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MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

Business Men For Feed Mill Here

Members of Callahan County Club added a feed mill and farm produce market to their Want List in Wednesday's luncheon meeting. The business men had set up a project to seek a new gin for this area, and after analyzing the needs of other farm markets, added the feed mill to the project. It was the expressed desire for the feed mill and produce market to be established by the Callahan County Farm Co-op rather than for some "out-side" concern to come in and take over the business.

Ben Russell, who is experienced in the cotton gin business in connection with the Baird gin that was destroyed by fire last cotton season, pointed out the need for a gin, but he was especially enthusiastic over the possibilities of the feed mill. He enumerated many advantages Baird can offer such a business. Being located on the main line of the T&P Railroad, assures railroad cars in which to ship grain from Baird. This is one advantage many mills cannot enjoy, he said.

A committee composed of Brice Jones, W. D. Boydston and County Agent Glen Green was appointed to meet with directors of the Callahan County Co-op and urge them to establish the feed mill and produce market in Baird.

Pfc. Clois Versyp Sails for Japan



Pfc. Clois Versyp

Pfc. Clois Versyp, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Versyp, sailed January 25th for Japan, after completing training at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Versyp was transferred from the regular Army to the Army Air Corps.

He entered service on January 16, 1951, and was stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark., before attending school in Georgia.

Kerbys Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

With all their children coming home last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kerby observed their 25th wedding anniversary in gala fashion. The silver celebration came as a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Kerby when their children began to arrive bringing gifts of silver and cooked food for the big dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerby were married in Abilene February 18, 1927. Among members of the family at the anniversary dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bost of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kerby, Mrs. H. Allen, Miss Hassie Price, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lambert and sons, Raymond and J. T., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen and children, Ronnie and Jerri, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinerd and daughter, Joan, Mrs. J. F. Kinerd, all of Sweetwater; Glen Kerby and Mr. and Mrs. Kerby of Baird.

Mrs. Helen Shaw, of Fort Worth, visited Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen, the past weekend.

Construction Is Started This Week On Baird's New Telephone System

Fabian Bearden, manager of Home Telephone and Electric Company, announces this week that actual construction on Baird's new telephone system has been started. The survey of the town has been completed, all measuring and staking has been completed. Blueprints and all engineering work has been finished.

The next step in the construction program will begin Monday morning with the necessary facilities for the outside plant,

including erecting poles, installing cables, wires, anchors, et cetera.

The recent arrival of certain materials and equipment has made this construction possible, and Mr. Bearden states that the work will advance as rapidly as other materials are received. The object is to install a modern common battery system with automatic ringing, which will give the telephone patrons of Baird excellent telephone service. Many people prefer this system to the dial system. The switchboard, with flashlight supervision, will be operated on the harmonic system, which will afford privacy to all telephone conversations and is especially satisfactory to party line service.

Entries from Moran are: Brule Pettit, 128 lbs.; Bill Howard, 136 lbs.; Tommy Bennett, 140 lbs.; Winfred McCoy, 155 lbs.; and Charles Harber, 160 lbs.

South Taylor entries are: Perry Elliott, 113 lbs.; Ernest Lee Smith, 118 lbs.; Royce Irwin, 126 lbs.; Pete Prentice, 126 lbs.; LeRoy Wilkinson, 136 lbs.; Wim Hollowell, 144 lbs.; Doug Jarrell, 145 lbs.; and Dub Snodgrass at 161 lbs. South Taylor has written for extra entry blanks which indicates a large number of boxers will be present from South Taylor.

Two other entries have been received outside of the ones listed above. Lacy Boles, of Abilene at 160 lbs. This boy has fought 70 bouts and won 57 of them. R. L. Moore, 169 lbs., will box under out colors. Every effort is being made to find a suitable opponent for each entry.

Entries from Eula are as follows: Jack Felton, 130; Douglas Britton, 140; Gerald Ball, 143; Hulien Spurrier, 160; and Neil Goodman, 170. These boys, as well as the others, stay in shape playing basketball.

Baird entries: Leslie Nichols, 110; Randall Ivy, 130; Jonny West, 130; Donny West, 130; Cleo Ivy, 134; Billy Stroope, 144; Jacky Tollet, 145; Ray Williams, 145; Douglas Avery, 145; George Sutphen, 150; Curtis Chatham, 170; Eddy Brumbaugh, 176; Jimmy Roy Higgins, 180; and Kyle Meadows at 186. Other entries will be published as they are received.

Word was received that three boys from Putnam were working out, but as yet no entries have been received.

The bouts are officially sanctioned under the AAU Rules. All boxers must be 16 years old or older before they can participate. Medals will be awarded the winner in each division. A loving cup will be awarded to the high school winning the most bouts.

Each year, it is planned to make this one of the better entertainment features of the season. This year a new lighting system is being installed by Bo Pruitt, Lowell Corn and Arnold Colcleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Cox, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cox and son, of Eastland, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reese last weekend.



Faye Etta Faircloth and Eleanor O'Kelly Demonstrate Home Care of the Sick

Mrs. Earl Ellis has just completed instructing a class in the Home Care of the Sick, under the sponsorship of the Callahan County Chapter of the American Red Cross. Mrs. L. L. Blackburn is chairman of this division of the Red Cross work.

The following high school girls will receive certificates for having satisfactorily completed the home nursing training: Marilyn Gilliland, Dorothy Henry, Sarah Martinez, Rosie Monzello, Marquita McQueen, Carolyn Nichols, Wanda Shelnut, Susie Sladous, Deilverne Simmons, Elizabeth Snyder, Virgie Stevenson, Dolly Summers and Gayle Walls.

More Adults Violate Safety Rules Than School Children, Council Told

The Baird Safety Council in session Wednesday heard a report from the student safety council to the effect that more adults violate the traffic safety rules in the school zone than the students do. The safety program as conducted by the students of Baird High School is 95 per cent successful, it was reported. Parents bringing children to school and other adults driving past the school property are the most frequent violators of the traffic regulations. Students on duty to stop speeders and direct the general flow of traffic for the safety of school children report that quite a number of adult drivers of cars have completely ignored their signals.

After the Baird Safety Council heard the school report, steps were discussed to enforce traffic regulations in the school zone. The council requested The Baird Star to publish this report to give all Baird people the opportunity to correct their driving habits before it becomes necessary to call them into court and make the violators pay a fine. It has been the practice at school for the safety patrol to warn those who break a safety rule the first time, and second offenders to be reported to the authorities. Upon the affidavit of the safety patrol, a person can be given a penalty in Justice or City court.

Car Dealers to Meet In Abilene Feb. 27

Two trade meetings of interest to Baird automobile dealers and contractors have been scheduled in Abilene, February 27, by the Fort Worth District Office of Price Stabilization. Both meetings will be in the Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

New and Used car dealers will meet with a business analyst at 2 p. m. New regulation provisions will be explained and questions concerning regulations dealing with the automotive industry will be answered.

At 7 p. m., a meeting has been scheduled for general, plumbing, painting, decorating, electrical, brick, masonry, and all types of contractors, whose businesses are regulated by Ceiling Price Regulation 93. General provisions of the regulations will be discussed, and those present will have an opportunity to ask questions. This will be the first meeting held for contractors in Abilene.

Mrs. E. P. Whitaker Undergoes Surgery

Mrs. E. P. (Pop) Whitaker underwent major surgery Wednesday morning at Callahan County Hospital. As we go to press, it is reported that she stood the surgery fine.

Mrs. J. R. Hutto and Mrs. Perry Keith, of Abilene, visited Miss Jennie Harris, Sunday.

Clubmen Plan Big Sign on Highway 80 To Welcome Travelers To Baird

"When you want something done right, do it yourself." This was the trend of thought at Callahan County Club's meeting at the First Presbyterian Church Wednesday. The advantages of having a big road sign at the east edge of Baird on the new highway were discussed and the matter was placed in the hands of a committee. Those of the committee are F. E. Mitchell, C. W. Sutphen and Glenn Rockey, and their chief function is to find a suitable location for the sign to welcome the traveler into our town and to set forth a few of the outstanding advantages Baird has to offer the prospective newcomer.

Funeral Thursday for Nancy Slaughter

Funeral for Miss Nancy Slaughter, ranchwoman, was held at 3 p. m. Thursday in Wylie Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. J. W. Gill, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of Cisco, officiated, assisted by Rev. Chief Warden, Methodist pastor of Wichita Falls, and Rev. Walter V. O'Kelly, of the Baird Methodist Church. Burial was in the Ross Cemetery.

Miss Slaughter, 53, died at her ranch home three miles south of Cisco at 10 a. m. Tuesday. She had been ill since last November.

Born November 28, 1898 at Baird, Miss Slaughter lived for many years in the Hart community. In 1939 she moved to the ranch she owned and operated near Cisco.

Survivors are a sister, Miss Maude Slaughter, of Cisco, and brother, Milton Slaughter of Cisco.

Pallbearers were L. E. (Slim) Booth, Kent Word, Jim Stancell, Dan Strother, Les Theet, Bill Foreman and Ed Lambert.

Ex-Denton Minister Dies at Lubbock

Funeral service for Howard Weldon Martin, 44, will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at Lubbock.

Rev. Martin, a retired minister, died suddenly in Lubbock Wednesday morning of a heart attack. He had lived in Lubbock for the past four or five years.

Born in Caps April 7, 1907, he attended Hardin-Simmons University. He married Jan. 1, 1926. He pastored the Baptist Church in Denton Valley for some years. His retirement from the ministry was on the advice of a physician.

Services will be in the Arnett Benson Baptist Church in Lubbock. Rev. Cecil May will be the officiating minister. Burial will take place in Tech Memorial Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife; his mother, Mrs. W. W. Martin of Haskell; three daughters, Mrs. Robert Warren, Wynell and Sharan, all of Lubbock; one son, Howard Weldon, Jr., of Amarillo; one brother, Herbert Martin of Caps; five sisters, Mrs. E. H. Kendall, Route 4, Mrs. Roy Vancleave, Caps, Lida Kendall, El Paso, Mrs. John Davidson, Haskell, and Mrs. Ben Keith, Caps; and a number of nieces and nephews in Caps and Abilene.

DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Miller, of Eula, are parents of a daughter, born Feb. 12, at Callahan County Hospital. Mother and baby are reported to be just fine. Grandmothers of the new arrival are Mrs. Alex Shocklee of Baird, and Mrs. Rosa Miller, of Eula.

Mason to Observe Washington's Birthday

The Baird Masonic Lodge will hold its annual Washington's Birthday program on Friday night, Feb. 22, beginning at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Penix, a very fine public speaker of Graham, Texas, will deliver the address for the occasion. All Masons and their families, as well as members of the Eastern Star, are cordially invited to attend.

ATTEND DISTRICT F. F. A. BANQUET

Jimmy Roy Higgins, Cleo Ivy, Ocie McQueen, and the F. F. A. Sweetheart, Carolyn Nichols, attended the district F. F. A. banquet held in Abilene at the Wooten Hotel, Wednesday. Attending with the group were Supt. K. H. Rowland and E. L. Reese, Vocational Agriculture teacher.

Not to Ask Re-election To City Council

The deadline for candidates to file their names for city office is drawing near, and as my term is expiring, I wish to let it be known that I shall not be a candidate for re-election to the office of city alderman. I have enjoyed serving in this capacity for the past four years, but increased responsibilities brought about by our boys going into the armed forces makes it impossible for me to give the required attention to the affairs of the city. It has been a pleasure to work with the splendid group of men who have composed the city council during the past four years. While much time and work was involved in the accomplishments the council has attained, each step for the betterment of our town has meant much satisfaction to me. When our boys come home from the war, and our force at The Star office is re-established, I shall be glad to serve on the council again if a majority of the citizens of the town want me.

Respectfully yours,
J. MARVIN HUNTER, JR.

Former County Man Buried at Dunn

Funeral for Edgar (Bud) Lincecum, a former resident of Adair and Opalin, was held at 4 p. m., Sunday, at Dunn. Burial was at Dunn beside the grave of his mother, Mrs. Annie Lincecum.

Mr. Lincecum, 67, died at 5:25 p. m. Friday in an Odessa hospital, after several weeks' illness.

He was born May 25, 1884, in Williamson county, the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Lincecum. The family moved to Adair, south of Baird in 1889. He farmed in Opalin for several years, going to Merkel for four years, and moving from there to Odessa five years ago.

Survivors are his wife, the former Beulah Derrick; five children, J. B. Lincecum, Wichita Falls, Mrs. Bonnie Bell Bryson, Big Spring, and Edgar Jr., Mrs. Annie D. Hunt and Vila Mae Lincecum, all of Fort Worth; a brother, W. W. Lincecum of Clyde; and a nephew, Wilbur Lincecum of Baird.

Among those attending the funeral from this county were: Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith, Mrs. Lela Pierce, Miss Dollie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Smith Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lincecum of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lincecum of Clyde.

Daughter Born to Ray Blacks

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Black, at 2 a. m. Tuesday, Feb. 19, in an Abilene hospital. The new arrival, weighing six pounds, fifteen ounces, has been named Ada Maurine. Both mother and baby are getting along just fine.

Grandparents of the baby are Mrs. Roy Rodriguez of Albany, and Judge and Mrs. J. R. Black of Abilene.

Money Taken From Woman's Purse

Someone helped themselves to \$40 from Mrs. Madison Montgomery's purse last week, either on purpose or by mistake. The money was being saved to help pay expenses of an operation that Mr. Montgomery is needing very badly. If the person who took the money will mail it back, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery will be ever so grateful. The thief will not have to sign his or her name, said Mr. Montgomery. "Just send the \$40 back and I can go ahead with my operation and everybody will be happy," he stated.

—Church Reporter.

Burleson Warns that Texas Peanut Farmers Will Suffer Under Production And Marketing Set-Up

America's population is outstripping its meat supply, the National Independent Meat Packers Association warned today.

In spite of increased demand for meat because of increased purchasing power, per capita annual meat consumption has dropped from 155 pounds to 140 pounds in the last seven years. In addition, America's population is increasing at the rate of 7,400 people a day and unless production of meat animals is increased substantially less meat for America is ahead, the NIMPA pointed out.

In spite of the need for more meat animals, several events in recent months appear to have set in motion a future decline in animal production. One of these was early frost in the corn belt which resulted in "soft corn" which is unsatisfactory for high

volume hog production, and is of inferior value in feeding beef cattle. Consequently, several million immature pigs and hogs were marketed and sent to other geographic areas for finishing, which disturbed normal patterns. The 1952 pig crop, for example, will be at least nine per cent off 1951 levels, according to Department of Agriculture reports.

There has also been some liquidation of cattle breeding stock. The latter will bring a temporary increase of beef to retail counters, but ultimately will result in smaller production of beef cattle.

The decrease in meat animal numbers becomes more serious because of the need for large meat supplies by a population employed at good wages, the NIMPA pointed out.

For example, even in order to hold per capita meat consump-

tion at the present level, we need to grow enough additional meat animals every year to feed a city the size of Detroit. To feed a city of that size alone requires 156,000 head of cattle and 862,000 head of hogs, in addition to large quantities of veal, lamb and poultry. This amount of increase must be achieved every year. It is obvious, the NIMUA said, that as long as our population continues to increase we must either eat less meat per capita or increase the production of meat animals.

Instead of an increase in animals, however, the signs point to a decrease caused in part by government policies and in part by inadequate production of feed grains of good quality. Farmers already are showing signs of uncertainty caused by government controls and in many cases fear to go forward with high volume production of animals because they cannot foresee market conditions by the time the animals are ready to be sold for slaughter.

The recent proposal in Congress to extend controls another year will, it is feared, give the producers of grain and meat animals a further feeling of uncertainty.

"What we really need," said C. B. Heineman, President of NIMPA, "is less controls, less discouragement from Washington, and more encouragement to producers of grain and live animals."

All in all, NIMPA reported, trends are in motion which, unless reversed, will make it harder to obtain meat, even though consumers are in a better position than they ever were to buy it.

Rowden Round-Up

Marjorie Mauldin
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Those having Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and Kaye, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Granvill Gibbs, of Abilene, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lelia Gibbs, his mother.

Cordelia Bains and Pearl Smedley visited Thelda and Velda Crow, Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cooper and family, of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odum, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains, and R. L. Smedley.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Sr., and Pauline, Saturday night, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smedley and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley, Mrs. Anny Miller, Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mrs. B. Crow attended the Callahan County Singing at Admiral, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Myrick and daughter, and Mrs. Hughes and daughter, of Brownwood, attended church at the Rowden Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chief Horner and Patricia, of Colorado City, and Irene Mauldin, of Abilene, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family.

Pfc. Carl Mauldin, who has

been home on emergency leave to be with his father, E. S. Mauldin, who underwent surgery last week, has returned to camp in Fort Knox, Ky.

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Clyde Thursday Club Meets With Mrs. Parks

The Clyde Thursday Club met in the home of Mrs. E. M. Parks on Feb. 14. Subject for the study was "Curtains and Color Schemes." Mrs. S. I. Freeman was leader.

Mrs. W. A. Cook discussed windows—"Well Dressed Windows," and Mrs. Grady Barr gave an interesting talk on "Color Scheme in Home Furnishings."

The Valentine motif was carried out in the delicious plate served by Mrs. Parks to fourteen members and two guests, Mrs. Harry Steen and Mrs. P. L. Pool.

Zeke Williams And Band at Lake Cisco

Zeke Williams and his western band, widely known in this region, will play for a Washington's Birthday Dance at the Lake Cisco Skating Rink on Friday night, Feb. 22, under the auspices of the Cisco Post of the American Legion.

Williams and his orchestra play for regular radio programs in Abilene and have played throughout West Central Texas. Proceeds from the dance will be used by the Legion Post to make improvements at the Lake Cisco Swimming Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mauldin, of Rowden, were in Baird Monday morning. This was Mr. Mauldin's first trip to town since undergoing surgery in an Abilene hospital, Feb. 7.

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Recovering From Recent Surgery

Mrs. Merle King returned to her home Thursday of last week and is reported to be improving satisfactorily, after undergoing surgery Feb. 13, in an Abilene hospital.

Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. L. W. Hayhurst, of Beeville, came last week to be with her daughter and family. L. W. Hayhurst, minister of the Church of Christ at Beeville, visited the Kings and attended the Lectureship at Abilene the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Granvill Pierce entertained her parents, the A. W. Gibsons, in their home in Abilene, Sunday, with a dinner in honor of her mother's birthday. In the afternoon, they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cooke and Maurine, recently of Baird.

