral At Clyde Sunday

Funeral for R. B. Campbell, 84, Clyde farmer who died Friday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, was held at 5:30 p. m. Sunday at the First Methodist Church of Clyde.

Rev. Raymond Van Zandt, of Andrews, former pastor, and Rev. H. W. Gaston, present pastor, officiated. Bailey Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Campbell had been ill for the past two weeks.

Born May 3, 1868, in Georgia, Mr. Campbell came to Texas when he was two years old. His family settled near Greenville in Hunt county.

He married Frances Elizabeth Hamblen at Liberty in Hunt county October 5, 1890.

After their marriage, the couple moved to Stephens county, and settled near Eolian where Mr. Campbell engaged in farming.

In 1908 he moved to Clyde and bought a home a half mile east of Clyde. Mr. Campbell was engaged in fruit and truck farming. He was also a carpenter.

Mrs. Campbell died May 3, 1949.

He had been a member of the Methodist Church since 1907.

Survivors include three daughters: Mrs. Minnie Byrd of Clyde, who made her home with her father, Mrs. Mary Brown of Chico, Calif., and Mrs. Connie Connally of Glenrose; three sons, R. B. Jr., and Lloyd Campbell of Austin, and Bryan Campbell of Law; 17 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Two of his granddaughters, Mrs. Earl Dusek of Abilene, and Mrs. Frances Minor of Oklahoma City, were reared in his home.

Palbearers were John Harris, E. B. Shipman, M. D. Rhoades, Austin Bouchette, Emmett Eager and John Berry.

Mrs. Annie Wagner and son, Douglas, of Houston, visited relatives and friends in Baird from Thursday until Sunday. Mrs. Wagner said that another son, Pickard, of Mercedes, was called back into the Army and reported for duty June 16.

P. C. Steen Dies At Clyde June 25

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m. Thursday in the First Methodist Church at Clyde, for P. C. Steen, 76, veteran hardware dealer who was found dead at his home Wednesday morning.

Rev. W. H. Gaston, pastor of the Clyde Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Madue Steen; three sons, Harry of Clyde, Hugh of El Paso and Dr. Ralph Steen, history professor at Texas A&M College; one sister, Mrs. John Harris of Clyde and five grandchildren.

Mr. Steen had spent Tuesday night with his sister since his wife was visiting her mother in Louisiana. After breakfast he drove to his own residence. About 9:30, his son, Harry, went to see about him and found him dead on the bathroom floor.

Mr. Steen had been in failing health for the past two months but was still able to be at his store every day.

Mr. Steen was born Sept. 14, 1875, in St. Landers Parish, La. He married his wife, Maude Fleming, there on May 6, 1903. They came to Texas in 1905 and settled in Eula, where he purchased the Eula Mercantile Store. He operated it until 1914. He moved to Clyde and bought the B. C. Clemer Hardware store.

He was assisted by his son, Harry, in the operation of the P. C. Steen Hardware Store until his death.

He was a member of the Methodist Church and served on the board of stewards for many years. Also he served on the city council and school board for a number of years. He was also active in other civic projects.

More Big Catfish Taken From Pipe At Lake Baird This Week

Quite a commotion was stirred up here last week when news was released about a 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ -pound catfish closing the intake to the water pumps at Lake Baird. City workmen removed a 12-pound catfish from the grill that is supposed to prevent such objects being drawn into the water pump last Sunday and on Monday it happened again with another 12-pounder. Now that workmen have had to take so much valuable time from other city duties to keep fish from cutting our water off, people are beginning to ask why the pumping apparatus was not designed to prevent such as this from happening.

There is a good answer to this question but we would have to enumerate all the shortcomings of the engineers who designed the lake job, and we wouldn't want to do that. However if there are any neighboring towns planning on building a lake and would like to know what kind of engineering Baird received for an enormous price, we are sure they can get the low-down.

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Mr. O'Dell died of a heart attack at 2:30 a. m. Sunday.

Born Feb. 21, 1886, in Springfield, Mo., he later came to Texas and lived in Callahan county for 54 years.

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John Wood Announces For Representative

The Baird Star is authorized to make public the announcement of John Wood, of Albany, for state representative subject to the July 26th Democratic primary election. Mr. Wood placed his name in the Baird Star political announcement column last week, and this week appears his official statement to the voters as follows:

In the belief that I may accomplish or help accomplish some service for the people of this district, I am hereby announcing for the office of State Representative of the 76th District of Texas, comprising Callahan, Shackelford and Eastland counties.

I have lived continuously in Shackelford County for the twenty-four years of my life, except for the four years I was a student in the University of Texas, where I was graduated in 1950. While a student in Austin, I was employed by the Texas Senate as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms and as Committee Clerk. For the past two years I have taught school in Albany and have served as Chairman of the Shackelford County Democratic Committee and as President of the men's group of my church.

I am certain that the Texas government can be operated with more economy than in the past, and it will be one of my main objectives to see that a more economical and efficient state government shall exist.

I have absolutely no political obligations, and if elected as your representative I will faithfully endeavor to represent this district and this state both honestly and industriously.

Your personal support in this race will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
JOHN WOOD.

Ground Cleared To Begin Work On New \$30,000 Feed Mill Here

Work was started here this week on clearing the ground in preparation for construction of the Callahan County Farmers Co-op feed mill. A. G. Black, manager, stated that "the work will be started and carried on as far as funds will permit. To finish the job up right, he stated, another \$10,000 is needed. Some \$30,000 has already been subscribed. It is hoped that all necessary funds will be in hand by January 1.

The farmers cooperative will issue new stock to the stockholders to comply with requirement set forth by law in increasing the capital stock. The Baird Star completed the printing of the new stock certificates this week and those who have purchased stock in the organization will soon receive their new certificates for common or preferred stock.

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Arthur Fenton and Jean Andrews, of Pittsfield, Ill., are expected to arrive here Sunday for a week's visit with the R. R. Fenton family. The Fenton men are brothers and Mr. Andrews is their uncle. The Fenton family recently moved here from Illinois to establish a broiler chicken business near Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield went to market in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Browning, of Keller, visited Mrs. Browning's mother, Mrs. C. E. Rutherford, during the weekend.

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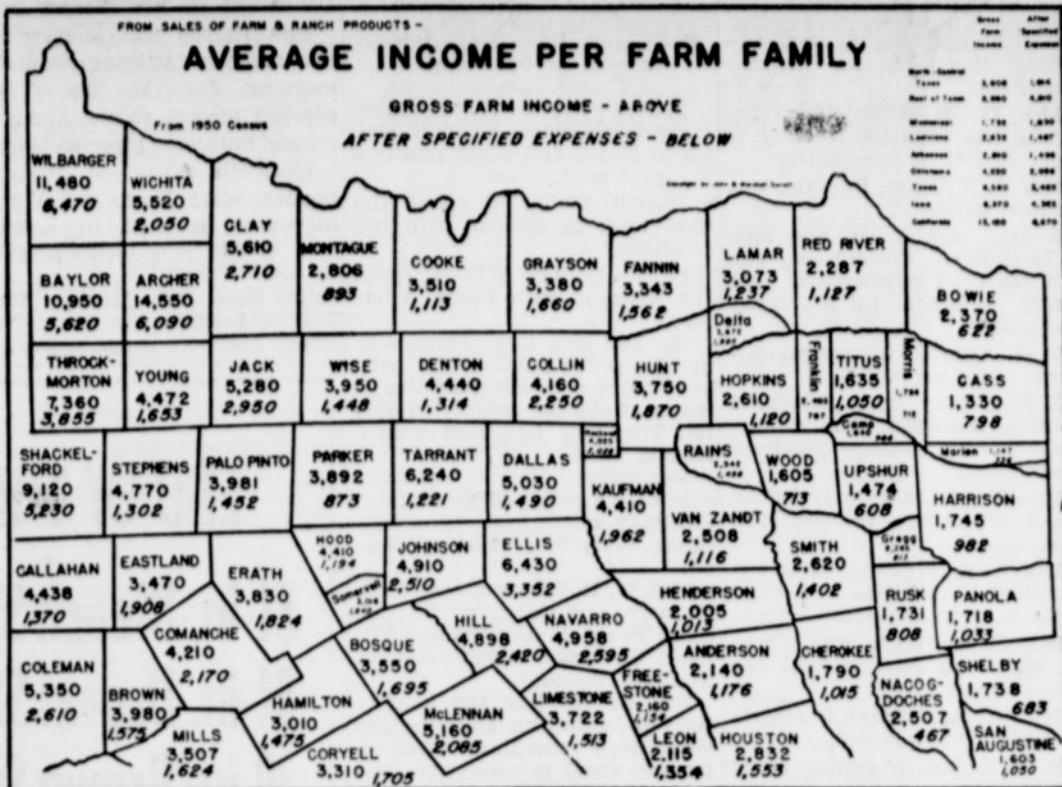
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FARM INCOME VITAL TO THE CITY MAN

By John and Marshall Surratt

Making a living is all important to both the farmer-rancher and to the city man. The farmer and rancher live directly from agricultural production. This same production is vital to the city man, also, because, except for oil and government spending, the city man's income is likewise dependent upon what the farmer and rancher make. What the average farm family received at the 1950 Census is shown on the accompanying map as the upper figure for each county. The lower figure gives a further aspect of the picture by showing what was left for the farm family after paying for labor, live stock, seed and plants, oil and gas, repairs on tractors and machinery, hire of machinery, and feed for livestock and poultry.

Preliminary reports from the 1950 Census show that for the area as a whole the farm or ranch family averaged \$3,608 from sales of crops, livestock, livestock products — including

poultry and dairy products; nursery products and timber. After the few expenditures listed above were subtracted, the average income left per family was \$1,614.

With this \$1,614 the farmer or rancher and his family proceeded to pay for the food and clothing which they bought. Also from this, they paid on the mortgage, paid taxes, or gave the landlord the rent, either in dollars or in production. From this \$1,614 they made payments on their automobile, tractor, deep-freeze, bought paint, fencing and other needed materials, paid the preacher, went to the picture show, and attended the State Fair. What was left over they put in the bank.

