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ERNIE PYLE KILLED

The news that Ernie Pyle, well known war correspondent, was killed in action in Jap territory came to us as the loss of a real friend. He was a friend to all the people of America, and was admired by millions for his remarkable courage in going into an invasion with the first troops so the folks back at home could know what their sons were doing.

The editor has received numerous communications concerning War Correspondent Pyle's column referring to our own Ben Glover. Among these was a letter from Bryant Seay, Houston, who wrote, "Am sure that your paper has received all of this information but just wanted to let you know that the former Bairdites really noticed what they are doing."

Another came from Paul Duncan, Gladwin, Mich., who wrote, "I happen to remember this young man when he was in the first grade and I was a senior in Baird high school."

Mrs. Peggy McNeely arrived recently to spend several months with her father, C. L. Stallings. Her husband, S-Sgt. Allen McNeely, who is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., is preparing to go on a Bond tour.

Mrs. Elva Smith had as her guests Saturday and Sunday, her mother, Mrs. A. D. Purvis, and aunt, Mrs. Montgomery.

Several youngsters visited in the Roy Clipper home Sunday afternoon.

Lewis Tarver has been made Tee-Sgt. lately. He has recently made a trip to Cuba also.

Classified Ads

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Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, accompanied Mrs. O. C. Landers to Galveston Monday where Mrs. Landers will receive medical treatment.

S-Sgt. Julian E. Farmer, from Big Spring, while spending a sixteen day furlough, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Farmer, had as his guest, Sgt. Chester Doyle, also stationed at Big Spring Army Air Base.

POSSUM FLATS... WELL WORTH THE EFFORT!

By GRAHAM HUNTER



List of Red Cross Donors Is Continued This Week

The following patriotic citizens of Baird were among those who contributed to the recent drive for Red Cross funds in Baird: Bob Norrell, Ralph C. South, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer, Lillian Atwood, Mrs. Floy Young, Vada Rister, Mrs. Louise Stiles, Mrs. Wanda Adler, Anna Lee Davis, Humble Oil and Ref. Co., Mrs. Lamar Henry for Bayou, Mrs. O. C. Landers, N. L. Diekey, Olen Jones, P. D. Ausmus, Mrs. Hubert Ross, Mrs. O. F. Stiffler, O. C. Rouse, Mrs. A. T. Scroggins, W. T. Payne, W. P. Brightwell, Mrs. J. N. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Sr., Tuesday Nite Bridge Club, Mrs. Anna Jackson, Mrs. E. B. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Danielson, Mrs. S. W. Poe, Mrs. Mary Kehrer, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Anderson, Mrs. Aden Atwood, Mrs. Lorena Shelton, Mrs. W. C. Pruitt, Mrs. O. D. Allphin, Alex Robinson, Will Appleton. Donation from Plaza Theatre Don Thompson, Mrs. Harrison Hammonds, J. H. Blair, Mrs. Garner, Miss Grimes, Mrs. Ivey, Miss Myers, Mrs. Short, Miss Hill, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Dunwoody, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Bill Yarbrough, Mr. Powers, Mrs. Nichols, Miss Evelyn Frazier, Miss Jo Ruth Arvin, Mrs. A. H. Bales, Baird Ref. Co., Octane Oil Ref. Co., E. L. Woodley, J. E. Bullock, Mrs. J. E. Bullock, S. I. Smith, Frances M. Corn, Gilbert Hinds, D. L. Pearce, Tom West Mory B. Everett, Joyce Miller, C. P. Ault, G. C. Avery, C. W. Edwards, W. A. Hunt, Irvin Corn, Hayne Gilliland, A. R. Dallas, Henry McDonald, E. L. Dunlap, E. B. Brown, C. K. Meadows, Aden Atwood, Bruce Thompson, Mrs. Ea Falls, Dr. Neithercutt, Mrs. Edna Fielder, F. J. Gleghorn, N. C. Simmons, Mrs. Katherine Hinds, W. P. Floyd, Mrs. J. H. McGowen, Mary E. Cooper, Curtis Jones, W. W. Lofland, Bill Lofland, Jean Powell, Lone Star Gas Co., Mrs. H. F. Foy, Mrs. Wil McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hall, J. M. Glover, Mrs. J. P. Izzard, J. E. Davis, C. R. Gray, A. H. Turner, L. A. Reese, C. W. Holbrook, J. H. Munson, H. I. Ross, J. E. Alexander, Mrs. J. E. Alexander, Mrs. R. J. Harris, E. W. Frankie, Joe F. Alexander, Mrs. Joe F. Alexander, R. J. Harris, Leota Alexander, J. C. Weldon, Presbyterian Ladies Aid, Miss Lucille Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, Mrs. J. N. McFarlane, E. J. Havens, Charles Walker, Wednesday Club, Odd Fellow Lodge, Jean Powell, Women's Society of Christain Service, Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Plowman.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. McGee of Clyde is doing splendid. Otto Schaffrinn's condition is unimproved. Mrs. Marshall Mannings entered the hospital April 16th for medical treatment. J. C. (Pop) Lee entered the hospital Saturday, April 14, for medical treatment. J. L. Henson, Clyde, was dismissed from the hospital Monday, April 16. Mrs. Katie Crawford of Clyde who was a medical patient the 12th and 14th of April is greatly improved. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strickland went home yesterday. Both are doing nicely. Bill Lipham is improving. Mrs. L. G. Barnhill was dismissed from the hospital the 13th of April, much improved.