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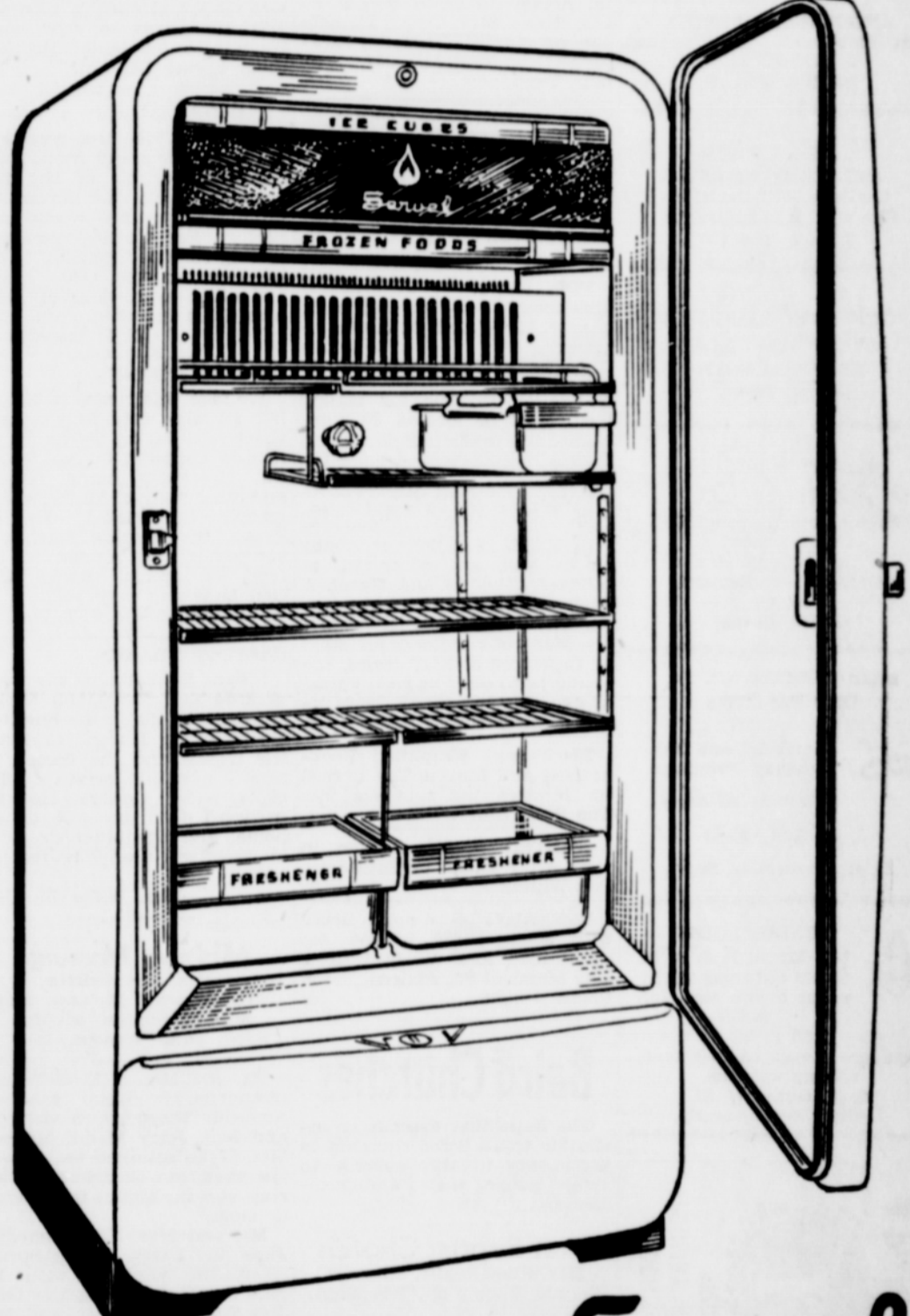
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EDITORIAL

TRADE DAY GIVES FOLKS SOMETHING TO COME TO TOWN FOR ON SATURDAY

People from all over Callahan County are finding profit and pleasure in attending Trades Day in Baird every Saturday. Beside a very entertaining musical program directed by E. P. (Pop) Whitaker during the afternoon, merchants offer high quality merchandise at money saving prices all day long. A glance through the pages of The Baird Star will give the reader an idea of what savings are available at Baird stores this Saturday. It would pay everyone in our county to check over the list of money-saving items as advertised in The Baird Star before they come to town on Saturday. There is profit even to be made by reading the classified columns.

In last Saturday's trade-day program, Pop Whitaker invited the folks of this area to let him know what they had to sell or what they wanted to buy, and he would announce their wants over the speaker this Saturday. This is a mighty fine service and the people of the territory would profit much by turning in their "classified ads" to him. Tie this in with a classified ad in The Baird Star and you will really get some results.

Merchants of Baird are doing a fine job of keeping business alive by stocking latest styles of clothing and standard brands of merchandise and offering them to the people of the county at fair prices. The Trade-Day program is just one feature of what the local business people are doing for their customers throughout the Baird trade area.

CRISIS IN OUR SCHOOLS

Guest editorial by Supt. K. H. Rowland

Texas schools are facing one of the most critical periods in their history. Charles H. Tennyson, executive secretary of the Texas State Teachers Association, said today as he outlined pressing needs for new buildings and more teachers over the entire state.

The school population, particularly on the elementary level, is growing at an alarming rate, he pointed out. For example, births in Texas in 1945—this year's first graders—numbered 156,000. In 1947, births in Texas jumped to 197,000, an increase of 41,000. In 1950, live births numbered 203,678 and the number for 1951 will exceed that figure.

The National Education Association reports that in 1940 teachers' average salaries were 11% higher than the average salary, or wage received from business or industry for the nation. Today the average teaching salary is 13% below the average for all workers receiving salaries or wages. This has caused an exodus from the teaching profession when our enrollment stands at an all-time high. As Irving Olds, Chairman of U. S. Steel, at Yale's 250th anniversary celebration said, "When a race horse can earn more in a year than a Yale professor in a lifetime, one can reasonably question values in our system."

Public school administrators and teachers are today facing increased criticism along with these difficulties. We hear that children are not being taught the three R's, that they are not properly disciplined, not being instilled with proper respect for religion, country, or right conduct; that time is frittered away on extra-curricular activities and superficial subjects. New devices to meet important needs are referred to as newfangled nonsense.

The school, as any institution in a democracy, should be subject to criticism, but we should realize that no one group is responsible for all the ills we face. Society, very likely, gets the type of government and type of schools it deserves. If we deserve better, let us get busy. The government and schools belong to the people.

As a group, the teaching profession can hardly be out-ranked in basic American idealism. Educators possess and have inculcated ideals of freedom, liberty, equality, service, tolerance, self-reliance, industry, and individual initiative. Service rather than acquisition caused them to select their occupation. They deserve and need co-operation and support. As Dr. H. S. Commanger said, "If society clearly defines the new duties it wishes our schools to fulfill, and if it steadfastly supports them not only with money but also with faith, they will surely justify that faith in the future as they have in the past."

DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

The Spirit Is What Counts

MYRON WARREN, Xenia, Ohio, grew up on a farm. About half the time he was bedeviled with worry. Not his own worry but the worry of the farmers: it might rain and the hay wasn't in. It might not rain, and the seedlings were up. Blackleg might get among the cattle; insects might take over the crops. A little closer to the house, for the farmer's wife: the birds might get at her garden; a fox might steal in on the chickens. Yes, there's plenty to worry about during the "calm, peaceful, plentiful life of the farmer."

But even while very young, Myron began to wonder why the farmers worried about something over which they had no control? Why didn't they just work toward a good result and not think about rain and drought? Why didn't they just take care of the cattle? Usually Blackleg didn't attack them. They could take certain measures to ward off insects, and since that was all the control they had over them, why didn't they just take those measures and stop worrying until the insects actually got at the crops. The farmer's wife nearly always has a most successful garden, and every fall her chicken and egg money swell her bank account; so why, in Heaven's name, did she worry for fear good luck wouldn't come? God is in his Heaven!

His Faith in God became his standby. If you didn't believe in Him, it didn't matter much what happened, anyway, and this faith and philosophy stood Myron in good stead when he was called upon to photograph a crash in which one of his good friends was killed. At first, he was nauseated when he saw particles of flesh here and there. Then he told himself, if the one thing that counted was the spirit, it had departed, and it couldn't matter much in what way this had happened. Too, he was helping prevent further such accidents if he made good pictures that would help determine the cause of the accident.



Carnegie

THE GREEDY TWINS



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Tecumseh Topics

Wilma Armor
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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wood, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lilly, Sunday night.

Pfc. and Mrs. T. M. Allen, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Tod Windham, Monday night.

Beth Connel, of Denton Valley, spent Wednesday with Wilma Armor.

Una Merle Breeding visited Betty Coughran Thursday night.

Mrs. S. S. Harville, of Oplin, visited Mrs. Lawson Armor, Monday evening.

Several people from Dudley attended the singing at Admiral, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley and Jerry, of Denton Valley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coffman and Bertha Gaye, Sunday.

John Lilly, of Gorman, visited the H. P. Lillys this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armor and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor attended the funeral of Otto Armor, at Eden, Tuesday.

John McKenzie and Mrs. Olivia Cutbirth visited relatives in Abilene and Dudley, last week.

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ACROSS THE DESK

ideas from other editors

COUNTRY EDITORS have a knack of capturing the spirit of the American scene in words that can not be found in any other journalistic medium. For instance, this account of an American phenomenon appeared in the editorial columns of The Wright County Monitor, Clarion, Iowa:

"It seems that in these more modern times, waiters and waitresses at restaurants take down their orders in writing. But there was a time when they would call off a long line of stuff to the cook in the kitchen and he would proceed to make up the order from memory.

"So through the years I have always been fascinated by the special jargon which waiters have worked up in spelling their orders to the kitchen.

"According to one of the exchanges, one of the famous places is Shorty's Dugout in Madison, Wis., where an order of hash is relayed to the kitchen with the phrase, 'Sweep the floor for one.'

"Could you guess what this one means? 'Adam and Eve on a raft and a bucket of mud.' Very mystifying to the outsider, but very clear to the cook. It means 'two poached eggs on toast and a cup of black coffee.'

"Another descriptive line for the same order: 'Float two on planks, don't mess with the cow.'

"At another hash joint, the waitress called for this one: 'One side of sinkers, draw one in the dark, slap two cackles in the puss, and fry the grunt to a crisp,' which meant two rolls, cup of black coffee, fried eggs turned over, and bacon well done. For years res-

taurants have designated milk toast as 'graveyard stew.'"

Torch Sweaters

Torch sweaters have been much in the news of late. The editor of The Newville Record, Newville, Pa., had an editorial comment on the subject that will be echoed by small town editors across the nation:

"Although none of these so-called 'torch' sweaters have been located in Newville at this writing, there is a moral to this ban on traveling salesmen who are peddling them. Never buy anything from an unauthorized agent, especially on the streets.

"In other communities you have read where these sweaters were so highly inflammable that they burned in 40 seconds. So beware! We have many fine stores where reliable things are sold; let the peddler be."

Issue of Our Times

The North Canton Sun, North Canton, O., has named what it believes to be the issue of our times:

"The ticklish international problem of peace on earth, good will to men, is still the basic issue of our times. There are those who say that it cannot be solved, that it must wait for a new generation. But one generation learns from its predecessor, and we have the solemn duty of training those who follow us to cherish the freedom of thought and inquiry which have been the chief source of Occidental civilization."

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THIS WEEK IN Washington

THE DECISION of President Truman in his budget requests to spread or extend allocations for full mobilization into another year means that there will be more materials for civilian goods than was to be permitted by the military in their time-table for war production.