The \$3,608 and \$1,614 were the average for the farm family of the area as a whole. Some counties were higher, some lower. Some states were higher, some lower. High production states like Iowa and California had gross incomes from their farm product sales of \$8,370 and \$15,120 per farm family, with \$4,322 and \$6,670 left after the expenditures listed above. The high dollar income of California has

attracted many farmers from the counties of this area. Also the fact that 4 out of 5 California farms are on hard-surface roads drew many of our farm families to that state.

In figuring these averages we used the total dollars from sales of farm products but we did not use the total number of farm families. We excluded 38.7% of all the farm families of this area in getting the average — that number representing those low income farms where sales of farm products were below \$250 per farm. Had these low income farms been included, the averages would have been terribly low in some counties. While 38.7% of all farm families of this area sold less than \$250 per farm, only 3.8% of the farm families of Iowa had that low an income — one-tenth our proportion.

Farming and ranching of this area can equal the best of the best agricultural states of the nation. What we can do has been shown in studies of community after community by the Community Research Service. Soil rebuilding, better marketing, better schools and churches, at-

tractive farm dwellings, better recreation, hard surface roads to every farm and ranch — all will come, with greater prosperity than ever before when we are willing to face the facts and when we make up our minds to do the job. Live local leaders, aggressive bankers and good local newspapers are essential in this.

Rowden Round-Up
Marjorie Mauldin
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Mrs. Ruby Russell, of Dallas, spent the past week with her mother and brother, Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Chief Horner and Pat, of Anson, and Irene Mauldin, of Abilene, spent the weekend with the Gene Mauldins.

Pfc. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs, of Camp Atterbury, Ind., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Ronald and Don Mauldin and Danna Odell had dinner with R. L. and Neida Smedley Sunday.

Delma Jean Newton, of Cross Plains, spent Friday night with Pearl Smedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom and children visited Mrs. Odom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Cross Plains, Sunday.

Cpl. GERALD Stephens, of Camp Atterbury, Ind., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stephens, and his wife and baby of Denton.

Sonny Bains visited Danny Myrick, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hornsby, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby and Tommy attended the wedding of Mrs. Hornsby's nephew in Cisco Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Tucker, of Odessa, visited Grandmother Miller and other relatives, of Rowden, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rose, of Abilene, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs.

Those having Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and boys were: Pfc. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs, Pfc. and Mrs. Kinsey of Merkel. Also visiting there in the afternoon was Barner Ransburger of Coleman.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stephens Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and Lynn, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tyre, of Cross Plains; Cpl. and Mrs. Gerald Stephens and Eddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell and children visited Rev. and Mrs. Chralie Myrick, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Marjorie visited Mrs. Mauldin's brother, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cooper, in Abilene, Friday.

The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, June 27, 1952

Larmer Henry has returned from their ranch in South Dakota, and reports that cattle at home look much better than he expected to find them.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton returned to her home Saturday after visiting with her late husband's relatives in Pampa. Goodnight and Shamrock for a week.

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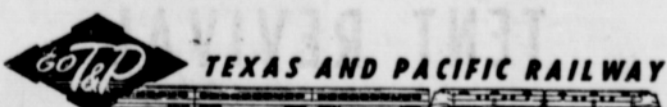
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You're right, this is where we came in. Let's make sure though, that it's not where we go out.



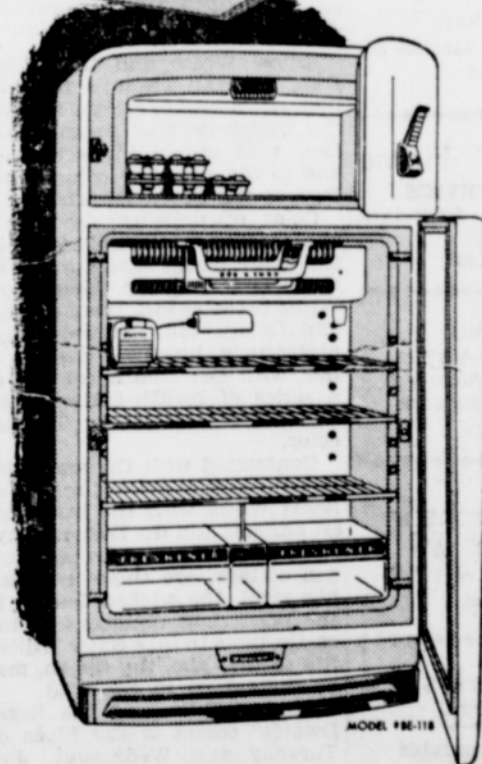
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By DON H. BIGGERS

(Continued from last week)

"My feet were torn to the quick and bleeding, and to wrap them up and partially protect them I had torn most of the clothing from my body, which was fearfully sunburned and blistered. I was rewrapping the worn-out rags around my feet and trying to determine whether it should be me or the rabbit, when I heard an animal walking up the ravine, and looking in the direction of the sounds saw a Mexican riding a burro and passing a few yards from me, and I immediately continued the case of myself vs. the rabbit, and took up that of the Mexican. The Mexican had a small bundle, evidently his provisions and camping outfit, so I decided to interview the gentleman, and if there wasn't a ranch or camp mighty close I would borrow that burro and whatever the bundle contained, regardless of the owner's consent or protests. You see bad associations and desperate circumstances demoralize a man. First, I got into bad company and then into trouble, and I felt sure that if captured no explanations I could make would save my neck, and whether I was right or wrong in this conjecture I am glad now that I took the course I did. Next you find me with designs on a span of good mules and a whole wagonload of provisions, and next resolved to deprive a poor lone Mexican of his dirty bundle and sorry burro, probably the sum total of his earthly possessions.

"When the Mexican got within about fifty yards of me I called to him, and as he was traveling north, while I was headed east, I cocked my gun and started to intercept him. Now, with the exception of the two reports from my gun, the howling of wolves at night and the calling of water fowls around the lakes, my own voice was the first sound I had heard for nearly ten days and nights, and it really startled me, and the report of a cannon would not have been a greater surprise to the Mexican, who stopped and looked uneasily at the human apparition then limping toward him. It was less than ten minutes from the time I saw the old man until I was thanking him, with tears running down my cheeks, for the noble manner in which he treated me and the favors he bestowed upon me. He was then on his way to a buffalo camp, about thirty miles to the northwest, but told me that it was only about sixteen miles to the mouth of Big Silver, where some buffalo hunters were camped. He divided provisions with me, insisted that I should take his burro, and when I declined this offer he more stoutly insisted that I should take his shoes, but my feet were so swollen that I could not have put them inside of a tanyard, so I declined this kindness. He then took the blanket from under his saddle and gave it to me to wrap my feet. I slept until about midnight that night, woke up feeling considerably refreshed, though my feet were torturing me, and I could scarcely stand, but after limbering up a while, they got better and about noon the next day I hobbled into the camp, where I was properly cared for.

"Of course no tongue can ever describe or mind conceive how I suffered on that trip, not even do I realize it now. The event and the incidents live in my memory, but the wounds have healed and the tortures have vanished. This picture isn't altogether dark, for there is a bright side to it. I learned a lesson of great value to me, but aside from this selfish feature of the case I have since befriended that old Mexican, and the night will never be too dark, the distance too great, the wind will never get too cold, the sun shine too hot, nor the rain pour too hard for me to go to him if he needs a friend and I know it.

"But, say, if I ever lay eyes on one of those cow thieves I'll have my two months' wages with compound interest for twenty years, or make him wish he hadn't been born till I died."

THE DISASTROUS NOLEN-HARBY EXPEDITION

In the summer of 1876 the Mescalero Apache Indians made a raid through Western Texas, going as far east at Shackelford county, plundering every unguarded buffalo camp along the route of their raid and stealing several hundred horses and mules from hunters and ranchmen. There were probably a hundred of these marauders, and it was the last big Indian raid to which the country was subjected, though several small bands of different tribes caused more or less trouble as late as 1882. The raid in 1876, because of the number of Indians, the devilment done and the disastrous consequences that befell their pursuers, stands pre-eminent in the Indian history of Western Texas. Reynolds City, in Stonewall county, was then a thriving frontier town and buffalo hunter's supply station, and to this place the hunters who had suffered from the depredations made their way as best they could and as quickly as possible. The news was soon spread throughout the country, and in a short while every hunter and ranchman within a radius of 100 miles had assembled in Reynolds City for the purpose of perfecting organization, adopting plans, following and punishing the Indians, and recovering the stolen stock. In the meantime the news had reached the commanding officer at Fort Griffin, and he immediately dispatched a company of negro soldiers, under Capt. Nolan, in pursuit of the Indians, but as the hunters and ranchmen had not asked for and did not anticipate Federal aid, they proceeded to get busy according to their own practical ideas. The ranchmen and hunters who had not been molested and the business men of Reynolds City contributed liberally and soon had forty-seven men properly provisioned and equipped for the expedition. Jim Harby was elected captain and Jose, the noted scout and Indian trailer, was employed as guide. The first objective point was Double Lakes, as it was known the Indians had come from and were returning to Southeastern New Mexico, and that they would cross the plains somewhere in the vicinity of these lakes. At Double Lakes the scout found a fresh Indian trail leading into the sandhills, and after a few hours' rest the hunters were ready to start in hot pursuit, when the negro soldiers arrived and a wrangle ensued between the two commanders. This is perhaps the first time the negro question ever

became a vital issue in a campaign in Western Texas. The buffalo hunters objected to soldiers for various reasons, and the negro soldiers in particular, so they bluntly refused to take precedence in the premises. Nolan insisted upon being commander-in-chief of the whole, and it began to look as though the chase would terminate in a general broil, for the hunters knew they were capable of dealing with the situation and properly handling the Indians, if found, but they knew furthermore, that the Indians had several thousand dollars' worth of stock in addition to those taken from the people in Western Texas, which the hunters proposed to appropriate to their own benefit, and the presence of soldiers would only complicate matters. After considerable wrangling and much loss of precious time, an agreement was reached whereby Harby was to have precedence in command and Jose was to guide, the hunters having agreed in private consultation that if the Indians were overtaken they would break for the stock and let the Indians and negroes fight it out.

