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

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McKlavenhauger On **Buying At Home**

By V. H. Torrance

No man is milder in his judgments than my old and cherished friend, Bustamante McKlavenhauger. In all the years I have known him, I have found his intolerant only of intolerance. He almost invariably finds some plausible excuse for any human act, whether of out-and-out cussedness or plain, every-day human weakness. human weakness.

But there are times when human behavior baffles him, and at such times he is likely to be most severe in his strictures, and he has a tongue that can take the hide off like the cracker on a bull whip.

His pipe had been making the shop malodorous for some time when he blurted out, "what makes people do the way they

"Maybe it's because they're people," I suggested helpfully, "You've been around lawyers to much," McKlavenhauger jib-

answer.

"There isn't a thing made in the United States that doesn't excel, at any point, a similar article made in Europe. But if it bears a label reading 'imported,' it will sell even when the purchaser knows he's getting gyptation.

ped."
"That applies right here in our own back yard," McKlaven-hauger went on. "Of course, it is necessary to purchase some commodities in Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, or elsewhere," he grinned, "I refer to certain articles proscribed by local law. But there is no need to purchase every-day household and personal needs outside of Baird or Ciyde.

cevery-day household and personal needs outside of Baird or Clyde.

"My own needs are few and simple, and I make few purchases, but from my observation and conversations, I feel sure Baird merchants can match quality and price with similar stores in other cities. And I know dad-gummed right they can offer superior service.

"If you buy a hat in Abliene, get back here and find your head has swelled because you have an imported hat -- imported from Abliene -- you have either lost your money, you have an unsatisfacory hat, or you must go back and swap it. You buy the same hat here and you can get satisfaction in two minutes with no inconvenience.

"What goes for hats applies to everything, clothes, food, furniture, necessities or luxuries. You can get more for your money in Baird or Clyde than anywhere else; figuring it on a day-in- and day-out basis.

"Quite aside from the question of dollars and cents; quality and convenience, it makes sense to do your buying at home. These merchants are homefolks and neighbors. They're part of the community. It is their tax money, along with yours, that provides you with community services.

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"I take it," I suggested, "that you're speaking from exper-ience."

much. I had read a good deal about German steel, so I bought one of those razors. A few days later when my eyes got back into focus I read what it said on

that razor."
"I dicho, as the Mexicans say.

A motto? Motto? Yeh, a motto. It said "Moto? Yen, a moto? It san that razor was made somewhere on South Clark Street in Chica-go. And that always happens when you buy out of town. Fig-uratively, it is all made on South Clark Street in Chicago."

President Sukrano of Indonesia, addressing the World Affairs Council and the Asia Foundation: "Our nations (Asian) are weary of being dispossessed — the voiceless — the underprivi-leged."

Industry Talks Heard By Club

In the industrialization of a community, the spirit of the community is often of greater importance than its tangible as-sets, Jack Morris, Abilene bank-er, told the Callahan County Luncheon Club Wednesday noon.

Others who spoke on industtrialization were Jack Lack, Abi-lene manager of a national mali-order house, and Paul Marable of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Morris said any community Morris said any community seeking industry must first inventory what it has to ofter. The railroads are an important ally of a city in its effort to lure industry, as railroads, he pointed out, are vitally interested in the development of the territory they serve.

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There is no short cut to in-dustrialization, Morris warned. Frequently the project requires years of promotion.

Lack, like Morris, emphasized that a community hoping to obtain industry, must present a complete catalog of its assets; assets which will meet the particular needs of the industry it

"You can't just write a let-ter and expect to get a factory," Lack declared.

Grand Jurors

not retained counsel. Should he have no attorney when arraigned, Judge J. R. Black will appoint a lawyer to represent him. The shooting is said to have been an out-growth of a quarrel between Harwell and Reeder over the storage of old automobile tires, which Harwell is said to obliect.

Reeder, officers said, was shot through the abdomen with a 22 caliber rifle. He immediately took the weapon from Harwell's hands, Harwell making no effort to retain it.

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Bustamante McKlavenhauger grinned.

"It was the summer of 1919, I went up to Coblenz, got a snootful of that Rhine wine, and wound up in some kind of a store. I saw some razors in a showcase -- I could still see that much. I had read a good deal about German steel, so I bought a pasture.

Program Ready

The Callahan County office of the Farmers Home Administration late Wednesday received authority to accept applications for feed under the emergency drouth program, Herschel about German steel, so I bought apasture.

City Council Sets **Equalization Date**

The city council has tenta-tively set Aug. 13 as the date when it will sit as a board of equalization to hear protests of tax assessments.

Notices to property owners whose assessments have been increased went out this week. With few exceptions, increases have been made on new con-Notices to property owners whose assessments have been increased went out this week. With few exceptions, increases have been made on new construction and on material improvements.

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Swim Students Must Obtain Applications

Those planning to take advan-Those planning to take advan-tage of the free swimming les-sons to be given at the Baird pool must obtain application blanks before the lessons begin Aug. 13, Mrs. Fred Thompson, Red Cross representative, said this week. These applications must be accompanied by a doc-tor's certificate of physical fit-ness. ness.

Application blanks may be obtained from Cliff Patton at the pool, H. E. Swofford at Clyde, or George M. Beard at Eula.

The swimming lessons are available without charge to perons between the ages of eight

Farmers Sign For Soil Bank

Preliminary figures indicate that approximately 345 Callahan County farmers have signed a-greements with the federal gov-The question was purely academic and he did not expect an answer.

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Acreage covered by the Calla-han County vote, and the pro-bable earnings by farmers were broken down by McPerson as

5,548 acres of wheat, \$31,911.40 2,038 acres of cotton, \$24,467.73 838 acres of peanuts, \$8,230.25.

The program, which is operated under the so-called soil bank law, which was enacted last May, too late for complete operation this year. However, McPerson said, the program will continue through 1957, 1958, and 1959.

Details of the method in

Details of the method in which the program will be operated as it applies to the 1957 wheat crop are expected before wheat planting time.

Rockey Motor Co. Opening Held Sat.

