

THE BAIRD STAR

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

SWEET 'N' SOUR

By A. Dill

That rustle you hear is November - she's in the wings, you know, and ready for her entrance. October gave her the call "on stage" and she's ready for her debut. Like a temperamental artist, she'll create her own settings with the glory of scarlet and gold leaves, the incredible blue autumn skies. We mortals will form an amazed and appreciative audience while our star runs the gamut of emotions, from gay and carefree gypsy dances on a leaf strewn slope, to the pensive mood of gray velvet clouds and silver rain.

Ever have a day when something happens and suddenly the sun shines brighter because of it? We had such a day this week when a letter from Mary Powell arrived. Mary is an artist and her beautiful letter was evidence of it, but the picture between those lines was far lovelier than any brush could paint - a portrait of a lady of courage who fights her own battles yet finds the time to give cheer and happiness to others, to create beauty with her heart and hands - truly a fine person, and thank you, for the letter.

Sunday a group of Baird ladies made the trip to the famed Cleo Club-Studio, near Denton, to attend a tea given to honor Mrs. Lyndon Johnson, Mrs. Ted Kennedy and several other notables. In attendance from Baird were Betty Jackson, Mrs. Bruce Williams, Mrs. Charles Reeves, Mrs. Gilbert Hinds, Mrs. R. L. Griggs and Becky Griggs.

Good to see dept. - Susie Lee Coppinger visiting in Baird this week end, seeing friends 'n' just chatting right 'n' left.

Home for a brief holiday from school in Roswell, N. M., is young Larry Gardiner - next visit? - Thanksgiving maybe - Christmas for sure!

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hagan and baby of Jal, N. M., were most welcome visitors in the home of Francis parents, Earl and Betty Hagan in Clyde this week end.

Mina Cook of Baird has returned from Galveston where she underwent medical treatment in a hospital there. Mrs. Cook had a fine trip, visiting points of interest on the Gulf Coast, as well as churches and schools in Galveston.

A very special get-well quick card to your friend and mine, Medford Walker, hospitalized in Abilene. Truly a public-spirited citizen and quick to lend support for any project to help his town. Mr. Walker is truly missed here, and we're wishing him the speediest of recoveries.

Have you seen the beautiful Pycnonotus berries at the John T. Towler home? they are truly lovely.

Joy reigned supreme this week at our particular niche on Cherry Street - reason? A personally autographed (message included) Bert Parks, TV star and Broadway's Music Man, arrived for Linda, plus a real for sure letter on His Own Stationery. Why it was enough to make a girl swoon - and when we tried to explain why we didn't, we got this bit of impudence - "Oh, I see, you aren't a teen-ager, just more of an ager."

Happy October birthdays to two fellas - Brian Odom, who celebrated on the 22nd, and Tom Odom, whose special day is the 29th. October 31st is Ben Russell's birthday and special best wishes to all three of you - and each and every Octoberite.

Don't forget the chili supper, sponsored by the Senior Class, Saturday at the Cafetorium - serving hours span from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m. Menu includes a choice of homemade chili (Louise Hatchett and Mrs. C. B. Blum's own private recipe) or homemade beef stew (the famous kind made by Mrs. C. B. Holmes), also pinto beans, coffee, milk or tea, and fruit pies, (home-made), apricot, apple, cherry, pineapple or pumpkin. The price? Seventy-five cents.

Annual Halloween program, an Annual Staff presentation, is slated for Monday night in the High School Auditorium. Last week we gave you a run down on the school favorites elected to represent the various classes - now we add another couple which somehow or other was omitted - Jerry Lou Barnhill will be the lovely Princess from the Dramatics Club, and her escort will be Prince Richard Higgins. The Student Council will also have their representatives, but

Baird Cubs Beat Lueders, 34-0

The Baird Cubs beat Lueders Pirates 34-0 Tuesday night here, for their sixth win of the season.

Baird started the scoring in the first quarter, when Richie Crow ran 40 yards. Wayne Alexander scored the extra points to make the score 8-0. Tally Windham ran 2 yards and Tommy Barton ran 30 yards for second period scores and Baird led 20-0 at halftime.

In the second half, Windham ran 20 yards and a pass from Barton to Byron Snyder for 30 yards were good for touchdowns. A pass from Barton to Max Gordon accounted for the extra point, and the final score read 34-0.

Baird closes out the season with a return game with Lueders, at Lueders, Tuesday night at 7:30.

Mrs. W. P. Haley Rites Tuesday

Mrs. Grace May Haley died at 6:18 a. m. Monday at Cox Memorial Hospital in Abilene, following a lengthy illness.

She was born April 10, 1894 in Callahan County just south of Baird and had been a resident of this area all of her life except for a brief time she and her husband lived in Big Spring. Before her marriage Feb. 17, 1914, at Cross Plains to W. P. Haley, she was the former Grace May Ogilvy.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the Wylie Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which she was a member, officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband; a son, Harold D. of Houston; three sisters, Mrs. Helen Price of Albany, Mrs. Susie Reeder of Corpus Christi, Miss Hazel Ogilvy of Abilene; two brothers, Ed Ogilvy of Eureka, Kan., and Alexander of Odessa, and two grandchildren.

Heart Seminar To Be Held Oct. 29

The planning committee recently met in conjunction with a cardiac seminar to be jointly sponsored by the Taylor County Heart Association and District 15 of the Texas Graduate Nurses Association. This seminar will be held on October 29 at the Abilene Taylor County Health Unit, 2241 So. 19th St., Abilene. The program will begin at 8 a.m. and last until approximately 5 p. m. Registration fee is two dollars, which will include cost of a buffet luncheon to be served.

The program will include an address by Dr. William B. Adamson of Abilene. Dr. Adamson is a member of the American Heart Board and past president of the Texas Heart Association. Also featured on the program will be an address by a visiting cardiac surgeon, Dr. Hugh Wilson of Dallas. A panel discussion will be held on medical aspects, nutrition and nursing care of the cardiac patient. Miss Dora Jacobs of the Health Unit, will discuss the State Health Department's program for rheumatic fever patients. The student nurses of Hendrick Memorial Hospital will also have a part in the program.

All registered nurses are cordially invited to attend this seminar whether or not they are currently active in nursing, or registered in Texas.

Medford Walker is a medical patient in Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

they have not, as yet, been selected.

Supt. Floyd Warren and VA Director McCoy made a trip to Austin, Tuesday. After six short weeks in our school, Supt. Warren has made more friends with his students and patrons than you'd believe possible for one man. Youngsters, parents and teachers are of one opinion, had our school board combed the entire universe, they couldn't have found a finer person or more able school man. Welcome to Baird, Mr. Warren, and this is more than a courtesy gesture to a newcomer, it's a warm heart-felt greeting to a man who has been tried and found completely adequate on every count.

Council Grants Telephone Rate Increase in City of Baird

On Sept. 13th, Mr. Fabian Bearden of Home Telephone Co., and J. Rupert Jackson, attorney, met with the City Council to discuss and request an increase in telephone rates in the City of Baird.

Members of the Council were reluctant to granting a raise due to the fact that public had suffered from lack of available telephones and service for some time, and the Council would not consider granting increased rates without the assurance of reasonable telephone service to all who desired said service, and that sufficient operators be maintained to render dependable service. The Council did not favor the Baird exchange being dialed out of Abilene, making this an unattended station.

A public hearing was held at the regular City Council meeting Sept. 29th, with a substantial representative crowd present to be heard. The matter was thoroughly discussed and the existing situation explained. The telephone company, having furnished an Audit of the affairs of the company, by a certified public accountant, indicated it could not meet the requirements desired by the public without a rate increase.

Heretofore, according to Mr. Bearden, manager of the Home Telephone Co., the company was exempt from the wage and hour law requirements, so long as the exchange had less than 750 telephones operating. Barring on that number already installed, very few telephones were available. By placing the operations of the company under the wage and hour law, there would be no restrictions as to the number of phones that could be installed.

E. O. Battles Dies Of Heart Attack

Funeral services for E. O. Battles, 68, who died at 7:20 a. m. Thursday at Callahan County Hospital following a heart attack, will be held at the Wylie Funeral Home Chapel Friday at 3:00 p. m.

Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of the Baird Baptist Church will officiate, assisted by Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of the Methodist Church. Burial will follow in the Eula Cemetery.

Mr. Battles was born in Salem, Ark., May 3, 1892. He had been a resident of Callahan County for several years, and of Baird nine years. He was in the real estate business.

He married Lou Warren at Eula June 4, 1916.

