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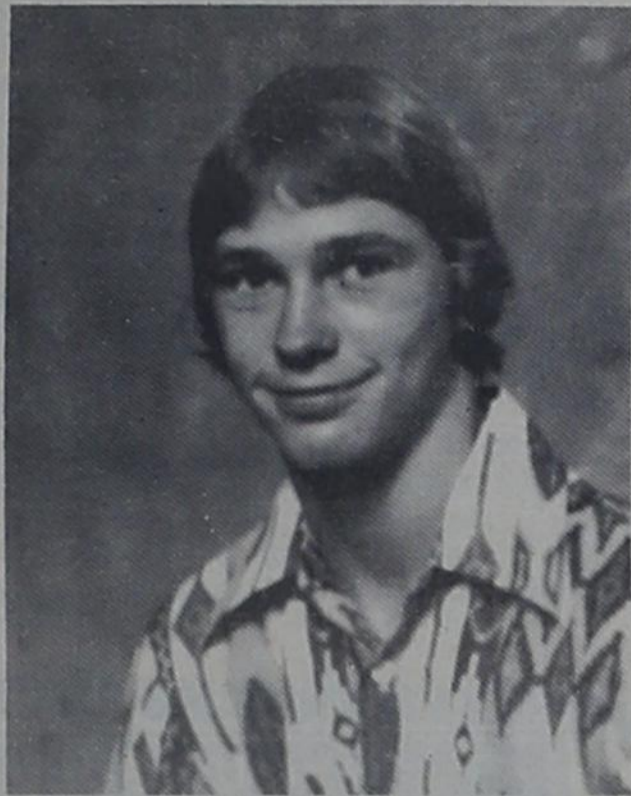
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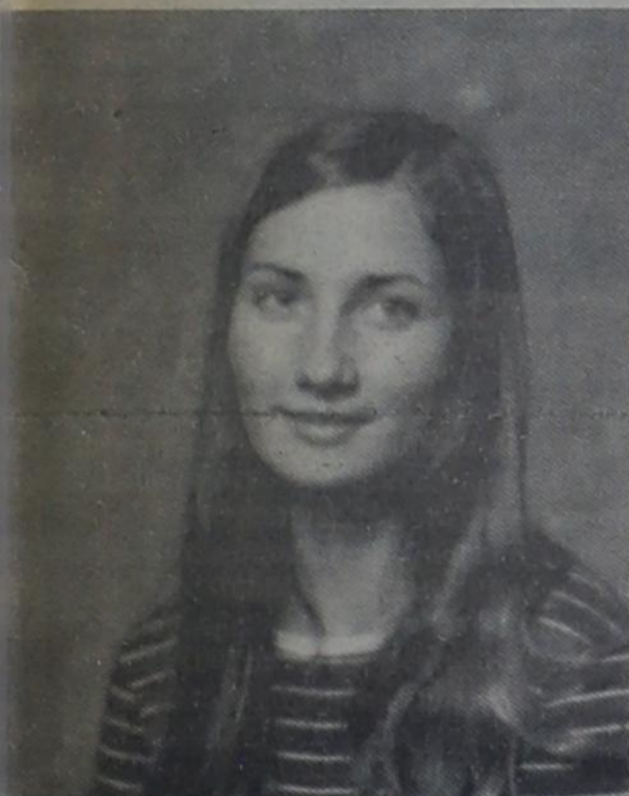
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Local Youths Will Attend Co-Op Youth Conference

BAIRD—Bill Earp, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Earp, Chris Vestal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Vestal, Laura Isenhower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower and Amber McLaughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith will attend the Co-op Youth Leadership Conference on the campus of William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo., during the week of June 12-18. They are among 1,000 youths from 15 states who will attend one of four week-long sessions.

This group is sponsored by the Callahan County Farmers Co-Op.

During the conference, the delegates will participate in group discussion workshops, cooperative training sessions, leadership development programs, and recreational activities.

In order that the delegates learn

firsthand about the operation of a local cooperative, a Co-op Mart will be established and they will learn the responsibilities of being a manager, director, employee, and member.

The conference is sponsored each year by Farmland Industries, Inc., Kansas City, Mo. Farmland, a farm supply manufacturing and wholesaling cooperative, provides petroleum, fertilizer, agricultural chemicals, feed and farm supplies to 2,231 local cooperative associations in 15 midwest and southwest states.

The Baird FFA Chapter would like to extend special thanks to the Callahan County Co-op for sponsoring this group. Bill is president and Chris is Vice President of the Baird FFA Chapter. Laura is the 1977-78 FFA Sweetheart and Amber is the 1976-77 FFA Sweetheart.

Sixty-Three Teams Compete at Shady Oaks Tournament

COUNTY—Sixty-three teams competed for prizes in the annual Shady Oaks Partnership golf tournament last Saturday and Sunday, June 4 and 5.

The field was divided into four flights: championship, first, second and third; and four places were awarded in each flight.

Saturday night, players and their families enjoyed a delicious barbecue and several stayed afterwards for a dance.

Results of the tourney follow:

CHAMPIONSHIP

1st—Webb-Thiberville, 129; 2nd—Reeves-Reeves, 135; 3rd—Conley-Conley, 136; 4th—Smith-Nichols, 137

FIRST FLIGHT

1st—McNeil-Crow, 142; 2nd—McPherson-Holland, 143; 3rd—Brasher-Tinkle, 145; 4th—Harris-Osborn, 145

SECOND FLIGHT

1st—Kemper-Burke, 152; 2nd—French & French, 153; 3rd—Walker-Walker, 154; 4th—Barton-Tollett-156

THIRD FLIGHT

1st—Bates-Bates, 160; 2nd—Horton-Craig 160; 3rd—West-Burfield, 163; 4th—Taylor-Taylor, 163.

A Shady Oaks membership meeting will be held Tuesday, June 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the clubhouse. All members are urged to attend.

Putnam Consolidates With Baird School District

BAIRD—L.C. Cash, county school superintendent, issued the following statement Tuesday afternoon, June 7:

"By acts of the 64th legislature of 1975 county boards were mandated to consolidate the portion of any dormant district within the county to an adjoining district or districts. Since Putnam has become a

dormant district, the Callahan County School Board in session June 7, 1977 has unanimously voted to consolidate the Putnam district with the Baird district of Callahan County."