FARM CENSUS IN PROGRESS

Enumerators are at this time in their final go 'round to take the farm census in Callahan County. The farm census is taken once every five years throughout the United States. Due to the shortage of enumerators, the task is heavy this time. Farmers or any member of the family may give the required information, and they will greatly assist the enumerators by giving it as promptly and as accurately as possible.

The information given in these reports is strictly confidential and it will not be used for any other purpose than that for which it was intended. By this census the government may learn of the food production of the nation which is directly beneficial to the farmers of the nation.

MISS CHATHAM HONORED

Miss Jimmie Chatham celebrated her 20th birthday Sunday, April 8, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chatham. Among those present were her sisters, Alene and Tootsie, and her brother, Curtis. Other guests were Charlene Grissom of Big Spring, Joyce Edwards of O'Donnel, Yvonne McLain of Crowell, Winifred Walker of Knox City, Marie Rice of Anson, Ellen Hill and Nola Van Gibson of Baird.

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BAIRD SOLDIER ADDED TO RAILSPLITTER ROLL

Added to the growing list of soldiers from this area now serving with the 84th (Railsplitter) division of the Ninth Army is T-4 Raymond C. Mitchell whose wife is making her home at Baird. Mitchell, son of Mrs. C. V. Mitchell of Mingus, was inducted in December 1942 and joined the 84th at Camp Howze.

Copies of propaganda leaflets, pictures of the Dutch family with whom he lived while in Holland, and other souvenirs have been sent his wife.

Miss Maxine Hutchins of Los Angeles, Calif. is visiting Mrs. Myrtle Edwards for a few days.

BABY CHICKS SPECIAL PRICES For February

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AAAA Grade	\$12.00

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LOOK LIKE THE REAL THING

Sure, and we agree with you. The hand is quicker than the eye. Slight of hand performers do make the impossible seem to be very real in quite a number of magical ways.

But, friends, magic has nothing whatsoever to do with the principles upon which the Baird Municipal Light Plant operates. It is founded upon plain, good business methods of serving the people of Baird.

The best of this plan is that when Baird people spend money for electricity generated at its modern municipal plant, they not only receive the service, but their money remains to be their own. Sounds too good to be true, but it's a fact, for the people of Baird own the plant themselves. So, you see, the real thing is better than magic.