The Indian trail led into the very heart of the sandhills and through a section of country wholly unwatered. The supply of water carried with the outfit was necessarily limited and soon consumed. It was then in the middle of July, the weather was very warm, which of course, aggravated the thirst and suffering of the men and animals, and the negro soldiers began to murmur and threaten. Matters grew considerably worse as the sufferings of the men increased until they were partially crazed with misery. Capt. Nolan finally accused Jose of treachery, declaring that he was purposely leading the men to death, and directed one of his subordinate officers to order Jose to the rear and with instructions that if he did not obey to shoot him; but knowing that this would result in a battle to death between the hunters and soldiers, the subordinate refused to do as he directed, and Capt. Nolan was about to take the matters in his own hands when he was prevailed upon to have it determined by a joint conference, Jose being called in to give information and advice. He told the officers that he was satisfied the Indians had been practicing their usual cunning and had traveled in a circuitous route, near water, and that one or two of them would leave the main body at a time and go to water, but that it would be foolish for them to try to find and follow any of these stragglers' trails, as they might be going to water at one time and purposely misleading their pursuers to another, knowing that the latter would soon begin and suffer and might follow some of the decoy trails. He said that it was only about sixty miles to some fresh water lakes and that the trail was leading directly toward them. It was not more than forty miles to water, but the guide knew the men were suffering agonies, were becoming delirious and desperate, that many of them mistrusted him, that every mile they traveled seemed double that distance, and that they would not follow him more than a half the distance designated when, feeling that they had traveled the full distance, would wreak vengeance on him.

It wasn't a question of finding Indians now, but a matter of self-preservation, and with the exception of Bill Benson, the hunters elected to follow Jose to Clear Lakes, the lakes to which he had reference in his statement. Capt. Nolan decided to make an attempt to return to Double Lakes, but quite a number of his men, disregarding orders, continued with the hunters. Bill Benton remarked that so far as he was concerned he would strike out alone for the big spring on the Yellow House canyon, where he arrived after a feat of endurance that has probably never been surpassed on the western plains.

Every man that followed Jose was saved, but their sufferings were awful. Many of their horses gave out and then the men would have to drag themselves through the sand, while the sun swatched them in flames of fiery heat. Every now and then some of the men on foot would faint and fall, then rise and mechanically follow their companions. It finally got to the point where every horse in the outfit, with one exception, was scarcely able to move along. This horse belonged to a negro soldier and the staying qualities of this horse and the guide, Jose, were remarkable, neither of them having apparently reached the danger stage in their sufferings. When a few miles from the lakes Jose took the negro's horse and hurried to the water in advance of the others. At the lakes he killed two antelope, skinned them, and with the hides made two water pouches, which he filled and hastening back the route began administering to the men, now scattered along for a distance of seven or eight miles, many of them unable to travel farther. As he met them he bathed their faces and heads and then gave them a few sips of water, using his hand as a cup and allowing them no chance to gorge themselves.

Eleven of Capt. Nolan's men perished, and those that reached Double Lakes were discovered some days later in a most pitiable condition, crazed, helpless and without food, most of them hatless and many of them naked, having thrown away their guns, ammunition, rations and everything which they imagined encumbered their march. The route they had traveled presented a pathetic spectacle. First they had abandoned their train of pack mules, and strange to say, every one of the animals abandoned landed at the big spring, where Benson told his companions he was going. It seems that these animals had been watered there two or three years previously and instinct guided them on their return. Canteens, guns, knapsacks, caps and coats, even shirts and trousers, were scattered all along the route traveled by Nolan's men and occasionally the spectacle was made more impressively repulsive by a corpse. Along the route were a number of lakes, the water in them being a pure salt brine, and at these lakes most of the soldiers were found, lying with their heads in the water, having evidently perished while drinking. In this connection may be mentioned two notable facts; first, every dead soldier's boots had been pulled off by himself or his companions, and second, not one of the corpses had been molested by the wolves.

(Continued next week)



NOW WE KNOW WHY WE LIKE IKE

The Star editor accepted an invitation to attend a dinner at the Baker Hotel in Dallas last Saturday at 6 p. m. for the Texas press and delegates for Gen. Eisenhower. More than 700 crowded the ball room where the dinner was served and where Eisenhower addressed the gathering. Among the press group were many of our newspaper editor friends from all sections of the state, and it was more like attending a press convention than a political rally.

After hearing Gen. Eisenhower's radio talk and then the off-the-cuff man-to-man talk after the broadcast, we can understand more than ever why he would make a good president of the United States. Gen. Ike is not what we would call a fine speaker, but he expresses himself well and the main thing is that he makes his ideas clear. There is no put-on nor make-believe about him. He is openly honest and sincere to the point that it shows on him. Honesty and sincerity being a lacking element in Washington, we consider this among the first traits that would qualify a man as president.

Gen. Eisenhower is more a true-blue American than he is a Republican. You know it was only a short time ago that the people of this country were wondering what party he would affiliate with in case he ran for president. We believe he is above the general run of parties and political factions. He knows what he stands for and if he becomes president of this nation, he will not be pushed around in any measure.

When we think of the type of person we would like our president to be, we think of Eisenhower. The president ought to know the world situation better than anyone else. Ike knows more world leaders than perhaps any other man. He has a thorough understanding of the ability of the countries of the world to produce, to wage wars, to support themselves, et cetera. We believe he can render a better service to his home country and to the world at large by giving orders from the White House than he has been able to do by receiving such orders that came from the White House. This is our answer to those who believe he should have remained in Europe at a time so critical as the present. Surely, this business of feeding half the world and holding our enemies at bay is not a one man show. Eisenhower knows what the situation demands and he knows the men who can be depended upon to get the job done either in Europe, the Far East or at home.

We found Eisenhower to be a forceful person with a warm, friendly personality. We can picture him as the kind of president that will level off our economy and instead of leading us into a disastrous war or a tragic depression, directing this nation to peace and prosperity.

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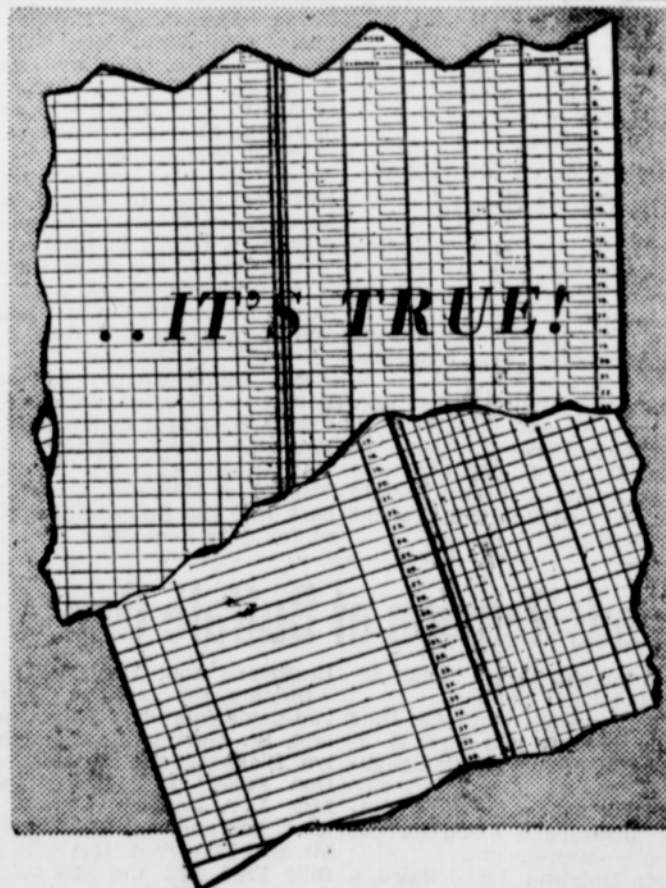
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Baird Churches

The Baird Star extends an invitation to all Baird churches to participate in this column to make public their announcements.

First Baptist Church

Rev. Riley Fugitt, Minister
Bonnie Thompson, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Service—11 a. m.
B. T. U.—6:45 p. m.
(Depts. for all ages)
Arvel Woosley, Director
Evening Service—7:45 p. m.

MONDAY:

W. M. S.—3:45 p. m.
Mrs. J. T. Warren, Pres.
Sunbeams—3:45 p. m.
Mrs. Lynwood Davis, Leader
Junior G. A.'s—5 p. m.
Mrs. Riley Fugitt, Counselor.
R. A.'s—5 p. m.
Rev. Riley Fugitt, Counselor

WEDNESDAY:

Sunday School officers and teacher's meeting—7 p. m., Rev. Fugitt, teacher.
Prayer Meeting—7:45 p. m.

THURSDAY:

Intermediate G. A.'s—4 p. m.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. C. H. Akins, Jr., Minister
Virgil Hughes, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Worship—11 a. m.
Evening Worship—7 p. m.
MONDAY:
Ladies Group—3 P. M.
WEDNESDAY:
Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

The First Methodist Church

Rev. Walter V. O'Kelly, Minister
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—10:55 a. m.
M. Y. F.—6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
M. Y. F. Fellowship—8:30 p. m.
THURSDAY:
Choir Practice—7:15 p. m.

Church of Christ

Merle King, Minister
Phone 370
SUNDAY:
Bible School—10 a. m.
Worship—10:45 a. m.
Young People's Bible Class—7 p. m.
Worship—8 p. m.
TUESDAY:
Ladies' Bible Class—3 P. M.
WEDNESDAY:
Bible Study—8:00 p. m.

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THE BAIRD STAR

COMPLETES COURSE AT HARDIN-SIMMONS

ABILENE — Miss Elizabeth Reed Wasson, Mrs. Madge Holmes Bearden, and Miss Isadore Grimes of Baird have completed a two-week art workshop course this week at Hardin-Simmons University.

The workshop course, slated for school teachers, introduced new methods, theories, and techniques of the field and provided discussion of the problems of the teacher. The course is offered each summer at H-SU.

Miss Wasson is an instructor at the Junior High School in Coleman. She is currently working on the M. Ed. degree. Mrs. Bearden is currently working on the B.S. degree, and Miss Grimes, instructor at the Baird schools, is working on the M. Ed. degree.