Survivors besides his wife are two sons, J. D. and Marlin, both of Abilene, and two grandsons.

Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robbins and Kenneth were Mrs. Mary Robbins, Sidney and R. D. Robbins of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gooladay of Vernon. All attended the funeral of G. J. Robbins in Abilene Saturday.

Practically everyone expressed themselves at the public hearing, that they were not necessarily opposed to the rate increase, providing phones and dependable service were made available to those desiring same, that the operators be maintained here and that this exchange not be changed to an unattended station.

The Council advised Mr. Bearden that if the rate increase was granted, it would be granted on conditions outlined at the meeting. Mr. Bearden tentatively agreed to this proposal, with the exception that unless future national legislation prevented him from complying.

At the regular meeting of the Council on October 11th, the Council decided to grant the rate increase requested, based on the following requirements: "that said Telephone Company will place its operation under the minimum wage and hour law, and will maintain sufficient local operators to render service to Baird office so long as this service can legally be continued, and to provide dependable telephone service upon adequate application therefor, and upon compliance with these requirements the following rates will prevail. Failure on the part of said company to comply, shall give the City Council authority to revert these rates to those in effect January 1, 1960, but only after due notice to the company and hearing thereon."

One party business	\$10.00
Two party business	\$7.75
One party residential	\$6.25
Four party residential	\$4.25
Six party residential	\$3.75
Business extension	\$2.00
Residential extension	\$1.50

Grand Jurors To Appear Monday

The following have been notified to appear as Grand Jurors on Monday, Oct. 31:

Lee Bishop, Cross Plains
Jerald J. Farmer, Clyde
Mrs. T. Ashby White, Clyde
Douglas Fry, Cisco
C. B. Snyder, Jr., Baird
O. J. McQuin, Cross Plains
O. J. Welch, Abilene
H. E. Swoford, Clyde
Mrs. R. L. Clinton, Putnam
Curtis Sutphen, Baird
Mrs. Donald Baird, Cross Plains
Mrs. Viva Peek, Baird
Mrs. E. E. Harrison, Clyde
J. M. Pyeatt, Clyde
Sterling Odom, Baird
Charles Walker, Baird

STEVE GREEN UNDERGOES SURGERY MONDAY

Steve Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, a Senior and quarterback on the Bear football team, had the misfortune to break his collar bone early in the football season. During a practice session last week, he had the same bone broken, necessitating surgery.

Monday morning, at Hendrick Memorial Hospital, surgeons removed a piece of bone from a leg, and grafted it to the shattered collar bone.

Senior Chili Supper Saturday, Oct. 29

The Senior Class will sponsor the annual pre-Halloween Chili Supper at the school Cafetorium Saturday, October 29th. Serving hours will be from 5 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. Homemade chili or homemade beef stew will make up the main course, served with pinto beans, your choice of home baked fruit pies, coffee, milk or tea.

Seventy-five cents is the price. Tickets are on sale by Senior Class members, or you may purchase them at the Cafetorium Saturday during serving hours.

Bears To Host May Tigers

Baird's Bears will host the May Tigers here Friday night, beginning at 7:30 p. m. This is the second conference outing for the Bears.

May has a 1-6 won and lost record for the season, compared to Baird's 3-4. The Tigers will outweigh the Bears 178 lbs to 155 lbs.

According to Coach Vernon Townsend, the Bears have scored 124 points in season's play. Don Hargrove leads the scoring with 38 points; Barnes, 26; Odom, 24; Bearden, 12; Higgins, 8; Payne, 8; Ault, 2 and Odell 2.

Baird's line-up for Friday night will be: ends - Taber Bearden and Ross Odell; tackles - Tencil Scott and Tommy Higgins; guards - Johnny Rodriguez and Billy Smith; center - Robert Martin; backs - Calvin Barnes, Mike Odom, Ronnie Ault and Don Hargrove.

Guy W. Coley Dies Saturday

Guy Washington Coley, 65, father of J. R. Coley of Baird, died at a rest home in Merkel Saturday night after a long illness. He had lived in Baird since January of this year, living the previous 31 years at Ft. Worth.

He was a retired grocery employee.

Born in Hill County July 14, 1895, he was a member of the Baptist Church.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Monday at Wylie Funeral Chapel with Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of Baird Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Survivors are two sons, J. R. of Baird and Maurice of Atwater, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Luck of Hillsboro and Mrs. Dennis Porter of Ft. Worth; three brothers, H. J. of Ft. Worth, J. D. of Ft. Worth and B. D. of New Orleans, La.; and six grandchildren.

NOW GAMBLERS RAISE ODDS ON KENNEDY

LAS VEGAS - Oddsmakers in this desert gambling community are quoting 3-2 odds on Sen. John F. Kennedy beating out his Republican rival Vice President Richard M. Nixon in the presidential race Nov. 8.

The odds previously favored Kennedy, 6-5.

Sen. Robert C. Byrd Speaks At Democratic Party Rally Wednesday

An enthusiastic group of Callahan citizens gathered at Democratic headquarters here Wednesday morning to hear Sen. Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia, speak in behalf of the Democratic ticket.

He and his party were met at the west side of Baird by State Democratic Chairman Randall C. Jackson, and Chief of Police Lee Brown, who escorted them into town.

Mr. Jackson introduced Sen. Byrd and his party. Congressman Omar Burleson spoke a few words preceding Sen. Byrd. They were also accompanied by Virgil Music, co-chairman for this District.

"Sen. Jack Kennedy is eminently capable of fulfilling the responsibilities and duties of the office of President," Sen. Byrd declared. He also called attention to the much-discussed prestige question, by saying, "Despite Vice President Nixon's declaring that this country's prestige is at an all-time high, anyone who reads the newspapers and remembers and thinks for himself knows we have fewer friends today than ever before."

Girl Scout Leaders Attend Course

Mrs. Ray Hoyle, Executive Director of the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council, has recently conducted a Leadership Course. This course consisted of three training sessions, a total of 16 hours. All leaders successfully completing the 16 hours were awarded Leadership Certificates from the Council.

This training is planned to familiarize new leaders with the Girl Scout program, to help all new leaders do their jobs easier and better, and to acquaint the leaders with other volunteers with like interests.

Mrs. Howard Barton and Mrs. C. M. Wheeler completed the course and were awarded certificates. Mrs. Charles Reeves, Mrs. Terrell Williams, Mrs. Vernon Townsend and Mrs. Morgan Stokes attended part of the sessions.

Sister of Baird Man Dies at Odessa

Mrs. W. J. Horn, 37, former Abilene resident, died at 3 p. m. Saturday in an Odessa hospital after a three-month illness.

She had moved to Odessa about a month ago and had lived there previously.

Funeral was held Monday in Cisco. She was buried by the side of her husband, who died in 1957.

Mrs. Horn was born Oct. 26, 1922 at Peacock.

Surviving are two daughters and a son, all of the home; two brothers, E. O. Bransford of Baird and Earl Bransford of Odessa; one sister, Mrs. Johnny Parker of Baird.

NOTICE!

November 4th, is the last day to vote absentee.

All qualified voters who expect to be absent from the County on Nov. 8th - Election Day - and who wish to vote, must make their application in person to the County Clerk on or before Nov. 4th.

Citizens who are sick or disabled may vote absentee by mail. To do so, they must apply in writing to the County Clerk, with a certificate of disability from a licensed physician.

RICHARD W. MEADE IS NEW MANAGER AT HOSPITAL

Richard W. Meade, formerly with the Spring Branch Memorial Hospital in Houston, has accepted the position as manager of the Callahan County Hospital in Baird, assuming his duties here Oct. 15.

Mr. Meade, 31, is experienced in hospital management, and is also a laboratory and x-ray technician. He and his wife and son Ricky, age 2½, are residing at 513 Arch Street. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Episcopal Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thompson of Midland are parents of a daughter, Jeana Gwen, born Wednesday. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson. Jeana has one brother, Danny.

"To be aware of this, one has only to remember that the Vice President was stoned and mobbed in South America and the President was forced to cancel a planned good-will trip to Japan, a country into which the American taxpayers have poured their hard-earned dollars."

Sen. Byrd also praised the ability of Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson. He said Johnson was the "most able majority leader in the history of the U. S. Senate."

Sen. Byrd, an accomplished violinist, played one number accompanied by Jon Hardwick on the guitar.

Sen. Byrd's itinerary called for him to speak at six other area towns Wednesday.

Mrs. Brannen's Rites Thursday

Mrs. Cora Faucett Brannen, 83, died at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday, after a brief illness at her home in Abilene. She had lived in Taylor and Callahan counties the past three years.