According to Baird school officials, approximately 15 Putnam students will be attending school at Baird next year.

Ladies Tournament Held Last Wednesday

COUNTY—The annual Ladies Invitational golf tournament was held last Wednesday, June 1, at Shady Oaks golf course.

Judy Casey of Abilene shot a 77 to capture medalist honors. Jean Dawson of Abilene was second with a 78, and Mary Lou Fry of Abilene placed third with an 82.

Daphne Hayes of Abilene fired an 82 to win the first flight, Frankie Smith of Cross Plains shot a 90 to place first in the second flight and Thelma Goble of Clyde placed first in the 3rd flight with a 100.

Judy Casey won the long driving

contest and Genea Finley of Baird was closest to the pin.

Complete results follow:

Medalist—Judy Casey, Abilene 77; Jean Dawson, Abilene 78; Mary Lou Fry, Abilene 82.

First Flight—Daphne Hayes, Abilene 82, Nadine Jones, Abilene 87; Mary Lou Bauer, Winter.

Second Flight—Frankie Smith, Cross Plains 90; Pat Owens, Cisco 92; Lucille Griffin, Clyde 93.

Third Flight—Thelma Goble, Clyde 100; Glenda Watts, Merkel 101; La Verne Tablor, Clyde 103.



Shady Oaks Winners—First place winners in each flight of the Shady Oaks Ladies Invitational golf tournament held last Wednesday were: Frankie Smith of Cross Plains, 2nd flight winner; Daphne Hayes of Abilene, 1st flight winner; Thelma Goble of Clyde, 3rd flight winner & Judy Casey of Abilene, medalist.



NEW FIRE TRUCK COMPLETED—The newest addition to the Baird Volunteer Fire Dept. is now operational, after many hours of hard work. The truck, given to the dept. from the Forestry Service, was modified and received a fresh coat of paint. The dept. would like to thank the firemen who put in many hours of work on this truck, and would especially like to recognize Ronnie Abernathy for all his help.

News from the Fire House

BAIRD—Our thanks to those individuals, who cared enough to express their thoughts about our dropping our section in this paper. It was in our thinking to pick up the practice after the first of January, but we could not make any justification for the article other than just gossip, not knowing the public had any real interest in our article.

So let's take an account of what's been happening. Since January, the department has answered a total of 36 alarms with February holding the record for the first six months with 16 alarms.

We covered some 320 miles and an average seven firemen will answer the first alarm. We have cut our response time, on the average our first truck will roll within 2 minutes on receiving the call.

We have made some major changes

on our equipment. All our rural trucks have been modified so they can be better utilized in fighting fires inside the city. Our newest truck, that was received from the Forestry Service, is now operational and you will be seeing it alot more.

It looks like a hot, dry summer is ahead, and likely our fire margin will be going up. So we need to be very cautious about open flames or sparks that might cause a fire of any type.

Your Fire Department is here to serve you. Help us to help you. There's alot you don't know about your fire department, contact us -- we will be glad to help you.

Have a Nice Week
The members of the
Baird Volunteer Fire Dept.

people are well enough to come home soon.

Billie Harrell came home this week from the hospital.

For those of you looking for gifts for those "June Showers" we have some lovely gifts and ceramics for sale.

Thanks again to George Sadler and Pop Whitaker for the musical Friday. We always enjoy their music and appreciate their coming to play for us.

Vida Hill is home from Lubbock, where she had surgery. We have all really missed her, and are looking forward to having her come play again for us. We always enjoy her music.

Lewis Hill from Lubbock visited in our home Sunday.

Elaine Reynolds came last Wednesday and played the piano for us. We enjoyed her being here.

Hope everyone has a nice weekend.

Baird Nursing Home

BAIRD—We started the week off with Charlene Ri-

chardson's Sunday School class (Methodist Church) holding a special for us. Those included in the "special" were Mark Allen, Shawna Dorn and Rebecca Elliott. We thank these young people and invite them to come back soon.

Jenye Blakley, Alpha Morris and Urva VanDerLinden are in the local hospital. Bob Fuqua and Ralph Short are in the V.A. hospital. We hope these

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Dear Friends,

We had a faithful few present in our exercise class Monday morning.

After exercises, 5 residents had a bean bag throwing contest. Mrs. Presley beat Mrs. Gabbert out of 1st by one point. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Eva Johnson tied for third place.

Tuesday was used as another craft day to complete some projects for the Flea Market on Saturday. We made yard stick holders and bill holders out of burlap and decorated them with yard and felt.

Wednesday was our regular exercise class with 11 participating.

After exercises we had a "hot" bingo game, with Mrs. Presley winning 3 games, Ed Lauw winning

2 and Mrs. Matlock winning 1 game.

Thursday was Beauty Shop day and many ladies got all spruced up for our entertainment in the afternoon.

Mrs. Harle's Dance Studio presented a "mini" program for our enjoyment that afternoon. Everyone enjoyed the zeal and talent presented by the young ladies. We hope they will continue to progress and keep us in mind for future programs.

After our regular exercises, Friday morning, we got real busy making cosmetic bags to display at the Flea Market.

Saturday morning we loaded up our projects and took them to the Flea Market at the Fire Station. We had a real good time

and were pleased to sell all our wall hangings. Hope to participate next year, too.

Love,
Peggy

Baird Pool To Offer Lessons

BAIRD—Swimming lessons will be held June 13-18 at the Baird City Pool. Mark Lucas, YMCA certified swimming instructor, has requested all interested participants pre-register by Thursday evening, June 9.

The first 8 to register will be enrolled in each class and no one under 5 years of age will be accepted. Classes will be held in the mornings, and students will be notified of their class times. Lessons will be \$15 a week.

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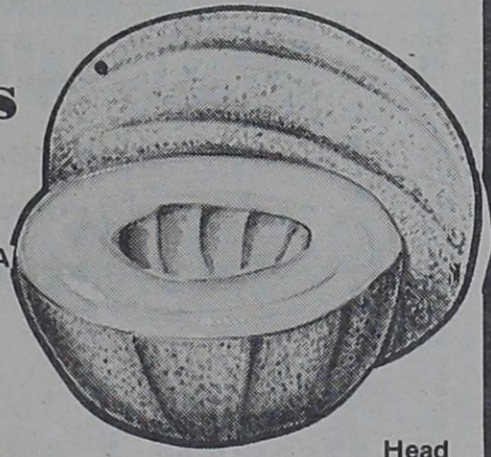
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Harris Celebrated 50th Anniversary

CLYDE-Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Harris celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday, June 5.