Mrs. R. L. Griggs went to New Orleans, La., by plane last Wednesday to be with her sister, Mrs. Clark Elder, who has been ill in a hospital there. Mrs. Elder, at this time, is better and will come on to Baird by plane soon to be at the home of her mother, Mrs. Cora Work.

ATTEND THE 3rd Annual Lions Club Carnival August 15 - 16 Clyde, Texas

NEW RESTAURANT CEILING PRICE REGULATION

FORT WORTH — Small eating and drinking establishments today were relieved by OPS from the necessity of filing CPR 11 base period sales and costs reports under the new restaurant ceiling price regulation (CPR 134).

The exemption applies to establishments which had gross sales in 1951 of not more than \$24,000, or an average of \$2,000 a month if open only a part of the year.

OPS also exempted from the filing requirement small drug stores and similar establishments serving food and beverages which do not segregate their food and beverage sales from other sales if their total food and beverage purchases in 1951 were not more than \$12,000, or an average of \$1,000 per month if open only part of the year.

Since the number, and sales volume of the establishments involved is comparatively small, OPS said the exemption will not seriously impair the effectiveness of the new restaurant regulation.

It is provided by Amendment 2 to CPR 134 and becomes effective June 23, 1952. Announcement of this action by the National Office of Price Stabilization was made by the Fort Worth district office.

Texas Publishers Demand Accounting Of Funds

Texas newspaper publishers expressed strong objection to the failure of state officials to publish accountings of receipts and disbursement of public tax monies at the 73rd Annual Meeting of the Texas Press Association in Houston, June 14.

Resolutions were passed calling attention to the fact that, even though required by law, such publications are seldom made by city, county and school board district officials. Resolutions pointed out that such public notices are required for the "understanding, benefit and criticism of the voters and tax payers," and that the light of publicity could place a curb upon the "careless, wasteful extravagance and often corrupt handling of public funds."

In part, the resolutions read: WHEREAS, laws in other states recognize the need of such detailed publication of all expenditures of public monies, wherein said expenditures are listed in the local or regional newspaper, item by item, dollar by dollar; and that experience in other states proves that the cost of publication is more than justified by its enormous saving in the tax payers' money, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Legislative Committee of this Texas Press Association be called upon to study this particular phase of our state law and that said committee be empowered to suggest corrective measures for consideration by the State Legislative body.

J. C. Smyth, publisher of the Liberty Indicator is chairman of the TPA Legislative Committee.

A second resolution passed by the convention urged the election of officials who will pledge themselves to call a halt to tax increases. A third called for revision of the state election code to "create a basis of equity between and among candidates contending for any one particular office." Another endorsed the efforts of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, in their fight for freedom of information and the peoples' right to know.

Attempts by certain groups to place a curb on advertising for selfish purposes and the TPA's objection to false or misleading advertising also were cited by the Resolutions Committee. Canadian manufacturers of newspaper print were condemned for their increase in the price of their product, and domestic producers were urged to maintain their present prices, in another resolution. The association also went on record as approving the work of Weekly Newspaper Represent-

tatives of New York City, a new organization formed for the handling of national advertising in the country's weekly newspapers. Michael Colesanto, general manager of Weekly Newspaper Representatives, was a speaker for the Houston meeting.

William Rawland, publisher of the Cleburne Times-Review, was elected president of the Texas Press Association, at the meeting. He replaces Brad H. Smith, Weslaco News publisher. Smith will serve during the coming year as chairman of the Board of Directors, succeeding Frederick I. Massengill, Jr., Terrell Daily Tribune. Arthur H. Kowert, Fredericksburg Standard, was named vice-president, and William E. Berger, publisher of the Hondo Anvil Herald, was elected secretary-treasurer.

PLANS FOR FFA STATE CONVENTION COMPLETE

DALLAS — Franklin Brandt, of LaGrange, State President of the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America, announced today that the final details for the 24th Annual State Convention of the Future Farmers, July 16-18, have been worked out.

Scheduled to be held at the Baker Hotel in Dallas, the Convention will be highlighted by the State Public Speaking Contest. Winner of the State Contest will enter competition with winners from Louisiana and Oklahoma to determine who will represent the 3 state area in the National Future Farmers Public Speaking Contest to be held in Kansas City, Mo., in October. Each of the 10 areas in the State will be represented in the State Elimination Contest. Bill Hunter, Dimmitt FFA, will speak on "Let Us Wage The Peace"; Joe N. Stephens, Lamesa FFA, "Trend of Socialism in Agriculture: United States"; W. O. Manning, Hamilton FFA, "Balanced Farming"; Herley Jenkins, Caddo Mills FFA, "Conservation Farming Through FFA"; Larry Umberson, West Lamar FFA, "Electrification of Rural Areas"; Don Brown, Luling FFA, "From Fuzz to Whiskers"; Norman Donoho, Itasca FFA, "Farm Safety"; Jack Earl Harrison, Huntington FFA, "Protect Our Soils and Save America"; and Durell Douthit, Raymondville FFA, "Zebu Crosses."

Special awards will be made to the winner by the Texas Future Farmer Association and a group and Fort Worth businessmen. Cal T. Johnson, Public Relations Director for Sears Roebuck and Company, Murray Cox, Farm Director for radio station WFAA, and C. G. Scruggs, Associate Editor of the Progressive Farmer, General Chairmen of the convention, have announced that cash awards will also be presented to the Star Lone Star Farmer, A. J. Kitten, Cooper School, Lubbock; Texas Star American Farmer nominee, Cecil Mercer, Abilene; State Dairy Products Judging Team, Littlefield, Bill Womack, Darrell Kennemer, and Larry Kennemer; Dairy Cattle Judging Team, Groom, Cliff Fraser, Hersched Blank, Donald Kotara and Buddy Kirk; State Poultry Judging Team, Miles, Daniel Jansa, Gilbert Kubenka, and Jimmy Killemeier; Meat Judging Team, Fredericksburg, Clayton Behrends, Kermit Wahrmond, and Henry Frantzens; Livestock Judging Team, Fredericksburg, A. C. Kast, Harvey Ellebracht, and Alton Moellering. Other Future Farmers who have done an outstanding job and who will receive an award are Harold McEwin, Nacogdoches, Farm Electrification; W. R. Herring, Ralls, Dairy Farming; J. O. Koehl, Fayetteville, Farm Mechanics; Cleburn Lincke, Fayetteville, Soil and Water Management; and the Farm Safety award will be presented to the Clifton Future Farmer Chapter.

Donald Stahell of Hurricane, Utah, the 20-year-old National President of the Future Farmers of America, will address the convention, Thursday, July 17, on his beginning in farming.

The Future Farmer State Convention will be attended by more than 5000 FFA boys and their teachers of Vocational Agriculture, July 16-18, in Dallas at the Baker Hotel. The convention will end July 18 with the election of the State President, and the presentation of awards.

Franklin Brandt of LaGrange, the 1951-52 State President, will preside at the meeting.

Baird people attending a program presented by children of the Corsicana Odd Fellows home at the high school auditorium in Eastland Tuesday night, were: Miss Myrtle Boydston, Mrs. Katherine Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Kerby, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Davis, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Sam I. Smith, Charlie Oglehorn, Joe Boutwell and J. L. Ault.



"THE CAT" SUIT . . . This new bathing suit from France is called "The Cat". It was shown at the "Foire de Paris" among other offerings of beachwear by leading Paris designers.



FREDRIC MARCH and MARTHA SCOTT come to town, in this scene from Warner Bros. "One Foot In Heaven," the film making it's return engagement at the Plaza Theatre Sunday and Monday.

this week's patterns...
BY AUDREY LANE



No. 2630 is cut in sizes 12 to 20; 36 to 46. Size 18, 4 1/2 yds. 30-in. No. 3053 is cut in sizes 10 to 20; 36 to 40. Size 18, 1 1/2 yds. 30-in. Send 30c for EACH pattern with name, address, style number and size to AUDREY LANE BUREAU, Box 369, Madison Square Station, New York 10, N.Y. The "Book" shows 125 other styles. 25c extra.



TWO SHOWS NIGHTLY
Show Opens at 7:00 P. M.
Sat. & Sun. Matinee 1:30 p.m.

Friday - Saturday
CHARLES STARRETT
SMILEY BURNETTE
"PECOS RIVER"
—Plus Second Feature—
STANLEY CLEMENTS
ELENA VARDUGO
"JET JOB"

Sunday - Monday
FREDRIC MARCH
MARTHA SCOTT
"ONE FOOT IN HEAVEN"

Tuesday - Wednesday
Walt Disney's
"Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs"

Thursday - Friday
"The San Francisco Story"
JOEL McRAE
YVONNE DE CARLO

RALPH YARBOROUGH SPEAKS AT BAIRD

Judge Ralph Yarborough brought his campaign for Governor of Texas to Baird Friday morning with a talk on Market Street.

The former assistant attorney general of Texas and district judge in Austin stressed in his talk the need to "clean house" in the Governor's office and pointed out the present Governor has been in public office for 18 years, has served nearly two full terms in the governor's chair, and now seeks a "third" term.

The Baird appearance was only one stop in a busy day of stump speaking by Judge Yarborough. The energetic veteran of World War II made other appearances at Cross Plains, Rising Star, Coleman, Ballinger and San Angelo. "I'm applying to the people for a job," Judge Yarborough said, "and I'm coming out to see them."

Traveling with the candidate were his son and driver, Richard, of Austin; Don Yarborough, a young Marine Corps officer of Houston and World War II vet who just returned to Texas from another tour of active duty with the Marines. (Though the two have the same name, they are not related). Driving the sound truck was Charles Harris of San Marcos.

Mrs. Cora Work Injured in Fall

Mrs. Cora Work is recovering nicely after a fall about ten days ago, which resulted in a broken foot. Mrs. Paul McNabb of Abilene and Carl Oliphant of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Work Monday.

The many friends of Mrs. Work will be glad to hear that her foot is improving nicely, although she will be confined to her bed for about six weeks.

