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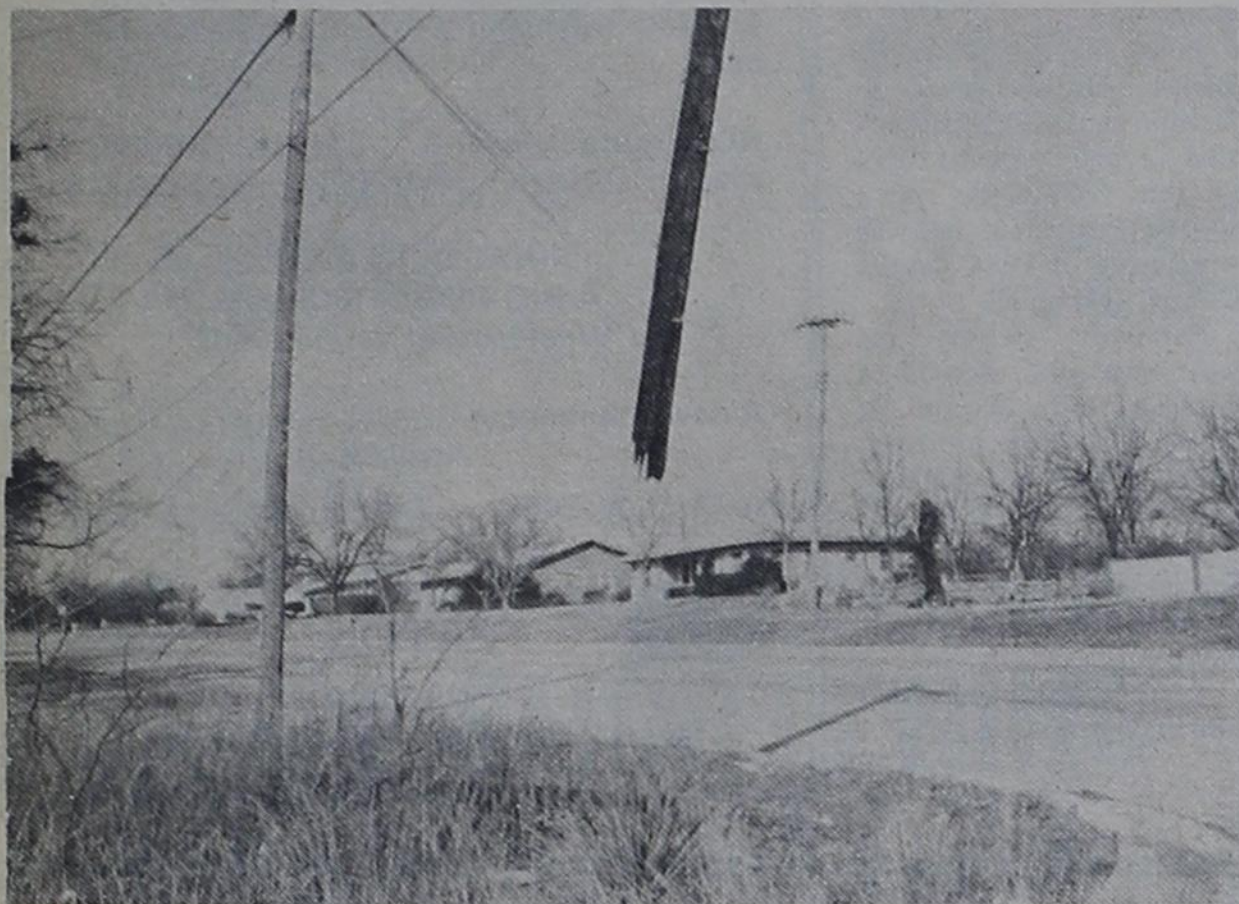
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WRECK SCENE—The mishap which occurred Sunday morning involving one car resulted in the destruction of the pictured telephone pole. After Charles Ashburn lost control of his vehicle on U.S. 283 in Baird Sunday, his car struck the pole. The impact of the incident severed the pole.



PHOTOS BY STEVE DEPOSES

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME—Jill Holland, #22, gets ready to shoot against a Moran defender Saturday at the Baird Junior High Basketball Tourney. Esther Mendez, #10, looks on. Baird defeated Moran 40-19 for the first place trophy. Holland and Mendez were placed on the all-tournament team.



ALL TOURNAMENT—Missy Higgins was placed on the all-tournament team at the Albany seventh grade tournament held over the weekend. Baird lost to Albany 20-19 in the finals of the tourney.

7th Grade Play In Albany Tourney

BAIRD—The Baird seventh grade basketball teams participated in a four team tournament at Albany this past weekend.

The seventh grade girls slipped by Wylie's seventh grade girls 19-18. Tresa Hatchett scored 8 points. Missy Higgins added 7 points. Beth Ringhoffer and Rhonda Clarida each contributed 2 points.

In the finals, Baird lost a heartbreaker 20-19 to Albany. Beth Ringhoffer scored 7 points to lead the Baird scorers. Rhonda Clarida sank 4 points while Missy Higgins and Tresa Hatchett each contributed 3 points. Missy Higgins was selected for

the All-Tournament team.

Baird's seventh grade boys lost in the first round of the tournament to Wylie 24-28. In the consolation action, Baird blasted Roscoe's seventh grade 51-10. Chris Graham led all scorers with 16 points. Ronnie Casey and Billy Deel also scored in double figures. Casey scored 14 points. Billy Deel contributed 12 points. Bob Lindley, Steven Mitchell and Bobby Lovell each added 2 points while Ben Mendez netted 4 points. Kye Corn sank a free shot to round out the Baird scoring.