The reception was hosted by the children, Jolene Echols of Fort Worth, L.T. Harris Jr. of Austin and W.E. Harris of Garland.

Mrs. Harris' father, W.W. Faulkenberry of Abilene also attended.

Harris was born Sept. 28, 1902, in Teague. Mrs. Harris was born Nov. 5, 1909, in Cleburne. They met in October 1925 in McCaulley and were married there June 4, 1927.

The couple has lived in Sweetwater, McCaulley, Stamford, Seminole, Abilene, Abilene State Park, Possum Kingdom State Park and Eula.

Now retired, Harris was a farmer, salesman, park superintendent and former employe of U.S. Gypsum.

The Harris are mem-

bers of the Baptist Church and Key City Campers. Harris is a Mason; his wife is a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

They have seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

KENDRICK CEMETERY RECEIVES DONATIONS

COUNTY-The following persons made contributions to the Kendrick Cemetery fund recently:

- Velma Gibson-\$25
- Eunice Crawford-\$25
- Annie Mae Crawford-\$10
- Taylor Electric-\$2.85

The cemetery association would like to express their thanks for all contributions, and remind everyone that donations are needed to help keep the cemetery maintained.

Persons wishing to donate, may send their contributions to Mrs. Esker Crawford.



Mr. & Mrs. L.T. Harris
...wed 50 years

Baird Girls Softball Results

BAIRD-The Baird's Little League Softball girls played their first game against the Clyde Monkees May 31 at Baird. Baird lost to the Clyde Monkees 13-8. The Baird team consisted of players from the Mustangs and Sneakers, due to the conflict with girls in Harle dancing recital the same night.

Pitching for Baird was Ester Mendez. Time was called after 4 innings of play.

We appreciate the help from the Clyde umpire.

Scoring for Baird were: Anita Mendez-2, Valerie Waggoner-2, Becky Turner-1, Chris Silba-1, Esther Mendez-1, Tina Weeks-1.

Others playing from Baird were Teri Robbins, Lisa Thomas, Dawn Moore, Tonya Shuffield, Tammy

Shuffield, Kathleen Smith. Baird's Little League girls softball Mustangs defeated Clyde's Snoopys June 3. This was the first full 6 innings played this season. The score was 19-15. The winning pitcher was Paula Fears. Behind the plate umpire was Philip Garcia.

Scoring for Baird Mustangs were:

Donna Defosses-5, Tina Weeks-3, Loretta Grant-2, Paula Fears-2, Tonya Shuffield-2, Jill Holland-2, Valerie Waggoner-1, Kathleen Smith-1, Stacie Brumbaugh-1.

Tammy Shuffield was also playing.

The girls softball games start at 6:45 every Tuesday and Friday here at Baird.

Burns-Adams To Wed July 23


BAIRD — Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Burns of Route 1, Baird announced the engagement of their daughter Pamela Beth to Gary Alton Adams, also of Baird.

Pam is the granddaughter of Mrs. Fred Burns of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Galton Tarrant of Abilene. She is a spring graduate

of Baird High School and is employed at Hanner Chevrolet.

Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Adams of Baird. He is also a spring graduate of Baird High School, and is employed by R.E. Greene of Baird.

The couple is planning a July 23 wedding at Trinity Baptist Church in Abilene.

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Clyde Woman's Sister Dies

ABILENE — Mrs. L.L. (Ruby) Shell Jr., 68, of Abilene died at 12:40 a.m. Monday at Hendrick Medical Center after a short illness. Services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday

The Rev. Bill Austin pastor of the University Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Cemetery.

Born Sept. 29, 1908, in Hamlin, she attended school there. She was graduated from Southwest Texas University in San Marcos and taught school in Hamlin and also the Abilene School System. She was a member of the University Baptist Church. She married L.L. Shell Jr. May 28, 1939. He died in 1974.

Survivors include a son, L.L. Shell III of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Priscilla Deanna) Dunn of Abilene and Mrs. Jim (Ruby Kathleen) Walker of Lubbock; two sisters, Mary Lou Splawn of Clyde and Mrs. Jess R. Long of Titusville, Fla.; and eight grandchildren.

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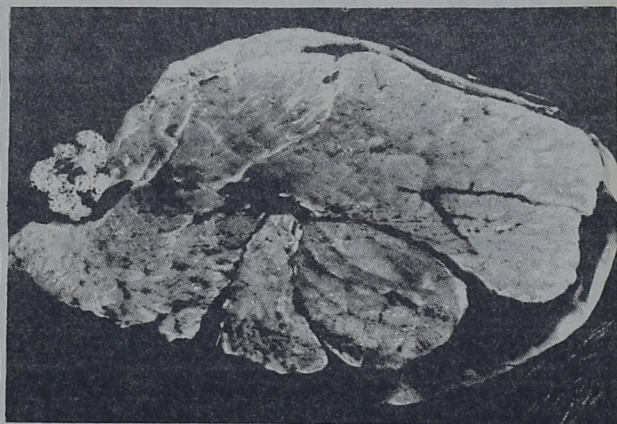
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EULA FARMERS ARE BUSY COMBINING Co. Nurses To Have Bake Sale

EULA — Combines are really busy. It is reported some wheat making .40 to 50 bushels to the acre. Winford Gardner reports Harry Holt made 40 bushels and E.L. Compton made 50-55 bushels to the acre. Winford has some awful good wheat and they will get to his about Tuesday.

Some kind of fungus has hit some of the apricot trees and plum trees. Reo Jolly lost several bushels and Joe Bentley lost several trees of apricots. Seems as if they turn black and hard almost overnight. Some were damaged by hail about a month ago.

Mr. J.O. Connel, who had hip surgery 3 weeks ago, is home and doing as well as can be expected. He is walking with a walker and some on crutches.

Reo Jolly's mother, Mrs. Marion Jolly of Clyde,

had major surgery the past week at West Texas Hospital. She is doing fairly well.

Mrs. Spencer Farmer's aunt, Mrs. Luther Spencer, passed away Saturday at La Ferria. Burial was at McAllen Monday.