Municipal Light Plant
Owned By The People of Baird

Bear Facts

The Baird High School Paper

WINNING THEME AT DISTRICT MEET BY RUTH CAMPBELL

HOW THE WAR HAS AFFECTED OUR SCHOOL

When one thinks of the sacrifices he has made during these many war years, he thinks of friends who have gone, some never return; of shortages of fuel, food, gasoline and clothing; he thinks of plans which have had to be put on the shelf, so to speak, until a later date. But high on any high school student's list will come the changes which he has had to make in his school.

In a place of importance in the halls or the auditorium, will be found a large service flag, the white field almost covered with blue stars, with perhaps a few gold ones. The honor roll shows names of his friends, his brothers, perhaps, and he knows the possibility there is that his name will soon be there and his star will be on the flag.

As the Wednesday assembly meets, and the student body gives the pledge of allegiance to the "flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands," there is a new ring in the voice of each student and a rededication of himself to be something great and good in this country which has "liberty and justice for all."

The football team this year might have been a champion team, only the coach was in a prison camp in Germany, and the boys needed training; exactly the same kind of training that was going to waste behind barbed wire fences.

After school was out each evening, the gang didn't stay to play tennis or basketball, or baseball. They all had jobs and their place was in those jobs, all the time they weren't in school.

There wasn't a school dance in the gym Friday night. There was always so much else that had to be done.

The Baptist preacher taught school almost all the term. No, he doesn't have a degree, but the Chemistry teacher had gone to do

Rowden News

J. O. McCarty

Everyone enjoyed the school play, which was given at the Bayou School April 12th. Many people attended.

Pvt. Adron Wilcoxon, left Sunday for Maryland, after spending a ten day leave with his parents near Cottonwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McCarty, and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McQueen, this weekend.

Mr. Grover Gibbs, visited his wife at Rowden this weekend.

The Bayou School will have another short play, April 19th. Everyone is invited.

Hoot Swafford is visiting his folks at Rowden this week.

A party was enjoyed very much Saturday night by many young people in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCarty are visiting his parents, near Rowden.

Mr. Bill Tuttle of Abilene, visited his Ranch near Rowden Saturday.

The rain which fell Sunday, helped many farmers and ranchers.

Some secret research work for the government.

The Band and Pep Squad didn't go to all the ball games this year. The school bus didn't have enough gas or good enough tires to make the trip.

School was dismissed two weeks last fall and the students spent that time in the fields, gathering the crop. That means that school will be two weeks later in dismissing this spring. But there won't be any crops to harvest, then.

Always before, the senior class has taken a long trip, to the capital or to the coast, or maybe into the next state. But this year, they're making plans to camp out at the lake a couple of days. No one seemed to care about a lot of money to go so far.

This is a list of sacrifices. But what have we sacrificed? Has our school been blown to bits? Have we been taken from our school to form companies to defend our "Leader?" Have our classes been interrupted by the whine of air raid sirens and have we had to continue our lessons in a dark, stuffy, and perhaps none too safe bomb shelter?

No; We don't know what war is. Our school may have made a few small changes and given up a few things. But we're lucky. Lucky that we're Americans and lucky that when Peace comes, we may be sure that such deep indelible scars will be left on our minds and bodies and we can know that some day a time will come when "men shall beat their swords into plow shares and their spears into pruning hooks." Nation will not rise up against nation; neither shall they learn war, any more.

The Spanish Club Baquet was held Friday night April 13, at Stanley's Cafe. This was a very gala occasion and was carried out in typical Spanish style.

The menu consisted of very delicious Spanish food and the program was very entertaining.

The club had as their guests, Mrs. Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. South, Dr. and Mrs. Hill, Archie Nichols, and Mrs. Siodous.

SPORTS

BY SAM GORMAN AND HARRY VARNER

The Bear's softball team went to Moran last Friday, and brought back a victory of 1 to 0.

The Bears made their score in the first inning and held the opponents until the last inning. Tom Odom knocked a two-base hit, and then Sam Gorman knocked him in for the one score. The game was a thriller all the way, and the Bear's pitched, Harry Varnar did extra well. He walked two men, and then in the last inning with two men on bases, and one out, he fanned the next two players.