Eighth Grade Girls Capture 1st Place Trophy

BAIRD—Baird's eighth grade girls won the Baird Junior High basketball tournament with a 40-19 win over Moran. Esther Mendez netted 14 points to lead all scorers. Paula Fears contributed 10 points while Jill Holland and Kim Austin each scored 6 points. Tonya Shuffield added 2 points to round out the scoring.

In reaching, the finals, the Baird girls outscored the Baird seventh grade girls 26-17 in the first round of the tournament. Esther Mendez and Jill Holland shared the eighth grade high point honors with 10 points each. Tonya Shuffield, Chris Silba, and Carla Wristen scored 2 points in the winning effort. Tresa Hatchett led all scorers with 11 points. Beth Ringhoffer, Rhonda Clarida, and Karla Anderson each netted 2 points to round out the seventh grade scoring.

The Baird eighth grade girls ousted Clyde 26-14 in the second round of the tournament. Again, Esther Mendez was the game's top scorer with 15 points. Paula Fears added 3 points, and Lisa Perryman contributed 4 points. Jill Holland and Kim Austin each scored 2 points. Jill Holland and Esther Mendez landed spots on the All-Tournament team.

Baird's seventh grade boys outscored

the eighth grade boys 37-32 in the first round of the tournament. The seventh grade's balanced scoring attack was led by Billy Deel and Ronnie Casey with 11 points each. Chris Graham scored 9 points while Kye Corn, Ben Mendez and Gregg Holland each scored 2 points.

Abilene Christian Middle School ousted the Baird seventh grade boys from the tournament by the score of 47-29. Billy Deel led the Baird scoring with 10 points. Ben Mendez contributed 8 points, and Ronnie Casey scored 6 points. Gregg Holland and Steven Mitchell added 2 points.

Baird's eighth grade boys were eliminated in the consolation bracket by Clyde's eighth grade 26-25. Alan Tatum's 10 points led the Baird Cubs. Scott Norman, Russell Robbins and Jay Moore each contributed 5 points in the losing cause.

The Baird seventh grade girls outscored Abilene Christian Middle School 28-10 in the second round of the consolation bracket. Missy Higgins scored 10 points to lead the Baird scoring attack. Tresa Hatchett and Beth Ringhoffer each contributed 6 points. Rhonda Clarida scored 4 points and Rebecca Elliott scored 2 points.

Man Charged With Sex Abuse, Assault in County

COUNTY—James Denny Dwyer, 21, a former A.C.U. student, has been charged with aggravated sexual abuse and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon in connection with a Tuesday incident in Clyde.

An all points bulletin has been issued for Dwyer, who is believed to be on his way to Memphis, Tenn.

He is charged with allegedly forcing a Clyde woman, 6 months pregnant, to perform oral sodomy in her home.

The woman's sister and their children also were in the house at the time of the incident. According to the Callahan County Sheriff's Department, the sister was allegedly threatened with a gun.

Baird Justice of the Peace Bobby Curtis set bond at \$50,000 for each charge.

Dwyer had been questioned earlier in the week, but there was not enough evidence to file charges in Callahan County until Friday, the sheriff's department said.

Eula Voters Axe Bond Issue Sat.

EULA—Eula voters axed a \$1.4 million school bond issue Saturday which would have built an 18-classroom elementary school.

The tally showed 275 against and 56 in favor of the bond.

If passed, the money would have been used to replace the present 13-room classroom elementary school which was built in the 1940s. Other proposed projects included construction of a 578-seat auditorium and renovation of the cafeteria.

Water Supply Meeting Feb. 19

CLYDE—Monday, February 19, at 7:30 p.m. has been the new date selected for the organizational meeting pertaining to plans for another water supply line for Callahan County.

A representative from F.H.A. and Ken Martin, engineer from Yates and Decker,

will be on hand during the evening to answer all questions.

The proposed system will cover all parts of the county that show continued interest and that do not have a water system.

Everyone is urged to attend.

Quarter Finals Sat., Feb. 24, and Mon. 26

BAIRD-Quarter finals will be given to students in Baird Schools on Saturday, February 24, and on Monday, February 26. These days are required so that the two days we missed because of ice and snow can be made up.

School will dismiss at 2 p.m. both days and the buses will run at that time. Those students who are exempt from their tests will not be required to be present. The test schedule is as follows:

Friday, Feb. 23, 2-3:30 p.m.-7th period final

Saturday, Feb. 24
8:30-10:00 1st period final
10:15-11:45 3rd period final
12-30-2:00 5th period final

Monday, Feb. 26
8:30-10:00 2nd period final
10:15-11:45 4th period final
12:30-2:00-6th period final
Tuesday, February 27, through Sunday, March 4, will be the annual Spring Break for students and teachers. Classes will resume on a normal schedule on Monday, March 5.

Baird High Beauty Contest February 20

BAIRD-The annual Baird High School beauty contest has been slated for Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Admission for the event will be 50¢ for students and \$1.00 for adults.

Out-of-town judges will view 36 girls, who will be vying for the title of "Most Beautiful".

The contest will carry off the Cinderella theme, and the stage will be decorated in "ballroom type" fashion.

Various high school students will provide entertainment during the intermissions.

During the evening, the three runners-up and winner of the "Most Handsome" title will be presented. Seven finalists were selected by the student body recently. They are: Cy Clark, Steve Defosses, Bill Earp, Larry Segura, Kerry Skinner, Donny Stovall and Zane Wright.

