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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill and baby, and Mrs. John White of Snyder, visited Mrs. W. E. Carpenter and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman over last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones of Oregon and Mr. Milton Jones of Cross Plains, attended church at Baptist Church Sunday.

Several from Cross Plains were at the Hallowe'en program Friday night: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Feevy, Miss Missouri Strahan, Mrs. O. D. Strahan and Mrs. S. B. Strahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Banta and Mrs. Olean Peavy of Odessa visited here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Varner and girls of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Mercer of Abilene were visiting here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Barnes of Dallas visited his sister, Mrs. Bill Robinson and family Saturday.

Milton Joy of Baird was here Monday shaking hands with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox of Lueders spent the weekend here.

Mrs. J. R. Ramey spent last week in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Fate Redden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe of Coleman visited Mrs. W. E. Carpenter and Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman Saturday night.

**Rowden Round-Up**

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

Miss Marjorie Goodfellow was crowned queen at the Bayou Hallowe'en Carnival last Friday night. We wish to thank everyone that had a part in making the carnival a success.

Arden Jones suffered a slight back injury while working with the peanut harvest.

Miss La Dell Smedley visited relatives in Eula Sunday.

Dale Gibbs has withdrawn from Cross Plains high school.

Putnam played basketball at Bayou last Monday night bringing four teams with them. All four teams defeated the four Bayou teams.

Farmers here are busy with the peanut harvest and the preparation of the soil for another year.

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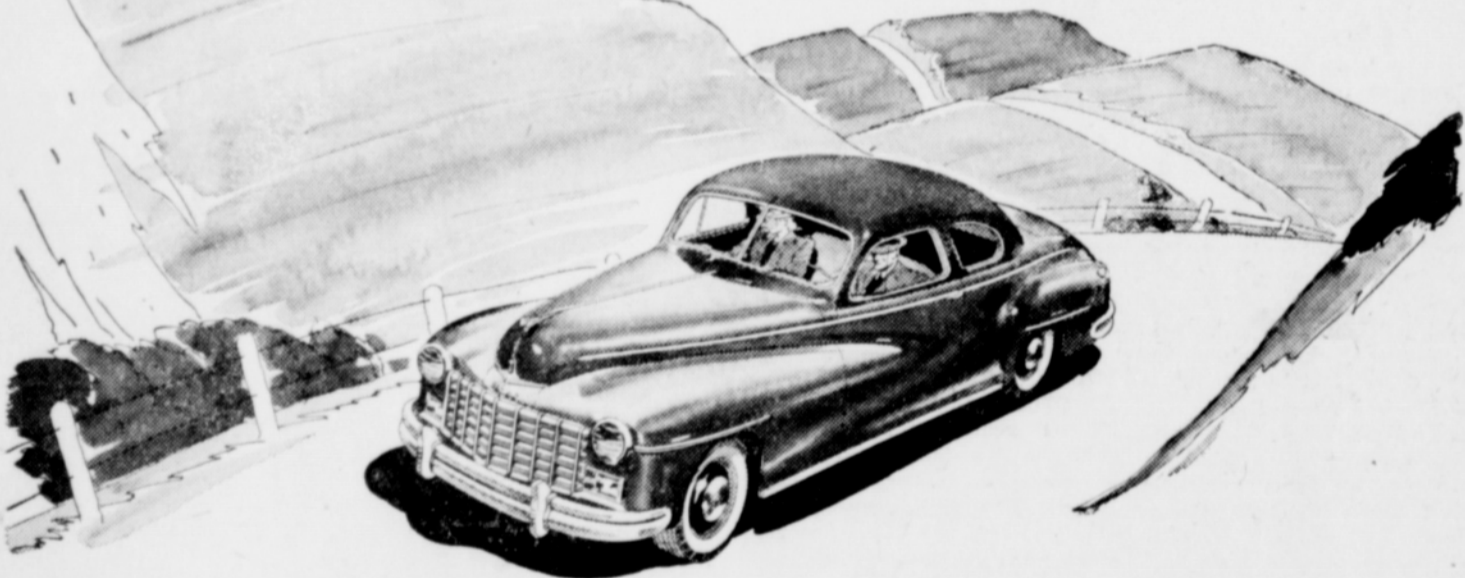
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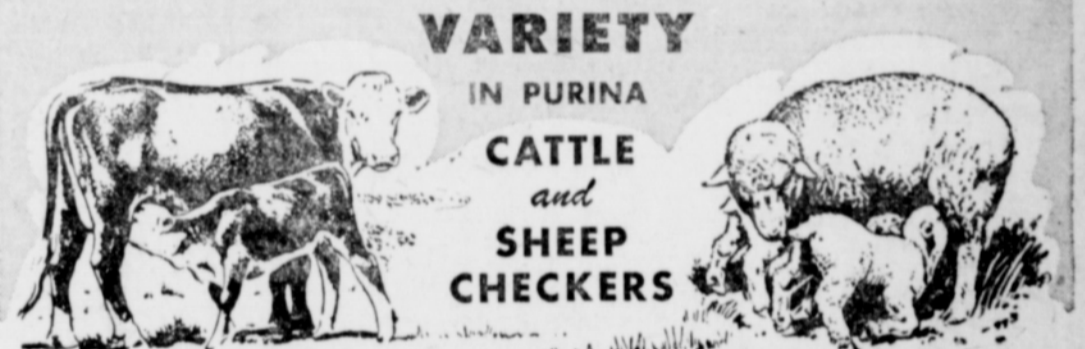