This decision of Truman means there will be some easing of an inflationary nature, that there will be more civilian goods to prevent up-bidding of prices. This will mean more civilian production and, as a consequence more taxes, badly needed revenue. It will ease off some unemployment in production centers. The President's arbitrary decision also means he is convinced that war is not presently imminent. There are those who hold that because this is an election year, motives behind the move may be to keep business going and sound in as many lines as possible.

President Truman was the recipient of some criticism for his statement in withdrawing from the New Hampshire primary in which he referred to presidential primaries as "just eye-wash." However, the President is in favor of nation-wide primaries. The primaries for the selection of delegations to a national convention are in fact more or less "eye-wash" since the delegates in many instances are tied to favorite sons and are not bound to vote for any particular candidate.

Despite appointment of Newbold Morris, widely known New York attorney, to conduct the administration probe of "corruption" in government, starting with the justice department, the "probers" and the "smeared" already are after Mr. Morris' scalp and the whole thing likely may turn into a probe of the prober by some congressional committee before Mr. Morris can get his investigation under way. Republicans in the house are determined to prove Attorney General Howard McGrath guilty before Mr. Morris can do the same thing, if they can get away with it.

Theme of the Democrats in the coming campaign was outlined at

the recent Kansas City meeting of 15 midwestern states in which a resolution was unanimously adopted calling upon President Truman and Vice President Alben Barkley to run again. In a message to the meeting, President Truman stressed peace, progress and prosperity as the national aims of the party declaring, "If anybody is to play politics with the welfare of this country, it will not be the Democratic party." Senator Robert S. Kerr, of Oklahoma, who delivered the main address at the meeting, stressed the same theme. Senator Kerr also indicated he was a willing candidate in case the President decided not to run.

In a special message to the Congress, President Truman again renewed his bid for joint development of the St. Lawrence river seaway between this country and Canada. A week earlier in his budget message, he had urged approval of the seaway as a "strategic necessity." In the special message he said, "It is inconceivable that congress should allow any local or special interest to divest our country of its rightful place in the joint development of the waterway."

Canada has announced intention to "go it alone" if congress does not agree to the joint construction, which has been under consideration for a decade or more. The so-called "special interests" which have blocked the construction have been the railroads and the eastern seaport authorities.

As of now, Senator Estes Kefauver is the only Democratic candidate officially announced for the presidency, entering his name in the primaries in New Hampshire and Illinois. The New Hampshire primary shapes up as a three-way race for the delegate strength of that state, 14 delegates-in all to the GOP convention. Thus far, General Eisenhower, Senator Robert A. Taft and Harold A. Stassen are entries. General Douglas MacArthur had entered his name, but it was withdrawn according to information, in favor of Senator Taft. The New Hampshire primary is the first on the calendar, coming up March 11.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. M. E. Cargal, of Wichita Falls, are spending a thirty day furlough with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hughes.

Miss Ruby Joyce Atwood, of Midland, recently visited her mother, Mrs. C. S. McGowen and family.

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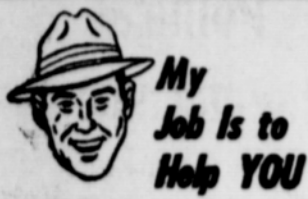
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FELIX MITCHELL TO SPEAK AT METHODIST CHURCH

Felix Mitchell, county attorney, will fill the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday morning, Sunday is Layman's Day in all Methodism.

J. B. Harris, of Westbrook, was transacting business here Monday.

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LONE STAR Gas Company

Baird Band Holds Valentine Banquet

The Baird Band had its annual Valentine banquet Thursday night, Feb. 14. The menu was: cocktail, salad, chicken and dressing, peas, potato salad, tea, rolls, butter and strawberry shortcake.

The program was furnished by a saxophone quartet. Everyone enjoyed a good time.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Rowland, Mrs. Benton Pruet, George Jones, Martha Gilliland, Cecil Thompson, Marilyn Gilliland, Coy Williams, Martha Martin, Dolly Summers, Yvonne Caldwell, Eddie Brumbaugh, Vergie Stephenson, Glen Kerby, Marquata McQueen, Douglas Morton, Carolyn Nichols, Jenice Brown, Glynda Gilbreath, David Neel, Suzanne Sladous, Sonny Caldwell, Dorothy Henry, Kyle Meadows, Bettye Smith, Jimmy Johnson, Mary Brown, Tony Price, Gayle Walls, Charles Mosley, Patsy Betcher, Billy Ruth Walls, Betty Williams, Barbara Snyder, Elizabeth Snyder, Rosalind Monzello, Faye Etta Faircloth and Mary Ross.

"Journey Into Light" Showing Tuesday

"Seventh Heaven on Seventh Avenue" is an apt description given "Journey Into Light," starring Sterling Hayden, Viveca Lindfors and Thomas Mitchell, due at the Plaza Theatre Tuesday. Based on Anson Bond's original story, "Journey Into Light" unfolds a strong romance involving the regeneration of a minister of God who had forsaken his faith.

The background for the story is a New England town and the skid row of a large city. The story itself captures harsh drama and a strong, beautiful romance which triumphs over circumstance and surroundings. Bond's story also is a penetrating portrayal of a man who had to hit the depths before finding a path back to faith, home and love.

For Sterling Hayden the role of the man who sought to be his own judge and to mete out his own punishment is at least equal in importance to the one he played in "The Asphalt Jungle." Viveca Lindfors, beautiful Swedish star, considers her role of Christine, the blind girl, the best she has had in her four years in the United States. Thomas Mitchell, as Gandy, who makes a living finding jobs for skid row bums and exacting a commission, makes his first screen appearance in more than a year and a half. The picture also marks the return of H. B. Warner to the screen following a two years' absence.

Another top role, that of Doc Thorsen, a missionary, is played by Ludwig Donath. Jane Darwell appears as Mack, a bartender, while another featured part is played by Peggy Webber, 23, who probably is heard on more radio shows weekly than any other player.

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Truck Falls Into Creek, Man Dies

J. L. Robertson, 43, of Iowa Park, was killed north of Baird Monday when his tractor-trailer truck missed a bridge and plunged into a creek bottom 12 feet below.

He was pronounced dead on arrival at the Callahan County Hospital, of head and chest injuries.

The accident occurred about 4 p. m. at a bridge 12 1/2 miles north of Baird on U. S. Highway 183, the Texas Highway Patrol said.

State Patrolman Ray Hatten, who investigated, said the truck missed the bridge bannister, plunged headon into the creek bottom and collided against a concrete understructure.

A ranch worker, Jake Shelton, found the wreckage and informed Baird authorities. Patrolman Hatten said the driver was found beside the wreckage.

Robertson was headed north on 183, toward Albany, when the accident occurred. He was apparently returning home after delivering a load of hay to near Burnet, Patrolman Hatten said. The body was taken to Wylie Funeral Home.

Attending Directors Meeting at Houston

C. M. Johnston, director, and Leslie Bryant, secretary-treasurer of the Citizens National Farm Loan Association, attended the stockholders meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, held at Houston on February 20 and 21.

Three prominent men addressed the meeting. Judge J. A. Elkins, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the City National Bank of Houston, addressed the group at 10:00 a. m., Feb. 20, on "What Does the Future Hold for Farmers?"

Mr. Sam H. Bober, an outstanding farmer and stockman of Newell, South Dakota, addressed the afternoon session on Feb. 20. The July 1949 issue of the Reader's Digest told the remarkable story of Sam Bober "From Russian Peasant to American Pioneer." Mr. Bober's subject was "The Voice of Ownership."

Mr. Wm. McCraw, former Attorney General of Texas, was the speaker at the banquet program, which was held in the Crystal Ball Room of the Rice Hotel on the evening of Feb. 20.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston, which is wholly owned by 141 national farm loan associations in the State, and which in turn are owned by over 33,000 farmers and ranchers, will celebrate its 35th Anniversary on April 4 of this year.

During the past 35 years approximately 125,000 farmers and ranchers of Texas have used the facilities of the Federal Land Bank of Houston in obtaining long-term farm mortgage loans. Loans outstanding at the present time are approximately \$103,000,000. Twenty-nine per cent of all long-term farm mortgage loans made in the State of Texas during 1951 were made by the bank.

During the past eight years the bank has returned \$15,000,000 in cash savings to these 141 associations. A portion of these funds were paid to the 33,000 owners of the associations as cash dividends, with a sizeable amount being retained in the local associations' reserve accounts.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston has capital, surplus and reserves of about \$45,000,000, while the associations have over \$12,000,000 in their own reserve accounts.

The Federal Land Bank obtains its funds for lending purposes from the sale of its bonds to the general public, which are not in any manner guaranteed by the Federal Government.

Federal Land Bank loans in Callahan County are made and serviced out of the Citizens National Farm Loan Association office, located here in Baird. The Association stock at this time is slightly over \$45,000.00, with reserves and surplus amounting to approximately \$75,000.00. The Association has paid a 10 per cent dividend the past several years, and plans to continue to do so indefinitely. There are 320 loans in force at the present time.

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Donnie Macdonald Feted at Party

Donnie Macdonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lea Macdonald, was honored with a party on his eighth birthday at their ranch home, Wednesday afternoon.

After a baseball game, the guests were served ice cream and birthday cake. Centerpiece for the refreshment table was a ranch home scene and animals. The chocolate covered birthday cake was decorated with yellow flowers and candles. Roy Rogers' badges were given as favors. Mr. Macdonald made pictures of the party.

Invited guests were: Billy Smith, Chas. Clay, Harold Lloyd Alexander, Arnold Colcleasure, Jr., Kenny McCasland, Richard Danielson, Felix Manion, Kitsy Ross, Norman McWilliams, David Walls, Larry Joe Tompkins, Mickey Fugitt, Edwina Reese, Carol Lynn McGowen, Janet Ross, Ann and Tommy Barton, Karen and Tabor Bearden, Jud Gilliland, Sidney and Freddie Foy, Jenece Hatchett, Carlie Sue Hunter, Frank Windham, Jr., Cheryl Sue Sims, Byron Snyder, Nancy Johnson and Larry Gardiner.

Sportsmens Obligation To Our Wildlife

AUSTIN — The February issue of Texas Game & Fish magazine quotes an editorial from the Tyler Courier-Times-Telegraph about sportsmen's obligation to wildlife.