Proceeds from the affair will go into the drill team-cheerleader fund.

Nursing Home Under Reverse Quarantine

BAIRD-According to nursing home administrator Monica Hawes, residents of the Golden Holiday Care Center are under a reverse quarantine at the moment.

This does not mean that residents of the home have any kind of infectious illness. To the contrary, this quarantine was placed to help keep out visitors suffering from colds or flu.

When a visitor visits the home with a

cold or the flu, he inadvertently endangers the life of each resident. The residents have little resistance, and the contraction of a cold could result in hospitalization or worse.

This quarantine was placed under the advisement of a doctor.

So, please exercise extreme caution and use your judgement before visiting a resident of the home. The least little cold from you could result in pneumonia for them.

Several Mishaps Occur in Baird

BAIRD-Warmer weather finally arrived over the weekend, and with the welcome change came several mishaps.

Charles Donald Ashburn of Baird was traveling north on U.S. 283 in Baird, when he lost control of his car around 6:30 a.m. Sunday morning and struck a telephone pole. Ashburn was not hospitalized immediately following the accident, although he reportedly was taken to the hospital later.

Monday morning around 7:50 a.m., Mrs. Etta Summers was traveling west on Business 80 and Pat Almmerriz was traveling south on U.S. 283 when the two cars were involved in an accident, after Almmerriz failed to yield the right of way and stop sign. No one was injured in the collision. Both vehicles were extremely damaged, however.

DPS trooper David Mays investigated both mishaps.

Clyde Man's

Brother Dies

HAMLIN-Medford E. Carter, 76, longtime Hamlin resident, died at 11 a.m. Friday in his home. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church of Hamlin.

The Rev. Howard Jones officiated. Burial was in Hamlin Cemetery, directed by Foster Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 29, 1903, in Bailey, he had lived in Hamlin since 1919. He married Vernell Stephens there on Jan. 4, 1936. He was a retired carpenter. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Hamlin.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Ronald of Hamlin and Marion of Hereford; three brothers, Jack of Clyde, and Wilburn and Buster, both of Salinas, Calif.; a sister, Erma Lee Boedeker of Stamford; and four grandchildren.

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- free blood pressure checks
- pulse checks
- coffee, punch, and cookies
- all day entertainment from various community members as well as civic organizations
- a raffle will be held at five o'clock
- and you can dance with any of the aides or residents for a dime
- we will also have a kissing booth set up
- bake sale

Golden Holiday is proud to announce Judge Dyer as our honorary chairperson and ask you all to drop by and help us reach our goal. We would also ask that you donate us a rocker for a day and get involved.

Purpose:

1. A fun program
2. A meaningful resident-community activity
3. A project to raise needed money to fight the nation's number one killer.

Why:

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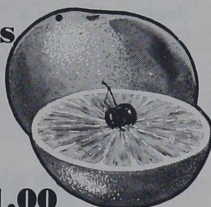
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Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN-Haven't you enjoyed the sunshine since last Saturday? Monday has been such a perfect day after the severe cold again last week. Since rain gauges are turned upside down until after danger of freezing-no one knows exactly how much moisture fell last week, but every drop can be put to use later on.

We heard of some getting pickups stuck while out in pastures for wood or cattle feeding.

One neighbor, Dorothy Watson, reported on her big work day Monday when the sun was out. She said she had three spic & span rooms cleaned from top to bottom. Mrs. Cathy Dye also called and said

her refinishing job on her hutch had turned out just perfect. She said she would be proud to show it off.

This writer drove in to Cross Plains around 8 a.m. Monday morning and noticed how the fields were putting up vapors of steam. It had been so long since sunshine had had a chance to cleanse the soil that it had to break loose.

Grain fields still have not recovered from all the winter ordeals. Stock must be finding some nourishment there as most of the fields have cattle on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie and Mrs. Russell Dye were in Breckenridge Saturday where they visited and had dinner in the

Ed Sayre home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott and little son Odom of Bryan spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Gunderson of Marble Falls visited her sisters, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs. The group all were in Clyde Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of their uncle, Tut Tabor. Mrs. Tony Steele and Tonya also attended the Tabor funeral.

Larry Smedley of Arlington along with two of his friends spent Saturday on the Warren Price place sawing wood. They also enjoyed a home cooked country dinner prepared by Mrs. Price. Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley also visited in the home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhoffer of Cross Plains visited with Mrs. Leila Gibbs Sunday afternoon.

Red West of Baird spent part of Sunday in the Jimmy West home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Ray Boen attended the funeral of Willis Sadler in Clyde Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Sadler lived in the community until recent years where they moved to Clyde. Both were residents of the Baird Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and friend, Neil E. Morey, of Lubbock visited in the Gene Mauldin home last week. They have begun moving some things since Roland has been transferred to the Abilene area. His work will be from Dyess air base and Abilene Municipal airport and he will start the new job the first of March. They will be living in Abilene.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the past week were Christine Bower of Abilene, Mrs. Jimmy West, Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Vivian Price.

Mrs. Don Harrell accompanied Mrs. Bob Dye to Mason Friday where they visited Mrs. Dye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dendy.

The Jim Needham family of Coleman had a visit in the Robert Watson home Sunday night. Mrs. Watson reported the children had a great time shooting fireworks.

The John Schlittler family had a visit in the Bob Dye home Sunday night.

Dale Gibbs of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wells of Baird visited Raymond Gibbs during the week. He also reported that his sister, Mrs. Ruby Russell, who is a resident

in an El Paso rest home, was able to get out for a ride with her sister, Corrie Lou Darby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited in the Barney Gibbs home in Baird Sunday.