Born Nov. 16, 1876 in Eagle Ford, Texas, she married J. E. Brannen in Lubbock in 1917. The Brannens moved to this area from Littlefield, where Mr. Brannen was a merchant. He died in Abilene in 1958.

Mrs. Brannen was a member of the Baptist Church and the Rebekah Lodge.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday in Wylie Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of Baird Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. James Snyder of Baird; two grandsons, Byron and Jim Snyder of Baird, and one niece, Mrs. B. A. Stufflebeme of Grand Prairie.

Roy D. Williams Dies Wednesday

Roy D. Williams, 68, died at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday at Callahan County Hospital after an illness of several months.

Born Jan. 22, 1892 in Putnam, he was a resident of Callahan County for most of his life, and of Baird for 43 years.

He was a tailor and operated a dry cleaning business, but for the past few years he had been ranching.

He was married to Stella Ralley in Baird, Sept. 10, 1915. He was a member of Woodmen of the World.

Funeral will be held Friday at 10 a. m. in Wylie Chapel, with Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Ross Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Murrie Easter of Midland; one sister, Mrs. J. W. Bryant of Dallas; one brother, Ray Williams of Ft. Worth, two grandsons; one niece and one nephew.

Special Meeting At Presbyterian Church

The Presbyterian Church is offering a special meeting for the Baird folk this coming Sunday afternoon at 3:00 P. M.

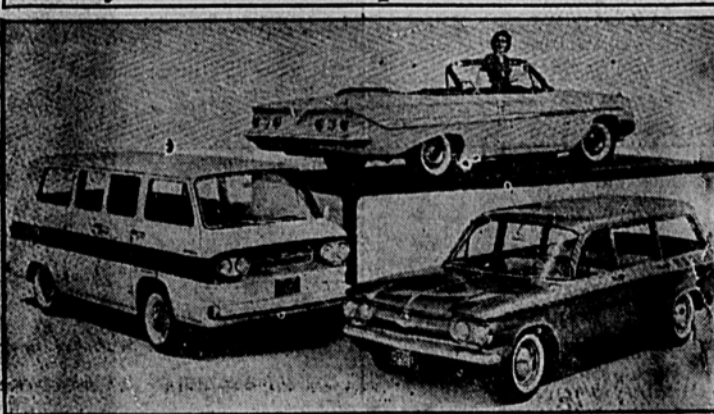
Pastor Waggoner will show movies and slides, including some taken of the children attending the Vacation Bible school this past summer. There will be music and singing, along with the Waggoner family's accordion music. Refreshments will be served, and a good time is promised to all.

The meeting is open to the public, and all parents are welcome to share the good time had by the children. There will be no charge.

JACKSON IN JACKSBORO

Randall C. Jackson, State Democratic Committeeman, attended a Democratic rally in Jacksboro Tuesday, and introduced Frank Ikard, Congressman from the 13th District. Mr. Jackson appeared on the program with Sen. Robert C. Byrd, of West Virginia.

Chevy Beautifies, Expands Lines for '61



Three for the road—here are three smart new Chevrolet passenger cars which will make their bow to the public on October 7. Left—One of the newcomers in the Chevy line... the Green Sport Wagon designed for multiple cargo use and outdoor living with seats that may be repositioned to accommodate many varied arrangements. Center—The sleek Impala Convertible with its soft, graceful body lines converging into an entirely new styling motif. Right—Another new model is the challenging Corvair Lakewood Station Wagon with rear-engine and second folding seat. Front and rear compartments combined give the Lakewood an unusual amount of cargo space.

Highlights of the State Capitol

AUSTIN — For years a high chain link fence marked the boundary of the Austin State Hospital grounds.

Sturdy and forbidding, with in-turned barded wire at the top, it was a fence that suggested the plight of the people it confined. It was a depressing prison-like, mile-long fence that paralleled Lamar, one of Austin's busiest boulevards.

Now, each spring, Austinites make a point of driving out Lamar to see the mass of climbing red roses covering the fence. Today this long stretch of roses is a symbol of the change that has come to state hospitals during the past 10 years as a result of volunteer services.

University engineering students donated and planted the rose bushes. Thousands of people over the state have landscaped the grounds, redecorated the dining halls and reception rooms, built swimming pools, given parties, conducted

classes, wrapped gifts and in hundreds of other ways brought beauty and warmth to state hospitals and schools.

In its fall report, the State Hospital Volunteer Services Council shows that volunteers gave 163,904 hours of time to state institutions during the past year. Figured at only \$1 per hour and adding in contributions of food, clothing, prizes, furniture, etc., volunteers enriched life in state institutions by more than \$538,996 during the year. This does not count considerable sums collected for all-faith chapels at several hospitals and schools.

Last year, 36,000 citizens went into 18 different state hospitals and schools to do volunteer work.

Impact of these volunteers is two-fold, says Miss Helen Colburn, coordinator of volunteer services for the State Hospital Board.

First, they help to create a

pleasant environment which gives patients a better chance to respond to medical treatment.

Second, the volunteers learn the problems of the hospitals and schools and are an effective force in educating the community as to needs and goals.

"State money can't be spent for pictures or parties or swimming pools," said Miss Colburn. "It has to go for beds and food. But these other things are important. Patients respond to environment, and they respond to people. And they know the difference between people who are paid and people who come to help them out of sheer kindness."

Right now the volunteers are getting ready for their biggest undertaking of each year — Christmas. It means securing, wrapping and tagging about 26,000 gifts to keep up a three-year record of having a gift for each patient in the state system. It means decorations, trees, parties and carolling. In some cases it means setting up shops where patients can get gifts to send to their families — often more ardently desired by the patient than a gift for himself.

RATE DECISION POSTPONED—State Board of Insurance voted 2 to 1 not to adopt a recommended 13.3 per cent rate increase in certain types of auto insurance.

Board members R. W. Strain and Ned Price said they wanted to study the new safe driving plan more before approving any rate change. They have been at odds with Board Chairman Penn J. Jackson who has recently advocated abolishment of mandatory merit rating. To scrap merit rating, said Dr. Strain, would penalize the 70 per cent of drivers who earn a discount for good driving records.

Board also refused by a 2 to 1 vote to allow insurance companies to disregard penalties against drivers involved in accidents presumably not their fault. This must be decided by a court, said Strain and Price.

Very few drivers seem to mind paying higher accident insurance rates because they are involved in accidents. But many do resent the assessment of a penalty based on traffic tickets issued. Especially tickets they feel were not warranted.

Still others contend that they are insuring their cars against accidents and not insuring themselves against traffic fines. Therefore if they are paying a premium for fines, they should be reimbursed for those fines.

AVERAGE SPEED LAWFUL — Average speed of Texas passenger cars on rural roads is 55.9 miles per hour, reports the State Highway Department.

This is below the legal limit of 60 miles per hour on most stretches of highway.

Average speed of buses, however, is 60.7 miles per hour. Trucks average 51.2 miles per hour. Legal limit for trucks and buses is 55.

Statewide speed survey is taken by the Department each year with concealed radar devices. Department found that 19.3 per cent of passenger cars were exceeding 60, a 2.6 per cent decrease from last year.

STUDENTS GALORE — Texas is getting set for a bumper crop of college graduates in the sixties.

Commission on Higher Education reports the highest ever enrollment — 90,035 students in the 18 fully supported state colleges and universities.

This is up 5,391 from last fall and a 60 per cent increase over 10 years ago. Biggest enrollments (in state schools) are at the University of Texas, Texas Tech, North Texas State, Arlington State and Texas A&M, in that order.

The OLD RANCHER

SEEDING GRASS IS A RISKY BUSINESS UNLESS YOU'VE GOT PROTECTION.

Petit Jurors To Report Monday, October 31

The following have been notified to appear for Petit Jury service Monday:

Mrs. R. G. Gilmore, Baird
Clyde H. Latimer, Baird
Clyde Bradford
Cecil Harless Clyde
Mrs. Lynn Ault, Baird
Hugh W. Ross, Baird
L. F. Newton, Clyde
R. E. Eddington, Cross Plains
H. P. Moon, Cross Plains
Dale Bishop, Cross Plains
Mrs. Ben Parker, Clyde
Leslie Bryant, Baird
Mrs. J. D. Taylor, Cisco
L. B. Jones, Moran
Mrs. James Doty, Clyde
Charlie T. Straley, Clyde
E. G. Freeman, Clyde
Mrs. Frankie Crow, Baird
Clinton Waddell, Cisco
Howard Johnson, Clyde
C. W. Carter, Clyde
John Shrader, Jr., Cisco
A. L. Powers, Clyde

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OFFICIAL BALLOT

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For President and Vice President
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1. Find the names of RICHARD M. NIXON and HENRY CABOT LODGE at the top of your ballot.
2. Leave the names NIXON and LODGE unmarked on the ballot; scratch all other names for President and Vice President.
3. To complete your ballot, leave the name of the candidate for whom you wish to vote for each office and scratch the rest.