After reviewing the relationship of land ownership and wild game, the newspaper states:

"What we need more than anything else is a wholesome observance on the part of the hunters themselves of the laws we now have. To them hunting is a game just like baseball or football—and, as true sportsmen, they should observe the rules of the game as set out in the law of their state.

"A hunter who kills more than the legal limit should lose caste with other hunters, just as a boxer who strikes below the belt loses standing in the world of sport. This should be so much the general attitude of hunters that he who exceeded the bag limit would no longer brag about it and some of the hunting clubs would so discipline their members that hunting law violations with them would become extinct.

"The numbers of hunters is increasing each year. This makes it all the more necessary that the hunting be done legally. Many of the law violations are by the younger hunters, men, who in the usual course of things should have many years of hunting ahead of them—if they observe the season date limits and the bag limits better. If they do not, they will continue to find hunting worse instead of better each year.

"After all, there are not enough game wardens to enforce the law adequately. Observance is largely up to the hunters themselves and whether they still have game to hunt in the years to come also is up to them."

FELLOWSHIP S. S. CLASS MEETS IN McCLUNG HOME

Fellowship Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of George McClung Tuesday evening, Feb. 19, for this month's meeting. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to the ten members present.

—Church Reporter.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Gillit, of Jal, N. M., visited Mr. Gillit's sister, Mrs. Tom West, and other relatives during the weekend.

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Morning Service-11 a. m.
B. T. U.-6 p. m.
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Evening Service-7 p. m.
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Mrs. J. T. Warren, Pres.
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Morning Worship-11 a. m.
Evening Worship-7 p. m.
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Choir Practice-7:30 P. M.

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Morning Worship-10:55 a. m.
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ary, permanent to right man.
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CARD OF THANKS
I wish to take this means of
thanking our many friends and
neighbors for all of the fine
neighborliness shown me and my
family during my illness and
surgery. For plowing our land,
cutting our wood, tending to our
livestock for the visits, cards,
and other expressions of kind-
ness, I am indeed grateful.
E. S. Mauldin.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means of thank-
ing all who were so kind and
thoughtful during my recent ill-
ness in Callahan County Hospi-
tal. The visits, cards, flowers,
and other deeds of kindness were
greatly appreciated. To Dr.
Evans, the hospital staff, and
our pastor, Rev. Fugitt, we ex-
tend our special thanks. May
God bless and keep you.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Warren.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to thank all who were
so kind and thoughtful during
my illness while in the hospital;
especially do I want to thank
the nurses and the doctor for
their splendid services. The
visits, cards, flowers, also the
prepared food brought to my
home, and the other deeds of
kindness will always be remem-
bered.
Mrs. Willie Barnhill.

Midway Musings
Mrs. Joel Griffin
Miscellaneous Melange and
Minor Mention of Men
and Women.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb and
Grandmother Webb went to
Amarillo Thursday to visit Mr.
and Mrs. Jerry Mallin. Mr. and
Mrs. Rex returned the first of
the week, but Grandmother will
stay with the Malins for a month
or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smedley,
Jane and Larry, of Big Spring,
spent the weekend with their
parents. Also visiting the Grif-
fins Sunday were Mr. and Mrs.
Rex Jones and boys, of Abilene,
and the Dick Griffin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks had
a letter from their son, Billy,
saying he had arrived in Japan
about Feb. 10. He is with the
U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin received
a letter from their son, Bob,
saying he arrived in Japan on
Feb. 9, and had gone by train
to a town near Hiroshima where
they were getting winter clothes,
and would fly to Korea in a day
or two. Bob had the Jap con-
ductor write "Bob" in his native
hand. Then Bob had added a
picture of the Jap conductor in
his own hand.

The airplane that was forced
down north of Clyde in the snow
storm Friday evening, landed in
a wheat field belonging to Dick
Griffin. The plane and four oc-
cupants were uninjured.

Mrs. Leslie Bryant visited re-
latives in Houston while Mr.
Bryant attended a stockholders
meeting of the Citizen National
Farm Loan Association, the first
of the week.

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nished free. We use Genuine
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Roger Babson Discusses the Merits Of Advertising in Weekly Papers

NEW YORK CITY - This is
not a defense of advertising.
Probably as much money has
been wasted on advertising as
on drilling for oil or mining for
gold; but getting only dry wells
and dead veins. But without
those willing to take these wild-
card risks, we would have no oil
and no gold. Advertising is a
risk and should be sold as such.
But advertising is a good risk.
Money spent thereon is the best
gamble that I know of. Accord-
ing to an Advertising Bureau
which made a study of 717 com-
panies which were spending an-
nually over \$25,000 on advertis-
ing ten years ago, 91% are still
in business and doing more ad-
vertising than ever, while only
5% are now spending less on
advertising. Only one company
in twelve found advertising un-
profitable.

Those companies which have
quit advertising were trying to
sell a wrong product, or had
wrong sales policies, or an anti-
quated management. The way
this 91% has stayed in business
with continuing success, despite
competition from new compan-
ies and improved products,
proves my point.

Most of the above 717 com-
panies are located in the larger
cities; but I believe that statis-
tics of merchants in small cities
would show an equal percentage
of success. The most successful
companies are now giving much
advertising to small dailies and
weeklies. This tendency is sure
to increase as years go on. The
people of small communities
read advertisements very care-
fully.

One of the safest investments
is in newspapers, large or small,
especially where there is only one
newspaper which controls the
field. It is true that the costs
of producing all newspapers are
rising; but it is easy to raise the
price of a newspaper. Most news-
papers now sell for five cents,
while some have recently in-
creased to seven or ten cents.
People want news; the more they
pay for a newspaper, the more
carefully it is read (news and
ads)—hence, more valuable is

its advertising space.

I believe in Pension Plans;
but pensions help wageworkers
only after they are 65 years old.
Advertising helps all employees
all the time. Too few companies
take seriously the problem of
making factory workers under-
stand the importance of what
advertising does to hold up pro-
duction, with high employment.

Labor newspapers should not
accuse business of "throwing
money away" by spending it on
advertising. It is true that ad-
vertising expenditures were about
\$6 billion in 1951, but nearly all
of it is closely watched for very
prompt results in greater sales,
which, when achieved, lead to
larger payrolls.

Advertising is largely respon-
sible for the fact that our wages
and standards of living are so
much higher than that of any
other country. Without advertis-
ing, we couldn't have mass sell-
ing. Without mass sellings, we
could not afford mass produc-
tion. Without mass production,
we would not enjoy the world's
highest standard of living.

"What is selling and advertis-
ing doing to help me?" you may
ask. It is helping you to secure
52 weeks of employment and is
helping to increase your "take
home" pay. It is increasing em-
ployment so that your son can
also get a good job. As it helps
every worker, it makes more
trade for every merchant. We
should all encourage advertising.

Everything in this world has
its advantages and disadvan-
tages—hence, so has magazine
advertising. It is becoming so
beautiful and "pulling" pre-
pared by high-priced artists and
psychologists, that it may get
many women to buy more than
they should and go needlessly
into debt. These ads may also
result in unreasonable labor de-
mands. On this point, you might
be interested to write the U. S.
Chamber of Commerce, Wash-
ington 6, D. C., and ask for these
free leaflets: "Fables and Facts
About Advertising"; "The Man
Who Couldn't See Beyond His
Own Nose"; and "Where's El-
mer."

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

Mr. M. B. Sprawls and David,
of Fort Worth, were weekend
guests in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Will Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overton,
of Sweetwater, spent the weekend
in the home of T. A. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fleming
visited Sunday in the home of
Mrs. Lula Fleming, of Abilene.

Guests in the home of the
Moble girls Tuesday afternoon
were: Mrs. Morehart, Mrs. Ethel
Kilpatrick and Mrs. Dot Moore
of Cisco.

Chuck Odenwald, who is in the
Navy, is visiting in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent.
Chuck received numerous in-
juries in a plane crash while
stationed in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clinton
and sons, of Cisco, spent Sunday
afternoon in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. R. L. Clinton.

Charles Rutherford, who has
been stationed in Japan, is
spending his leave with his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Ruther-
ford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell
was in Abilene Monday evening
attending the Abilene Symphony
Orchestra concert.

Mrs. M. A. Lunsford, of Odes-
sa, is visiting with relatives in
Putnam.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Cecil Ruther-
ford of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Charles
Rutherford, who has recently
returned from Japan; Lee Ruth-
erford of Lafayette, La.; and
Wesley Rutherford, of Abilene,
were at home with their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford,
at Putnam, Sunday. This was
the first reunion of the family
in 3 1/2 years.

Mrs. Willie Barnhill is report-
ed to be improving at her home
after a twenty day's illness. Mrs.
Barnhill was in Callahan County
Hospital for several days.

Mrs. Nettie Kershner, of Dal-
las, visited in the home of Dr.
and Mrs. R. L. Griggs, during the
weekend.

Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr., return-
ed to her home Sunday after
spending two weeks with her
daughter, Mrs. B. D. Hampton
and family, at Longview.

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Follow These Good Brooding Practices

Good healthy chicks — that's
the aim of every poultryman.
But getting good healthy chicks
is something else. Unless the
poultryman starts with good
stock and exercises good brood-
ing practices, he is likely to fail.
The care given to chicks should
be the best, even when the raiser
must devote much time and labor
to the project.

There are many brooding
pointers which advise the raiser
what to do before the chicks ar-
rive, when they arrive, and after
they get started. Here are a few
recommendations considered es-
pecially important:

The day before you expect
your chicks, start a fire in the
brooder stove or turn on the
electric brooder. The house
should be warm before chicks
are brought into their new quar-
ters.

Keep the humidity in the
brooder house high for the first
several days. A pan of water
placed on the stove should help
provide extra moisture. Remem-
ber that chicks will dry out if
the temperature is high and the
humidity low.

During the first day and even-
ing keep a close watch over your
chicks. Make sure they find feed
and water. If chicks are too close
to the stove, they probably are
cold. If they push against the
chick guard, they are too hot.
Adjust temperature to keep
chicks warm and comfortable.

It is also a good idea to pro-
vide chicks with a small amount
of light during the night. It helps
the chicks bed down evenly. How-
ever, the light should not be too
bright or the chicks will begin
eating. A 5-watt bulb is satisfac-
tory under most conditions.