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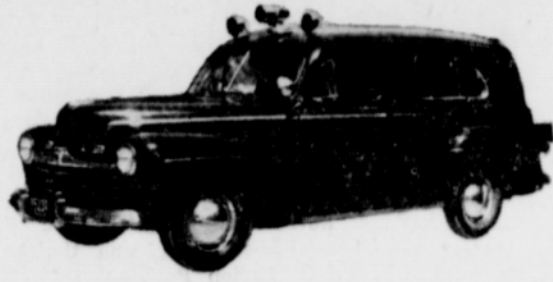
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**Oplin Observations**

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By Joreta Gwin

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris and children of Montana, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. ad Mrs. Loyd McWhorter of Ft. Worth visited in Oplin over the weekend.

Mrs. J. W. Lambert and Mrs. W. T. Johnson are still in the

Callahan County Hospital, not improving.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen visited Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Krenk in Bryan, and also visited in Fort Worth during the weekend.

Miss Jane Patton Hall has delivered to Morris Edwards about 300 head of Hereford calves, steers and heifers at her ranch in Coleman and Callahan counties, south of Baird. This is Miss Hall's second delivery this season. Last year something over this number of head were sold both spring and fall delivery. About ten or twelve years ago W. L. Henry and M. M. Edwards started feeding the Hall calves. Mr. Edwards and son, Weldon, have continued since then. Weldon Edwards fed some heifers last spring and these calves do make fine feeders. After first year's feeding at Spur, Weldon sends them to Kansas, putting them on grass, and selling on fall market.

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By Mrs. Dolph Hodges

A family gathering took place in the J. M. Whitley home Sunday. Present were Jute Whitley and family of Abilene; Mrs. Pete Sherman and baby; Miss Grace Whitley; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hodges; Carolyn Hodges and baby son, Larry Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton and daughter, Barbara, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges. A very nice dinner was served by Mrs. Whitley and was enjoyed by all the guests.

Visitors in the G. J. Barton home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Betcher of Fresno, Calif., have moved to Baird.

Otto Betcher and son, Melvin, made a visit to Tucson, Ariz., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Scott of Denton Valley were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis Sunday.

Mrs. B. H. Freeland, Mrs. Viva Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly attended Grand Chapter O.E.S. in San Antonio from Monday until Thursday of last week. While there Mrs. Tucker visited Mrs. Ila Meador and Mrs. Freeland visited Mrs. H. L. Harman and family.

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Oct. 31 - Nov. 7.  
**SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS**  
 Supervisors of the Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District met in regular meeting at Albany Tuesday, October 28th. Three applications covering 1048 acres, and six conservation plans, covering 2688 acres, from the Baird Work Unit were approved as follows: Applications on J. H. Hughes and R. W. Smith of the Admiral Conservation group; F. P. Shackelford of the Deep Creek group. Conservation plans approved were on the farms of J. A. Campbell and Jack Gilliland of the Belle Plain group; W. A. Snively, W. F. Hollingshead, S. E. Webb and Earl Johnson in the West Baird group.

The next meeting of the Supervisors of the Lower Clear Fork Soil Conservation District will be November 25th. At the last meeting of the Supervisors of the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District, ten application and six conservation plans were approved, from the Baird Work Unit. Applications approved were on the following farms: D. C. Rogers, D. C. Rogers, Jr., Tom Hungerford, Fred Kniffen, A. H. Hagar, D. V. Joiner, H. A. Reid and H. G. Broadfoot in the Upper Pecan Conservation group; Bryan Bennett of the Deer Plains group; and J. P. Smith of the Burnt Branch group. Conservation plans approved were on the farms of W. Ben Wilson of the Cocklebar group; R. L. Young and S. E. Paige of the Deer Plains group; Tom King of the Dinner Branch group and John McMillan and John Ford of the West Cross Plains group.

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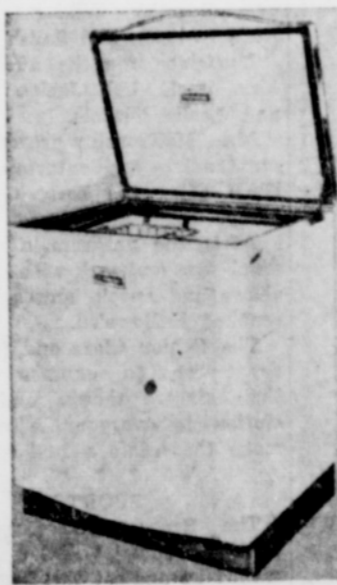
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