WARNING!
You may be told that you cannot vote for Nixon and Lodge if (1) you voted in the Democratic Primary or (2) your poll tax receipt or exemption certificate is stamped "Democrat." THIS IS NOT TRUE. You CAN vote for any candidate you wish, no matter how you have voted, or not voted, in any previous primary or election. THIS IS YOUR RIGHT AS A FREE AMERICAN.

Vote November 8 for NIXON and LODGE
Texas Democrats for NIXON & LODGE, Allen Shivers, Chairman

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BAIRD, TEXAS

About Your HEALTH



A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health.

Texans are prone to think of their state as one of wide open spaces, while the truth is, cities claim the overwhelming proportion of the State's population. It is fallacious for Texans to think that air pollution is a problem only in Pittsburgh and Los Angeles or that Texas cities can't have their own air pollution problems.

The fact is that even small towns with a cotton gin as the sole industry often have their own peculiar air pollution problems.

Air pollution abatement engineers from the State Health Department's Division of Occupational Health have thick files on instances of local air pollution problems in small and large cities alike.

Several Texas cities comprising large urban complexes have experienced somewhat severe air pollution conditions, especially during temperature inversions which prohibit the natural dissipation of pollutants.

However, active cooperative programs undertaken by municipal, industrial and civic groups can do much to alleviate the air pollution problems in most cities.

Industries can install special smoke reducing apparatuses and devices which significantly reduce odor, soot and dust.

Municipalities can utilize land-fill disposal of refuse instead of the once popular open incineration. Cities often pass ordinances which make it mandatory for new industries to install air pollution control devices before operations can begin.

Civic groups can spread the word that everyone can do his part to control air pollution. Many experts claim automobiles as the number one contributor to air pollution in some areas.

This cause can be greatly reduced by having automobiles properly tuned so that they are operating at peak efficiency. Home burning of leaves is another big contributor to air pollution, especially in the fall; and trash burning not only contributes air pollution, but is unsanitary as well.

Air pollution can bring on crying, sneezing, and coughing; can corrode buildings, splotch laundry, ruin paint, and generally make city living unpleasant unless everyone cooperates to hold it down.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black, Barbara and Loy Don visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Black at DeLeon Saturday.

Elder and Mrs. David Foster attended church at Cross Plains Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith of Putnam visited Mrs. Herbert Ellis Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gardner and children of San Antonio spent Friday night with Elder and Mrs. David Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and children of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Rayton Sessions Sunday.

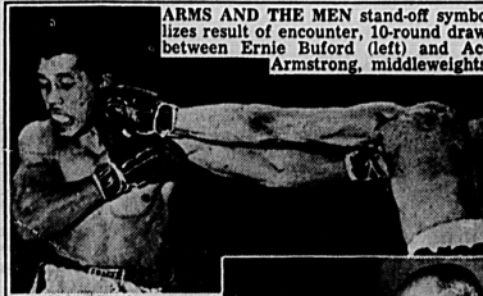
Funeral services were held at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday afternoon for Charley Galeator and he was buried in Atwell Cemetery. Mr. Galeator's body was shipped back from California. He and his wife lived several years in the Sabanno community before moving to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mills and children of Ft. Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ray Erwin and children of Merkel visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom, Mrs. Herbert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and Barbara visited Herbert Ellis and Mrs. Vee Moher Sunday, at Brown's Sanitarium in Cisco.

People, Spots In The News



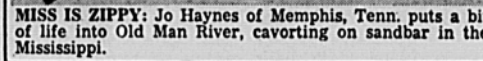
ARMS AND THE MEN stand-off symbolizes result of encounter, 10-round draw, between Ernie Buford (left) and Ace Armstrong, middleweights.



'TOUGH GUY' pose effected by Patricia's Daisy Lou, a cow on Springfield, O. farm.



LONGHANDS - across - the - sea note at joint session of English and U.S. bar associations: John D. Randall (right), president of A.B.A., presents Sheaffer pen to Rt. Hon. Viscount Kilmuir, his British counterpart; 1500 delegates received similar gift.



MISS IS ZIPPY: Jo Haynes of Memphis, Tenn. puts a bit of life into Old Man River, cavorting on sandbar in the Mississippi.

Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last Sunday by holding Open House from 2:30 to 5:00 in the afternoon. To this swell couple, we say, "Many Happy returns of the Day."

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller spent the week end at Weatherford and the Open House honoring her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White, who were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Guest speaker at the Baptist church last Sunday was Rev. Sherman Poole, from TANE, (Texas Alcohol and Narcotic Education).

Ladies of the community met at the Community Center last Thursday and quilled for Mrs. Mallie Johnson and Mrs. Albert Betcher. The noon meal was a typical fall menu with chicken and dressing, roast beef, fried okra, candied yams, salads of all kinds, and steaming cups of coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman O'Shields and sons, James and Richard, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd visited last Sunday night with Herman's mother, Mrs. Bessie O'Shields and son, Bill.

"Bub" Casey is visiting in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Floyd.

Mrs. Rose Kirkindoll and her grandson, Ronald Ray of Lawn, visited last Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Tommie Windham.

Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pat Burns and two children of Breckenridge, visited her mother, Mrs. Garland Lawis and husband last week.

Some of the Admiral folks played 84 at Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard's Saturday night. Mrs. Blanton Childers had the misfortune of breaking her arm Monday.

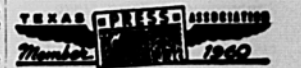
The Baptist people at Sipe Springs showered Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick Sunday night while the Myricks were there.

Beulah and Hazel I. Respass visited Mrs. Hazel Coppinger in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

A representative of TANE, Texas Alcohol and Narcotics spoke at 11 a. m. at the Baptist Church, Sunday. An offering was taken for TANE.

Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville and Mrs. Warren Everett of Cisco, visited Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton, Mrs. Mary Hogbin and Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard this week.



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Our bankruptcy laws aim to permit an honest but unlucky or weak debtor to turn over a new leaf. They allow him to file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. He accounts for all of his property and turns it over for his creditor's benefit. The court sets up machinery to get as much of their money back as possible.

The court then adjudges the man a bankrupt. This means, with some exceptions, that the court will discharge him of his debts. Any income he gets after that time cannot be reached in court to pay his old debts.

Debtors may try to gain in ways not intended by the bankruptcy laws. If so, creditors may object. Besides, the courts may deal drastically with such debtors under our criminal laws. Under the bankruptcy laws, a man is not required to surrender to his creditors certain items. In this State they usually include the family stove, refrigerator, radio, wearing apparel, working tools of one's trade and certain other items which vary with each individual case.

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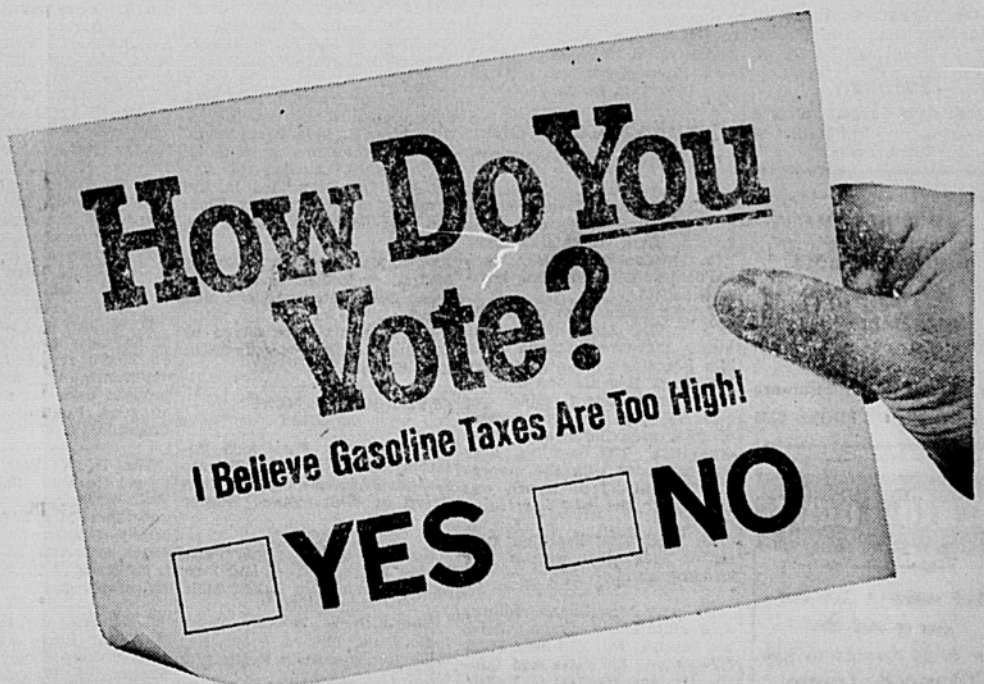
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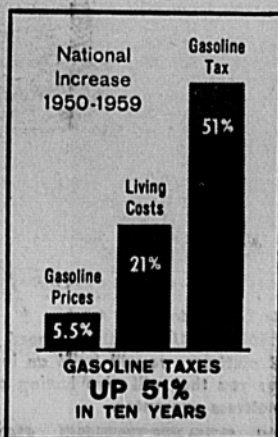
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Crowning of Harvest Queen To Climax Clyde School Halloween Festivities