COUPLE ON HONEYMOON IN SOUTH TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Loper are honeymooning in San Antonio and Corpus Christi this week, and will be at home in Baird at 500 Girard Street upon their return Friday.

The couple was married last December 30. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Springfield, and is a junior in the local high school. She was salutatorian of her class when graduating from grammar school.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Loper, graduated from Baird high school in May, and was on the football team. He is employed by City Pharmacy.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT!



When You Choose a...

Keepsake

GUARANTEED PERFECT!



CASTLE Also \$125 Wedding Ring \$7.50

With your Keepsake, you receive the famous Keepsake Certificate, your written guarantee of a PERFECT gem.

Staudt Jewelry Watch Repairing

For a breeze-cool lift...
Wear a fresh Life Bra every day.



In hot, sticky weather there's nothing like a fresh Life Bra every day... to keep you cool and protect your daintiness. So you'll want plenty of extras to tide you over! Life Bras are "Triple Fitted" to you, for a lovelier bustline with greater comfort and freedom. They're proportioned to (1) your bust size, (2) your cup size, (3) your separation—wide, medium or narrow. Won't shrink, won't lose their shape, no matter how often you sud's them. So thrifty, too. Come get your extra Life Bras for extra summer daintiness today!

Life Bra Shown,

In Nylon, \$2.50 — In Cotton, \$1.75

Others from \$1.25 to \$2.50

McElroy Dry Goods

ROUND-UP Drive-In THEATRE

TWO SHOWS NIGHTLY
TEST TYPE IN-A-CAR SPEAKERS
COMPLETELY REMODELED

Friday - Saturday
LUM & ABNER

"Partners in Time"
Plus Selected Short Subjects

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.
HUMPHREY BOGART
MARTA TOREN
LEE J. COBB

"SIRROCO"

Wed. - Thurs.
TYRONE POWER
ANN BLYTH

"I'll Never Forget You"

Color by Technicolor

Fri. - Sat. July 4 - 5

ESTHER WILLIAMS
RED SKELTON
HOWARD KEEL

"Texas Carnival"

On sultry nights, don't just sit around the house and get on each other's nerves. Drive out to the Round-Up Drive-In. Bring the whole family in the family car.

LOOK AHEAD TO SUMMER IN SHEER

TISSUE GINGHAM

GAY GIBSON Juniors

\$12.95

Seasoned for summer coolness and comfort, so easy to get into— It buttons right down front. White Birdseye Pique strikes a high note against the smart checked background. Sudsing won't change its good looks. Brown, Black. Sizes 9-11

MAYFIELD'S

CLASSIFIED

RABBITS FOR SALE — Pedigreed breeding stock, bucks and does, both Dutch and Champagne d'Argent. Reasonable prices. Edwards Premier Rabbitry 540 Callowhill St. Ph. 127. tfn

Don't take chances with your old tires. Trade them in on a new set of Ward's Riversides today. Black's Farm Store. tfn

FOR SALE — 4-room house and bath. See Lowell Boyd. tfn

Payroll and Earnings Record Book, \$2.00 The Baird Star.

ATHLETES FOOT GERM HOW TO KILL IT. IN ONE HOUR.

If not pleased, your 40¢ back. This STRONG fungicide Sloughs Off the outer skin to expose buried fungi. Kills it on contact. Get Greaseless, instant-drying T-4-L at any drug store. Today at

CITY PHARMACY

FOR SALE CHEAP — 4-room and bath, new water heater. A. H. Hagar, Clyde, Texas. 3tp

IRONING WANTED — In my home. \$1.25 for doz pieces. Mrs. W. J. Floyd. 3tp

WANTED — I am interested in securing books relating to Texas history; books printed before 1900 if possible. Will give their full value. Write me what you have and your price. E. L. Yeats, Albany, Texas. 3tc

FOR SALE — 16 acres at Cottonwood, good 5-room house and out buildings. Also 100 acres farm land, hog proof fence, good water supply, good barn. Write or see Miss Mary Thomas, Cottonwood, Texas. 4tp

WANTED — Driver for wholesale gasoline truck. Honesty and careful driving essential. House furnished. Permanent job. John W. Loven, Clyde, Texas. tfn

PHOTO ALBUMS, 50¢ and \$1; Scrap Books, 50¢ and \$1. The Baird Star.

FOR SALE — 5 room house with bath, 3 lots, NE part of town. J. L. Ault, 426 Pine St.

FOR SALE — Used Singer Sewing Machine, good condition, \$35. Mrs. W. E. Kirkindoll, Oplin. Mail address, Clyde Rt. 2. tfn

HOUSE FOR SALE — 4 rooms and bath. Northwest part of town. See B. F. Lee, Eugenia St. tfn

FOR SALE — Gas cook stove, white enamel, at a bargain. J. E. Pruet, Putnam, Texas, Box 252, Phone 22. 2tp

FOR RENT — Apartments and bedrooms for rent. See Mrs. C. W. Conner. 2tp

Political Announcements

RATES IN ADVANCE

Precinct	\$15.00
County	\$15.00
District	\$20.00

The Baird Star is authorized to publish the announcements of the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary election July 26.

For Representative, 17th Congressional District: Jack Cox, of Breckenridge Omar Burleson, of Anson Re-election

For State Representative 76th District: C. H. Dawson of Cross Plains Omar Burkett of Cisco John Wood, of Albany

For District Clerk: Mrs. Corrie Neithercutt Re-election

For County Judge: J. L. Farmer Re-election

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: Joe Pierce Re-election George Morgan

For County Clerk: Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson Re-election

For County Treasurer: Hazel Reynolds Re-election

For Justice of Peace, Prec. 1: G. H. Corn Re-election D. J. (Justin) Anderson

For Commissioner, Prec. 1: J. W. Patton Re-election Rosco R. Sheinutt

For Commissioner, Prec. 2: Clyde T. Floyd Re-election

For Commissioner Prec. 3: I. G. Mobley Re-election R. B. (Slim) Taylor

For Constable, Prec. 1: Joe C. Alphin

WILL TRADE — Stalk Cutter for Georgia Stock. J. W. Hughes. Baird. ttp

FOR SALE — 10 room house, 2 baths, 2 story, screened in back porch, 3 out houses, new cellar, 1-2 block of land. See B. L. Russell or Bill Work. tfn

FOR RENT — The Terrell place, 10 rooms and bath, partially furnished. Miss Pauline Terrell or Mrs. J. H. Terrell, 950 Pine St. Phone 366. tfn

FOR SALE — Simmons Baby Bed, kant-wet mattress, excellent condition. Mrs. Harold Miller, 1061 W. Third St. ttc

FOR SALE — Electric Lawn Mower, practically new. Phone 70. 2tc

FOR SALE — 2 lots, 500 block Payton St., Baird, G. G. Jernigan, 2725 Walnut St., Odessa, Tex. Phone 6-6755. 2tp

FOR SALE — International Automatic Hay Baler, Mower, Rake and Tractor. See separate or together. Used about 30 days. R. E. Clark, Putnam, Texas.

FOR SALE — Maple living room suite. Also floor lamp. Mrs. Gilmer Hughes. tfn

LOCAL TEACHER AT McMURRY FOR SUMMER TERM

Mrs. R. A. Webster, public school teacher of Baird, is among the 54 graduate students enrolled at McMurry College for the summer session, studying towards the professional degree, Master of Education.

A definite increase in summer enrollment is shown over last year. With 190 undergraduates and 54 graduates, a total of 244 students are enrolled for the '52 summer term, as compared to 231 last year.

W. T. Payne, of Abilene, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

L. L. Blackburn
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Baird, Texas

M. L. Stubblefield, M. D.
County Hospital
Phones
Office 236 Home 206
Baird, Texas

R. L. Griggs, M. D.
Physician — Surgeon
X-Ray
Local Surgeon for T&P R. R.
Office Co. Hospital Phone 63
City Pharmacy 100 — Home 181
Baird, Texas

Dr. M. C. McGowen
Dentist — X-Ray
Phone 22 201 Market St.
Baird, Texas

Wylie Funeral Home
AMBULANCE SERVICE
Lady Embalmer, and Attendant
PHONE 38
BAIRD, TEXAS

L. B. Lewis
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
General Civil Practice
Fire and Auto Insurance
Baird, Texas

Jackson & Jackson
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
235 Market Street
Baird, Texas

Russell-Surles Abstract Co.
Prompt and Dependable
Abstract Service
Office in Court House
Vada White Bennett
Owner
Baird, Texas

BAIRD LODGE NO. 271
ODD FELLOWS
Meets 1st and 3rd
Tuesday Evenings
Visitors Welcome
J. L. Ault, N. G.
G. H. Tankersley, Secy.

BAIRD LODGE
NO. 522 A. F. & A. M.
Meets Saturday night,
on or before each full
moon.
8:00 P. M.
Members are urged to attend,
visitors welcome.
C. M. Gunn, W. M.
J. Brice Jones, Sec'y.

Putnam Personals

Mrs. W. D. Fleming
Pertinent Paragraphs
Pertaining To Putnam People

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzeck and daughter, of Colorado City, spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Shaw and Bob, of Goldsmith, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heysler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reynolds and son, of Tulsa, Okla., were visiting during the weekend with Mrs. Reynolds's mother, Mrs. Ella Cunningham and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fleming spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mitt Cook, Jr., and Mrs. Lula Fleming, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and sons, of Fort Worth, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurst and family, of Beaumont, are spending their vacation with Mrs. A. J. Hurst and Les.

Edward King, of Fort Worth, spent Saturday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete King.

Miss Carolyn Lassiter, student of Hardin-Simmons University, spent Thursday with Aura Frances Waddell.

Mrs. B. E. Fulbright returned to her home in Dublin, Saturday, after spending a week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent.

Major and Glenn Cook, Nancy and Sally, of Washington, D. C., are at the bedside of Mr. Cook's father, John Cook, who is in the Callahan County Hospital.

Mrs. Jack Ramsey and George Lee are spending their vacation visiting relatives in Houston and Franklin.

Willie Bea and Noble Wall left Monday for Venezuela, S. A., where they will spend the summer with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clark and family, of Aspermont, were visiting among friends in Putnam, Monday. Mr. Clark was former Supt. of Putnam High School.