The volleyball girls team went to Moran also, but they were defeated two games out of three. The scores of these games are 15 to 10, and 14 to 16.

The Bear's football team of next year started the spring training last Monday, April 16. They expect to have a strong team next year in the class B district, consisting of Moran, Clyde Putnam, Cross Plains, Rising Star, and Strawn. Coach Lloyd Connel, of basketball fame, will coach the boys next year.

The seniors are looking forward to the traditional football game of the next year's team and this year's team, which will be played in about two weeks in the Bear's Den.

Miss Wanda Brown, office nurse and technician for Dr. M. L. Stubblefield, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, at Gorman last weekend.

Capt. and Mrs. John McIntyre of Abilene were here Wednesday.

Oplin Items

By Georgia Dean McBride

The Pierce children were called home to their mother who is seriously ill, Mrs. W. L. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sawyers and daughter of Lubbock spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McWhorter and daughter. Virginia spent two weeks in Lubbock with her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest McIntyre and daughter spent a few days with their folks.

Terry Irby Jr., J. T. Slaughter Jr. and Andrew Boston left Tuesday 10th for the U. S. Service.

Mrs. Calvin Poindexter has been ill over the weekend.

Hicks Bryson who is working at Crain, Texas was visiting with his folks and friends during the weekend.

Miss Lorice Steakley of Okla. City, Okla. is visiting a few days with her folks Mr. and Mrs. John Steakley.

Pvt. and Mrs. Walter Mathews of Wichita Falls are also visiting home folks.

Pvt. Leornald Roberson who left several weeks ago for the U. S. Army, is stationed at San Antonio, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slaughter and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McBride spent the weekend in Fort Worth with Mrs. J. T. Slaughter and Mrs. Pearl Mitchell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'shields of Melrose, N. M. are visiting a few days with their folks.

Todd Windham who is with the U. S. Navy and has served overseas is home for a visit with his folks and friends. He is the son of Mrs. Collie Windham.

Deep Creek News

By Mrs. H. L. Turner

Mrs. Buster George visited with Mrs. J. H. Hughes Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tarver, Ruth and Donald, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis were called to Evant Thursday to be with Mrs. Tarver's and Mr. Davis' father, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes and little grand daughter visited with Grandad Hughes Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Esmen, Gene, and Ronald, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tarver Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bolton and little daughter from Coleman visited in the Davis home Saturday night and Sunday. Miss Gemitha Gilliam was also a visitor in the Davis home.

Mrs. Rolan Nichols spent Tuesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boatwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collier and small son, Eugene, from Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Dyess with their three children from Roscoe, returned to their homes Monday after visiting W. B. Allen at Cottonwood. Mr. Allen is the father of Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Dyess.

Cottonwood

By Mrs. S. B. Strahan

Cpl. Edward Coppinger is home on a twenty-day leave from Brooklyn, N. Y. He is in the Hospital Corps and has been "across" twice, traveling on a British ship.

Mrs. Mike Cunningham of Anson was here over the weekend visiting her parents, the Lewis Coppingers and her brother, Edward.

Vernon Strahan of Big Spring visited home folks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock and their niece, Mrs. Ben Campbell, from Tennessee visited the Ralph Brocks at Eula last Wednesday.

Floyd Weaver has a discharge from the Navy and is now enjoying a visit with home folks. Floyd has seen five months' service near Luzon.

Loy Carter and his sister, Mrs. Eldridge Price, of Houston visited in the S. H. Thomas home the past week. Mrs. Price was on her way to join her husband in New Mexico. He is in service.

Pender Mitchell from Albuquerque, N. M. is visiting at the Richard Thompson home.

John David, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weldon, died in Hendrix Memorial Hospital Monday morning. He was taken by ambulance to the hospital Sunday. His death came as a complete shock to the community.