Those from here attending the Buddie Smith funeral in Baird Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Harris.

The Tony Steele family were in Clyde Sunday where they had dinner with his mother, Mrs. Opal Steele.

It was reported to Mrs. Ray Boen that Mrs. Roy Thornton had entered Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene last week for tests.

Baird Nursing Home

BAIRD-Our Rock and Roll Jamboree has been postponed until the 24th due to so much illness. But this will give everyone more time to get their pledges in. The Boy Scouts are out now going from door to door collecting pledges. So Please give generously. Remember the money is going to the American Heart Association to help in the fight towards this dreaded disease.

We have Lois Price, Eva Eckelberger, Carl Tyler, Clyde Lovell, Nora Bell, Emma Bounds and Urva VanDerLinden in our local hospital. We wish for them a speedy recovery.

The death of Willis Sadler has saddened our home one more. May God bless and give comfort to his wife and other members of the family. He will be missed here.

News is short this week but we hope everything will be back to normal soon and we will have more to report next week.



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Informational Series on Callahan General Hospital

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forty-seven employees working in ten different departments. These include administration, business office, laboratory, x-ray, nursing service, dietary, medical records, maintenance, housekeeping and respiratory therapy. It takes people in all departments to run a hospital 24 hours a day. The

average hospital in this country has two employees for each patient. With Cal-

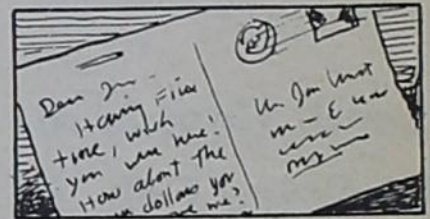
lahan General Hospital's average daily census for 1978 at 21.2 patients a day, we have about 2 1/4 employees per patient. Every job that must be covered around the clock requires five (5) employees. Each year more and more trained people are needed as diagnosis and treatment become more complicated.

major procedures performed in surgery including 41 gynecological, 12 Caesarian sections (one set of twins included), 29 orthopedic procedures, and 22 general surgeries. There were also 32 babies delivered. Emergency Room visits for the year totaled nearly 1000.

All forty-seven employees of Callahan General Hospital reside in this county. Since we have about the largest payroll in the county, this money is staying in our commu-

nity to benefit the economy of our county.

We feel that Callahan General Hospital is an important part of our community. Each of the members of our health time contribute to provide quality care to the community it serves.



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COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT

Judge Mack Kniffen presiding:

CRIMINAL DOCKET:

Don Walter Johnson, speeding

James N. Howerton, Jr., speeding

Barbara Hilliard Jones, speeding

Larry Gene Hollis, DWI

Edward Davis Jackson, DWI

Ernest Edward Armstrong, speeding

Jeri Lin Reinli, speeding

Jerry Don New, speeding

Vernon Clyde Groat, DWI

Stephen Donald Patton, DWI

Robert Lee Young, Jr., DWI

Jesse Edward Grady, DWI

CRIMINAL MINUTES:

Elmer Ray Carter, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Eugene Buford Wilson, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

Arturo Velis, motion to revoke probation dismissed.

James Gordon Casey, illegal parking, \$20

William Michael Holman, motion to set aside case, speeding

Thomas James Webb, motion to set aside case, speeding

Edwin Allen Moses, motion to dismiss complaint

Kyra D. Murdoch, speeding, dismissed.

James A. Haden, illegal parking, \$26

Gregg A. Cooke, dismissed.

Larry M. Glover, motion to set aside case, speeding

James Phillip Jones, il-

legal parking, \$32

Susan B. Shelton, illegal parking, \$26

Laura L. White, speeding dismissed.

David Harrison Pace, illegal parking, \$40

Jeanne Wood Holloway, speeding dismissed.

Jimmy Jack Spurgeon, illegal parking, \$10

Gloria Pride Parker, speeding, dismissed.

Mark Alan Spruill, illegal parking, \$46

Don Earnest Barnes, motion to dismiss complaint.

Gordon Andrew Herring, DWI, \$57 cc, \$300 fine, 30 days in jail, 6 months probation.

Patricia Smith Robinson, illegal parking, \$10

Givino Thomas Garret, illegal parking, \$26

Jake William Adams, DWI, 200 fine and 3 days in jail, \$57 cc.

Jake William Adams, DWLS, \$57 cc, \$50 fine, 72 hours in jail.

William Frank Morrison, illegal parking, \$25.50.

H. Thomas Hirsch, illegal parking, \$46

H. Thomas Hirsch, illegal parking, dismissed.

Cadell E. Johnson, illegal parking, \$19

42ND DISTRICT COURT

Fay Katherine Harvey & Royce Warren Harvey, divorce.

Frances Lavoda Zampine and James Andrew Zampine, divorce.

Sharyle Lee Summers & Gerald Martin Summers, divorce.

TAX ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

NEW VEHICLES:

Falcon Drilling Corp, Abilene, 79 Chev. PU

W & H Grease Buyers, Baird, 79 Chev. Van

V.C. & Ben P. Stephenson, Baird, 79 Chev. PU

Bonifacio Gomez, Baird, 79 Chev. 2 dr.

Margaret Gist, Eastland, 79 Chev. 4 dr.

M.C. McGowen, Baird, 79 Pont. 2 dr.

Jones Pontiac, Baird, 79 Pont. 4 dr.