Cpl. Royce White is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White, while en route to Italy.

Mrs. Lenora Boatwright and Miss Lorena Gunn made a trip to Amarillo last Monday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boatwright and sons, Sgt. Fred Boatwright, of Roswell, N. M., and Bill Boatwright, a student at the University of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Virgil Boatwright, of San Francisco were there for a visit also, and the entire group made a trip through the Palo Dudo Canyon and from there went to Dallas visiting Charles L. Smith and family.

They came by Baird on their return and visited at Homer Boatwright's ranch home. They spent from Saturday until Wednesday with John Virgil's mother Mrs. Lenora Boatwright and sisters. There were 13 present for dinner on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Boatwright returned to San Francisco Wednesday, and will return to his ship and Navy duty at the end of his leave July 5. He has served in the Navy 18 years.

"SNOW WHITE" OFFERS FINE ATMOSPHERE

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," Walt Disney's feature picture, present action against the background of forests, castles, wild mountain fastnesses, and in the quaint woodland cottage of the Seven Dwarfs.

Color of unbelievable beauty and fantasy marks the scenes in the dense woods where much of the story takes place. When Snow White becomes lost, trees, stumps and foliage take on weird and grotesquely human shapes to her, with the climax coming in a series of breath-taking montage shots in color by Technicolor.

Contrasted with the many delightful and humorous scenes of Snow White with the little forest animals and the Dwarfs, played in the woods or the picturesque cottage, are those in which her rival, the wicked Queen, in the mysterious dungeons of her castle, plots to take Snow White's life so that she, the Queen, may be the fairest in the land.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" comes to the Plaza on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 1 & 2.

When Mrs. Ed Windham wrote from Westwood, Calif., this week, she said: "Please send The Star for another year. We do not know so many of the young people there, but do see some of the older people mentioned that we knew when we lived there, which has been about forty years ago."

WINNERS IN CROSS PLAINS ART EXHIBIT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Louis Williams, of Cross Plains, won first place in the art exhibit held at Cross Plains last Friday, with her potato picture. Second place went to Mrs. Volley Joe Williams of Brownwood, with her picture "Mums"; and third to Mrs. Louis Williams with her picture, "Old Shoes." The places were determined by popular vote.

Art pupils of Mrs. Fred Tunell held the exhibit in the American Legion building there from 8:30 until 9:00 p. m. The public was invited to attend.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Sr., was admitted the 24th for medical treatment.

Mrs. G. W. Miller, Baird Rt. 2, who was admitted recently, is reported feeling some better.

Mrs. J. R. Gunn, Putnam, is a medical patient.

Aubrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Childers, Cottonwood, who underwent appendectomy recently, returned to his home Wednesday.

T. J. Donald, a surgical patient, is resting well.

J. P. Stanley, who underwent surgery the 20th, was getting along nicely when dismissed Wednesday.

Miss Tassie Jackson is feeling about the same the past few days.

Mrs. Lavelle Sisson, who was admitted the 20th as a medical patient, is resting some better.

Miss Susie Walker, who is very ill, shows no improvement the past few days.

John Cook, Putnam, is reported feeling some better.

B. W. Lofton is getting along nicely.

Recent dismissals include Mrs. W. B. Atchison, Mrs. R. L. Miller of Clyde, Mrs. Dave Poindexter and infant son, Mrs. G. H. Tankersley, Mrs. B. L. Russell, Sr., Mrs. J. J. Gibson, Mrs. John Rodden of Cisco, Mrs. Hubert L. Ross, Mrs. K. M. Regan of Washington, D.C., and E. D. Howe.

ENTERPRISE CLUB MEETS THURSDAY, JUNE 19

The Enterprise Home Makers Club met Thursday, June 19, with Mmes. J. W. and Cliff Patton as hostesses, in the J. W. Patton home. The meeting was called to order by repeating the club motto, pledge and prayer. Roll call was answered with "A Short Cut I Have Learned in Refinishing Furniture." A Stanley party was sponsored by the club. Mrs. R. G. Edwards of Eula is the Stanley representative and showed a nice line of products.

Secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged.

Refreshments were served to three guests: Mrs. Edwards, Bill Ferguson and Chera Jane Corder, and the following members: Mmes. R. E. Hansen, Hardy Merrick, J. A. Coffey, O. J. Witte, L. D. Simpson, A. L. Powers, Ben Nunn, P. H. Patton, Paul Shanks, Marion Randolph, Leon Kendrick, J. C. Browning, Sam Sherrill, E. M. Parks, M. M. Gers, John West, Will Young, D. Corning, J. W. and Cliff Patton.

REBEKAH SCHOOL ATTENDED BY LARGE CROWD

Approximately one hundred Rebekahs from a dozen Rebekah lodges in this area attended the School of Instruction held at the Odd Fellows Hall here Monday, June 23. Mrs. Katherine Hinds, Divisional Supervisor, conducted the school. Among the lodges represented were Abilene 89; B. A. Carter, Abilene, 195; Bangs, 64; Brownwood, 152; Cisco Good Will, 102; Coleman, 344; Eastland, 177; Gorman, 345; Ranger, 244; Tuscola, 74; Baird, 112, and Big Spring, 284.

BAPTIST GIRLS ATTEND CAMP AT LUEDERS

Among local girls attending the Baptist camp at Lueders this week are: Helen Walker, Jane Davis, Carolyn Shelton, Ann Dennis, Sherry Fugitt, Edna Ramirez, Evangelina Ramirez, Martha Payne, Nanez Coley, Jenice Brown, Patricia Mitchell, Bessie Weed, Delores Shelnett, Melba Bryant, Marjorie Curtis and Beverly Curtis.

Accompanying the girls were Mrs. Riley Fugitt and Aizena Ciampitt.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Dodds and son, Russell, of Alamosa, Colo., are visiting Mrs. Dodds' cousins, Mrs. Harry Ebert and Fred Hart, and attended the reunion at Buffalo Gap last weekend.

Mrs. B. F. Massey, of Ft. Worth, is visiting her cousin, Fred Hart and Mrs. Hart, and her brother, J. Q. Morrison, and attended the Hart, Dodds, Heslep, Jackson reunion at Buffalo Gap last Saturday and Sunday.

Oplin Observations

Sylvia Gail Gwin
Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.

Donald Wayne Floyd visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Floyd, and other relatives the past week.

Jeanell Wilkerson spent the past week in Abilene with her relatives.

Bettylu Daniels, of Pecos, spent the weekend with Paula Windham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Poindexter are the proud parents of a baby boy. It was born Saturday morning at Callahan County Hospital. The baby has been named Donald Mack.

Mrs. Darrell Haynes was honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday evening at the school house. Sixty-four guests attended.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson, Mrs. Zack McIntyre and Nancy visited Mrs. Susie Peavy in Cottonwood last week. They also visited relatives in Cross Plains.

Bob Boston had the misfortune of having his ankle broken Wednesday morning when a tractor wheel ran over it.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner received word Saturday that their son, Harlan, who is in Korea, was injured in an accident when a building collapsed.

OLD FASHIONED REVIVAL AT CISCO CHURCH

An old fashioned Salvation and Healing tent revival will begin at the Assembly of God Church at 7th St. and Ave. G. in Cisco, starting on Tuesday, June 24 at 8 p. m. Evangelist G. R. Cozby will do the preaching, and his family will provide special music and singing. C. G. Fuston is pastor of the Cisco Church sponsoring the revival. The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dabney, of Dallas, visited with the editor Tuesday when en route to Merkel to visit Mrs. Dabney's mother, Mrs. Jenia Graham. One hundred relatives are expected to attend a family reunion there Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hallmark of Eula, another daughter of Mrs. Graham, also plan to attend the gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Macdonald and children, Robert III and Miriam, of Niagara Falls, left Thursday for their home after a week's visit with Mr. Macdonald's brother, Lea Macdonald, and family.

H'S MOVIE TIME IN TEXAS

RIO
CLYDE
Show Time 7:15 P. M.
Adults - 35c
Children - 14c

Friday - Saturday
ROY ROGERS
and TRIGGER
"Pals of the Golden West"

Sun. - Mon. - Tues.
LORETTA YOUNG
JOSEPH COTTEN
"HALF ANGEL"
Color by Technicolor

OLD FASHIONED TENT REVIVAL

THE COZBY FAMILY
EVANGELIST G. R. COZBY
EVERYBODY WELCOME

Special Music and Singing
SPONSORED BY
The Assembly of God Church

7th St. at Avenue G—Cisco—Phone 826-W
C. G. FUSTON, Pastor

Starts Tuesday, June 24—Each Evening at 8

ANN BARTON HONORED ON SEVENTH BIRTHDAY
Ann Barton was honored on her seventh birthday Saturday morning, June 21. The guests enjoyed picture shows, and gay colored hats were given as favors. Elizabeth Ann and Barbara Snyder, Mary Ross, and Vergie Stevenson assisted in serving cold drinks and birthday cake to the following: Janet Ross, Judy Morgan, Judy Tollett, Freddie and Susie Foy, Nancy Johnson, David and Mack Sutphen, Carlton Jones, Raymond Allman, Don Ray Franke, Charlene Shelton, Chuck and Bobo Coats, Carol Lynn McGowen, Carlie Sue Hunter, Kitsy Ross, Cora Sue Lambert, Bruce O'Brien Bell, Harold Loyd Alexander, Guy Hicks, Byron Snyder, Janet Everett, Kay Eatherly, Robert Martin, Jimmy Dean Sparks, Tommy Barton, Tommie Sue and Linda Kay Pruitt, Ann Gray Nutt, Donnie Macdonald, Lee and Joaquin Abernathy, and Johnny and Jimmy Paylor of Clyde.

END OF THE MONTH SALE

81-in. Bleach Sheeting, yd. . . 95c
81-in. Brown Sheeting, yd. . . 75c
39-in. Brown Sheeting, yd. . . 25c
39-in. Brown Sheeting, yd. . . 35c
80 sq. Prints, all colors, yd. . . 35c
36-in. Bleach Domestic, yd. . . 35c

Colored Sheets and Pillow Cases
White Sheets and Pillow Cases
Get Our Prices Before You Buy

JUSTIN BOOTS — 10% Discount

When in need of Dry Goods, Boydston Is The Place To Go!