Fresh air and sunlight are also
important to growing chicks.
There should be some circula-
tion of air at all times, but avoid
drafts. Sunlight is not only a
source of Vitamin D, but it also
serves to some extent as a dis-
infectant.

Green feeds, such as lawn clip-
pings, sprouted oats, and vege-
table greens, may be fed to
chicks after the first week.

You will also want to teach
chicks to roost. Early instruction
on this point will save you trou-
ble later on.

Range may be provided for the
chicks when they are from 10
days to two weeks of age. Per-
mit them to run out on warm
sunny days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy,
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell,
and Mrs. Fay White visited Mr.
and Mrs. U. L. Wille at Matador,
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burnett, Jr.,
visited over the weekend with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C.
Weldon. Other visitors were Mr.
and Mrs. F. D. Franke, Don and
Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. Newt
Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roby Barnard
visited their son, Roby, Jr., at
Warm Springs Foundation, at
Gonzales, Sunday. It is reported
that Roby will be dismissed from
the Foundation soon, and will be
able to return to his home again.

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Wednesday - Thursday
ROBERT CUMMINGS
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JEROME COURTLAND
"THE BAREFOOT
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Political Announcements

RATES IN ADVANCE
Precinct \$10.00
County \$15.00
District \$20.00

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

**For Representative, 17th
Congressional District:**
Jack Cox, of Breckenridge

For District Clerk:
Mrs. Corrie Neithercutt
Re-election

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

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

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

For County Treasurer:
Hazel Reynolds
Re-election

For Justice of Peace, Prect. 1:
G. H. Corn
Re-election

D. J. (Justin) Anderson

For Commissioner, Prect. 1:
J. W. Patton
Re-election

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

For Commissioner Prect. 3:
I. G. Mobley
Re-election

R. B. (Slim) Taylor

For Constable, Prect. 1:
Joe C. Allphin

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.
D. C. Cox were Mrs. Susie Gab-
bert, Mrs. Parolee Martin and
sons, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. L.
A. Brookshier and children, Dal-
las; Miss Marie Darnell, Voleta
McNeil, Scott Witcher, Lam-
pasas; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Made-
ley and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Clif-
ton, of Stephenville. The Made-
leys and Cliftons also attended
open house at the College Church
of Christ and the Lectures at
Abilene, Sunday afternoon.

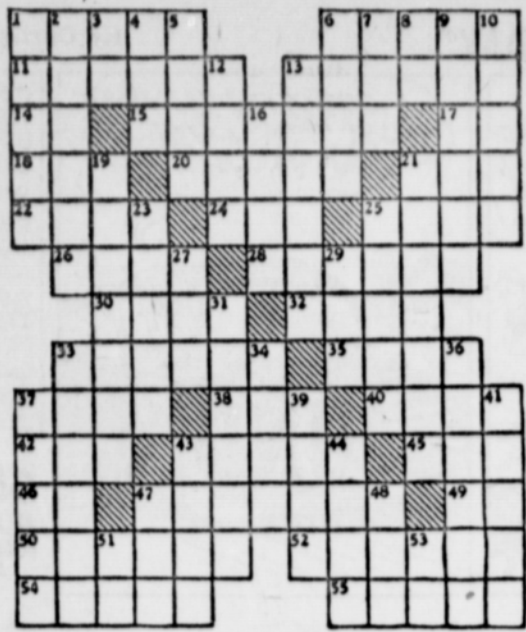
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Crossword Puzzle

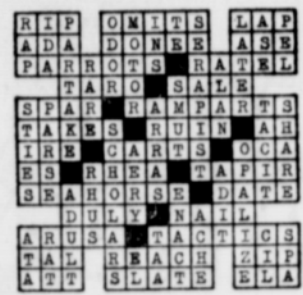
- HORIZONTAL**
- The theater
 - To initialize
 - Kind of hat
 - A season
 - Final ending
 - Absent
 - Slit
 - Poisonous snake
 - Scope
 - Brother; monk's title
 - To shorten sail
 - American Indian
 - Turbines
 - Cooking compound
 - A social eucast
 - Declared
 - Small rug
 - A maiden
 - Fouces
 - Walking stick
 - Metal container
 - Christmas card
 - Danish territorial division
 - Czechoslovakian president
 - Fortunate in India
 - Symbol for sodium
 - Evil omen
 - Maiden loved by Zeus
 - Metal sheaf on end of ribbon (pl.)
 - One of a sturdy Hellenic race
 - Term for holding dog
 - Works for defense
- VERTICAL**
- Medieval weapon
 - Part of corn plant
 - Article
 - Group of whales
 - Turkish title
 - Prong of fork
 - Heavy wood of an East Indian tree
 - By
 - Look for
 - Assam silk worm (pl.)
 - Showy tree



PUZZLE NO. 174

- Footlike part
- Malay pewee
- Musical note
- 49 (Rom. num.)

Answer to Puzzle No. 173



The Handbook of Texas Gives Sketch of Callahan County

The following article, taken from The Handbook of Texas, is presented for reader interest. If readers wish to report inaccuracies, they should write to the Managing Editor, The Handbook of Texas, Texas State Historical Association, University Station, Austin 12, Texas.

It is hoped that The Handbook of Texas, a two-volume work containing approximately fifteen thousand articles dealing with every phase of Texas life from the primitive Indian to the present time, will be available for purchase late in 1952. As a reference and general information book, this publication will be a basic starting point for information and bibliography on practically every person, place, thing, or event of significance in Texas history.

Callahan County

Callahan County, in Central West Texas, was created from Bexar, Travis and Bosque counties in 1858 and named for James Hughes Callahan. The area of 857 square miles is rolling plain sloping north and south from the Callahan Divide, a low range of hills forming the watershed between the Brazos and Colorado rivers. The terrain is partly timbered with post oak, mesquite, cedar, and black jack; soils range from loam to sandy clay. Principal crops are cotton, corn, feedstuffs, vegetables, fruits and berries. The county is predominantly ranching country because of the grassy prairies and the rainfall average of 25 inches. Altitude rises from 1,500 to 1,900 feet, and the mean annual temperature is 64.2 degrees. Beef cattle, especially Herefords, are produced in commercial quantity as are sheep, goats, hogs and poultry. Mineral include oil and gas, commercial clays and sand. The county is crossed from east to west by the Texas and Pacific Railroad; the Missouri, Kansas, and Texas has three miles of track through the northeast corner of the county and a short line connecting Cross Plains in the southeast part with Rising Star.

Because of Indian hostility, little permanent settlement took place in the area until after the Civil War, although the area was explored and described as early as 1839 by Dr. H. C. Connelly of the Chihuahua Expedition, which marked the Chihuahua Trail across the area in 1839-1840. Ranchmen grazed their herds on the open range in the county on lands owned chiefly by the state and by railroads. One of the earliest settlements made was Belle Plain, which became county seat when the county was organized in 1877, losing the seat of government to Baird in 1880, when the Texas and Pacific built

through the area. By 1900 the county had a population of 8,758, and there were fifteen towns in 1903, when thirty-five schools were in operation. Baird College offered higher education, and a cannery was established at Cottonwood. Early newspapers included the Star at Baird and the Prodigal at Cottonwood. The discovery of oil in the south-eastern part of the county in 1925 brought added industry and population. The Cross Plains, Burkett, and Cross Cut fields brought the county's production to 226,000 barrels in 1944. Population in 1940 was 11,568, and in 1950 was 9,060.

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Oplin Observations

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

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson attended the Callahan County Singing Convention at Admiral, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Frymire and son, of New Mexico, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher and William.

Gwen Driggins accompanied Kay Johnson home for the weekend. They are both in school at Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. Juanita McIntyre spent a few days in Brady last week with Mrs. McIntyre's son, Lowell, and family.

Van Roberson spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Roberson in Abilene.

Word was received here last week that a former resident, B. L. (Bud) Linecum, had passed away Saturday and was buried beside his mother at Dunn Cemetery, Sunday.

Mrs. Fuller Beaver honored her daughter, Patsy, with a party on her fifth birthday Saturday, at the school house. After games, cake and punch were served to the group of friends who attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and family, of Novice, visited her mother, Mrs. Jim Swore and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander, on Sunday.

Little Julie Ann Lawrence, of Cisco, spent Monday and Tuesday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence.

Gerald Dallas and E. J. Hill, students at Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited their families here Saturday and Sunday.

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Send 30c for EACH pattern with name, address, style number and size to AUDREY LANE, 1500 1st St., Box 209, Madison Square Station, New York, N.Y. The current Fashion Book shows 152 other styles, 25c extra.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. R. A. Miller and infant daughter are getting along nicely.

Born the 19th to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Walker, a boy.

Born the 19th to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lassiter, Cisco, a girl.

Born the 18th to Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Rister, Abilene, a boy.

Mrs. Dolph Hodges, Clyde, underwent major surgery Tuesday morning.

Mrs. B. R. Everett was admitted the 19th.

Mrs. J. T. Edwards, a medical patient, is improving.

John Cook, Putnam, is reported feeling some better, after several days medical treatment.

E. W. Bowen, Abilene, is a surgical patient.

O. H. Heatly, Clyde, was admitted the 16th for medical treatment.

Mrs. B. P. Pillars, Cisco Rt. 4, was a recent surgical patient.

Miss Susie Walker, who was admitted the 10th for treatment, is resting well.

Betty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kelley, Clyde, is a medical patient.

Mrs. J. D. Miller is feeling a little better the past few days.

B. W. Lofton is not quite so well after a slight cold.

Mrs. E. P. Whitaker was admitted Tuesday evening.

Among recent dismissals are: Mrs. J. L. Glasson, Gorman, Mrs. W. M. Price and infant son, Mrs. R. C. Merriman and infant son, Mrs. R. F. Mayfield, Mrs. A. E. Dorries, Mrs. W. P. Bonner, Mrs. W. R. Barton and infant son, Mrs. R. D. Pringle and infant daughter, Homer Boatwright, J. R. Shirley of Putnam, C. B. Young, Sr., of Clyde, Scott Finch, Joe T. Warren, Kenneth Ball of Clyde, and Jim Swinson.

Miss Zelda Price visited the Melvin Betchers at Winters, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, of Mrs. M. L. Hughes and family, Abilene, visited their daughter, Saturday.