Those visiting their mother, Mrs. T. A. Coppinger, due to the death of their brother, Stanley Coppinger, in the Pacific, were R. G. and Parker Coppinger, Mrs. Leta West and Estel Freeland.

Fred Purvis has received word that his son, Cpl. Bobbie Joe Purvis, is missing. Bobbie Joe was tail gunner on a fighter plane and probably went down over Czechoslovakia.

Cecil Collier and family of Odessa are visiting in the Allen home.

Midway News

MRS. W. B. TARVER

Mrs. Sidney Strain and little son of Grandberry are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tarver.

Mrs. Jerry Webb and sons of Marfa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Webb.

The young set entertained Jack Walker Tuesday night with a weiner roast, before his departure for the service.

The H. D. Club met Friday with Mrs. Cook, with an all day hat clinic and covered dish dinner.

Wanda and Johnny Rogers went to a district meet to play tennis Saturday at Brownwood.

Bad weather interfered with church activities Sunday. But let's be on hand next Sunday 100 per cent.

W. B. Tarver and wife returned Saturday from Colorado City after a weeks visit with the lady's mother, Mrs. J. P. Fry. Mr. Fry suffered a heart attack the 4th and suddenly passed away. He was seventy-one years of age.

COOKED FOOD SALE

Mothers of the Freshman class of Baird High School will have a cooked food sale Saturday and will appreciate the patronage of the towns people.

CLYDE TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED

H. E. Swofford and Steve Tarrant were elected members of the Clyde school board of trustees in the recent election. Other board members are F. A. Bouchette, president; Earl S. Hays, vice president; John T. Bailey, secretary; A. C. Forrester and Harry Steen.

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They'll have them, too. And the electric service that keeps them running will continue to be both cheap and friendly. That's one way we can help make dreams come true!

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Baird, Texas

So the city folks have done it! Well, WATCH OUR SPEED!

WORD comes from Washington that the fat-salvage problem has got to be licked in the small cities, the towns and on the farms.

We women have to save enough used fats in our kitchens to help make munitions, medicines, fabrics, soap for military and civilian use, and many other essentials.

The job, to date, has been done largely by city people, because arrangements for collecting the fats were made in the cities first. And these city folks are turning in more than twelve million pounds a month!

Now we're called on. And will the women on the farms and in the towns and small cities break that record?

Don't worry—just watch our speed!

HOW TO DO IT: Save all used fats in a tin can. Keep it handy to the stove. Scrape your broilers and roasting pans, skim soups and gravies, for every drop counts. Keep solid pieces of fat, as meat trimmings and table scraps, in a bowl.

Melt down once a week when your oven's going, add the liquid fat to the salvage can.

Take the can to your butcher as soon as it's full. He will give you two red points and up to four cents for every pound. If you have any difficulty, call your County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent.

This message is approved by WFA and OPA, and paid for by Industry.

100,000,000 More Pounds Of Used Fats Are Needed This Year!



<p>SATURDAY, April 21 Rough Riding Justice With Charles Starrett Dub Taylor Plus Flying Cadets No. 12 And Two-Gun Rusty</p>	<p>OWL SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT Dancing In Manhattan With Fred Brady, Jeff Donnell Plus Flicka Flashback - 4</p>	<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY April 22-23 Margart O'Brien Jimmy Durante June Allyson Jose Iturbi In Music for Millions Plus Clock Watcher And Paramount News</p>	<p>PLAZA THEATRE After a hard day's work, relax at the movies. The cost is small and THIS Theatre is convenient. You don't have to go to the bother of dressing. Just get the family together and visit this theatre. You'll find your favorite stars and finest attractions always showing here.</p>	<p>TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY April 24-25 Blonde Fever Starring Philip Dorn Mary Astor Plus Caribbean Romance And Paramount News</p>	<p>THURSDAY - FRIDAY April 26-27 None But The Lonely Heart With CARY GRANT Miss Ethel Barrymore Barry Fitzgerald Plus Butcher At Seville</p>
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Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tyson, Joyce, Melba and James Rylee visited their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Thompson at Cross Plains Sunday.