The formal opening of Rockey Motor Company's new sales room and garage last Saturday at Fourth and Chestnut was well attended, Mrs. Adella Rockey sald this week.

"We didn't keep a register or make any attempt to count the people who came." Mrs. Rockey sald, "but we were very happy to have so many people come to see our new place."

Jefferies To Attend Coaching School

When the coaches association when the coacnes association and school meets at Lubbock Monday, the Baird Bears' H. R. Jefferies will be among those present hoping to pick a few new tricks of the trade.

The Texas coaches school, duplicated nowhere in the nation, will again offer a faculty of nationally known coaches to teach their favorite brands of attack and defense.

Emergency Feed Program Ready

nounced.

Under this program the federal government will pay \$1.00 per hundred pounds on feed purchased by ranchers and far-

Information that Callahan County had been placed on the drouth emergency feed list was received Tuesday. Farmers flocked to the courthouse to file

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Bids Received On High School

Bids on the construction of Baird's projected new high school were submitted to the school board Tuesday night, but Hugh Ross, president of the board, said the board will not know exactly where they stand until tabulation has been com-

The board will meet again Friday night with the architect, Stanley Brown of Dallas, to make a detailed study.

Bids were received on con-struction, plumbing and electri-cal installation.

"We are very gratified by the number of bids submitted." Ross said, "but beyond that we don't know where we stand."

Star Printing Wins Distant Patronage

The quality of work done by the commercial print shop of the Baird Star continues to at-tract patronage from consider-able distances.

able distances.

The Star is now in receipt of a request for prices on a directory of the Church of Christ in Oklahoma City. The request, signed by C. E. McGaughey, evangelist, said he was attracted by the work done by the Star for the church at Andrews.

Pioneer Reunion Cat For Aug 10 Cat For Aug 10 Cat For Aug 10 Cat For Aug 10 District: Long, 1940. Representative in Congress, 17th District: Kralis, 572; Burleson, 1436. State Senator, 22nd Senatorial District: Fitts, 703; Bradshaw, 1002. State Representative, 76th District: Set For Aug. 10

The Callahan County Pioneer reunion will be held at Tread-way Park, Cross Plains, August

reunion will be held at Treadway Park, Cross Plains, August 10, with Bob Norrell presiding, and with Randall Jackson, B. H. Freeland and Fred Heyser as masters of cast onles.

The program will begin with registration at 9:30 a. m. and close with the group singing "Auld Lang Syne." Fred Stacey of Cross Plains will speak. A slient tribute will be paid to deceased ploneers. A basket lunch will be held at noon.

The afternoon program will include:

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Man coming greatest distance to attend reunion

Woman coming greatest distance to attend reunion

Couple married longest

Couple married longest with continuous residence in

county Report of nominating commit-

tee and election of officers,
Old Fiddlers Contest, Mrs. V.
E. Hill, Chairman
Square dance for old timers.

Donald Allen Clyde Coach

Clyde's new football coach is Donald Allen, Superintendent Bailey Johnson announced this

Bailey Johnson announced this week.

Allen, who has a bachelor of science degree from Abilene Christian College, has coached at Moran and at Weatherford. He has not yet reported and his record as a coach is not yet known here.

Mrs. Allen is the former Betty Lummus of Moran, and is a graduate of Texas Tech. The couple has two children, Staniey, five, and Sheryl, age one and a half.

In addition to coaching, Allen will teach in high school.

Brig.—Gen. Carlos P. Romulo, Philippine Ambassador to the United States: "Neutralism be-tween the free world and the Soviet world is impossible."

Callahan County **Election Results**

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1956

Governor: Daniel, 757; Haley, 175; Yar-borough, 465; Holmes, 17; O'-Daniel, 569; Senterfitt, 82.

Lieutenant Governor Johnson, 193; Aiken, 324; Smith, 775; Ramsey, 632.

Attorney General: Moore, 790; Carlton, 101; Wilson, 796; Hill, 118.

Son, 1995; Hill, 116.
Associate Justice of Supreme
Court, Place 1;
Griffin, 1452.
Associate Justice Of Supreme
Court, Place 2:
Calvert, 1901.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place 3: Norvell, 625; Hughes, 1076.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals: Morrison, 695; Owens, 997. Railroad Commissioner:

Murray, 1413. Comptroller of Public Accounts: Calvert, 1946. State Treasurer:

James, 1026; Harding, 828 Commissioner General Land Office: Price, 867; Rudder, 890

Commissioner of Agriculture: Jones, 394; White, 1006; Bar-Jones, 394; White, 1006; Barber, 275.
Congressman-At-Large:
Elkins, 654; Dies, 1112.
Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Supreme Judicial District:

State Representative, 76th District:
Brashear, 1074; Burkett, 874.
State Board of Education:
Mrs. George Swinney, 1941.
District Judge, 42nd Judicial
District J. R. Black, 1926
District Attorney, 42nd Judicial
District:
Ingalabe, 1356; Caffey, 649.
County Attorney:
L. B. Lewis, 1947.
Sheriff:
Homer Price, 1963
Tax Assessor-Collector:

Commissioner, Precinct No. Mobley, 182; McCollum, 134. County Democratic Chairman: Barton, 229; Freeland, 202.

Services Held For L. L. Vines

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m. in the Ham-ner Funeral Home, Eastland, for L. L. Vines, who passed away at his home in Eastland, Sunday.

Austin Vorner, minister of the Church of Christ, assisted by Harvey Kimbler pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in the Stag Creek Cemetery in Comanche County. Mr. Vines. 83, was born Nov. 30, 1872, and had lived in Eastland the past 16 years.

Pallbearers were Tip Arthur, Ean Mitchell, Clifford Richardson, Clyde McBee, Harlon Denny and Johnny Aaron.