Cullen Electric, Abilene, 79 Chev. PU

Falcon Drilling Corp, Abilene, 79 Chev. PU

Ronald L. & Carmen L. Young, Abilene, 79 Chev. 2 dr.

New Food Stamp To Go In Effect

COUNTY-A new Food Stamp law goes in to effect March 1, 1979, that changes the way lost food stamp benefits can be restored. Households which have been wrongfully denied food stamp benefits or which have lost benefits because of Department of Human Resources' error, are entitled to be repaid for these benefits. Under the new law, households no longer must be currently eligible or participating in the Food Stamp Program in order to receive these back benefits. Households who have been unable to receive restored benefits under the old program because they are currently ineligible, from now through November 1, 1979, may request that these benefits be restored to them.

You do not have to be currently eligible for food stamps in order to get benefits you lost in the past. If you think this applies to you, contact your local food stamp office for more information.

SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY

Barbecue franks, potatoes, pickles, corn, bread, pudding & milk.

TUESDAY

Beefaroni, green peas, beets, carrots, hot rolls, jelly, applesauce & milk.

WEDNESDAY

Macaroni & cheese, pinto beans, spinach, pickles, corn bread, jello & milk.

THURSDAY

Burritos, french fried potatoes, cabbage & carrot slaw, fruit & milk.

FRIDAY

Hamburgers, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, baked beans, ice cream & milk.

BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY

Donuts, milk, fruit juice.

TUESDAY

Cereal, milk, fruit juice.

WEDNESDAY

Hot rolls & butter, jelly, milk, fruit juice.

THURSDAY

Pound cake, milk, fruit juice.

FRIDAY

Peanut butter sandwiches, milk, fruit juice.

Baird Jr. High In District Tourney

BAIRD-The Baird boys and girls Jr. High varsity teams will be competing in the District Junior High Tourney this Thursday, Friday & Saturday in Roscoe.

The Baird girls will meet Roscoe at 4:15 p.m. Thursday. The boys will play Jim Ned immediately following the girls game. Action will begin at 5:30 p.m.

DON'S SUPERMARKET

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Coleman Production Increases Loans in '78

COLEMAN—Money loaned for agricultural production by Coleman Production Credit Association increased in 1978, according to Charles Hickman, the association's president.

Hickman said his association loaned more than

\$34.5 million to farmers and ranchers in 1978, an increase of 14.7 percent over the \$30 million recorded by the association in

1977. Coleman is one of 30 Texas PCAs which collectively provided more than \$1.5 billion in short and

intermediate term credit to Texas farmers and ranchers.

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M.M. (Tut) Tabor Expires Thurs.

CLYDE—M.M. (Tut) Tabor, 80, member of the Clyde City Council, died at 8:30 a.m. Thursday at Hendrick Medical Center after a one-month illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Riley Fugitt, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery, directed by Bailey Funeral Home.

Born Aug. 8, 1898, in Copeville, he married Katie Ben Castleman on March 2, 1924, in Breckenridge. He was reared in and attended school in Clyde. He served two years with the U.S. Army during World War I. In 1922 he gra-

dated from Hardin — Simmons University, where he played all sports. He coached at Breckenridge High School in 1922-23. Mr. Tabor went to work for Humble Pipeline Co. in 1924 and retired after 39 years as superintendent of Pleasanton District. The Tabor family moved to Clyde upon his retirement and for the past 14 years he served on the city council. He also served two terms on the Council of Government in Abilene. Mr. Tabor was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bill Tabor of Lafayette, La., and Ben Tabor of Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Kaye) Williams of Austin; a brother, Clark Tabor of Clyde; two sisters, Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Annabell Tabor, both of Clyde; fourteen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two daughters.

The family requests that any remembrances be made to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center of First Baptist Church Building Fund in Clyde.



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Local Couple to Be Feted Feb. 19

BAIRD — Mr. and Mrs. S.Y. Walters of 505 Walnut, Baird will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary February 19.

The couple were married in Clyde at 1 p.m. Feb. 19, 1939. She is the former Edna Lucille Ivie. They have five children living, and one deceased.

All friends and relatives are invited to come by the couple's home and join in the daylong affair. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

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3. Anemia
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Putnam Receives 6 Inches of Snow

PUTNAM-The Putnam area received about six inches of snow last week. It was beautiful, and will be such a boon to the winter grain and grass and weeds. The sunshine the last two days has been very wel-

come also, as has been the above freezing temperatures. We just hope we do not have too many extra warm days to cause the fruit trees to begin to bred.

We are saddened again by the death of one of

our loved citizens. Mrs. Burette (Johnnie Mae) Ramsey. Johnnie Mae and Burette have lived in the Putnam community for many years. They have always been very active in all community affairs. She

will really be missed. We extend our deepest sympathy to Burette and the rest of her family.

We still have sick folks—Hulen Smith is patient at Eastland Memorial Hospital. His two sisters from Duncan, Okla. have been visiting he and Mrs. Smith.

Olin White is still ill in a Clebourne hospital. His mother, Mrs. Lee White, Mr. and Mrs. K.V. Riffe and Roger and Mr. and Mrs. Alton White of Eastland visited him Sunday and report that his condition is improved.

There was a big crowd at the country musical at the school house Saturday night. The program was dedicated to the memory of Johnnie Mae Ramsey. The musicals will be on Saturday night here on.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Fry spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Petty. The Pettys and also Mr. George Weeks attended the funeral services for Buddie Smith at Baird Wednesday.

Maxie Solomon visited her brother, Les Threat, at Cisco Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Donaway and girls visited his mother, Annie Mae Donaway Saturday.