Joan Windham and Harold Watts, will be crowned Harvest Queen and King at Clyde High School, Monday, Oct. 31 at 7:30, in the gymnasium.

Miss Windham, a Senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Windham. Harold, also a Senior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watts.

All representatives were elected by popular vote of students. In the Royal Procession will be:

First grade — Jane Ann Loyd and Steven Goldsmith; Judy Faircloth and Stephen Moreland
Second grade — Debbie South and John King; Peggy Patton and Kenneth Fox.

Third grade — Penny Harless and Belton Riley; Vickie Simpson and Rodney Waggoner.

Fourth grade — Nancy Black and Michael Hughes; Nancy Simmons and Jerry Mayo.

Fifth grade — Sherry Chapman and Jim Alexander; Lydia Rogers and Bruce Cordova.

Sixth grade — Marty Briscoe and Larry Simmons; Elizabeth Meeks and Jim Paylor.

Seventh grade — Gloria Burns and Jack Ralston; Mary Newton and Gregg South.

Eighth grade — Melinda Shelnutt and Buddy Howe; Linda Craig and Rodger Houston.

Freshmen — Carolyn Simmons and Welda Lynn Edwards.

Sophomores — Barbara Russell and Ted Presley.

Juniors — Linda Kemper and J. B. Hicks.

Farm Electric Short Course at Clyde

A Farm Electrification Short Course will be held at the Clyde school Ag building on November 1, 3, 7, 9 and 11th.

Mr. Bob Jaska, Farm Electrification specialist of Texas A&M College will be instructor for the course.

Farmers interested in attending the course should contact E. H. Barron, VA teacher of the Clyde school. Mr. Barron extends a special welcome to the farmers of Eula and the Eula community.

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Clyde Study Club

The Clyde Study Club met on Thursday, Oct. 20 in the home of Mrs. Homer Kennard, with Mrs. John Kennard as hostess.

The program was on Keepers Of The Lighthouse. A playlet, Parliamentary Beam, was conducted by Mrs. Tommy Odum with Mmes. Broadfoot, Bynum, Craig, Doty and Gargus taking part.

Mrs. Harry Steen presided for a business session. Refreshments were served to 18 members and Cinda Harris and Jo Kennard, visitors.

Enterprise Club Meets In Dodson Home

The home of Mrs. Cecil Dodson was the scene of the regular meeting of the Enterprise Homemakers Club last Thursday. Co-hostess was Mrs. Miles Holmes.

Mrs. Dodson, president, presided over the business meeting, calling the members to order by repeating the motto, pledge and prayer. Roll call was answered with miscellaneous subjects.

Mmes. Dodson and Holmes gave an interesting review of Clothing Consumer Information Day program they attended in Abilene Public Library Sept. 20. Subject of the review was Stretching Your Clothing Dollar For Fall and Winter Wardrobe.

Halloween plates were served to Mmes. E. H. Bonine, D. A. Calfee, John Estes, Cecil Collins R. E. Hansen, E. M. Parks, Paul Shanks, H. A. Versyp, Oscar Witte, Ray Young, Ben Parker, Will Young, C. M. Dunn, Don Boles, Ethel Young, W. W. Henry, Cecil Dodson, Miles Holmes and guests Mmes. Billie Hartman, Lottie Garrett and Sue House; one child Debbie Hartman.

Clyde O.E.S. Honors State Officials

Dr. R. O. Fuqua, Worthy Grand Patron of the State of Texas, and Mrs. Fuqua, chairman of the committee on Chapters Under Dispensation, were honored guests of Clyde Chapter No. 308, O.E.S., at the recent meeting of the chapter.

The 46th anniversary of the chapter was celebrated at the meeting, and a program was presented by the officers and Mrs. J. H. Bailey, charter member. The history of the chapter was given by Mrs. Doris Easterling. Rev. Harold Watson sang Memories.

The Clyde chapter also held dedication of their new signet, with Mrs. Malinda Parks reading the dedication program. J. B. Easterling unveiled the signet and Dr. Fuqua led in the prayer of dedication. Rev. Watson sang There's A Star In The East.

Mrs. Mattie Henry, Worthy Matron, welcomed the visitors from Sweetwater, Abilene and Baird.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Easterling and Mrs. Kate Shelton.

CLYDE SCHOOL MENU MONDAY

Meat Patties, Escalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Tomato Wedges, Pineapple Cookies, Corn Bread or White Bread, Butter and Milk.

TUESDAY
Hot Dog or Sandwich, Pinto Beans, Fritos, Lettuce and Pear Salad, Lemon Cup Cakes, Milk.

WEDNESDAY
Cheese Strips, Hominy, Vegetable Stew, Pickled Beets, Hot Rolls, Honey or Jelly, Butter and Milk.

THURSDAY
Meat Loaf, Whipped Potatoes, Buttered Spinach, Carrot Strips, Cherry Cobbler, Corn Bread or White Bread, Butter and Milk.

FRIDAY
Hamburger or Sandwich, Lettuce - Tomatoes, Pickles-Onions, Potato Chips, Cheese, Ice Cream and Milk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Loyd and children visited Sunday in Weatherford with her mother, Mrs. Tom Cooper, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. B. F. Ray spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Swope, Mr. Swope and Mark.

FREEDOM OR SLAVERY THE CHOICE IS YOURS



Clyde Crushes Santa Anna

Clyde's Bulldogs crushed the Santa Anna Mountaineers, 37-6, in a district 10-A contest at Clyde Friday night.

Clyde rolled up 440 yards rushing in racking up their first victory of the season against six losses.

On the third play from scrimmage after kickoff, Polson ran 40 yards for the first tally. Minutes later he scored again, this time going over from four yards out to climax a 65-yard drive. Quarterback Tom Cook kicked the extra point.

Tommy Cook scored twice in the second quarter, once on a 17-yard run early in the quarter, and booted a 17-yard field goal right before halftime.

Santa Anna was held to one first down in the first half.

Alton Brannon scored on runs of 10 and 42 yards in the last quarter. Following the final scamper, fullback Gary Poole ran the extra points.

Santa Anna's lone TD was scored between Brannon's runs, when Walker broke through for 55 yards and paydirt.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the Clyde people and friends of our mother, Mrs. Georgie Connel, who were so helpful during her illness and passing. For the flowers, food, and each service performed, we, her children are so grateful.
W. E. Wood and Family and Relatives.

H. W. Earl and sons, Lewis of El Salvador and Dr. Rufus of Ft. Worth returned from a 10-day hunting trip last week. They brought back six deer as proof of good hunting in northern Colorado.

The H. W. Earl family had a get-together Sunday when three of their four children visited them; Mrs. T. A. Moore and family of Dallas, Lewis of El Salvador; and Ellis of Dallas. Mrs. L. A. Reese of Big Spring, a sister, also visited.

Week end visitors in the A. H. Hagar home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hagar, Monte and Michael of Waco, Mrs. Clyde Antwine and little Debbie of Zurich, Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ward of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ripley, who live north of Clyde, and Mrs. Irma Willis and Mrs. Mary Keenan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dulaney visited his sister, Mrs. Frances Dobbins at Holiday over the week end.

Mrs. Jim Massey and Mildred of Ballinger were guests in the A. G. Howe home over the week end. Mrs. Howe is a niece of Mrs. Massey.