Survivors include his wife. Annie; one son, Perry Callaway of Lubbock; three daughters, Mrs. Everett Plowman of Eastland, Mrs. Vera Whitlook of Comanche, Mrs. Joe Hogan of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Clubbock, three Clayton of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock, three Brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock, three daughters, the college of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Lubbock of College and Dentry of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, Colley of Comanche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Carbon; three brothers: Frank of Proctor, College of Companche and Johnny of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Catheryne Clayton of Carbon; three brothers: Tank of the Indiana Cou

Gov. Gary To Speak At Baptist Gathering

Gov. Raymond Gary of Okla-homa will speak at the annual brotherhood camp of Baptist District 17 on the Lueders Bap-tist encampment ground Aug. 7. Approximately 1,000 men from the 12 counties of the district, which includes Callahan Coun-ty, are expected to attend.

ty, are expected to attend.
Other speakers will be Clifford
Leddy of Abilene, president of
Brotherhood District 17; Fred
C. Hughes of Boerne, state
Brotherhood president; the Rev.
Byron Bryant of Stamford; the
Rev. L. L. Trott, district secretary; and the Rev. C. A. Powelf
of Crowell.

United Fund Budget Set At \$4,000; Campaign To Begin About Oct. 1



M/Sgt. Seelig

Baird Man's Son Serves In Germany

M/Sgt. Lawrence A. Seelig, 29, son of Will Seelig of Baird, is a chief clerk in the Army's European headquarters in Germany. Sergeant Seelig entered the Army in 1946. He was last stationed in Oklahoma City and arrived in Europe in May 1955. The sergeant holds the Bronze Star Medal. His wife, Wanda, is with him in Germany.

Mrs. Barnes' Mother Succumbs At Ranger

Funeral services for Mrs. O. L. James of Ranger, mother of Mrs. G. J. Barnes of Baird, were held in Ranger Monday, Mrs. James died last Saturday.

Mrs. James was born in North Carolina Nov. 17, 1894, and had made here home in Ranger 20

Surviving Mrs. James are: her Surviving Mrs. James are: her husband; one son, D. L. of Odessa; three daughters, Mrs. G. J. Barnes of Baird, Mrs. George Richardson of Roscoe and Mrs. J. G. Blackwell of Sundown; two brothers, John Huntsanger of Mathis and Nelson Huntsanger of Lorena; three sisters, Mrs. Lee Meadows and Mrs. Clark Lee Meadows and Mrs. Clark Tolar, both of Waco, and Mrs. Tilda Chapman of Dallas; eight grandchildren and three great

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explained that the money allo explained that the money allo-cated to the Boy Scouts goes to the Abilene Area Council and the additional money in the Baird Youth Fund is to be used directly for Boy Scout work here as it is needed. No such provi-sion is necessary for the Girl Scouts as they send only \$256 to their area headquarters, re-taining the rest of their appro-priation here.

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Another increase approved for the coming year is \$100 for the Salvation Armiy.

A reduction from last years figures is reflected in the ap-propriation for operating expen-ses, which has been set at \$50 for the coming year. Last year \$100 was set up for operating \$100 was set up for operating The total new budget is a pa-

expenses.

The total new budget is a paper reduction of \$750. Farmer explained that an appropriation of \$1,000 was made for emergencies last year. It was not needed and was eliminated from the 1936-57 total.

The finance committee includes, in addition to Farmer, Mrs. Helen Thompson, Mrs. I. E. Warren, Mrs. Ray Black and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Chairman of the campaign to raise the needed \$4,000 is Mayor Eddie Bullock.

This is the second year of the United Fund operation in Baird, and Farmer said some persons seem unfamiliar with the purpose and method. The United Fund, is intended, he said, to eliminate solicitation by individual organizations, and to provide a means whereby one lump-sum contribution may be made. Contributors may designate the organization to which they desire their contribution to go.

Daniel, Smith Given Pluralities By Callahan County Electorate

preme Court, and Jesse Owens ed in the race for the Court of

Callahan County showed its approval of Jesse James at the treasurer's office. His vote was 1026 against 825 for Warren O.

Harding.

John C. White should continue

The new hunting and fishing licenses for the state's fiscal year beginning Sept. 1 will be mailed from Austin Aug. 21, according to the chief license clerk for the Game and Fish Commis-

Approximately 350,000 fishing and 350,000 hunting licenses in all will be shipped to the state's 2500 licensed agents in 254 coun-

ties.
Old licenses will be void af-

John C. White should continue as agriculture commissioner Callahan County sald, with 1006 votes, and Martin Dies led Bill Elkins for congressman at large 1112 to 684.

Omar Burleson's majority over Dan Kralis in this county approached two to one, Burleson's vote being 1,436 and Kralis 572.
Paul Brashear had 1,002 sporisors in Callahan County while Comar Burkett received 874 votes.

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Baird Couple Become

Grandparents Of Boy

Callahan County Hospital News

The following are patients

in the hospital:

Mrs. C. T. Davis, Putnam

Mrs. O. B. Jarrett, Baird

Mrs. Rawleigh Bruton and

Roy Rutledge A. H. Mathias, Breckenridge

More Broilers, Fryers,

Lower Prices Expected August supplies of broilers and

fryers are expected to be 20 percent above a year ago with an average of nearly 29 million birds going to market weekly. Prices are running 20 to 22 per

turkey crop is also at least a third larger than a year ago with heavy breed hens and toms making up the most of the ex-

Food shoppers will also find plenty of beef available. Large quantities of all grades are ex-

Hog Price Increase

Seen By Economist

A drop of eight percent in the

A drop of eight percent in the nation's spring pig crop and an indicated reduction of seven percent in the number of sows to farrow this fall promise some relief for swine prices, says J. G. McHaney, extension economist. Figures on Texas production closely follow the national trend, he adds.

Commercial slaughter of hogs during the first four months of 1956 averaged about 16 percent above the same months of last year but after mid-summer the slaughter rate is expected to be above last year's level and then later below it.

As a result of the announced decrease in spring pig numbers and the indicated drop in fall farrowings and fewer hogs going to market, McHaney says prices should average at least as high this fall as last and should not drop to the low level of prices paid producers late in 1956.

cent below last year. The USDA announced that the

pected for August.