Don't forget, this store will be closed July 4th.

WILL D. BOYDSTUN

July Clearance Sale

One rack Kid's Dresses
\$3.98 to \$5.50, now \$2.98

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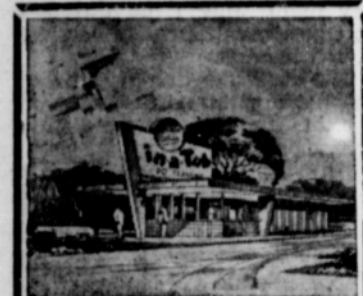
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Former Baird Girl Awarded Internship At Michigan Speech Improvement Camp

Mrs. J. B. (Verna Mae) Crutchfield, teacher of exceptional children, Breckenridge public schools, has been awarded an internship in speech correction at the University of Michigan Speech Improvement Camp, Shady Trails, Northport, Mich. Mrs. Crutchfield will be an assistant speech correctionist.

The clinical work and graduate study is directed by John N. Clancy. Visiting consultants and lecturers will be directors of speech clinics in various parts of the United States.

Shady Trails convenes on June 23 and remains in session until August 25. It is a camp for speech defective boys between the ages of 7 and 24. The camp was established by the Kresge Foundation and is operated by the University of Michigan.

Mrs. Crutchfield and daughter, Mary, left Fort Worth via train June 21. Mary will be a senior camper at Indian Beach Camp, near Northport.

Mrs. Crutchfield is the daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Berry.



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PLAZA THEATRE
SUNDAY - MONDAY

State Health Officer Outlines Battle Plan To Combat Polio Outbreaks in Texas

AUSTIN — A long-range battle plan against rampaging polio was outlined Wednesday by the State Department of Health.

State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox recommended these eight points of action in combatting the disease which this year is striking harder at Texas than at any other part of the nation:

1. Spot spray insect breeding places after they have been cleaned up and destroyed. Spraying indiscriminately might kill a few insects on the wing, but it won't do the job. It might kill valuable plants and create a false sense of security.
2. Get rid of the animal shelters in urban areas. They cannot be kept clean and consequently create a health hazard as fly breeders.
3. Get rid of dump piles, tin cans, old tires, and accumulated debris which breed flies and mosquitoes and provide harborage for rats.
4. Provide a properly operated sewage system, and get rid of all surface toilets. Dr. Cox believes surface toilets constitute

one of the major health hazards facing Texas.

5. Provide a source of pure water.

6. Protect food supplies in wholesale business houses, retail shops, and in private homes.

7. Make regular inspections of all premises to see that no possibility exists for fly breeding. If you have flies, somebody is maintaining a breeding spot.

8. Garbage should be placed in fly tight garbage cans until time of disposal. Tubs, boxes, lidless garbage cans, etc., are of no value.

He urged each home owner to assume responsibility for keeping his property clean inside and out.

The editor received a very interesting letter from T. N. Minix, an ex-resident of Callahan county, who is now living at Sweetwater. The letter, in part, follows: "Have just read this week's issue of your good paper. Enjoy the write-ups from the different communities over the county, especially from Denton Valley and Midway, where I have lived."

Mrs. Mary L. Pelzer, of Albuquerque, N. M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collett, spent the past ten days here with her parents. She returned home Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. McGowen, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leon and family, of Dallas, visited relatives in Baird Thursday of last week, when enroute to Satello, N. M., to spend the summer.

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Mrs. B. F. Russell, of Dallas, and Mrs. Howard Kline and children, of Ft. Worth, visited their mother, Mrs. H. J. Gibbs at Rowden. Mrs. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennet went on a fishing trip near Menard the weekend of June 14.

Capt. Jim Shaw, of the U. S. Marine Corps, who has recently returned after a year's service in Korea and Japan, visited Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen Thursday of last week.

Mayor J. T. Lawrence entered the hospital at Cisco, Sunday, for several days' treatment. His son, Dr. J. T. Lawrence, of Cisco, accompanied him there.

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CROP SPRAYING

Despite the progress made in modern agricultural methods each year, the farmer is often faced with problems as old as recorded history.

One major obstacle with which the Texas farmer will have to contend with this season can be traced as far back as Biblical times—the plague of insects. While insect infestations are not expected to actually reach plague proportions in Texas as they have in other parts of the world in 1952, the problem is still a serious one.

Recent inspections reveal that cotton insects, including the persistent and destructive Pink Bollworm, are more strongly entrenched in Texas field than at any time in the past 40 years. Comparison records of the Pink Bollworm alone show that for every one of the forms found in South Texas cotton last year, there are ninety this year. The build-up of other harmful insects is almost equally as heavy. As a result, the farmer can expect a higher ration of crop damage in addition to a greater expenditure on insecticides.

It will be to the Texas farmer's advantage to follow an organized method of spraying crops this season for the best insect control. The best plan will be to get in touch with county agents and study the seven-step spraying program as set up by the Texas Extension Service.

Much of the effectiveness of spraying or dusting is nullified by poor timing. Spraying on a 'guess basis' often catches harmful insects in the pupa stage when insecticides and pesticides have little or no effect. It may also do away with some of the useful type insects.

This seven-step program varies over the state but each area has a definite plan set up according to local climatic and in-

sect conditions. This type of spraying assures the farmer of getting the most benefit out of money spent for insect control.

The most effective measure yet found against the Pink Bollworm is strict compliance with planting and plow-up deadlines. These measures are already in effect in areas where the heaviest infestation exists. But the extremely large build-up this season is due partly to the mild winter which failed to kill off the usual number of last year's generations.

The Pink Bollworm can't stand "wet feet," but it does carry over well in dry and mild weather. The farmer will have to practice every control measure possible this year to keep down the present insect plague.

H-S-U BAND SCHOOL
JULY 21 TO AUGUST 1

ABILENE — Music directors, teachers and students from a dozen Texas towns have pre-entrolled in the Hardin-Simmons University summer band school, scheduled for July 21 to August 1.

Towns included are Abilene, Rotan, Midland, Seminole, Harlingen, Abernathy, Memphis, Uvalde, Hale Center, Burkburnett, Baird and Pecos.

Classes will be held daily in instrumental ensembles, soloing, conducting, harmony, musicianship, section drill, and baton twirling for high school students. Harmony, arranging, materials, and band marching classes will be held for directors and teachers. A special course in baton twirling and drum majoring will be taught by Mrs. Norma Kniffen Dozier, holder of the VFW champion twirler titles for 1947 and 1948.

Marion B. McClure, professor of band instruments and director of the Cowboy and Cowgirls bands at H-SU, will teach percussion.

McCrea-Isenhower
Wedding at Cisco

The First Presbyterian Church of Cisco was the setting Saturday evening for the wedding of Miss Patsy Lois McCrea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Yancy Jerome McCrea, and James Wesley Isenhower, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Isenhower. Rev. Sidney Spain, pastor of the First Christian Church of Cisco, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original gown of pale blue nylon tulle over matching satin. The softly shirred fitted bodice had a deep illusion yoke forming an off-the-shoulder neckline. This was outlined with counterpoint embroidery. The extremely full skirt formed a redingote effect with embroidery over pleated tulle. The train was chapel length.

Her headdress was a fitted helmet-type cap of embroidered illusion with full circular veil. She carried a nosegay of white feathered carnations and lilies of the valley, centered with white gardenias.

The wedding party stood before an altar flanked by baskets of white gladioluses and candelabra holding pale pink tapers. Smaller baskets of flowers were at each end of the choir loft which was banked with palms and fern. Pink candles lined the chancel rail and aisles

were marked with white satin bows.

Miss Bernie Ann McCrea, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mrs. Silliman Evans of Nashville, Tenn., aunt of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Anne Batjer of San Angelo, Miss Mary Lynn Johnson of Abilene, Miss Peggy Anders of Dangerfield and Mrs. Billy Jack Johnson of Eastland, sister of the bridegroom.

The attendants were dressed in gowns of pink silk mousseline de sole over net with taffeta. Dresses had fitted and tucked bodices and very full ballerina length skirts. Attendants wore tiny half-halo headdresses of pale pink net and carried nosegays of white and pale pink flowers.

Candlelighters were Jan Lattson, cousin of the bride, and Diana Waters.

The mother of the bride wore a full length lace and chiffon dress of sea-foam green. Her accessories were at hat of tiny pink flowers, matching shoes and gloves. She wore a corsage of pink camellias.

The bridegroom's mother wore a mauve crepe dress. The bodice was studded with rhinestones. She wore a white lace hat and white elbow-length gloves and her corsage was gardenias.

Weldon Isenhower of Putnam served his brother as best man. Ushers were Robert Ledbetter of Breckenridge, Yancy McCrea, Jr. of Denton, the bride's brother,

Bill Jackson of Brady and Fred Robinson of Plainview.

Miss Jane Huestis was organist. Jack Chambliss, soloist, sang "Because," "Yours Is My Heart Alone," and at the conclusion of the ceremony, "The Lord's Prayer."

A reception followed at the Cisco Country Club.

The bride's table was laid with an imported white linen cutwork cloth. The centerpiece was white flowers with pink candles in crystal candelabra. The four-tiered wedding cake, decorated with white wedding bells and tiny pink roses, was served by Mrs. Bill Mitcham, Mrs. R. E. Harwick of Brownwood, served punch.

Reception music was by Miss Huestis, pianist, and Miss Mona Lee Cluck, violinist.

After a ten-day wedding trip to New Orleans and Virginia, the couple will live at Fort Lee, Va., where the bridegroom will report for duty as a second lieutenant July 1.

Mr. Isenhower is a graduate of Cisco high school and of Texas A&M College, where he received his degree in 1950. He had been ranching in Callahan and Shackelford counties and recently received his call for active duty in the Quartermaster Corps.

Mrs. Isenhower was graduated from Cisco high school and from Ward-Belmont College, Nashville, and attended the University of Texas.