Former Clyde Resident Dies

Funeral was held at 2 p. m. Tuesday for Mrs. W. M. Connel, 78, longtime resident of Clyde, at Clyde Church of Christ with Owen Cosgrove, officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery with Bailey Funeral Home directing.

Mrs. Connel died Sunday at a Baytown hospital following a short illness.

She had been living in Baytown with her son, W. E. Wood and family for two months. She became ill Saturday night.

A member of the Church of Christ, she was born in Collin County Feb. 3, 1882.

She married Tom Wood in Collin County and following his death, she married W. M. Connel. They lived in and around Clyde for many years.

Survivors are three sons, W. E. Wood of Baytown, Vernon Connel of Hobbs, N. M., and Malcolm Connel of Abilene; three stepchildren, O. L. Connel of Fort Worth, Leonard Connel of Ringling, Okla. and Mrs. Leroy Crawford of Denton Valley; one brother, J. A. Carter of Baytown; two sisters, Mrs. Bill Lundbeck of Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Genia Wells of Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dulaney and children, Ann Elizabeth and Michael, left for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will be employed as public relations director for Advertising Counselors of Arizona, Inc. Mr. Dulaney was formerly publicity director for Fidelity Advertising in Abilene, and publicity director for an American company in Brazil, S.A. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Dulaney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harris and Cinda of Salt Lake City, Utah, visited her mother, Mrs. J. H. Bailey last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barton of Brady also visited Mrs. Bailey last week end.

Mrs. J. H. Bailey accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Harris to Austin for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey last week.

Methodist Church News . . .

Methodist young people will go out this coming Sunday evening, after church, to solicit Tricks or Treats for CROP (Christian Rural Overseas Program). This money will be used to help the hungry children of the world with special reference to milk. You will want to have a part in this fine project, so give these young people a liberal offering for this cause. The young people will have identifying card, let them show these.

Rev. Don Davidson, Conference Secretary for Homes for the Elderly, will preach for us Sunday morning. At 3 o'clock he will meet with all who are interested in hearing just what our conference is doing in this work. You will be welcomed at both services.

Our loud speaker system was inaugurated last Sunday and was very well received by those who had previously had trouble in hearing the service. We are indeed glad that the system will be a part of our equipment from this date.

Young people are looking forward to their Festival of Faith to run the Sunday evenings in November. Rev. Conrad Archer of McMurry College, will speak the first three evenings and a speaker from McMurry will be with us the fourth Sunday. Services will begin at 6 o'clock each of these evenings with supper, social periods, then the worship program. All young people are invited.

W.M.U. MEETS AT CHURCH

The WMU of the First Baptist Church of Clyde met at the church Tuesday, with Mrs. Hanford presiding. She read the names of the missionaries who had birthdays. Mrs. Baulch led in prayer.

Both circles met together for a study on the WMU year book, Mrs. Parker brought the study to the 17 members present.

Mrs. Spurgess brought the study to the GAR, with six members present, and the Sunbeams met with eight present.



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FOR SALE - 3 bedroom home, large living room, dining area, kitchen, new cabinets with formica top. J. B. Pitzer, 228 Calowhill, Ph. 4-1419. 39-tf-c

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FOR RENT - House and apartment. Mrs. H. N. Ebert, Baird. 43-tf-c

FOR SALE - Automatic electric sewing machine, excellent condition, blond cabinet. Mrs. J. T. Loper, Ph. 4-1374, Baird. 43-tf-c

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Hackney and daughter, of Clovis, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Walls and children last week end. There will be a P-TA meeting at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kellett visited his sister, Mrs. Jenia Hull at Ozona over the week end. The Claude Rocks went to Ft. Worth last Saturday. The George Beard family attended the State Fair in Dallas last week end.

Eula grade school boys won a victory over Hawley Monday night and the girls lost by one point.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Simons of Okmulgee, Okla., visited Mrs. B. L. Boydston and Mrs. H. D. Driskill over the week end. They delivered a new Oldsmobile to Mrs. Boydston.

Visiting Mrs. E. L. Wood for the week end were Mrs. Ruth Fusher and Mrs. Marguerite Turner of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton and Miss Darlene Winters of Abilene.

Mrs. Frances Burton of Roswell, N. M., spent the week end with her uncle C. S. Holden and Mrs. Holden.

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Eula Items

By Martha Mapes

Eula school will have its annual Halloween Carnival tonight, Friday at 6:30 p. m. The queen's races will close at 9:00 p. m. Coronation will begin at 9:30.

Following is a list of Queen and King candidates:

- Seniors - Elaine Davis and Grady Edwards.
- Juniors - Angela Patrick and Carol Miller.
- Sophomores - Sharon McGough and Joe Favors.
- Freshmen - Patty Jones and Ronnie Ferguson.
- Eighth grade - Elaine Beard and Russell Jones.
- Seventh grade - Sandra Cannon and Gary Moore.
- Sixth grade - Donna Downing and Donald Varner.
- Fifth grade - Sandra Chittum and John R. Lochname.
- Fourth grade - Georgia Favor and Larry Downing.
- Third grade - Melinda Miller and Dohyl Bradshaw.
- Second grade - Joyce Coffman and Paul Miller.

There will be a number of booths sponsored by the classes. Prizes will be awarded for the "best dressed" Halloweeners. Everyone is cordially invited to bring the family and have fun! There will be a P-TA meeting at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kellett visited his sister, Mrs. Jenia Hull at Ozona over the week end.

The Claude Rocks went to Ft. Worth last Saturday.

The George Beard family attended the State Fair in Dallas last week end.

Eula grade school boys won a victory over Hawley Monday night and the girls lost by one point.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Simons of Okmulgee, Okla., visited Mrs. B. L. Boydston and Mrs. H. D. Driskill over the week end. They delivered a new Oldsmobile to Mrs. Boydston.

Visiting Mrs. E. L. Wood for the week end were Mrs. Ruth Fusher and Mrs. Marguerite Turner of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton and Miss Darlene Winters of Abilene.

Mrs. Frances Burton of Roswell, N. M., spent the week end with her uncle C. S. Holden and Mrs. Holden.

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TUESDAY
Turkey Pot Pie, Black eye Peas, Buttered Spinach, Carrot Strips, Bread, Milk and Peanut Butter Cookies.

WEDNESDAY
Pinto Beans, Onions & Pickles, Potato Salad, Buttered Carrots, Cabbage Slaw, Corn Bread, Milk and Fruit Jello.

THURSDAY
Italian Spaghetti, Green Beans, Buttered Rice, Tossed Green Salad, Hot Rolls and Butter, Milk and Honey or Jolly.

FRIDAY
Steak and Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Lettuce & French Dressing, Bread, Milk, and Sliced Peaches.

JONES' FLY TO FLORIDA
Postmaster and Mrs. Brice Jones have been in Miami, Fla., this week to attend the National Association of Postmasters. They boarded the plane at Dallas Sunday, and will return next Sunday morning.

Mr. Jones said this was their first trip to Miami, also their first flight, and they were anticipating some wonderful experiences.

Mrs. O. H. Gleghorn had the misfortune to fall Thursday at her home and suffered a broken hip. She underwent surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Week end visitors with the Gleghorns were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gleghorn of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Woodard and children of Ft. Worth. Mrs. Woodard stayed for a longer visit.

YIP NEWS

The intermediates of the Methodist Church take pleasure in welcoming the new members who were recently promoted from the Junior class: Jane Ann Gardiner, Mary Jo Thompson, Sharon Young, Delores Batley, Byron Snyder, Benny Brame, Mack Sutphen, Steve Stanley and Donny Schaffrina.

The Halloween Party will be a Scavenger Hunt, to be held Saturday night. A good time and lots of fun is planned for all, including the new members.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Crockett of Inglewood, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson of Oplim, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Davis and children of Falls, were recent visitors with Mrs. Ernest Hill.

James Paul Shanks Speaks at Club

Baird's Business and Professional Women's Club met for the regular monthly meeting last Thursday night at Neel's Cafe. James Paul Shanks was guest speaker for the meeting. He showed colored movies made in Hawaii during his recent visit there and commented on the people, climate and activities on the Islands. Miss Alda Nordvike introduced Mr. Shanks and his mother, Mrs. Paul Shanks.

Sarah Parks, president, presided during the business meeting. Three new members were welcomed: Mrs. Tee Baulch, Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson. Other members present were Meses Lynn Ault, Farris Bennett, W. P. Brightwell, Corrie Driskill, Jim Lawrence, L. B. Lewis, Vance Stephenson, Blain Odum, Terrell Williams and Misses Isadore Grimes, and Floy McCaw.