Mrs. Nan Miller is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Reo Jolly went to Lewisville over the weekend to see their granddaughter, Lori Massengale, graduate out of high school.

Mrs. Bertha Hallmark and Floella Howe of Clyde visited her brother, Mr. Graham of El Paso, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Smith of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Reo Jolly Sunday.

Kyle Stephenson and Randy Coffman of Eula FFA attended a FFA training meeting the past week at Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rock went down Friday night and brought they boys home Saturday.

They reported a very good meeting.

Visiting Mrs. Virgil Cole Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morgan of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Nickie Morgan and baby, Mr and Mrs. Daniel Cavin and daughter of Mesquite and Mrs. Emma Green of Wichita Falls.

Visiting Mrs. Oleta Edwards over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hughes and Jill of Stanton and Mrs. Katherine Robbins of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Miller and David of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poland of Abilene visited Mrs. Pidge Miller the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Donna of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brock of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brock Sunday.

Mary Ruth Armstrong of Iraan and Mrs. John Shrader of Baird, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer over the weekend.

The Methodist Church told their pastor goodbye Sunday. Dr. Sledge will go to the Potosi church and Rev. Mike Hinton will go to Trent. Rev. James Martin will come to Eula Methodist Church and will move to the Methodist parsonage Wednesday.

A large crowd attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Harris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cope and family visited relatives at San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lane and family of Clovis, N.M. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Burleson and Mollie, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson Sunday.

COUNTY-The Callahan County League of Vocational Nurses met June 2 at the Clyde Leisure Lodge for their monthly meeting. President Freddy Chittum called the meeting to order. Six members were present.

The bake sale was discussed and organized for June 4th in Baird. Another bake sale was planned for June 10 to be held in Clyde at Super D from 10 a.m. til 6 p.m. The members who will be helping with the sale are Thelma Womack, Viola Atwood, Lois Cooper, Faye Brown, Freddy & Polly Chittum.

The proceeds from both sales will enable several members to attend the TLVN's 26th annual convention, June 16, 17 and 18 in Beaumont, Texas.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served to Thelma Womack, Irene Walker, Neva Stinson, Barbara Cutbirth, Polly & Freddy Chittum.

Please remember to visit the Bake Sale June 10 at Super D Food Store in Clyde from 10 a.m. til 6 p.m.!

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Brame Yard Of The Month

BAIRD-The Baird Garden Club's Yard-of-the-Month Plaque has been placed at the home of Mrs. B.O. Brame, 640 Chestnut St. for the month of June.

This large corner lot yard abounds in shrubbery of many kinds. A fish pond adds beauty to the attractive outdoor living room. The red blooms of the trumpet vine and the orange day lilies furnish color along the fence; and the smooth well-kept lawn gives evidence of much care.

In addition to the many trees which provide homes for birds, one is especially outstanding. This is a huge pecan tree near the front gate which possibly may be not only the largest, but also the oldest pecan tree in Baird.

Construction To Be Done In Co

AUSTIN-Bids for the construction of safety improvements on State Highway 36 in Taylor and Callahan Counties will be received June 22-23 by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

The work on the existing two-lane highway will include widening concrete bridges and culverts, grates and frames at hazardous locations and the installation of metal beam guard fence and delineators.

The project extends from the southeast city limits of Abilene to the Eastland County line.

In direct charge of the work, under the overall supervision of Abilene District Engineer Roger Welsh, will be C.M. Kitchell, Abilene.

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Farm Bureau Asks For Repeal of OSHA

COUNTY-The Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau has asked Congressman Omar Burleson of District 17 to co-sponsor a bill that would repeal OSHA (Occupational Health and Safety Act).

W.C. Vines of Albany president of the local county Farm Bureau said Rep. Steven Symms of Idaho introduced H.R. 1348 which would repeal OSHA. County Farm Bureaus throughout the nation are

contacting their respective Congressman to ask that they co-sponsor the measure.

In his letter to Congressman Burleson, the county president said that Farm Bureau's policy on the matter reads:

"The Occupational Safety and Health Act is detrimental to the American farmer and the American public and is a usurpation by the federal government of state, local and indi-

dual rights. The Act does not fall within the responsibilities assigned by our Constitution to the federal government. We therefore favor the complete repeal of this Act. Farm Bureau should take the lead in all-out effort to achieve this important objective."

President Vines said the one-sentence Symms bill was introduced at the request of the Farm Bureau "as the only way to put an end to the ever-increasing number of re-

gulations and the arrogant administration by this federal agency."

The county president said OSHA tactics violate the rights guaranteed under the Fourth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution against "unreasonable searches and seizures." He said that OSHA inspectors now enter private premises without a warrant, without probable cause to secure a warrant, and arbitrarily impose fines administratively without recourse to a trial by jury.



HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Retha Morris
Randy Kniffen
Addie Harris
Lela Shelnett
I.G. Mobley
Jennye Blakely
Gene Parrish
Kitty Dorn
Verlie Whitmire

Geraldine Fielder
The following people were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Lucille Tankersley
Verlie Whitmire
Harry Gray
Nina Wright
Randy Kniffen
Altie Foller
Pamela Baxter
I.G. Mobley (transferred)

Co. Students Make Dean's List

LUBBOCK-Texas Tech University has announced its Spring 1977 Dean's Honor Roll, including students achieving a grade point average of 3.0 or higher during the spring semester.

Honorees making the

list have taken full course loads and achieved B to A averages.

Students from Baird making the honor list are Jerilyn Pruet and David Williams.

Clyde students making the honor list are Valerie Scott and Nathan Collie.

Abilene Open Horse Show Set

ABILENE — The Taylor County Sheriff Posse in conjunction with the Abilene Convention and Visitors Bureau and Cowboy Campfire Cook-Off will sponsor an Open Horse Show, a Jackpot Calf Roping and Jackpot Barrel Race on Saturday and Sunday June 11 and 12, at the Old Abilene Town Arena on I 20 West.

The schedule of events are as follows:

Open Horse Show will be Saturday June 11 at 9:00 a.m. There will be a full schedule of halter events with English Pleasure, Western Pleasure Reining, Barrels, Flags and Poles. The age groups are 14 and under, 15 and over. Each event will be \$5.00 with a high point award for each age group along with trophies for five places in each event. There is a total of over \$1,000 in prizes and awards for the horse show.