Mrs. R.C. Speegle visited Mrs. Mildred Smith at Cisco and Mrs. Edna King from Lubbock Saturday.

Visiting the George Weeks this week were their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Hurd of Clyde and sons Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Weeks of Olden and Norris of Baird.

Mrs. Dorothy Caraway of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I.G. Mobley and Mrs. Fred Heyser of Baird visited Mrs. R.B. Taylor Saturday afternoon before going to the musical.

I hope you will excuse me for being personal but I have to brag a little. My granddaughter, Cheryl Taylor, was on the Natalie Powers show on TV one day last week. She is to be the pianist for the "Sing Song" at ACU this week. Cheryl is the daughter of Mrs. Bobbie and the late Frank (Pete) Taylor of Snyder.

The Women's Study Club met at the Community Center on Monday afternoon for their Arts & Crafts Show also a Fashions for Fun Contests. Guests were present from Baird, Cisco and Moran.

A film "Sportswear for Women" was presented.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Weatherford spent Sunday with Mrs. R.B. Taylor.



Venessa Breeding, Kelly Young
...to wed May 26

Couple to Wed May 26 In Clyde

CLYDE-Mr. and Mrs. James L. Breeding of Clyde wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Venessa Leigh, to Kelly Joe Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle B. Young of Clyde.

The wedding has been set for May 26 at the First Baptist Church in Clyde.

The bride-elect is a

graduate of Clyde High School. She attended Cisco Junior College and Hardin Simmons University, and is employed at Oil Transport Company of Abilene.

The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Clyde High School and TSTI in Waco. He is employed at Treanor Equipment in Abilene.

Students Urged To Order Annual by Feb. 16

BAIRD-Students wishing to purchase a copy of the 1979 "Headlight" are urged to place their orders by Friday, Feb. 16.

Cost per copy is \$7.00. Protective covers for the annuals are 50¢ each. Also, a 50¢ late charge will be tacked on each

order filed after February 16.

When ordering, persons can either pay the full amount due or a \$5.00 minimum downpayment.

To order, simply contact any member of the annual staff.

Eula Pastor, Wife Honored

EULA-Rev. and Mrs. Wallace Clay were honored Saturday night at Bryar Stone Manor Banquet Hall in honor of their birthdays and wedding anniversary.

Rev. Clay was surprised with a story of "This is Your Life, Wallace Clay". There were 96 present with plenty to eat and a very enjoyable time. Jim Pleasant was spokesman for the occasion and did a beautiful job. A pot plant decorated with little rolls of green money nestled among the leaves and blooms was presented to the couple. It was the first time I have ever seen the pastor speechless. He still hadn't fully recovered Sunday. Both churches had a good day Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Loving entered the West Texas Medical Center Sunday for some special tests beginning Monday.

Mrs. Lora Waters is home from the hospital slowly improving from a heart attack.

Mrs. Galle is improving from surgery. Mrs. Rufus Miller is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parks of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. George Welch and Brenda and Jewel Smith of Clyde visited Mrs. Cynthia and Rose Farmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cranfill of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Favor of Brady visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Favor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scarborough and Mrs. Nancy Moore and Son, Garvin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Scarborough and family of Lewisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen and Betty Walker of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen of Novice.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dick and Dedie of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Reo Jolly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neb Stephenson of Abilene and Mrs. M.E. Miller of Eula visited Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Stephenson Sunday.

Mr. J.H. Grogan of An-

son and Mr. and Mrs. Benny Ayers of Eula visited Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Olney over the weekend.

Our son Joe Mankin, who was under a doctor's care since last May, but in the hospital most of the time for seven months, passed away Thursday, the 8th. He had a malignant

brain tumor and had surgery. Everything that could be done was done, but God saw fit to call him home Thursday. We will miss him so much. He was 55 years of age, our oldest child. He leaves a wife and two sons and one grandson. We know God knows best.

We really appreciate what everyone did for us.

4-H Training February 15

BAIRD-A 4-H leader training meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 15, at 7 p.m. in the County Courtroom, according to Greg Gerngross, County Extension Agent. Iris Kalich, Area 4-H and Youth Specialist, will present the program on method demonstrations.

Formation of a County 4-H Adult Leaders Association will also be included on the agenda.

All interested 4-H parents and leaders are invited to attend.

Letter to Editor:

Dear Editor:

I would like to take some of your time to praise some of our leading citizens of Baird Texas. Last Friday night we were on our way to Houston, Texas to see my sister, who had major surgery—a blood artery bypass at Texas Memorial Center.

When out about thirty miles from home our car quit. Well, the Highway Patrol stopped and helped to get help out there. The Sheriff department was called. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Atchison answered and called Larry Shelnett, who runs a wrecker service and auto repair shop. And Larry was out there in ample time and had us back in Baird and on our way again.

P.S. My sister is doing fine and thanks Larry.

Sincerely,

The Mickey Kelly family
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Meals on Wheels Bake Sale Feb. 23

BAIRD-The warm weather sure is nice, and we can look back on the days of ice and snow with pleasant thoughts, due to not missing a delivery to the shutins. The volunteers do so much more than take the meal in to them - a smile really helps make the bad days better.

Let's give a really big thank you to all that volunteered to do the delivery the days that the ice and snow was so bad. The volunteers from Putnam and Clyde and Eula were here to carry on the program, just as though the weather was good.

There will be a bake sale on Friday, February 23, 1979 at 9:00 a.m. at the Prescription Shop. The money from this will go to buy some much needed pots and pans for the program. Lets all bake or buy and make it a big success, for this is a worthy cause. Mark this date on your calendar and be there early for the best selection.