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- Made by Anchor Hocking Glass Corp.—famous for fine glassware

How exciting to open a big square package of Mother's Oats and find inside a beautiful, smartly designed "Fire-King" cup and saucer.

Yes, every package is a double value because money can't buy a finer quality, more delicious, more nourishing oatmeal than Mother's Oats! It's the good, hot, creamy-smooth oatmeal your family loves on chilly mornings!

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Lowell Boyd Cash Grocery

Miller's Grocery

A BUSINESS OF HIS OWN

BY VIRGINIA W. STRUBLE

Hi BUNTON sat among his neighbors before his wife's casket and sobbed. His grief, however, was not that Nellie was laid to rest but that he would have to work. During their five years of married life, Nellie had supported him by taking in washings.

When his mother had worked herself to death, Pappy moved out to the Poor Farm. Hi suspected 24 was too young to be welcome at the Poor Farm.

Besides Pappy reported, "They expect you to raise yore own to-backer, and milk cows at five in the morning!"

Hi knew the Poor Farm was not for him. He'd have to find something better. He wasn't lazy, just never found any work he liked. Now, if he had a business of his own. . . . No boss. Short hours. A job that didn't interfere with swapping yarns around the grocer's pot-bellied stove in winter and along the shady sidewalk in summer.

The parson was through talking and Hi wiped his nose on his sleeve. Neighbors were taking him to the cemetery in a surrey behind their bay team. The funeral procession passed along a well traveled road and entered the cemetery gate. The cemetery was old and ill-cared for. Many graves had fallen. That gave Hi an idea.

As the parson repeated, "Dust to dust", Hi turned his idea over in his mind. He would have no boss. It was night work. It was easy. It might be profitable.

On Saturday night when the country people went to town, Hi trudged out to the road to the cemetery, a bundle under his arm.

He met an old lady at the gate. "Going to Nellie's grave?" she asked. "How sweet."

"Yes'm," he sniffed. "Nellie sure was a fine wife."

As soon as it was dark, Hi stepped into the sunken grave near the gate and shook out a sheet.

Before long he heard the hoofbeats of a trotting team. He adjusted the sheet so the holes he had cut fit over his eyes and rose slowly from the grave. The near horse shied and swerved, cramping the wheels. Then the team bolted. A package bounced out and fell in the road. Hi scooped it up and ran back to his grave. He finished the package eagerly and decided it was clothing. Not bad for his first try.

He was barely back in his "office" when the creaking of a wagon promised more "business." This time he waited just inside the gate and stepped out in time to catch the horses.

"I died wrong," crooned Hi, holding onto the bridle of the nearest horse. The couple in the wagon seat took one look at the ghost, jumped and ran. Hi quieted the horses and walked to the wagon-beds. There he found flour, coffee and sugar. He gathered these up and sent the team on their way.

THERE WAS BARELY time to hide his booty when three women on foot came in sight. Hi returned to the grave. When they were near he climbed out and went to meet them, chanting, "I died wrong. I died wrong." The women shrieked, dropped their bundles and ran.

Hi spent the rest of the night carrying his plunder home the back way.

Every Saturday night found him doing business at the same stand. His cronies questioned his prosperity but he replied, "Nellie left a little money." He seemed well fed and had new overalls. Now and then he had some cash, for sometimes victims dropped pocketbooks. It was an easy life.

Hi usually recognized his "customers" and aimed to approach only the more gullible and superstitious. However, he misjudged Mike O'Brian. Mike was a big fellow and played on the home town baseball team. Hi was flushed with success and failed to notice the Irishman was carrying his ball bat.

Hi rose from his grave and started his "sales talk"—"I died wrong. I died wrong."

Mike stood his ground. Hi came closer, mumbling. Mike shook his ball bat and yelled, "Come over here and you'll die right."

Hi went out of business on a dead run.

Safe at home, he thought it over. His "career" was gone. However, Nellie had now been dead six weeks. It was time to court another wife.

America's Population Needs More Meat Says National Meat Packers Association

"The peanut farmer in Texas is not getting fair treatment if the program now proposed by the Production and Marketing Administration is put into effect."

This was included in a statement made by Congressman Omar Burleson in his speech to several hundred representatives of various segments of the peanut industry recently meeting in Washington.

Informed sources believe that the Department of Agriculture will announce its 1952 peanut program in the near future, and Congressman Omar Burleson of the 17th Congressional District of Texas has expressed his deep concern over the ideas which he says will not favor the farmer and which will place him in a strait-jacket and destroy his independence.

"The Government tells the farmer how much he can plant, where he must sell, how much he can be paid, what he must pay to sell his produce. After that, another part of the Government tells him how much he can keep for he must pay a few high taxes also," Burleson said to the group meeting in Washington. "I do not think the farmer in my area is going to be very happy under those conditions if they are imposed upon him as now suggested by the PMA."

"If the farmer is required to place all his peanuts in the loan program and he is docked 20 dollars or more per ton as a service charge, he is not receiving 90 per cent of parity, which the law provides and which he has been promised," said Congressman Burleson.

In his speech and in a follow-up letter of February 9th to Mr. George Prichard, head of the Fats and Oils Division of the Production and Marketing Administration of the Department of Agriculture, Burleson said that, of course, theoretically the farmer could still sell his peanuts on the open competitive market, but anyone familiar with the operations in the Southwest will know that as a practical matter the farmer will have little choice to do anything except to place his peanuts in the loan program and pay approximately 20 dollars per ton for storage, etc.

"The buyers of peanuts in Texas, at least in my Congressional District, are engaged in big business. To operate, he must have financial backing, to expend a tremendous sum of money at the height of the season. He goes to the local bank for his funds. The loan is usually 90 per cent of parity and to this extent is guaranteed by the government. "Under the loan program," Burleson stated, "as proposed by Production and Marketing Administration, this arrangement is ended. What can the buyer do? It takes a huge sum to buy peanuts to provide a steady operation. If he can not do so, and few, if any, can, he can only purchase in small amounts and is not guaranteed a steady operation at a time when that is necessary."

According to Congressman Burleson, this leaves the farmer with no real choice. It forces him to do business only with the Government. "It regiments the farmer further and further and destroys his freedom of action, and aside from the dollars and cents standpoint, I think this is exceedingly important and basically wrong," said Burleson.

Congressman Burleson reminded Agricultural officials that the acreage in Texas is to be cut another 10 per cent this year, and that excess acreage for oil is to be cancelled. "Under these conditions, plus a deduction of 20 dollars or more per ton, coming after a crop failure in 1951, the peanut farmer in my area is going to be in serious circumstances, and I want to do everything I possibly can to help him. In addition, I do not want to see his independence destroyed, but I fear that is what the proposals now made by the Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration will do."

In his speech to the group meeting in Washington and restated in his written communication to the Department of Agriculture, Burleson said that he certainly would not support any kind of a program which was proving expensive to the taxpayers, but to place this sort of burden on the farmer was not the way to correct the program's weaknesses. "Certainly these expensive and money losing programs should be changed after they have proved themselves as failing. We in the Congress who have the interest of the farmers at heart will do him an injustice if we make unfair and unreasonable demands. We can not sell over and over a boondoggling proposition, and I do not want to try. In the case of the Govern-

ment's peanut program, I am convinced it is a matter of administering it, and if we are to have a program at all, let it be fair to those whom it is supposed to benefit."

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Mrs. Alexander Is Club Hostess

Mrs. R. L. Alexander was hostess to the Wednesday Club for their regular meeting, Feb. 13. Arrangement of red japonica were bright spots in the living room and centering the dining table.

Program subject for the day was Finance. Response to roll call by members was "Why I Save My Pennies." Mrs. E. J. Hill gave a paper "A Woman and Her Money," in which she discussed kinds of investments, planned expenditures and budgets. Mrs. L. B. Lewis talked on "Feminine Focus on Life Insurance."

Following the program, refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. L. L. Blackburn, Ace Hickman, D. F. Short, Lee Ivey, W. P. Brightwell, W. A. Fetterly, Clyde White, L. B. Lewis, E. J. Hill, M. D. Bell, M. L. Stubblefield, I. E. Warren, Miss Isadore Grimes, and one guest, Miss Betsy Hickman.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton returned to her home Thursday of last week after a three weeks vacation trip to Dallas and Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker visited Mrs. Whitaker's sister, Mrs. Will Butman, who is ill in a Merkel hospital, Monday.

Mrs. B. B. Pillars, of Atwell, visited her daughter, Mrs. George Morgan and family, last week. Pfc. George Morgan, who is stationed at Wichita Falls, visited his family during the weekend.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses issued recently at the clerk's office, Callahan county courthouse: Daniel Austin McClure and Betty Gaye Webb, Feb. 6; Willie Morris Nix and Mrs. Mattie Lee Tunnell, Feb. 2; William Glen Manning and Florence Virginia Sparks, Feb. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ballard visited their daughter, Mrs. J. U. Paschall, at Winters, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hart returned to her home last Friday night from Lamesa, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Garner and family for two weeks. The Garners recently moved to Lamesa from Lubbock.