Saturday June 11 at 6:00 p.m. and Sunday June 12 at 3:00 p.m. Jackpot Calf Roping, Age groups 40 and under, 40 and over with two go's in each age group. A comstock Buckle will be awarded to the fastest average for each age group.

Saturday June 11 at 6:00 p.m. and Sunday at 5:00 p.m. Jackpot Team Roping, two go's with Comstock Buckles for team with fastest average time.

Sunday June 12 at 1:00 p.m. Jackpot Barrel Racing. There will be open classes, Novice Classes and a junior class with and a junior class for 14 and under. Comstock

Called O. E. S. Meeting June 13

BAIRD — Officers and members of the Order of Eastern Star are cordially invited to a called meeting of Callahan Chapter # 242, Baird, Texas on Monday, June 13, 1977 at 8 p.m.

Presentation of 50 year pin and certificate to Relah Jester will be given by Doris Easterling, Past Grand Matron.

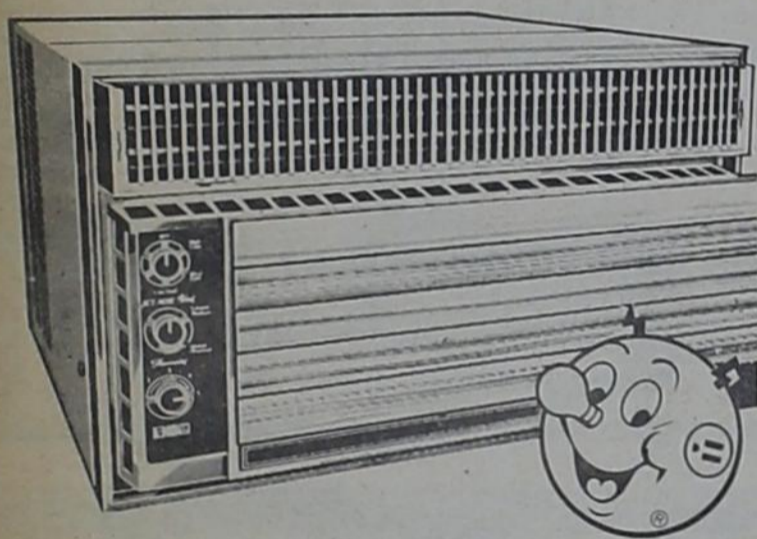
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Stovall - Varner Exchange Vows Sat.

BAIRD — Debora Kaye Stovall of Lamesa and Tommy Lyn Varner of Gail were married at the First Baptist Church of Baird June 4 with the Rev. Wayne Shuffield officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stovall and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Varner.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Maid of honor was Stephanie Higgins of Lubbock. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Danny Stovall of Junction, sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. Tom Anderson of Lamesa, sister of the groom, and Karla Tooley of Abilene.

Dana Stovall of Junction, niece of the bride, served as flower girl and Dax Beggs of Fort Worth, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer.

Tom Anderson of Lamesa, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. and groomsmen were Donny Stovall of Baird, brother of the bride, Lee Abernathy of Abilene and Ray Walker of Baird.

Sam Beggs of Fort Worth, cousin of the groom and Danny Stovall of Junction, brother of the bride, seated guests.

Music was provided by pianist Weldon Moore of Baird and guitarist and soloist Larry Wesson of Lamesa.

The bride's gown, designed and made by the bride and her mother, was of white silk organza overlay over white satin faced polyester. The fitted bodice and full bishop sleeves were accented with rosette appliques of old English lace and the underlay featured a sweetheart necktie which enhanced the beauty of the

dress. The A-line skirt fell into chapel train. The hemline was edged in a deep border of lace with the scalloped edging and many rosette appliques covered the sheer overlay on the skirt. The long veil flowed from an old English lace covered Juliet cap.

The bride's attendants' gowns were made of peach crepe in a sleeveless princess style. The gowns were accented by long sleeve empire jackets made of sheer peach with coral flowers.

The reception was hosted by the parents of the bride in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Baird High School and obtained the BS degree from McMurry College in 1976. While attending McMurry, she was a Delta Beta Epsilon Social Club officer, a 3 year letterman in volleyball, a Totem Beauty, and was named to Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities. She is employed by Lamesa Independent Schools.

The bridegroom is a 1970 graduate of Baird High School and received the BS degree from McMurry College in 1974. His clubs and honors include: Alpha Sigma Chi Men's Club and a 4 year letterman in track. He is

employed by Borden County Independent Schools in Gail.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the parents of the bridegroom at Mac Eplen's Downtown Cafeteria.

The bride's luncheon was hosted by the mothers of the bride and groom at K-Bobs in Abilene.

After a two week wedding trip to Florida, the couple will live in Gail.

Thurs. Club Has Final Meet

CLYDE — The Thursday Club had its final meeting of the year on May 12 at the Clyde Lake.

The meeting was a picnic supper. Each member brought a picnic basket for their own family. Games were played and enjoyed by all present.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. James Briscoe, Mrs. John Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Geye, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Paylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ramage, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Scott, Mrs. Gaston Swofford, Mrs. Jerry Swofford, and Mr. and Mrs. Tally Windham. Also one guest, Mrs. W.C. Holley, attended the picnic.

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Republicans To Meet June 13

County-On June 13, at 8:00 p.m. there will be a meeting of all interested Callahan County Republicans and Independent Conservatives in the Community Room of the Dairy Queen in Clyde. The purpose of this meeting will be to form several committees for fielding as many candidates as possible under the Republican banner in Callahan County and electing as many of these candidates as possible in the 1978 and 1980 elections.

Please make every effort to attend this meeting, as the greater the turnout we have, the better will be our chances of effecting a conservative

Republican turnaround in Texas in the next few years. This we can accomplish only if we are willing to work and pull together. Please come! Bring your spouse and a friend. We need you!

Musical to Help Cancer Soc.

PUTNAM-The Women's Study Club of Putnam will sponsor a Musical this Friday night, June 10.

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Callahan County ASCS News

Attention Farmers! This may very well be the most important newsletter you will receive this year. READ CAREFULLY! The Agricultural Committee of the House and Senate have reported out farm bills which provide that if a set-aside program is implemented for 1978 crops, the acreage required to be set-aside as a condition of eligibility for program benefits may be based on the acreage planted in 1977.