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Fred Brecheen, Abilene

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FOR SALE - 5-rm, house to be moved. Mrs. O. W. Crutch-field, Phone 3044. 30-2-p

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27-8-F

FOR SALE — Air conditioner pads, fittings, floats, hose, pumps, copper tubing, belts, etc. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. 17-tf-c

FOR SALE - 6-rm. house and bath, 544 West 1st St., Baird. Contact R. G. Gilmore at Cot-tonwood. 17-tf-c

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FOR RENT — My farm south of Baird. Cash rent. Fence will be up in due time. See Miss Pau-line Terrell at Ebert Apts. 30-tf-c Mr. and Mrs. Leon Daniel of Corpus Christi have announced the arrival of a son, Ted Lee, who was born July 24 in Corpus Christi. Ted Lee weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones of Corpus Christi.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

8 p. m. - K. P. Hall

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CITY PHARMACY MAIRD, TEXAS

Brenda Barry Bride Of James Wilson

The marriage at Abilene of the former Brenda Annice Barry to James Wesley Wilson has been announced.

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The ceremony was read by the Rev. Melvin Byrd at Abilene at

his home.

Immediately following the wedding, the couple left for Bainbridge, Md., where Mr. Wilson is attending the Navy's dental technician school.

Janell: Reynolds To Wed Baird Man

Mr and Mrs R W. Reynolds Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds of Putnam have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Janell to Jerry Clay Cochran of Baird. The bridegroom elect is the son of N. T. Cochran of Abllene.

The marriage will be solemnized at 8 p. m. Aug. 24, at the Church of Christ Chapel.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the voters of
Precinct 3 for the vote of confidence they gave me in the re-cent primary election and to commend my opponent for the clean manner in which he con-

ducted his campaign.

I. G. MOBLEY.

Homefolks And Visitors

Carol Lynn McGowen spent several days last week in Abilene visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Baulch of Wichita Falls are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green and children are vacationing in the state of Colorado.

Mrs. Clifton Hord visited Miss Josephine Hamlett in Abilene last Friday and also visited her daughter, Mrs. Lee Loper and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord at-

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord attended the homecoming at Sipe Springs last week end, and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Humphries.

Capt. and Mrs. Raymond W. Higgins stopped by this week for a short visit with Capt. Higgin's sister, Mrs. W. J. Maltby. They were enroute to Fairfield, Calif., from Montgomery, Ala., where Capt. Higgins has been attending school for 3 months. Richard Higgins, who makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maltby, accompanied them home

home with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maitby, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Bob Bozeman and children, Bob, Marcia and Russell of El Paso are visiting the Smedleys and Mrs. Felix Mitchell this week.

Cleo Ivy of Fort Worth is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Manion and other relatives.

Cecil Thompson, student in N. T. S. C. Denton was home for the week end.

Sharon Melton of Brecken-ridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melton, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T.

Lawrence.

Mrs. Gilbert Hinds is visiting relatives in various cities in the state of California.

state of California,
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith accompanied their daughter, Mrs.
Ed Putman and family of Colorado City to Marshall, Ark., for

rado City to Marshall, Ark., for a visit with the Smith's son, Millard Smith and family. They plan to be gone a week.

Mike Reynolds, of Monahans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Turk Reynolds, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Smith of Fort Worth spent the week end with relatives in Baird and Eula.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bos.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross spent the week end at Camp Kickapoo, near Kerrville, visiting their daughters, Mary and Janet,

Mrs. Carl Pfluger and children of Eden are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Childs.

M/Sgt. H. M. McEirath of
Marsh Field, A.F.B., Calif., a
son-in-law of Mrs. Felix Mitchell
is here on extended business as
inspector of air force bases in
this territory. Sgt. McElarth
spent Sunday with Mrs. Mitchell
and also visited other relatives
here. Other visitors with Mrs.
Mitchell were: Mr. and Mrs.
Mitchell were: Mr. and Mrs.
Bob Green of Fort Worth and
Mrs. Mitchell's brother, W. J.
Russell, Mrs. Russell and Lynn
of Salem, N. M. Lynn Russell
has recently returned from Germany and recleved his discharge
from the service.

Mr and Mrs. Bobby Stanley and children are in Dallas where the children are receiving medical treatment.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to our neighbors and

Martha Ann Martin returned home Sunday after a five weeks visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darby in Ven-ezuela.

Wayne, Karen and Stevie Rey-nolds of Fort Worth are visit-ing their father, Sterling Rey-nolds and other relatives.

Mrs. T. A. Martin is home af-ter spending three weeks as a medical patient in a Fort Worth

We would like to thank all our neighbors and friends for the many kind deeds shown us during our father's illness and death, Noah Armstrong. Also for the beautiful floral offerings, cards, letters and telegrams. They have helped us so much in our dark hour. May God bless each one of you for your kind-

Mrs. W. C. Hazle Mrs. W. P. James and Daughters.



A NEW GROCERY AND MARKET

Is now open at the old Baird Tourist Court on old Highway 80 in west part of town. The adjoining Cafe serves Family Style Dinner and Supper

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Also for sale are 100 pullets that will begin laying late in August.

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Mayor H. Schwartz led fifteen of his fireboys to San Angelo to the Statewide Firemen's Convention -- has been said that he had a rough time keeping most of the boys 'corralled,' since they were in a celebrating mood, or perhaps might be better to say, were taking their last filing before being called into Service. fore being called into Service.

Then in 1918, Baird was literally alive with Rangers, along about the latter part of September -- some six of seven Texas Rangers were stationed here to prevent any further trouble be-tween the warring factions of the Johnson and Simms families of Scurry county. One Sidney Johnson was tried and acquited Johnson was tried and acquited of the murder of one of the Simms boys — it was rumored that this death made the fourth in the series of clashes between the two families — seems that the feud had been raging for several years, would somewhat die down then flare anew. die down, then flare anew.