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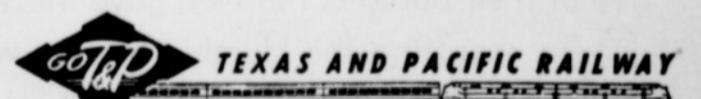
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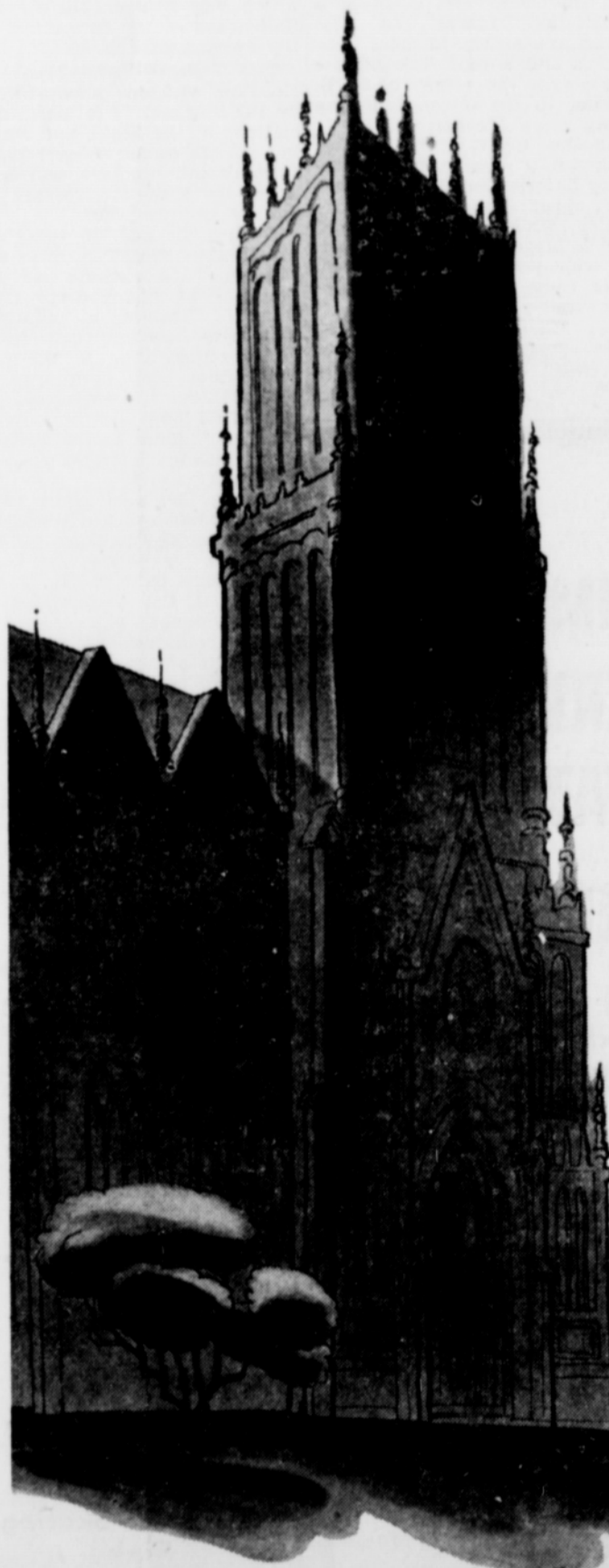
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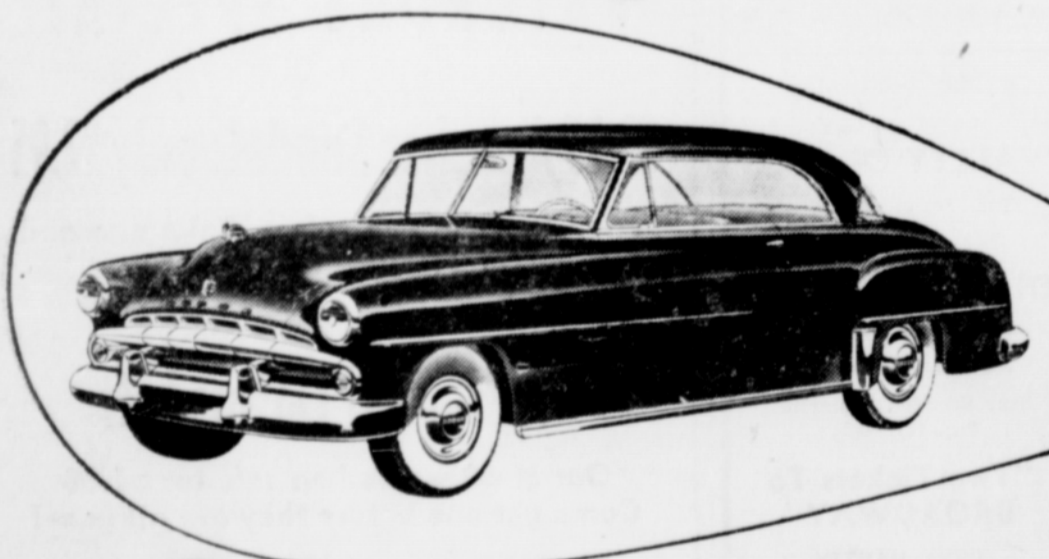


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Eula Defeats Baird Wins 16-B Crown

Eula won the 16-B basketball championship at Baird Tuesday night, defeating the Baird Bears, 52-35. Eula had won the first game of the three-game playoff last Friday night at Eula, 53-49. David McClure was the night's high point man, scoring 23 for the winner, while Curtis Chatham tallied 14 for Baird. Eula led all the way and held a 30-20 halftime lead. Eula's girls were in a three-game playoff with Denton Valley for the district title but forfeited to Denton Valley, Class B state runnerup. Next stop for the Eula boys is the Region II-B tourney at Howard Payne College at Brownwood Feb. 28.

Eula Episodes

Mrs. R. G. Edwards Elevating Educations for the Enjoyable Enlightenment of Everybody Everywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. King and daughters, of Big Spring, visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards. Her mother, Mrs. Edwards, has been confined to the Callahan County Hospital for the past ten days suffering from a heart ailment.

Kenneth Ball, son of Mrs. Dick Ball, is still not making any improvement. He also has been in Callahan County Hospital for the past two weeks suffering from pneumonia.

Miss Willie Mae Bourland has been confined to her home for more than three weeks suffering from a sinus infection. Mother Bourland has not been feeling so well either.

Everyone is very happy over the rain and snow that fell in these parts last Friday. Up to .61 of an inch was measured in some parts of the community. Some reported more and some less. It will give the grass and small grain a new lease on life, and surely, before long, there will be an abundance of rain.

The springs east of Eula are reported to be running over the road, and old-timers say that is an indication that it will at least try to rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Ford Edwards and little Bobby Ground, of San Angelo, visited early this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards and family.

MEETING CALLED FOR GIRL SCOUTS

Miss Ruth Wayne, Field Director of the Heart of Texas area of the Girl Scouts, will be in Baird Tuesday Feb. 26 at 9:00 a. m. She will be here for the day and would like conferences with each Girl Scout Troop, leader, assistant, troop committees and any interested mother.

Mrs. J. A. Joyce and daughters, Virginia Ann and Mary Lynn, left Monday for their home in Roswell, N. M., after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield, here.

San Antonio Brother Of 2 Clyde Men Dies

L. C. Bialock, 74, died Monday about 5 p. m. at his home in San Antonio. He was a brother of H. S. and Genner Bialock of Clyde, and of Carl Bialock of Abilene. Other survivors are his wife and twelve children; a fourth brother Truman Bialock of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. William Smith of Eula; and Mrs. Etta Thompson of Whiteface.

WORKERS CONFERENCE HELD AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Workers Conference held at the First Baptist Church on February 14, was well attended. The theme of the meeting was Evangelism. Other churches represented were Cross Plains, Opalin, Clyde, Eula, Admiral, Atwell, Denton Valley, Putnam, and Cottonwood. Visitors from Abilene were also present. W. M. S. of the local church served a delicious dinner to all who attended.

—Church Reporter.

TO JUDGE LIVESTOCK AT SOUTH TAYLOR SHOW

E. L. Reese, Baird Vocational Agriculture teacher, will be a judge of the FFA livestock show at South Taylor school Saturday. Mr. Reese served as judge of the show last year, and by his fair-judging he was invited to do so again this year. Jack Hancock is vocational ag teacher at South Taylor.

JUNIOR G. A.'S MEET EACH MONDAY

The Junior Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church meets every Monday afternoon at 4:30. We had five new members at the last meeting: Carolyn Shelton, Beverly Curtis, Melba Bryant, Jenice Brown and Janis Abernathy. Fifteen members were present. We named our Girls' Auxiliary the Anna Venzelano G. A.

—Reporter.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN BROWNWOOD

Region II, Conference B, University Interscholastic League Basketball tournaments for boys and girls will be held in the Howard Payne College gymnasium February 29-March 8. Dr. Z. T. Huff, dean of the college and Region II director, announced in Brownwood, today.

The tournament for boys will be held February 29-March 1. The girls' tournament is scheduled for March 7-8. The meets will begin at 8:30 a. m. each day.

Dr. Huff will arrange the bracket schedule for both tournaments. Carl "Swede" Anderson, Howard Payne coach, will be in charge of officiating arrangements for both tournaments. Miss Lois Roberts, director of physical education for women at the college, will assist Coach Anderson in the girls' tournament.

Region II, Conference B, consists of 14 districts for boys and 13 districts for girls.

Dr. and Mrs. Thaxton McGowen and children, of Quanah, visited Mrs. John McGowen during the past weekend.

ANN GRAY FAIRLY HAS TONSILLECTOMY

Ann Gray Fairly is reported to be improving satisfactorily after a tonsillectomy in an Abilene hospital Saturday. Ann Gray was brought to her home after the operation Saturday afternoon.

LINDA DILL AT HOME AFTER SERIOUS ILLNESS

Linda Dill, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Dill, is reported to be much improved after a serious illness. Linda returned to her home Thursday of last week after treatment in an Abilene hospital for twelve days.

MONEY STOLEN

Some time during the week of Feb. 11-16, someone took \$40 from my pocketbook. I was saving this money to help out when my husband went to the hospital next month. If you will please return this to me, it will be greatly appreciated by all of us.

Mrs. Madison Montgomery

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor

Old-Time Bread Pudding

4 slices buttered toast, quartered
1/2 cup seedless raisins
2 slightly beaten eggs
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup Pet Milk
1 cup boiling water
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 teaspoons sugar
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

Put buttered toast into a greased 1 1/2-quart baking dish. Sprinkle raisins over toast. Mix eggs, 1/4 cup sugar and salt well. Stir in milk and boiling water. Add vanilla. Pour mixture over toast and let stand 10 minutes. Then press toast into milk mixture to soak up the liquid. Sprinkle 4 teasp. sugar and cinnamon over top. Bake in moderately slow oven (350) until knife inserted in center comes out clean, or about 30 min. Makes 4 servings.

You Will Need:
Pet Milk, Bread, Seedless Raisins, Eggs, Cinnamon, Vanilla.

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BACON
pound
39c

LEAN, TENDER
PORK ROAST
pound
49c

FRESH DRESSED
HENS
pound
59c

FRESH DRESSED
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pound
59c

SMALL SIZE
PICNIC HAMS
pound
47c

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