HAT CLINIC HELD AT OPLIN
 Large hats, small hats, hats of all description were brought to a hat clinic held by the Home Demonstration Club of Oplin April 3rd. Miss Wilkerson supervised cleaning, reshaping and decorating the hats.

For The Job Ahead...
 It is vitally important that every farmer produce the acme in his crops this year in quantity and quality. One factor in high production is good seed.
WE HAVE THE SEED

- Hegari
- Sudan
- Red Top
- Kaffir
- Martin Milo
- Plainsman Milo
- Dwarf Yellow Milo
- Millet
- Feterita
- Cream Peas
- Blackeyed Peas
- Corn
- Hybrid Seed Corn

Morgan's FOOD STORE

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour to the following: Miss Wilkerson, Madames, A. B. Byres, M. E. Johnson, John Jordan, P. C. Brooks, Mallie Johnson, Louise Nobles, Earl Roberson, Clyde Floyd, Bulen Poindexter, Rob Roberson, Wallace Johnson, Ernest Knudson, J. W. May, W. E. Reed and Andrew Johnson.

"Texas" will be the subject for the club program April 17th. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Martie Nelson Webb is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Malin and family in Amarillo.

Glen Boyd left Sunday for Glen Dale, Ariz., to visit his sister, Mrs. O. O. Mobley and family.

Miss Doryce Farrar returned Saturday after a weeks visit with friends in Monahans.

Miss Evelyn Frazier spent the weekend with her mother in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Walter Williams wrote from Star Route 1, to have The Star sent to her son, Cpl. O. D. at his New York address.

Mrs. C. L. McCleary of Orange arrived Sunday for a weeks visit with her father, W. P. West and other relatives.

Mrs. H. B. Straley wrote from San Angelo to have The Star sent to her for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kilgore recently moved here from Odessa. Mr. Kilgore assumed duties as agent of T. and P. railroad here March 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollingshead are fishing at Lake Cisco, this week.



To make my salvation sure I must not only have faith in God and his son, but I must repent of my sins. "The times of ignorance therefore God overlooked, but now he commandeth men that they should all everywhere repent." (Acts 17:30). Christ in Luke 13:3 says, "I tell you, Nay; but, except ye repent, ye shall all in like manner perish." In order to have salvation in the name of Christ I must confess Him before men. "Everyone therefore who shall confess me before men, him will I also confess before my Father who is in heaven. But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father who is in heaven." (Matt. 10:32, 33). To make the confession, that you believe in the Holy Catholic Church or to make the confession, that you believe that God for Christ's sake has pardoned your sins, is not making your salvation as sure as you can, for those confessions cannot be found in the Bible. In Acts 8:37, we find the confession that the Bible requires. This is the only safe and sure one. Here it is. "I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God." In this confession you confess Christ. Christ says that unless you confess me before men then I will not confess you before my Father who is in Heaven. If you make a confession that does not confess Christ then you have no assurance whatsoever that Christ is going to confess you before his Father. Then to make your salvation as sure as you can you must make the Bible confession. Any confession that does not confess Christ gives no assurance whatsoever that Christ will confess him before the Father.

You must have faith in Christ, repent of your sins and make the good confession in order to be obedient to Christ, but this is not all. To be obedient to Christ and to make your salvation as sure as you can you must be baptized. The Bible teaches plainly on this subject. There is no more right to reject baptism as part of the plan of salvation than there is faith or repentance. It is as plainly taught as anything in the Bible. "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that disbelieveth shall be condemned." (Mk. 16:16). Again, "Repent ye, and be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ unto the remission of your sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit." (Acts 2:38). Such plain teaching as this could not be misunderstood if there were not so many false teachers out helping the people to misunderstand. Why not obey your Lord in Baptism in order to be saved, to have your sins forgiven. Obey him today and make your salvation as sure as you can.

(Paid Advertisement.)
 Mrs. James E. Eatherly and children, Ray and Kay, of Katy are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ray, for two weeks.