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During 1922, there war quite a lot of KKK activity in Callahan County the organization was very strong with a large membership, as evidenced by several issues of the Baird Star during parts of the year, making mention of some particular deed performed by said KKK; among others, the KKK quietly placed a wreath on the bler of a fallen member; and again parading (6 strong) into church during a revival, and presented the minister with \$50.00 and the singer with \$25.00. Then during the latter part of the year, they donated \$200.00 to the Goodfellow Fund, leaving instructions that the \$200.00 be used over the entire county and not just in Baird, for this very worthy cause of helping the needy and distressed at this particular season of the year.

Friday, July 31, 1908

The postoffice has been moved to the new quarters in the Home National Bank building. A splendid and completely new outfit has been put in. One innovation is that all boxes lock with a combination, no keys as with the old system.

Friday, Sept. 4, 1908

Baird College — The college opened yesterday for the 1908-09 term under Prof. Flanniken. The attendance was good and prospects for a good school are excellent. Let everyone do his or her part to encourage the

the old system.

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school. Baird, for the last two years, in spite of everything, has retrograted in school mat-ters, not pleasant to say, but it is the truth and the cause is well known. Probably we can remove the hindering cause and put the public schools of Baird

on a firm basis. The college is different and depends solely on the patronage of the people of Baird. Let us all help all we can.

Friday, Oct. 9, 1908
The west wall of the court-house is cracking open in many places. The breaks begin at the same place that they did in the old court house, though the foundation was put down several feet deeper than the first eral feet deeper than the first building. There must be a cavity under the west wall. Whatever it is, it is going to make trouble for the county, just as the old one did. An architect was ex-pected here at the called term of the commissioners court last week to examine the building, but he failed to make his ap-

week to examine the building, but he failed to make his appearance.

W. J. Ray let the contract to W. A. Hinds to build a brick building 40x50 feet to replace his wooden blacksmith shop. (Note) The building is the present location of Ray Motor Co.

NOTE — Yep, even back in those days, there was trouble in this neck of the woods; something always happening to mar the peace and quietude of the community; and please, folks, don't go rushing around the old location in the Home National Bank building for your mail—'taint there no more.

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neirs who die interstate revert, or "escheat" to the State.

Such provisions have been carried over from the English common law. There, under such circumstances, the estate escheated to the British crown. The theory of the process is that the sovereign (or state), having been the original owner of all lands before they were parceled out to individuals, is entitled to a return of such lands when the possibilities of legal inheritance have been exhausted.

This idea has been expanded to include personal property as well as real estate. It also applies in the case of a person absent for a term of seven years and not known to exist who leaves no heirs and no will.

Go To State

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Presumably, there is hardly a person who does not have some

would prefer to have his estate rather than have it go to the state, by default, so to speak. Yet, surprisingly, estates worth many thousands of dollars do es-cheat to the various states from time to time.

Now, before you shrug the matter off with the idea that these statutory provisions could not possibly apply to you, better think a minute. Suppose you and your spouse have no heirs besides each other and your child-gen Many records do fall into ren. Many people do fall into

In event of a catastrophe resulting in death for you and your immediate family, no legal heirs would remain. Therefore if you had no will, your property would go to the state. In preparing a will, you would probably want to designate some friend as executor, to take care of all necessary arrangements. of all necessary arrangements and then distribute the estate according to your wishes. Useful Function

Useful Function
On the other hand, if you have plenty of possible heirs, a will could be used to designate which of them shall participate in the division of the estate. And even if you wish your property to be distributed entirely in accordance with our statutes of descent and distribution as explained in previous columns a descent and distribution as ex-plained in previous columns a will can perform useful func-tions. Among other uses, a will could provide for an orderly and economical partition of your property, preventing any waste of the assets by heirs impatient

individual or charity that he The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, August 3, 1956

for a settlement.

What happens to property which escheats to the state? Following certain required legal formalities and court proceedfamiliar with the question of the day, but don't know the anschool fund of the state, and may be leased and sold by the land commissioner under certain regulations. Escheated personal property is sold by the local

sheriff under a court writ and the money received therefrom paid into the state treasury.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

Ollie Rether and Gail Burnam returned Saturday from a week's vacation on the coast, visiting Houston, Gaiveston and other

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Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and children were shopping in Cisco Tuesday.

Mary Chrystal and four children came Tuesday afternoon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

Aura Frances Waddell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell Briday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sherman of Eastland visited the G. S. Pruets Sonday.

Gall Williams visited a few days in Lubbock last week.

Benton Pruet and family of Clyde visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Maddox at Cottonwood Sunday.

Mrs. B. M. Freeland and family of Mrs. B. M. Freeland and family of Cotson Sonday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawis hast week.

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Mrs. Charles Davis of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rutherford and family of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. R. D. Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Davis

Sunday. Alton Hutchinson of Stephen-ville was in Putnam one day last

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Jr.,

NOW

HUMBLE

Veda Yarbrough and Roma McIntyre attended the funeral of Mrs. D. F. Harp in Baird Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and

day,

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and family of Cisco and Mrs. Mary Ramsey had Sunday dinner with Mark Burnam and family.

John Peyton Wingo and family of Baird visited the J. O. Taylors and the Mobley sisters Friday evening.

Raymond Chrystal of San Antonio joined his family at the George Browns Friday. They returned home Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Haughton Baxley of Akron, Ohio, were guests of Vena Shackelford the latter part of the week. Dr. Baxley returned home Friday, but Mrs. Baxley remained for a few weeks most of which she will spend with her sister, Mrs. Claude Cunningham in Midland.

I. B. Robinson, a former Putnam boy and a brother of Jo Taylor, suffered a paralytic stroke and Mrs. Bandall McNelce.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall McNeice of Abilene visited the John Mc-Intyres Sunday. Their son, who had been with the McIntyres a

had been with the McIntyres a few days, returned home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rice and family of Borger spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ramsey of Sudan returned home after a 10-day visit with friends and relatives in and around Putnam.

Dr. Royce Pruet was visiting

normal and around Putnam.

Dr. Royce Pruet was visiting O. S. Pruet and family, also his aunts and grandmother, Mmes. R. A. Park, Dove Gunn and Adella Jones, Monday. He was returning from a week's vacation on the coast.