This office has been instructed to secure a report of all wheat, corn, grain sorghum and barley acreage planted this year. Wheat, corn and barley acreage should be reported now; also grain sorghum if planted or when planted but not later than July 15, 1977.

Where no report of acreage is received by July 15, 1977, the farm will be considered to have zero planted acreage and be ineligible for program benefits in 1978.

This acreage may be used for other purposes

that we are not aware of at this time. Therefore, it is very important that all producers report their planted acreage regardless of the fact that they may or may not have an allotment at this time.

Loan Interest Rates Changed—Effective immediately, interest rates for farm storage facility loans will be 7 percent and 6 percent on all commodity loans.

Final Planting Dates—The following final planting dates were established for program purposes in Callahan County: Cotton—May 31, Grain Sorghum—June 20, and Peanuts—July 15. To be eligible for prevented planting credit, due to a natural disaster, applications must be filed within five days after the final planting date.

Beef Referendum—The much publicized beef referendum will be held in July. In order to be eligible to vote a producer must have owned one or more head of cattle (for purposes other than slaughter) during the period January 1,

1976 through December 31, 1976. Register at the local ASCS Office between June 6 and June 17, 1977. The voting place will be the ASCS Office, and the voting period July 5 through July 15, 1977. Producers who fail to register in June cannot vote in July.

Final Date to Certify Cotton and Peanuts—Cotton producers with an effective allotment (not released or leased) are reminded that the final date to certify their acreage is July 15. If cotton is planted, certify that acreage; if not planted certify zero acreage.

The final date to certify peanut acreage is August 1.

Method of Determining Peanut Acreage Changed—In 1977 only the area actually planted to peanuts will be considered in determining the total acreage if normal row widths are used. Idle land or other crops planted in the skipped areas will not count as peanut acreage.

1977 National Average Loan Rates For Crops—Loan rates for 1977 crops are presently set as follows: Cotton—\$.4258 per lb., Wheat—\$2.25 per bushel and Oats—\$1.00 per bushel. The county rate for oats is \$1.15 and wheat has been temporarily set at \$2.20 per bushel.

J.C. Earp, Jr.
County Executive Director



COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT

Judge A.E. Dyer, Jr. presiding:

CRIMINAL DOCKET:

Johnny Earl Stifflemire, speeding

MARRIAGE LICENSES:

Tommy Lyn Varner, Gail, and Debora Kaye Stovall, Baird.

PROBATE:

Application for Guar-

dianship of Verlie Lee Whitmire NCM

Will of Fannie Johnston filed for probate.

42ND DISTRICT COURT

Judge Don Lane presiding:

CIVIL DOCKET:

Bruce A. Williams RE vs. Gorden G. Berg et al, execute oil lease

Carolyn Schultz Dumas

& Moses Eddie Dumas, divorce

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Dennis D. Uzzell, Clyde, 77 Titan Mobile Home

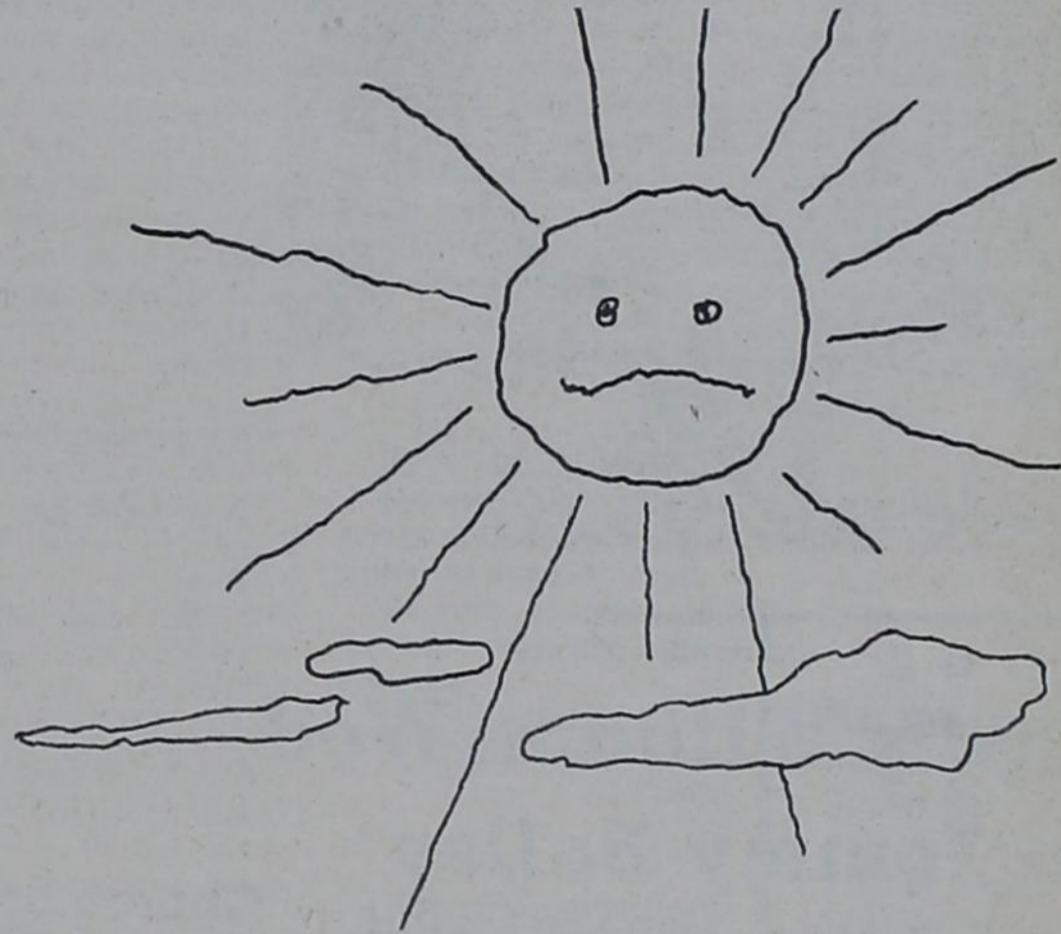
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Twilite Acre Inc., Rising Star, 77 Cadillac 2 dr.

Jones Pontiac, Baird, 77 Pontiac 4 dr.

Clarence C. Kauffman, Abilene, 77 Chev. 2 dr.

Allen Chaney, Abilene, 77 Chev. 2 dr.



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Mrs. Williams

Succumbs Wed.