Ferne Lee, Director

HOSPITAL NOTES

BAIRD — The following persons were admitted to the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Alex DeLara
Myrtle Gunn
Jerry Barron
John Mask
Ova Light
Celita Redding
Carl Gunter
Marie Carlile
Clemencia Rameriz
Eva Eckelberger
Wesley Hokum
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Irva VanDerLinden
Evelyn Hendon
Della Baucom
Nora Bell
Rosetta Ussery
Ema Bounds
Louise Bates
Lahoma Williams
Nellie Bowden
Woodrow Fry
Anna Hamilton
Maria Turner
Mary Ann Joy
Barbara Wright

The following persons

were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Michelle Wilde
Marie Carlile
Carl Gunter
Alex Mendez
Freida Long
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Jr. High Takes 3 Wins Over Roscoe

BAIRD—The Baird Junior High basketball teams hosted Roscoe on Monday, February 12. The seventh grade girls outscored the Roscoe girls 19-9. Missy Higgins netted 6 points. Tresa Hatchett scored 5 points. Beth Ringhoffer added 4 points. Rhonda Hunter and Marilu Hart each contributed 2 points.

The seventh grade boys also defeated the Roscoe seventh grade boys 23-13. Ronnie Casey scored 16 points to lead all scorers. Chris Graham scored 5 points, and Ben Mendez added 2 points.

Baird's eighth grade girls boosted their district record to 4-1 with the 27-15 win over Roscoe. Jill Holland led the Baird scoring attack with 12 points. Esther Mendez also scored in double figures. Mendez netted 10 points. Paula Fears added 3 points while Kim Austin contributed 2 points.

Roscoe's only win of the night occurred against Baird's eighth grade boys. Roscoe outscored Baird 45-36. Scott Norman's 20 points led all scorers. Alan Tatom also scored in double figures. Tatum contributed 13 points. Jay

Moore scored 2 points, and Mark Allen rounded out the Baird scoring with 1 point.

The Baird eighth grade teams will wind up their seasons this weekend in the District 8-A Junior High Basketball Tournament. This year the tournament will be held in Roscoe. The teams will be seeded according to their district records.

Info Available At ASCS Office

COUNTY — Callahan County landowners who are interested in receiving newsletters and information regarding current farm programs may notify the ASCS Office, in the County Courthouse at Baird, Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., telep. 854-1049.

Interested parties could identify their land on maps at the ASCS office and supply their mailing address.

No action necessary by producers currently receiving this information.

Mrs. Ramsey Dies Friday

MORAN — Mrs. Burette (Johnnie May) Ramsey, 71, of Moran died at 9:30 a.m. Friday in Hendrick Medical Center after a one month illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, in the Moran Baptist Church. Rev. John Stanislaw, pastor, and Cleve Kerby of Fort Worth, officiated.

Burial was in Moran

Cemetery under the direction of Morgan-Parker Funeral Home of Baird.

She was born January 24, 1908 at Salt Gap in McCulloch County. She married Burette Ramsey Nov. 11, 1922 at the Colony School house. She had lived in Callahan County since 1919.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Putnam Study Club and the Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Stella Hughes of Rankin & Jo Ann Collingsworth of Jacksboro; a brother, Willie W.D. Jeter of Dallas, a sister, Emogene Allen of Moran, six grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Travis Chapman, Bryant Edwards, W.C. Allen, Bob Deen, Roy McCoy and Bob Lindsey.

Clyde Man's Brother Dies

DE LEON—Willie Earl "Bill" Dennis, 69, of De Leon died at 7 p.m. Monday at De Leon Hospital after sudden illness. Services were at 3 p.m. Wednesday in North Side Baptist Church.

The Rev. Elmer Whitehead, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery.

Born June 11, 1909, in Comanche County he had lived here all his life and was a retired farmer and rancher. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and was a Mason. He married Lorena Seay Feb. 4, 1933, in Gorman.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Margaret Jean Moon of Stephenville and Laverne Brillhart of Cleburne; a son, Robert of Lovington, N.M.; five brothers, the Rev. Marion Dennis, E.L. Olan and Burton, all of Gorman, and Dean of Clyde; a sister, Opal Burton of Carlsbad, N.M.; and four grandchildren.

Smith Rites Held Friday

BAIRD—Clark "Buddie" Smith Jr., 75, of Star Rt. 1 died at 10:35 p.m. Wednesday at Brownwood Community Hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at Morgan-Parker Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Wayne Shuffield, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Admiral Cemetery.

Born Oct. 26, 1903, in Admiral, he was a lifelong resident of the Admiral community. He was engaged in farming and ranching. He married Ollie Mitchell Dec. 25, 1938, in Cross Plains.

Survivors include his wife; six sisters, Mrs. Leta Jones, Dollie Smith, Dora Eubanks, Velma Shelton, Etta Belle Summers and Bessie Lambert, all of Baird; and several nieces and nephews.