Mrs. H. T. Varner and family of Baird spent the week end with sisters and mother.

Mrs. Hulon Smith returned home after a two weeks vacation in Fillmore, Okla., with her sisters and mother.

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her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White.

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Bennie Ross Everett and family of Alice is spending his vacation with Loren and Jo Verl Everett and with her parents in Clyde.

Those having dinner with Betty and Ruth Mobley Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cunningham and son, Mickey, Mrs. H. W. Baxley, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley and Vena Shackelford. Jāck and Jessie Ramsey and Nettie Lu Donoway went to Fort. Hood Sunday to see George Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols have returned from a vacation in New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming. They attended the rodeo at Cheyenne.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cunningham and son, Mickey of Midladn, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Gunningham during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

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Cunningham during the week
end.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett
visited in Cisco Sunday.
Mrs. W. C. Barron of Gordon
visited Mrs. Earl Jobe last week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Reese have
returned to their home after
spending four months in Houston. We are so glad to have
them back.
Mrs. L. B. Moore spent a few
days with her daughter, Ted
and family of Merkel last week.
Mrs. Early Hurst has returned from a trip to California
where she visited her sisters.
Mrs. Alma Buchanan and Beverley of Houston came by and
Mrs. Hurst accompanied them.
Mrs. George Damon returned home Tuesday after spending
several days with her daughter,
Mrs. Bill Mitchell and family of
Crane.
Mrs. Walter Smith returned

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan of Anson spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan.

Mr. Nettles is at home now after several days stay in West Texas with his son, Ernest Nettles,

Mrs. Tex Herring returned home Saturday after several days in Stanton where she and two sisters, Mrs. Lummie Russell and Mrs. Wylie Clements of Stephenville visited Dewey Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Eurie Butler, Mr. Butler is recovering from a recent illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reese are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Reese.

The Baptist meeting is begin-

The Baptist meeting is beginning at Putnam Friday night.
Chester Wilson, husband of
Patsy Taylor, visited Mr. and
Mrs. Orville Taylor Sunday afternoon. He had been to see
Patsy, who is getting her M.A.
degree at North Texas State
College.
Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry visited M. H. Sargent in Oraham
Hospital, Cisco, Sunday afternoon.
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Oplin Observations

By Daphine Floyd

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Mason and son, Ray of Denver City visited last Tuesday night with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirkindoll. The couple were enroute home from a week's vacation up at Taos, N. M. where they spent the time fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller have announced the arrival of their first great - grandson, born July 25 to their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White of Midland. The baby has been named William Thomas but will be called Billy.

Mrs. Tommie Windham and daughter, Paula planned on leaving Tuesday of this week for a vacation in Hawaii. They will go by air. Paula has a month's leave of absence from her job. Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Mason and

Dickie-Breeding, 10 year old grandson of Mr. and Mrs, Raymond Breeding had the misfortune to fall on a large mesquite thorn last week. The thorn went beneath the knee cap plereing the cartilage and letting the fluid escape. The pain was very servere and Dickie was laid up most of the week from the injury.

Mrs, A. D. Whorter who underwent gallstone surgery week before last was dismissed from the hospital last Friday. She will spent a few weeks convalescing in the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Johnson of Oplin.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller were their youngest daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby and daughter of Midland.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respess

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Joy and two sons, of Kingman, Ariz., vis-ited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Black of Mount Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Terry last week, Mr. Black is a brother of Mrs. Terry. Miss Margaret Albrecht visit-ed Miss Artie Mae Stokes at

Baird over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woody,
Miss Minnie Lois and Little
Kathy Jo Woody returned from
a week's visit in California re-

cently.
Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. Zack McIntyre of Oplin visited Mrs. W. O. Peevy last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Terry vis-ited in Colorado City last week

end.

Mrs. Mary Pid Ayers Hogbin
of Long Beach, Calif., is visiting
Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton this

w.ck.
Mrs. Maud Whitzel of Carls-bad, N. M., Miss Eunice Hembree, Misses Beulah and Hazel Res-pess visited Mrs. F. W. Respess in Rising Star Sunday after-noon.
Mrs. H. S. Varner isn't feeling

so well this week.

Mrs. D. C. Hargrove, Jr., underwent surgery at Graham hospital in Cisco Saturday night.
She is recovering normally.

J. H. Coats is reported to be improved since receiving medical treatment at Callahan County Hospital last week.

A gnu is a member of the African antelope family, having an ox-like head, short mane, down-ward curved horns and long tail.

Prairie dogs, native burrowing rodents, live together in large colonies.

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Baird joined this week in the nation-wide efforts of the Knights of Pythias to encourage Knights of Pythias to encourage highway courtesy as a long step toward the reduction of traffic accident with their attendant injuries and loss of life. To that end, Mayor Eddle Bullock offically proclaimed August Knights of Pythias Courtesy Month. His proclamation read:

WHEREAS, traffic accident

of Pythias Courtesy Montanio proclamation read:

WHEREAS, traffic accidents with their tolls of deaths and injuries continue at an alarming rate while the number of motor vehicles is increasing, and recent exhaustive studies of facts surrounding traffic accidents indicate human fallings as the major contributing factors, and WHEREAS, three years ago WHEREAS, three years ago Mrs. J. A. Bennett Sunday, Glendale Champion of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumner and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumner and Mrs. Cal-

Pythias launched a Highway Courtesy Campaign which has now spread across the North American continent, and all major traffic safety organizations are now cooperating with this efforts of the Knights of Pythias, and

WHEREAS, Governors of the states of the United States and Premiers of the provinces of Canada are giving their active support to a special drive of the Knights of Pythias Highway Courtesy Campaign during Aug-ust

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. E. Bullock, by the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of Baird in order to further encourage this highway courtesy campaign, do hereby designate and proclaim the month of August, 1956, to be Knights of Pythias Highway Courtesy Month, and urge all people to cooperate with the Knights of Pythias in this all people to cooperate with the Knights of Pythias in this worthy project by the exercise of courtesy and caution in their driving and walking so that we may re-emphasize the impor-tance of personal responsibility in the reduction of traffic acci-dents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respess

and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumner and children of Odessa, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal-vin Champion Sunday.