Guidebook Available
For Industrial Sites

DALLAS — The U. S. Department of Commerce is distributing a guidebook to help communities and manufacturers select Sites for new defense supporting plants which will afford relative security from enemy attack.

Entitled "Industrial Dispersion Guidebook for Communities," the new publication is the third on the National Industrial Dispersion Program issued by the Government. The first two, published by the National Security Resources Board explained the program. The new book, prepared by the Commerce Department's Area Development Division in cooperation with the Office of Defense Mobilization, and the Defense Production Administration, tells how national dispersion standards may be applied to any particular metropolitan area.

As announced in August 1951, the National Industrial Dispersion Program provided that new defense supporting production facilities be located 10 or more miles from highly industrialized or densely populated sections or from major military installations.

Proper location of plants in accordance with these criteria is one of the conditions imposed on industries before they may re-

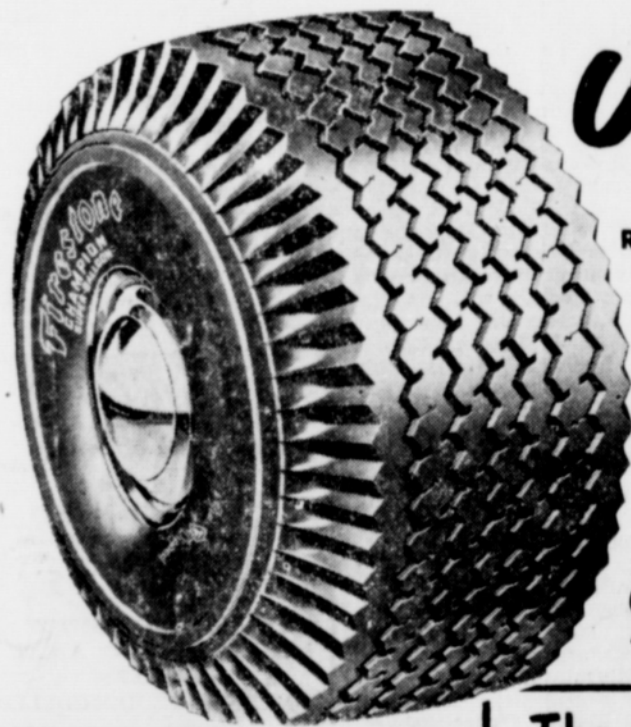
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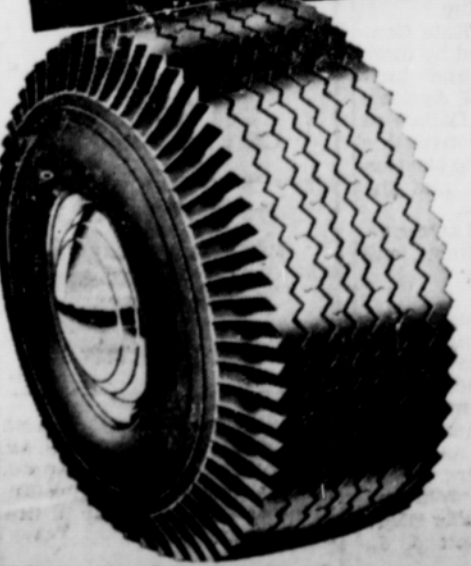
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GEORGIE was swinging on the gate near the creek and looking wistfully across the Iowa prairie. It was hard to be only five and have no part in the preparations his parents were making.

When he saw a chubby figure in pantaloons crossing the fields, he dropped to the ground, and taking out his jackknife, cut a willow switch from the near-by thicket. He notched the stick at each end and went to the barn in search of a thong. The one he found was worn and greasy but when Emmy found him, he was attaching it to the willow stick.

"What-cha doin'?" she asked. "Somethin' girls wouldn't understand."

"Looks like a bow to me. Got any arrows?"

"Not yet. Just startin' to make 'em." With his knife in hand, he left for the willows.

"I'll get the feathers," Emmy called after him.

As he cut his sticks, George could hear the chickens squawking. When he returned to the barn, an excited hen ran between his legs, her tail feathers missing. Emmy displayed a fistful of feathers.

He accepted them without thanks, and in a tantalizing sing-song voice said, "I know somethin' you don't know."

Emmy rose to the bait. "What is it?"

"Wouldn't be a secret if I told."

"Please tell me." Emmy exerted all the wiles gained in six years experience.

"Promise you won't tell."

"I promise."

"I'm goin' away where I won't have to play with girls any more."

George continued to whistle as he enjoyed Emmy's surprise.

"Where you goin'?" Emmy asked when she recovered herself.

"We're moving to Colorado. There's buffalo, Injuns, and pract'ally no women. Father says so."

Emmy was speechless and George pushed his advantage.

"That's why I'm making this bow and arrows—to fight Injuns."

"Pooh! It's Injuns that use bow and arrows. White men use guns."

Emmy had recovered her composure.

"This white man's going to use bow and arrows." George aimed

his new arrow at a hog's head, pulled the bow string taut and let go. The arrow missed by at least a foot.

Emmy laughed scornfully. "Couldn't hit the side of a barn."

"What does an old girl know about it? It's men that fight Injuns."

"I can do anything you can do, Mister Smarty. Let's play." Emmy climbed to the top rail of the fence. "Look at me. I'm a tight rope walker."

George continued to whistle. He knew Emmy could beat him at that game, but without competition, she would soon quit.

"Let's jump out the haymow window," suggested Emmy from her perch on the fence. George threw down his arrows and they raced for the ladder. Emmy beat. From the window they jumped onto the straw pile, and slid to the bottom with a whoop.

"Come with me. I'll show you somethin'." George let the way to the granary. There stood a large wagon with three great hickory bows arching above the wagon bed. "It's goin' to be a covered wagon!"

George did not restrain his pride and Emmy caught her breath.

"Mebby we're goin' too," she mumbled but she did not sound convincing.

"You are not! Mother is going to be the only woman in the whole wagon train."

Emmy left, hopping on one foot and chanting, "Good riddance to bad rubbish."

George swallowed his disappointment when Emmy failed to see them off.

As the wagon train jolted over the prairie, George was in the thick of things—a man among men. But the men grew tired and cross. They often screamed at George.

Then Father would say, "Go to your ma." George would hang his head.

It rained and Father made him stay inside. Nothing to do. Tear beads rolled down his face.

"Wished I could see old Emmy," he gulped.

Mother's mouth twitched.

George saw and struggled with his pride. "I wished I could see old Emmy so's I could knock her head off."

BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS MARTHA COLEY

Martha Coley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coley, was honored with a party June 23, on her fourth birthday. The guests played several games, and favors of gum and balloons were given. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in decorations and refreshments. A birthday cake decorated with fruit drops and peppermint sticks centered the refreshment table.

Refreshments of fruit punch and cake were served to twenty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Nordyke and daughter, of Austin, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nordyke, Sunday.

NOTICE OF FFA MEETING

An FFA meeting has been called for Monday night, June 30. This meeting will be held at the local agriculture building at 7:45 p. m. All officers, both Greenhand and Chapter, are urged to be present. This will be a business meeting for all boys who expect to take Vocational Agriculture during the coming school term or has paid their camp dues. All boys who have not turned in their Supervised Farming Record Books must do so at this meeting.

Ocie McQueen, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bristow, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bristow and son, Eddie, the past weekend.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF KIN IN OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bollinger and children left last Friday for Kingfisher, Okla., to attend the funeral of Mr. Bollinger's cousin, Leo Calif, who was killed instantly in a car-truck collision Thursday night. No one else was injured.

Mr. Bollinger made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Calif and family for several years before entering military service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wirt were business visitors here Wednesday morning from Putnam.

Glynn Bryant, of El Paso, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant.

SÓN IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Houston are parents of a son born in Callahan County Hospital June 16, weighing 6 lbs., 14 ozs. The new arrival has been named Rickey Lynn. Mrs. Houston and son are getting along fine. The Houstons have another son, four years old.

Mrs. L. O. Pickett, of Carrollton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Beasley and Mr. Beasley.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stanley, of Carlsbad, N. M., came Tuesday night to be with their grandson, J. P. Stanley, who underwent surgery last Friday night.

SUNSHINE CLUB MEETS WITH GAYLE WALLS

The Sunshine Club met at the home of Gayle Walls at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

After a business meeting, delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Miss Jeffie Lambert, Mrs. Willie Lambert, Mrs. Tom Wylie, Mrs. Mary Kehrer, Mrs. Annie Asbury, Mrs. Edna Neithercutt and Gayle Walls.


A picnic was planned for Tuesday night, July 1, at 7 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Neithercutt.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Tom Wylie at 3 p. m. Wednesday, July 9.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mitchell and granddaughter, Joyce Ann Lackey, of Houston, visited Mrs. Bob Beck this week.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence of Baird, Mrs. Ralph Buckingham and son Glenn, of Gainesville, Yvonne Melton of Breckenridge visited Mrs. Lawrence's and Mrs. Buckingham's aunt, Mrs. Ed Henderson at Cross Plains, and their brother, Elmer Henderson, at Burkett, June 19.

Mrs. Fred Thompson and sons, Victor, Philip, Mark and Stephen, arrived Monday night from Sargent, Neb., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones have returned from Weslaco where they visited their sons and families, Clifford and R. F. Jones.

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2 cans 25c

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pound 59c

MISSION CUT GREEN BEANS

2 No. 303 cans 29c

BLACK'S

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By Mary Lee Taylor

Duchess Potato Salad

2 slices bacon, finely cut
1/4 cup finely cut onion
2 teaspoons flour
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 cup vinegar
1 cup Fat Milk
3 cups sliced, cooked potatoes
1 1/2 cups cut-up drained green beans, cooked or canned
1 cup cut-up celery

Cook bacon slowly until crisp. Remove bacon pieces and save. Add onion to fat; cook slowly 5 min. Blend in flour. Add salt, sugar, mustard, pepper and vinegar. Cook and stir until thickened. Remove from heat; stir into milk. Put bacon pieces and vegetable into bowl; add dressing. Mix gently until vegetables are coated with dressing. Makes 4 servings.

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