BAIRD—Mrs. Willie (Emma R'Della) Williams, 76, of Baird died Wednesday morning in Callahan General Hospital after a short illness. Services were at 3 p.m. Thursday at the Morgan-Hargrove Funeral Home.

The Rev. Delton Fisher, pastor of the Grace United Methodist Church in Abilene, officiated, assisted by the Rev. John Dorn, minister of First Methodist Church in Baird.

Mrs. Williams married Willie A. Williams June 16, 1918, in Baird. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Mrs. Williams was preceded in death by her husband.

Survivors include two sons, R.D. of Clyde and Coy of Abilene; three daughters, Vada Richards of Rapid City, S.D., Dorthy Blakeney of Clyde and Betty Moore; 23 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by three sons and two grandchildren.

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Shelly Williams Wed To Tommy Bailey

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The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ira E. Williams Jr., of Abilene and was given in marriage by her father.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas Bailey of Clyde.

Susan Bryant of Albuquerque, N.M. was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jeanie and Mary Williams, sisters of the bride.

Robert Newton of Clyde was best man. Groomsmen were Bobby Evans

and David Edwards of Clyde.

Marvin Puryear of Abilene, Jimmy May, Zane Howard, John York, Mark Stallings and Paul Beeman, all of Clyde, seated guests.

Karen Surovik was flower girl and Lane Surovik was ring bearer.

Organist was Mrs. Wiley Caffey and soloist was Wes Williams, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Marvin Puryear of Abilene, sister of the bridegroom, registered guests.

The bride's parents hosted the reception in the church courtyard.

After a wedding trip to New Orleans La., the couple will reside at 2609 S. 21st, Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of Cooper High School and the bridegroom is a graduate of Clyde High School. Both are seniors at McMurry College. The bridegroom is employed by Super Duper Food Store.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Abilene Country Club.

PUTNAM MUSICAL SET FOR FRIDAY

PUTNAM—Friday night, June 10, is MUSICAL time again. Everyone come to the Community Center and enjoy an evening of Country Music. Sandwiches, pie and coffee will be served by the Women's Study Club. Money made on concessions go toward the American Cancer Society.

The Methodist Church is getting a new pastor. He is the Reverend Jerden Davis, who will arrive in Cisco on June 15. He is replacing the Rev. Gene F. Allen. The Methodist Church has services on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower attended the funeral services of her aunt, Mrs. C.B. Pruet in Ranger Saturday afternoon. Also attending the funeral from here were Mrs. Homer Pruet and Mrs. Dink Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cochran and family of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennie and children of Mineral Wells visited here last week with Mr.

and Mrs. R.W. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower.

Mrs. Vernon Donaway attended the high school graduation exercises of her granddaughter, Lisa Ramsey, in Lawton, Okla., last week.

Mrs. R.B. Taylor returned home Sunday after spending several days in Sweetwater with her Homer and family. She also visited in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor before returning home.

I.G. Mobley was admitted to the hospital in Baird last week and then admitted to Hendrick Hospital in Abilene on Saturday night. At the present time, he is in the intensive care unit, but is improving.

Martin Isenhower visited last week in Eastland with Dennis Petty.

The Williams family held a family reunion here last Saturday at the school cafeteria. About forty attended. Lunch was catered by Jammies of Cisco.

Donald Isenhower left Sunday for Houston where he will visit this week with Steve Grega. He will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fiore and family and Mrs. Gay McClenan while there.

Church of Christ Bible School Set

BAIRD—All the children and youth in Baird and the surrounding area are invited to attend Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ in Baird next week, June 13-17. The classes will be held each morning from 9:00 to 11:15.

Of special interest is a class for babies from birth to two years. This is one of the most unusual classes you'll see. Bring your baby to this special class and let her or him begin hearing about God and Jesus and God's Love for us.

If you know of someone who wants to come to this school and do not have a way, please call 854-1595 and arrangements will be made.

Honeybees Sting The Bears

BAIRD—Thursday, June 2, the Tee Ball Honeybees defeated the Bears 7-5.

Team members scoring for the Honeybees were Lori Voigts, Laurie McKennon, Shannon Martin, Stephanie Silba, Stephanie Treadway, Mary Noel Jones, and John Rodriguez.

Team members scoring for the Bears were Randi White, Link Diller, John Spangler, Dori Brumbaugh and James Hopkins.

Monday, June 6, the Honeybees again outscored the Bears with a score of 12-8.

All tee ball players were pitched to and many made single hits.

The next Tee Ball game will be Thursday, June 9, at 5:30 p.m. Everyone come and enjoy the fun!

Callahan County Oil News

COUNTY-MJM Oil Co. of Weatherford will drill No. 1 E.I. Vestal as a proposed 4,000-foot wildcat in Callahan County.

Location is two miles northeast of Cross Plains on a 170-acre lease.

Drillsite is 3,199 feet north, thence 1,209 feet east of the most southerly southwest corner of Jesse Dyson Survey 751, A-126.

J.K. West of Clyde staked two wildcat locations in the county with both tests slated for 700 feet.

No. 1 Garnet Gracy will be drilled six miles southwest of Putnam on a 145-acre lease.

It spots 1,470 feet from the south and 1,990 feet from the west lines of Section 33, D&DAL Survey.

His No. 1 Thelma Davis was spotted just east of Putnam on a 53-acre lease.

Drillsite is 950 feet from the north and 2,150 feet from the east lines of Section 1, BOH Survey.

A regular field location was staked three miles southeast of Eula as John

H. Chalmers of Abilene No. 1 H. Harris.

The planned 1,500-foot venture is located on a 320-acre lease.

It spots 1,650 feet from the south and 500 feet from the west lines of Section 19, BBB&C Survey.

Bobby M. Moore of Cisco will drill No. 1 Burnam as a proposed 1,000-foot wildcat in Callahan County.

Location is five miles northeast of Putnam on a 320-acre lease.

It spots 1,600 feet from the south and 900 feet from the east lines of Section 2288, TE&L Survey.

Dixon Oil Co. and Reef Oil Corp. of Abilene will deepen to 4,450 feet to test the Caddo at a project seven miles northwest of Clyde in the Dyer Field.

It is No. 1 A.E. Dyer, located on an 80-acre lease.