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Mrs. R. O. Gilmore is reported to be recovering normally from surgery in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abliene.

R. A. Maddox returned to his home Friday from Rising Star Hospital where he received medical treatment for a heart attack for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hargrove and children of Levelland attended the revival Sunday, while visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Dee Van Peit of Baird attended the revival Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilcoxen, Mr. and Mrs. No. Wilcoxen, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ballinger of Cisco visited last week in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards.

The young people and their sponsor, Blan Odom, held a wiener roast and ice cream and cake supper at the Baptist Church Monday night.

Miss Thelda Crow is now employed at the tax assessor-collector's office at Baird.

Rowden Round-Up

Several Rowden people at-tended the funeral for Mr. Noah Armstrong at Coleman Thurs-day of last week. Mr. Armstrong was the father of Mrs. Bill Ha-zle.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs.

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automobiles at 73. Ab. Jenkins, veteran race driver, just set a new 24-hour stock car distance record on the Bonneville Salt Flats in Utah. Under sanction of the National Association of Stock Car Racing he drove a 1956 Pontiac which covered 2,841 miles at an average speed of 118.375 miles per hour.

Several ladies met at the home of Mrs. George Sanders Friday evening and dressed chickens to put in her freezer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and

Cary of San Angelo, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

Several Rowden people at-tended the funeral for Hubert Kelly at Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Starnes of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Dude Kapper and daughter of Fort Worth visited their mother and uncle, Mrs. Annye Miller and Ray Boen during the past week.

Tecumseh Topics By Lillian Crawford

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford of Arlington are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford of Tecumseh and at Clyde through the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coughran and girls of Abilene are in the number of visitors also Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Betcher of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford and son of Abliene visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford and Lyng da Sat.

L. V. Harris has been suffering the past few days with his back from which a ruptured disc was removed some few weeks ago

LETTERS ...

H. A. Rose of California, Leonard Rose of Amarillo, Mrs. J. F. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Bowden and son of Abliene, Leamon Hayhurst of Dudley and Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Lude.

Dear Mr. Editor:

You have asked for our "gripe' if we had one. Here is mine.

I have been a reader of the Baird Star all my reading life, and of course, it's like a letter from home, when one is away. But I would like to have A. Dill back on the front page, where she has been for a number of years. Her style of writing is unique, her choice of subject matter is interesting to the readers, especially to those who have lived in, and loved the people of Baird. Her column is unselfish and shows her appreciation of her home town and home people, and we miss it.

Thanks.

Naomi Cutbirth Heyser.

An open letter of thanks to

An open letter of thanks to the Girl Scout Association of Baird:

Baird:

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Baird Girl Scout Association for their help and co-operation in sending me to the National Senior Girl Scout Roundup in Detroit this summer. Without their help I could never have gone and I hope I can share my experience with every one interested.

Beverly Months and Family.

Bill Hart of San Angelo spent Monday night and Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hort, a

Beverly Konczak.

The American people are about the crausest people in the whole works of John Smith's boy violates the law, they want his boy put in the "jug" to the full extent of the law, but if their boy does wrong, they want him turned free. If the officer puts both boys in jall, he gets hell and if he turns both free he gets hell. Officers get hell any way they go or do.

Joe Allen Jones.

CARD OF THANKS To The Voters of Callahan County:

I wish to express my appreciation for the vote given me for the office of collector and assessor of taxes in the recent primary election, and I assure you I shall do all in my power to justify their confidence.

Thank you, TEE BAULCH.

Mesquite Seen As Cattle Feed

Mesquite, long a foe of Texas ranchers, may soon aid drouth-stricken cattlemen feed livestock when ranges are poor, if agricultural experiments conducted by scientists at Southwest Foundation for Research and Education prove successful.

Dr. C. L. Shrewsbury, associate director of Southwest Foundation, said the San Antonio medical and agricultural rehearch center has been carrying out tests using mesquite in livestock feed since the first of the year.

The feed formula tested in-cludes mesquite, molasses and cotton seed meal. Grain will be added to the formula for the next feed tests. Ground mesquite averages 1400 pounds to a ton of feed for herd feed and 1000 pounds to a ton for calf fat-tening.

"We tried feeding the mes-"We tried feeding the mesquite without any grain in the ration," Dr. Shrewsbury said. "This does not work well. However, we feel that if grain and mesquite are combined in the ration, the formula may have value. We expect to test this in the near future."

Baird Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. George Page and Elaine of Dallas spent Tuesday with Mrs. Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conner and also visited Mrs. Page's sister, Mrs. Fred Hart and Mr. Hart.

Mrs. A. A. Manion and Cleo Ivy spent the week end in Lub-bock with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price attended funeral services Mon-day in Eastland for her uncle, L. L. Vines.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel returned home Tuesday after an extended visit in Corpus Christi with their son, Leon-Daniel and

Mrs. Felix Mitchell recieved word this week that her son, John Henry Mitchell who lives in Medford, Oregon had entered the Veteran's Hospital in Portland for a medical check-up, Mrs. Jack Sims, who has been a patinet in an Abliene hospital for the past ten days, is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Estes and is recuperating slowly.

James Price and family have returned home after a two weeks vacation at Camp Sequola, Ark. Rev. Price attended a training school while in Arkansas.

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Antelope Hunt Forms Ready

Persons interested in the hunts should write him at commission headquarters in Austin. Blanks and instructions for formally applying will be forwarded promptly. Deadline for mailing requests for the applications is midnight Aug. 31, which means they must be postmarked before midnight of that date.

E. A. Walker, Director of Wild.

E. A. Walker, Director of Wildlife Restoration, estimated upwards of one thousand head of
prong-horned antelope will be
earmarked for harvest. Approximately seven hundred head will
be available west of the Pecos,
where both bucks and anterless
antelope will be taken. The reantelope will be taken. The re-mainder will be in the Panhan-

Should more persons apply for the special permits than there are antelope available, the cus-tomary public drawing will be held in the Commission's Austin headquarters.

headquarters.