Mrs. W. L. Batley, nee Martie Webb, of Corpus Christi visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb during Easter. She also visited her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Batley, of Clyde.

Mrs. J. R. (Lula) Hart of Fort Worth who has been seriously ill in the Methodist Hospital for five or six weeks, wants to thank her many friends for their kind remembrances, cards, flowers and letters during her illness.

She was taken home April 14th, and is reported to be improving.

Major and Mrs. Philip Yonge arrived Thursday of last week from Camp Hood for a visit with Major Yonge's mother, Mrs. Edna Yonge. Major Yonge is a veteran of the First World War and is serving in the legal department of the army.

MARGARET O'BRIEN IN MUSIC FOR MILLIONS

Little Margaret O'Brien, who plays "Mike" in M-G-M's "Music for Millions," which will be shown at the Plaza Theatre, Sunday and Monday, April 22 and 23, was born in Los Angeles on January 15, 1937. Her mother, a former dancer, abandoned her career when Margaret was born. She then devoted herself to managing her dancer sister. The youngster reacted happily to show business atmosphere. Soon after Paul Hesse, noted photographer, begged permission to use Margaret's photograph on a magazine cover. This came an extra part in "Babies on Broadway," and the coveted title role in "Journey for Margaret," after a nationwide talent hunt. She also scored triumphs in "Lost Angel" and "The Canterville Ghost."

SEE JIMMY DURANTE AT PLAZA THEATRE

Jimmy Durante, who plays Andrew in M-G-M's "Music for Millions," was born in New York: His quaint singing voice and rare sense of humor led him into vaudeville after a brief career as a photo-engraver. The famous act of Claydon, Jackson & Durante held a top spot in top vaudeville for many years. After he had gained fame on the Broadway musical stage as well, he made a number of films for M-G-M and then returned to the stage and night-club appearances, adding radio to his list of accomplishments. "Two Girls and a Sailor" marked his return to the screen.

Mrs. Geneva Flores of Houston had her subscription to the paper renewed in a letter to The Star last week.

I. R. Keele of Clyde, route 2, visited The Star recently, at which time he renewed his subscription to the paper.

Mrs. Gerald Webb and three sons of Marfa are visiting S. E. Webb's family and other relatives in and near Baird.

Mrs. Sue Faust, formerly of Baird, arrived Wednesday from New York for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. Rupert Jackson.

Miss Isadore Grimes and Miss Sybil Myers spent the weekend in Dallas and Fort Worth. While there they attended Ice-Capades and visited Miss Grimes' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spencer.

Supplies for office and school.

CARY GRANT PLAYS RESTLESS WANDERER

The rebellion of a restless young cockney against his world of misery and poverty is the basis of RKO Radio's thrilling new drama, "None But The Lonely Heart," which is based on Richard Llewellyn's best-selling novel. Cary Grant is starred and Ethel Barrymore featured in an equally important role. The picture tells the story of Ernie Mott, a ne'er-do-well, played by Cary Grant, who is caught in the slough of misery in London's seamy East End. He has no regard for his mother, played by Miss Barrymore, nor for the love of a neighborhood girl. He takes his tawdry pleasures in a neighborhood "Fun House" and falls in love with one of its employees. When he is finally spurred by desperation to relieve the miseries of his lot, he joins a gang of thugs with the usual disastrous results. The fade-out, however, brings a promise of hope.

Supporting the two principals in a long cast of weird and interesting cockney personalities are Barry Fitzgerald, Jane Wyatt, June Duprez, George Coulouris, Roman Bohnen and Konstantin Shayne. David Hempstead produced and Clifford Odets directed, in addition to writing the screenplay.

Mrs. Ora Mae Longbotham of Anchorage, Alaska was a recent visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Keele of Clyde. She was enroute to Washington, D. C., where she will attend a Red Cross School for a three weeks course.

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Mrs. Joe McGowen left Wednesday for Dallas to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Collins, and family.

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