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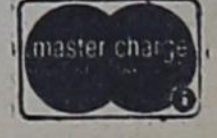
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In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in Session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Baird, Callahan County, Texas at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 28th day of June, 1977, for the purposes of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Callahan County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1977, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Beatrice Deal
County Clerk
Callahan County, Texas
Baird, Texas.
31st day of May, 1977

23/1/c

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Boys State Delegates Arrive In Austin

AUSTIN-The thirty — seventh annual American Legion Boys State sponsored by the Department of Texas and held on the Campus of The University of Texas, got under way June 8 as 930 high school boys from all parts of Texas, and two from Mexico, began registration, C.G. McKinzie, State Commander, announced.

Among those registering from Baird were Jim Sadler and Rodney Ivy. Jim and Rodney were sponsored by the local American Legion Post and the Baird Kiwanis Club.

Following registration, each citizen was assigned to one of two political parties—the Nationalist or Federalist. Each citizen then functions as a member of his party, he attends its precinct, county and state conventions and votes in its primary.

Boys State helps to develop civic leadership and pride in American citizenship. This program arouses a keen interest in the detailed study of our government. These civic workshops stress the importance of maintaining our form of government and bring better understanding of our national traditions and beliefs to the more than 28,000 young men who are participating this year.

In Boys State, The American Legion provides the type of program where the young citizen has the opportunity to learn for himself that his government is just what he makes it. The boy "learns to do by doing."

The program takes on added significance since the vote has been extended

Voting Registration On Beef Program Set

COUNTY — There has been much discussion about the proposed Beef Research and Information Program, which will be voted on this spring by beef and dairy cattle owners. The registration period for producers to qualify in the election is set between June 6-17, and the actual voting dates are July 4-15. Ray Sims of Baird is county chairman of the Beef Development

Taskforce.

Eligible producers should contact their county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office to receive a registration form. The county ASCS offices will conduct the referendum, explains Greg Gerngross, county Extension agent.

There are two separate parts of the referendum, registration and voting. A producer must register during the first period and must make another trip to vote during that designated period.

At least 50 percent of the cattle owners who register must vote—and 2/3 must vote affirmatively—in order for the referendum to be valid. Those eligible include 4-H youths, FFA members, men and women who own livestock.

There is no age limit or minimum requirement of numbers of cattle owned in order to qualify to vote. Any questions about bonafide ownership can be resolved by tax records, sales slips, registration papers or any other valid papers showing ownership of livestock.

A partnership, cooperative, corporation or similar business is considered as only a single entity for the purpose of voting in the referendum. Where a husband and wife own cattle jointly, this will be considered a single entity and only one may vote. If each owns cattle separately and has documented proof of ownership, this is considered as two entities and each may vote.

In the event that a person owns cattle in a county other than where he lives, or if he cannot make it to the polls during the registration or voting period, it will be possible to write or telephone the county ASCS office for an absentee ballot.

If approved the Beef Research and Information Program will allow establishment of projects for advertising, promotion, education, producer information and consumer information with respect to the use of cattle, beef and beef products.

ROWDEN RESIDENTS ARE BUSY CANNING

ROWDEN-Here we are racing right through the month of June with clear skies, hot sunny days and everyone is so busy. Gardens are furnishing fresh vegetables for the table and freezer and those with fruit trees are canning apricots.

Most of the traffic on the roads are pickups, trucks, tractors or combines rushing from one field to another harvesting the grain crop. Yields are good and this weather has dried the grain and ground, too.

Christine Bower of Abilene and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. Ray Boen last Friday. Christine was leaving on a vacation trip to New Mexico where she was to visit her friend, Clara Brown.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week were Ralph Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moore of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Price of Baird and Mrs. Jimmy West, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Sterling Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hill and children of Cross Plains visited in the Tommy Dye home one night last week, and Dede Edmonds of Abilene also spent four days in the home, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J.D. Strickling of Canyon, are visiting for a few days in the Dye home this week.

Visitors in the Robert Watson home Sunday were the Jim Needham family and his mother, Mrs. Alene Needham of Coleman.

Gene Dye is spending the

summer in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Mrs. Allyene Reynolds of Tyler is spending this week in the James Reynolds home.

The Don Harris family attended the dance recital of which Tonya Harris was a participating student in Cross Plains Saturday night. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh of Baird and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Debbie Anderson.

Gene Mauldin attended the funeral of Oran Warren in Baird last Monday.

Mrs. Edwin Dye and Lori Ann of Abilene spent last Thursday in the Russell Dye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Mauldin of Ft. Worth visited in the Gene Mauldin home last Saturday.

Mrs. Rollie Rich and grandson of Okla. visited Mrs. Ray Boen Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Rich was formerly Belva Hollaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Holloway, who lived here in the late twenties.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mrs. Mary Finley last Wednesday night in Baird.

Sometimes you miss having company when you're not home, such was the case Friday when Mrs. Leila Gibbs was at the N.V. Gibbs place helping snap beans when her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead of Abilene left a note of their visit. Also Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains found her at the bean snapping job that same morning.

Tigers Suffer First Loss

BAIRD-The Giants, getting three doubles from Juan Aguirre, handed the Tigers their first loss of the year Monday night, 13-10, in Baird Little League play.

Mark Allen was the winning pitcher and he also scored three runs. Other Giants getting big hits were Eddie Wheeler, Brian Patterson and Mark Harris.

Greg Holland, the losing pitcher, scored three runs for the Tigers, while Allen Tatum had two hits and Billy Deel and Ben Mendez had doubles.

The Tigers had scored three runs in the bottom of the fourth inning Monday night to beat the Yankees, 8-7, on hits by Holland and Tatum. Mendez was the winning pitcher.

John Frieman and Jay Moore had two singles each for the Yankees who scored five runs in the third inning.

The Yankees and the Giants play Thursday night at 8.

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Astros Are Victorious

BAIRD-The Astros came out the victor over the Indians 13-6 Thursday, June 2. Bobby Voigts hit one in-field homerun and Jason Dodd hit 2. The Astros held the Indians scoreless in the first and fourth inning by showing a very good defensive play.

In an exciting game June 6, the Astros de-

feated the Indians 9-8. The Indians had last bat but were unable to come up with the winning score.

Hitting infield homeruns were Jeffrey Segura, Chris Dorn, Cody Parkhill and Billy Collins. We would like to commend the coaches on the improvement the boys have shown both in batting and fielding.

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