The hunt west of the Pecos will be in two sections. The first will be Oct. 1 through Oct. 3, the second Oct. 5 through Oct. 7. The Panhandle shoot will be in three periods, comprising Oct. 11-13, Oct. 14-16 and Oct. 17-19. The Chief Clerk admonished persons writing in for the application forms to indicate whether they prefer to hunt west

of the Pecos or in the Panhamid-He said groups will be permit ted to apply so that they may be permitted to hunt in the same party.

CARD OF THANKS

The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, August 3, 1956

Formal applications for the fall antelope hunts are ready, the Chief Clerk of the Texas Game and Fish Commission has announced.

Persons interested in the hunts should write him at complision bed write him at compliance with the compliance of the compliance of the complex properties cannot express my efficient. Work cannot express my efficience for all the deeds of kindmess. Mo-God's richest blessings be with each of you.

LETTER OF THANKS

It's not an easy matter for moto say how deeply I appreciate the honor the people of Baird and the 76th District have shown me in our recent election in electing me as 6tate Representative for a second term. Now want you to know that your expression of confidence is one that I cannot take lightly.

You have bestowed upon muthe priviledge of a responsibility
which I shall try earnestly to
deserve, I realize the importance
of this office and it is my simcere intention to discharge the
duties as State Representative
in a manner that will win the
approval of a majority of my
constituents.

I solicit your continued on

I solicit your continued ex-operation during my secur-term in this office to make is successful and outstanding in the District and the State.

With personal regards and every good wish, I remain

Sincerely yours, PAUL BRASHEAR



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Mrs. D. F. Harp Taken By Death

Mrs. D. F. Harp, 82, resident of Balrd for 59 years, died Sun-tay at 2:38 a. m. at her home here.

Funeral was held Monday at Funeral was held Monday at 0 a. m. at the First Baptist Church. Officiating was the pasor, Rev. L. A. Hartley, assisted by Rev. Aubrey McAuley, Oplin Baptist. pastor. Burial was in Ross Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home. The body was at the church for one hour before services.

She was born Jan. 9, 1874 in

She was born Jan. 9, 1874 in Logan County, Ark. She was married to James W. Harville Dec. 25, 1890, who died April 3, 1897 in Dallas. To this union

3, 1897 in Dallas. To this union four children were born, two of whom survive: Sidney S. Harville of Optim and Clifford J. Harville of Abtiene.

April: 30, 1802, she was married to D. F. Harp of Baird, who died April: 25, 1942. To this union five children were born, of whom four survive: Gordon Harp of Yampa, Colo. Charnell Harp of Pawnee, Okla., Mrs. Garvin Jones of Baird and Mrs. Ceell Ramsey of Fort Worth.

Fred R. Schmidt of Fort Worth worth worth worth of Ford Worth wort

Mrs. Harp is also survived by 15 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren.

Ball bearers were Hugh Ross Dr. M. C. McGowen, Gilbert Hinds, Ed Lambert, Lee Ivey and Sam Gilliland.

Garden Club To Feed Melons To Husbands

The regular meeting of the Old Fashioned Garden Club will be held in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White at 7:30 p. m. Aug. 23. Husbands of members will be guests of the club at a watermelon supper.

County Gets New Well Completion

Fred R. Schmidt of Fort Worth completed No. 2 T. E. Burks as a producer seven miles east of

NOTICE!

The office of Callahan County Water Control & Improve-ment District No. 1 will be clos-ed from August 6 until August

20th, 1956. GILBERT HINDS

Putnam Church Hold **Revival Services**

Revival services will be conducted at the Putnam Baptist Church during the period Aug. 3 through Aug. 12 inclusive, with Rev. Thomas Lawrence of Ablene in the pulpit.

Morning services will be held beginning Aug. 6 continuing through Aug. 10 at 10:30. Even-ing services will be at 8:00.

Scouts Will Resume Waste Paper Pick-Up

Boy Scouts will resume pick-ing up waste paper Aug. 11, it was announced this week. This project was dropped dur-

Principal's Death Adjudged Suicide

A verdict of suicide was re-turned by Justice of the Peace Bert Brown in the fatal shoot-ing last Sunday of Hubert Kelly, Cross Plains elementary school principal.

principal.

Kelly's body was found in his living room when a neighbor, Bobby Jack McCowan came to investigate a gunshot. One shot from a .45 callber automatic pistol had entered the right temple and emerged on the left side. side.

side.

Mr. Kelly and his brother, Harrell, both bachelors, lived in Cross Plains with their sister and her husband. The couple was of town and the brother was at Sunday School at the time of the shooting.

Byrn in Comanche C. 1 ty. Mr. Kelly had been a teacher for 34 years and had been in Cross Plains for 17 years, according to Supt. Paul Whitten.

Funeral was held Tuesday at

Services Held For Mrs. Jane Oakley

Funeral services for Mrs, Jane
Oakley of Abliene were held at
Moran at 2 p. m. Saturday, the
Rev. J. P. Cole of the Methodist church officiating.
Arrangements for the final
rites were made by Wylle Funeral Home at Baird.
Mrs. Oakley was born March
5, 1872 in Smith County and
lived in the Moran community
for about 40 years. She went
to Abliene about a year ago
from Ranger where she had lived for five years. Her husband,
G. H. Oakley, died in 1949.
She was a member of the Methodist Church.
Surviving are one son, Lewis

Surviving are one son, Lewis Oakley of Abliene; one daugh-ter, Mrs. J. W. Veale of Ranger; one brother, John Lester of Ran-ger; one sister, Mrs. George Mil-ler of Ranger; and six grand-children.

Library Being Used Mrs. Ryan Reports

The people of Callahan County are making use of their public library.

During June, Mrs. Rosa Ryan.

librarian, reported 395 books were circulated. Most popular works, she said, were fiction, history, biography and myster-



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SPAGHETTI 2No. 303 cans 29c

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