Bridal Shower Honors Recent Bride

A bridal shower, honoring Mrs. Rita McKinley McVey, recent bride, was held in the home of Miss Glenda Ricks Friday night, October 21st. Other hostesses were Mrs. Archie Nichols, Mrs. Beverly Poindexter, Bobbie Tollett, Sandra Morrow, Doris Strange, Darlene Saunders and Carolyn Shelton.

Dorothy McKinley, sister of the bride, registered guests. Sandra Morrow, Glenda Ricks and Carolyn Shelton presided at the refreshment table, which laid with peach linen cloth. Refreshments were punch and cookies.

Hostess gift was an electric percolator. The honoree received many beautiful gifts.

CANASTA CLUB

The Canasta Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lillie Jacobs. The following members were present: Audie Gilbreath, Hattie West, Lucille Tankersley, Manie McDonald, Florene Boyd, Mary Lou Thompson, Stella Gilliland, Beatrice Deal, Burma Warren, Margie Ray and guest, Ruby Berry.

A delicious refreshment plate was served. Plans were made for the Club's Christmas Party and names drawn.

Next meeting will be with Beatrice Deal on Nov. 3.

Dr. and Mrs. Van Bailey of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. J. H. Bailey, last week.

Eastland Art Club Announces Exhibits

One of the largest Art Exhibits ever to be held at Eastland will be displayed Oct. 28-29 from 9 to 6 in the Victor Cornelius building on the corner of Commerce and Seaman. There will also be a display of china.

This free art exhibit is sponsored by members of the Eastland Art Club, and all art lovers are cordially invited to attend.

The last Art Exhibit the Eastland club sponsored registered over 600 persons.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness during our recent bereavement. Words are inadequate to express our appreciation for the flowers, food, cards, those who sat up at the funeral home, the singers and the ladies who served. God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coley and Family
Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Coley and Family.

Mrs. B. B. Bounds returned to her home in Alpine Monday after a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. Will Appleton, who is in St. Ann Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. Appleton has been in the hospital the past three weeks and her condition is improving.

Mrs. Randall Jackson Hosts Luncheon

Mrs. Randall Jackson hosted a luncheon October 22nd, for all Women County Chairmen for Kennedy - Johnson Campaign, in the 17th Congressional District.

Speaker for the occasion was Scott Bailey of Cisco, newly elected State Representative from this district.

Helping serve the visitors were: Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Gilbert Hinds, Mrs. S. L. McElroy, Mrs. Homer Driskill and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell. Miss Beckye Griggs also attended.

From out of town were: Mrs. Sam Robertson and Mrs. Grover Nelson of Abilene; Mrs. Arthur Dinsmore and Mrs. Burl Baker of Albany; Mrs. Sam Ails, Mrs. Roscoe Hopper and Mrs. John Roberson of Ranger; Mrs. J. H. Algermussen and Mrs. Sam Carter of Weatherford; Mrs. Max Carraker, Rotan; Mrs. Harper of Roby; Mrs. James Staton, Sweetwater.

CARD OF THANKS

This is to say "Thank You" for your kindness to me while in your midst. If good care and kindness would cure, the hospital would soon be empty. We will miss Dr. King, but our loss is Winters gain.

Mrs. Virgil Jones.

SPECIAL INVITATION

All children and young people are invited to a Special Meeting Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. at the Presbyterian Church.

The moving pictures taken at the summer Vacation Bible School will be shown, and there will be singing and special music. Refreshments will be served and a good time promised everyone. Parents are also welcome, to share the enjoyment and music of the young people.

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County Treasurer's Report

On this the 24th day of October, 1960, the Commissioner's Court of Callahan County, Texas, compared and examined the quarterly report of Hazel Reynolds, Treasurer of said County for the period beginning July 1, 1960 and ending September 30, 1960 and found same to be correct and the respective amounts to have been received and paid out since the preceding report.

	Balance 6-30-60		Balance 9-30-60	
	Balance	Received This Quarter	Paid Out This Quarter	Balance
CASH OPERATING FUNDS				
Jury Fund	8,673.08	2,846.50	2,160.13	9,359.45
Precinct No. 1	6,594.54	2,451.27	5,366.45	3,679.36
Precinct No. 2	15,511.72	1,924.88	9,627.12	7,809.48
Precinct No. 3	8,305.24	2,235.20	6,651.37	3,889.07
Precinct No. 4	38,319.13	2,790.73	6,763.44	34,346.42
General County Fund	10,959.26	31,884.58	30,468.05	12,375.79
Permanent Imp. Fund	27,002.34	675.70	2,990.71	24,687.33
Hospital Fund	1,279.35	13,114.01	13,372.16	1,021.20
Road & Bridge Fund	1,371.39	67.60	00	1,021.20
Lateral Road Fund	00	22,052.32	00	1,438.99
Social Security Fund	6,077.04	00	2,422.21	3,654.83
Total Operating Funds	124,093.09	80,042.79	79,821.64	124,314.24
SINKING FUNDS				
Road 1 Sinking	14,892.83	739.50	773.75	14,858.58
Road 2 Sinking	7,493.07	87.03	168.75	7,411.35
Road 3 Sinking	1,082.38	10,150.00	3,160.00	8,072.38
Road 4 Sinking	6,786.11	320.87	00	7,106.98
R & B Sinking	1,226.86	270.42	1,220.00	277.28
Perm. Imp. Sinking	4,431.98	112.67	137.50	4,407.15
Total Sinking Funds	35,913.23	11,680.49	5,460.00	42,133.72
Grand Total All Funds	160,006.32	91,723.28	85,281.64	166,447.96
OTHER ASSETS				
Callahan County Permanent School Fund				94,500.00
Callahan County Jury Fund - Certificate of Deposit				15,000.00
Callahan County Permanent Improvement Fund - Certificate of Deposit				15,000.00
Callahan County Road 1 Sinking Fund - Certificate of Deposit				12,000.00
Callahan County Road 2 Sinking Fund - Certificate of Deposit				2,000.00
Callahan County Precinct No. 4 - Certificate of Deposit				40,000.00
Callahan County Road 1 Sinking Fund - Eula School District Bonds				4,750.00
Callahan County Road 1 Sinking Fund - Denton School District Bonds				3,000.00
Callahan County Permanent Improvement Sinking Fund - Eula School District Bonds				2,000.00
WARRANT AND BONDED INDEBTEDNESS				
Courthouse Refunding Bonds - 1954	10,000.00			
Road District 1 Bonds - 1947	70,000.00			
Road District 2 Bonds	15,000.00			
Road District 3 Bonds	3,000.00			
Comm. Pre. No. 4 Bonds - 1949	6,000.00			
R & B Ref. Bonds - 1947			9,000.00	
R & B Ref. Bonds - 1950			14,000.00	
R & B Warrants - 1952			4,000.00	
R & B Ref. Bonds - 1956			25,000.00	
R & B Ref. Bonds - 1958			23,000.00	
The requirements of Art. 396 P. C. have been compiled with and tabular statements have been filed.				
Signed: J. L. Farmer, County Judge Scott Bryant, Comm. Pre. No. 1 Glen Swor, Comm. Pre. No. 2 I. G. Mobley, Comm. Pre. No. 3 Claude Foster, Comm. Pre. No. 4				
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 24th day of October, 1960				
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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharpe and daughter of Ft. Worth, were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shurwin of Pennsylvania, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater were week end visitor with Mr. and

Mrs. R. B. Taylor. Miss Evelyn Blakely of Denton is also visiting the Taylors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser and Elmer McIntosh have returned from a fishing trip at Rockport.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr. and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Holmes in Seymour.

M. L. Cook of Houston was a Saturday visitor with his mother, Mrs. John Cook.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Mrs. M. H. Sargent and Mrs. Mary Kellner attended a Baptist convention in Abilene Thursday.

Aura Frances Waddell of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry visited Sunday with their son Jamie and family in Frederick, Okla.

Mrs. B. H. Yeager and Mrs. Homer Pruet attended the funeral of Carrol Anderson in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McCarter were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Will Jobe.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet Thursday and Friday were their son, Arnold, of Lovington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellison Pruet of Canyon, Mrs. Gerald Hurst and two children of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and sons, Jerry and Bill of Abilene, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet. Jerry is a student at Teas A&M.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower and Beth Isenhower, of Abilene, were Sunday guests of the John D. Isenhower and R. W. Reynolds families.

Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones and children of Moran were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet.

Those enjoying a Mexican dinner and 42 Friday evening at Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobeys were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry, M. E. Fry and Winford Fry of Cisco, Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Sr., and Mrs. Homer Pruet.