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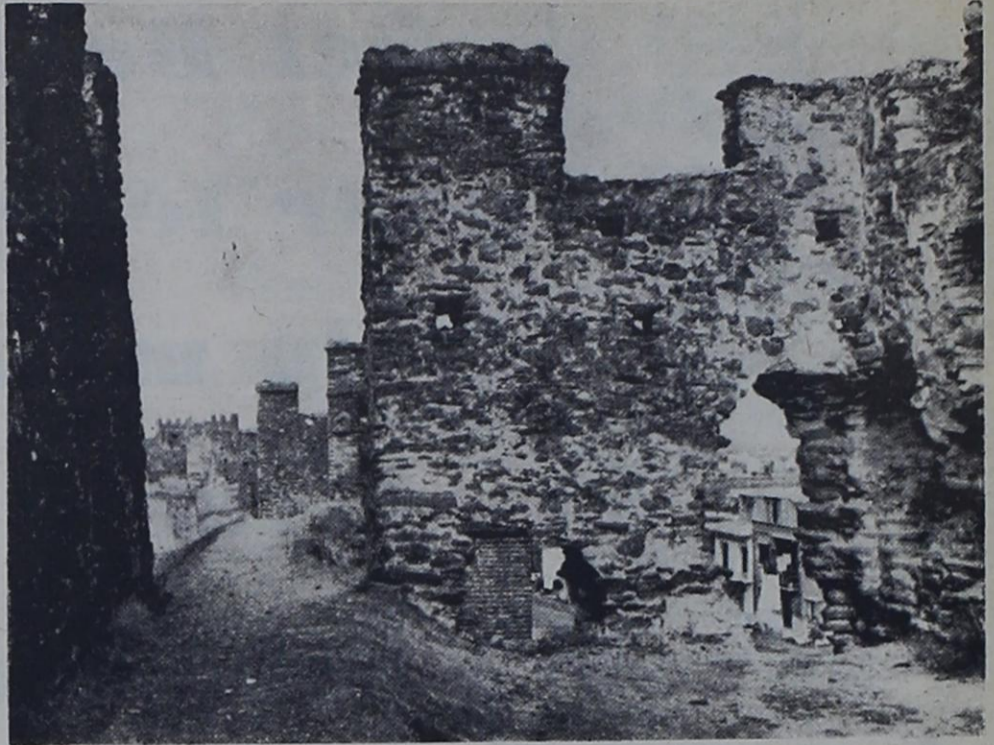
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"CARD OF THANKS"

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for the cards, flowers, food, prayers and thoughtfulness extended to us during the loss of our loved one, Harry C. Eckelberger. 6/1/c

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Joe Mankin Succumbs Thurs.

ABILENE — Joe Thomas Mankin, 55, of Abilene died at 12:30 a.m. Thursday at Hendrick Medical Center after a lengthy illness. Services were at 3:30 p.m. Friday.

CARD OF THANKS

"CARD OF THANKS"
We take this means of expressing our deep appreciation to everyone who helped us in any way during our recent sorrow. The words of sympathy, the beautiful floral offerings, the food furnished and your cards and visits were a comfort to us and we pray that in your hour of sorrow, you will find the same true friends that we have had. May God richly bless each of you.

The family of Clark Smith 6/1/p

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Sealed proposals for contract mowing on various tracts in Taylor, Callahan, and Shackelford Counties will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604, until 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, February 21, 1979, and then publicly opened and read.

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Range Management Willis Sadler Dies Saturday

Meeting Feb. 21

COUNTY — A one-night meeting on range management will be held Wednesday, February 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the County Courtroom. The meeting is sponsored by the Livestock and Range Committee of Callahan County in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, announces Greg Gerngross County Extension Agent.

Dr. Bobby Ragsdale, Range Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Robert Kensing, Area Economist from the San Angelo Research and Extension Cen-

ter, will present the program.

Ragsdale will discuss current status of herbicides approved for brush control, grazing systems and carrying capacity of ranges.

Kensing will discuss cow-costs for this area of the state plus profit potential of ranges under various stocking rates.

The meeting is open and all producers are invited to attend. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

CLYDE — Willis Arthur Sadler, 80, formerly of Clyde, died at 5:15 a.m. Saturday in Callahan General Hospital after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday in Bailey Funeral Home Chapel in Clyde.

The Rev. Wayne Shuffield, pastor of First Baptist Church in Baird, officiated, assisted by the Rev. John Bell, retired minister of Clyde. Burial will be in Belle Plain Cemetery.

Born July 23, 1898, in Callahan County, he lived there for about 50 years. He married Edda Grace Troub Nov. 21, 1921, in Oklahoma. He was a farmer and ranch hand. He was a Baptist. He had been a

resident of Golden Holiday Nursing Home in Baird for several years.

Survivors include his wife of the nursing home; a daughter, Pearl Keith of Lubbock; two brothers, George and Virgil, both of Baird; three sisters, Kate Simmons of Baird, Nona Troub of Elmirage, Ariz. and Ruby Purcell of Buffalo Gap; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.



The electric stove was invented by William S. Hadaway in 1896.

ASCS Announces Signup Period

COUNTY-Intentions to participate in the 1979 wheat and feed grain program may be filed at the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASC) beginning Feb. 15.

"Although program participation is voluntary, producers must file their intentions to participate during the signup period to obtain program benefits," Oran Bains, Chairperson of the ASC committee said. All farmers planting wheat and/or feed grain for harvest in 1979 are eligible to participate.

The program requires that participants set aside acres from production to be eligible for loans, deficiency and disaster pay-

ments and participation in the reserve. A 20 percent set-aside requirement is contained in the wheat and barley program. The corn and sorghum program contains a 10 percent set-aside and a 10 percent diversion. According to Mr. Bains, participating farmers will receive voluntary diversion payments on corn and sorghum.

"By participating in the set-aside program, producers help prevent an excessive buildup of wheat and feed grain stocks which causes low market prices," the ASCS officials said.

Details of the 1979 program may be obtained from the local ASCS office. The signup period ends April 30.

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