Visiting Mrs. S. M. Eubank Sunday were Mrs. Pearl Ebert, Mrs. Jeffie Lambert, Mrs. Harry Berry and Mrs. Sallie Eastham, all of Baird.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Sunday were their sons, Olin and family of Electra, Royce, Lyndon and Carl and families of Clyde, Darrel and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Varner and children of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alton White and daughters of Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lee of Eunice, N. M., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Cisco were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster and Horace Webster of Irving were Sunday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Everett visited her brother, Herbert Ellis Wednesday. Mr. Ellis is in the hospital at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Christal and family of San Antonio were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton of Sweetwater were week end visitors of Tom Butler.

Dr. and Mrs. Royce Pruet were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Sunday were: Mrs. Ida Montgomery of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert, Mrs. Lela Clark of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shurwin of Pennsylvania.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sunderman during the week end were Earl Sunderman and family of

Ft. Worth, Chris and family of Altus, Okla., Frank and family of Sinton, Mrs. Edward Sunderman and daughter of Cleburne, Jake Hinds of St. Marys, West Va., Mrs. Rule Massey, Flora, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hinds of Berger, Mrs. Art Nolan of Andrews. Mrs. Sunderman is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Vernon Donaway and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Donaway and son of Odessa were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

SCHOOL NEWS

First & Second Grade

We have an ant farm in our class room. We see that they really work all the time.

Bobby Mack Shirley spent part of the week end with his grandmother at Sipe Springs.

Jean Ann Buchanan spent Saturday with her grandmother in Cisco.

Donny Tatum went to Albany Saturday to see his cousin David Tatum. David returned home with him to visit.

Debby Davis spent the week end in Midland. She took her reading book to read some to her aunt and uncle.

Barbara went to her grandmother Wagley's to gather pecans.

All Putnam teachers attended the Callahan TSTA meeting at Baird High School auditorium Monday night.

Putnam will have their Halloween Carnival Monday evening, beginning at 5:30 p. m. The Coronation will be at 8:30.

WOMEN'S STUDY CLUB MEETS

N MARK BURNAM HOME

The Women's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Mark Burnam Monday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Tex Herring.

Mrs. L. A. Williams gave the opening prayer.

Theme of study was The Two Major Political Parties. Mrs. R. B. Taylor discussed the Republican party and Mrs. R. L. Clinton the Democratic party. The Four Constitutional Amendments in the November election were given by Mrs. Raymond Sprawls.

The Club will sponsor the Cake Walk and the White Elephant Sale at the Halloween Carnival Monday night at the school building.

Three guests attended the meeting, Mrs. Shurwin of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Retha Brown of Abilene, Miss Ora Clinton and 18 members.

MORAN BULLDOGS DEFEAT PANTHERS, 26-20

On Thursday night, Oct. 20, Putnam Panthers were defeated by the Moran Bulldogs in the Bears Den at Baird.

James Shelton of Moran made three long touchdown runs on

passes from Danny Stevens, and Kenneth Williams scored one TD and kicked one two-point conversion to account for 26 points. James Isenhower made one TD on a screen pass from Rodolfo Mendez, Ricky Isenhower made a long run up the middle and James Isenhower passed to end William Hamrick for Putnam's three touchdowns. Ricky Isenhower also kicked a two-point conversion to give the Panthers 20 points.

The win gave Moran a 3-0 in record in District 14 play, and Putnam now owns a 2-1 record.

Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford

Misty weather is the pattern for today. We still like the good soaking rains, however, it is slowing down the cotton harvest.

You remember last week that your reporter, Lillian Crawford, mentioned the surgery planned for Bonnie Hodges in Ft. Worth?

Well, I need to apologize, but I feel sure it was all planned, but on learning of the actual cost for operation, Bonnie cancelled the whole thing and said she would just come back home and die a natural death.

Mrs. Jewell Barton went Friday to bring Bonnie out to her place to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Crawford and Donna, were Sunday visitors on the farm.

Some very special visitors drove up to the Ira Crawford place Sunday afternoon. It was my aunt, Mrs. Rosa Taylor, her daughter, Minnie, and her husband, Albert Bradford from Raney. They had visited one of my aunts in Abilene, Mrs. Lucy Kendrick, and a cousin, Lillie Merrill.

Aunt Rosa's health is falling fast, in fact, she is scheduled to go to the hospital in Mineral Wells Sunday, if she can make up her mind to have eye surgery. She is almost blind now and her doctor says the operation would not improve the sight, only help keep the sight she now has. She is somewhere near 83.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. Byers, of Abilene, were visiting the Ray Harrisons this past week end.

Mrs. W. E. Millhorn of Eula returned home Thursday from Hendrick Memorial Hospital after undergoing surgery. She is reported improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Price of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dugan and children of Clyde, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price Sunday.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi, neighbor! How's the weather over your way? Kinda' wet and damp here again this Tuesday morning.

Yesterday was a good cotton-pulling day, and everyone here was busy either pulling cotton or running the stripper. Mark Burnam and John McIntyre run strippers, but kinda' damp for them.

John and Roma McIntyre, Weldon and Louise Isenhower had dinner in Abilene Saturday evening. It was John's birthday so they celebrated by going out to dinner.

I had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Monday night. Ollis and Gayle Burnam and I visited with Mrs. Mary a while. Mark went to the gin and we went visiting.

Mrs. Annie Bishop of Cross Plains and Mr. Alvie Parker of Lone Grove, went visiting with Mrs. Mary, so were Walter and Reba Francisco. We had a good time. Mr. Parker is a brother-in-law of Aunt Annie and Mrs. Mary. His wife was Miss Tina Ellis, who passed away some time this year. Uncle Alvie looks real good. He has just returned from a long trip, went to Maine, New York, Washington and most every place in the northeast and south. We are so glad he is able to make a trip like that as he has been sick quite a while. Let me tell you what he said about his six Downcock hens. He says they are the best kind to have as he gets 14 eggs a day. So guess we all better get that kind. He never said what kind his neighbors had.

Last Tuesday night, Clayton, Flossie and Ollie Burnam came and we played 42. Flossie and I were partners. Clayton and Ollie beat us but we didn't care. Mark didn't get to come as he went to a Farm Bureau meeting in Baird.

Bill and Retha Brown spent Sunday with the Mark Burnams.

We are so sorry to say Mrs. E. E. Sunderman is seriously ill. She is at home.

We read in the paper of the death of Mr. George Robbins, who used to live here. In fact, he and his wife, Mrs. Etta McCollum Robbins lived in the house that I now live in, when they first married in 1901. We were sorry to hear that he had passed away.

Last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley of Tahoka had dinner with me. Was so glad to have them. We had a good time visiting. Mrs. Kelley's mother passed

away last Monday in Lamesa Hospital. She lived in Cisco a long time and was living with her daughters, the past two years. Funeral was held last Wednesday in Cisco. Mrs. E. D. Archer was her name.

Burette Ramsey had his field of oats sprayed for worms Saturday, by airplane.

D. A. Yarbrough visited in Baird Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Onie Abernathy.

Johnny Carl Gunn, who has been working at Tulla, is home for a while. He stopped by to see me a while Monday morning.

Be good and I'll be seeing you next week.

HUMBLE TO BROADCAST FOUR SW CON. GAMES

Play-by-play accounts of four Southwest Conference football games will be broadcast Saturday by the Humble Company.

Humble will also co-sponsor the weekly NCAA live telecast.

The LSU-Mississippi game will be telecast starting at 1:45 p. m.

The Rice-Texas Tech game will be broadcast from Houston by Bob Walker and John Smith, beginning at 1:45 p. m.

The TCU-Baylor game will be broadcast from Ft. Worth by Kern Tips and Alec Chesser. Broadcast time will be 1:45 p. m.

The Texas-SMU game will be broadcast from Austin by Ves Box and Eddie Hill. Radio time will be 1:45 p. m.

The Texas A&M - Arkansas game will be broadcast from College Station by Eddie Barker and Jim Wiggins, beginning at 7:15 p. m.

Rowden Round-Up

By Mrs. B. Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Boen have moved into their home, formerly owned by Walter Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell had Sunday dinner with the Sterling Cdom family. They also visited the B. Crow home and others in the community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen English and Donny of Freeport, visited with friends in this community recently.

Mrs. Dale Gibbs, Gary and Roger spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Mrs. Ludis Owen of Oklahoma is spending some time at the Owens Ranch with Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Doc and Emey King of Cross Plains visited with friends at Rowden Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb have returned home after a visit with their children at Marfa

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