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SUPPORT OUR HOME TOWN

SWEET N' SOUR

By A. Dell

Weather permittin', Saturday is official "Splash Day" in Baird. The municipal pool opens the '58 season at 10 a. m. tomorrow, so dig out your swim fins, goggles 'n what-have-you 'n let's celebrate. The pool by the way is sporting a complete clean-up and paint job, new nylon rope lines, new coca-matting diving board covers, new cement approach and connecting walk to baby wading pool and just about anything you can ask for to make a visit there more pleasant than ever.

Due to a rain-out last week end this is Rodeo time in Callahan County and the Sheriff's Posse Show is in full swing. Given up to be one of the finest in this section of the country, it boasts of world championship cowboys on top-notch stock. The points won here help decide the champs for this year and in all probability you'll see future ones as well as the top of this season's hands at work there during the show.

We had a rare treat this week. Cecil Nichols dropped by with some of the paintings he has been doing in both carbon pencil and pastels. Subject matter with artist Nichols may vary from a particularly striking pose of a celebrity, of a glowing western desert scene, and may even include a portrait of a dear neighbor or friend. Mr. Nichols does all manner of art and does it well, painting with a kind and sympathetic hand which tells, more than all else, of his love for things he paints, whether animate or inanimate. You can't see one of Cecil's cloudy skies without realizing he likes them, likes their cool shadows and high peaks. It wouldn't be Cecil, though, without humor, and he finds this in cartoons, full of fun but never cruel as cartoons can sometimes be. We think Mr. Nichols has a great deal of talent and shot through with the pure gold of human kindness—the kind we are so desperately in need of now and always.

A very happy birthday to Eula Mae and R. L. Murphy who will celebrate "their day," as Eula Mae says, May 27th. R. L.'s day is May 28th, Eula Mae's is May 28th so they both claim 27th. Saturday, May 10th, has been set aside for a Little League Bake Sale. The sale starts at 10 a. m. Saturday at Black's Food Store and will feature cakes, pies, and cookies. The sale held a few days ago was a huge success and this one should guarantee the uniforms and equipment the little fellows need for their summer program. Come early and patronize one of the finest causes a community ever sponsored—the Little League.

Some one should give a very special medal to our grade school principal, Joe Pat McHaney (for the extra duty he assigns himself when weather holds the slightest danger for his school youngsters. During the storm alerts last week Mr. McHaney kept in constant contact with the weather warning system, patrolled the breezeways with his eye on the clouds and stood ready at a moment's notice to take the children to safety. Teachers have a great deal of responsibility and never do they feel it more than during a storm alert and it's a comforting thought to parents to know that their principal is vitally concerned with the safety of his children and that they will be notified immediately if they are needed.

Here is some very special news from the Selan Canada family (Mrs. Canada is the former Irma Dell Webb)—they have a baby daughter, Janice La Nell, born April 20th, in the Callahan County Hospital. The Canada's now have five fine sons and two lovely daughters and can consider their blessings seven fold. We're awfully happy to welcome the newest little Canada to the Community and the nicest wish we can make for the little lady is that she grows up as sweet and nice as her family is.

Some of the loveliest Iris to be seen this year are in Eddie Konczak's yard—all colors and varieties abound there and the green thumbed lady of the house, Ovinia Konczak, generously shares her garden with church and friends so that many people enjoy them.

It's celebration time with the Hubert Ross family and the Bob

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Four Races For County Offices

Races for four Callahan County offices were on tap in the July Democratic Primary election after filing closed at midnight Monday.

Contested offices in the county are: county judge, county treasurer, commissioner Prec. 4, and Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1.

Candidates for county judge are J. L. Farmer, incumbent, and Lowell Boyd.

For county treasurer: Hazel Reynolds, incumbent, and George Barnard.

For commissioner Precinct 2, there are four candidates. Glen Swor, Elbert Crawford, Albert Betcher and C. M. Morse. Clyde T. Floyd, incumbent, did not file.

Two candidates for county are seeking Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: W. L. Bowls, incumbent, and B. H. Freeland.

Unopposed candidates for county offices are: County Clerk, Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson; County Superintendent, L. C. Cash; Commissioner Precinct 4, Claud Foster; Clyde Justice of the Peace, R. L. Payne and Putnam Justice of the Peace, Ollie Mae Fleming.

Mrs. Corrie Driskill is unopposed for District Clerk.

Three men filed for State Representative: Paul Burkett, incumbent, Omar Brashert and Chas. H. Dawson.

T&P Crew's Tip Stops Clyde Fire

A Baird telephone operator and a T&P train crew teamed up to turn in a fire alarm Monday morning in Clyde.

Mrs. Charlene South, telephone operator at Baird, was informed of the blaze by a train crewman who saw a burning truck in the yard of Clyde Mayor C. H. Young, near the tracks. They contacted Mrs. South upon arriving in Baird and she alerted Clyde firemen.

The operator and train crew's heads-up thinking came too late to save a 1957 GMC pickup loaded with about \$500 worth of merchandise but Clyde firemen were able to pull the burning vehicle away from a garage and house threatened by the flames. The truck belonged to Mayor Young, who is manager of the Clyde Locker Plant. Young's son, Mike, who lives in Dallas, had driven the pickup, loaded with a bed-sofa and clothing out of Dallas Sunday evening. He arrived in Clyde about midnight, leaving the pickup in his father's yard.

Clyde Youth Given 2 Years Probation

Bobby Lee Bryan, 17, of Clyde, pleaded guilty in 42nd District Court in Abilene Monday to a charge of forging and attempting to pass a forged check.

He was placed under two years probation with one of the requirements being that he make restitution on the \$28.50 check which was cashed Feb. 15 at an M System.

The last grand jury named Bryan in two other indictments. These were not called for trial.

Wound Fatal To W. W. Septer

Funeral for Wesley W. Septer, in his 70s, who died Tuesday morning of a gunshot wound, was held at 10 a. m. Thursday in Wylie Funeral Home Chapel.

Rev. Davis Harrell of the Baird Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Mr. Septer was found shot through the head about 3 p. m. Monday near his home in Baird. He died about 2:30 a. m. Tuesday in Callahan County Hospital.

Sheriff Homer Price said the shot apparently entered his mouth and came out the back of his head. A .32 caliber revolver was found near Mr. Septer.

His wife died about a month ago. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Cora Duryea, of Topeka, Kans.

Pythian Sisters Honor 50-Year Member

The Pythian Sisters of Baird were hosts to members of District 6 Friday night, April 25, at the Presbyterian Annex, honoring Mrs. Arthur Johnson. Mrs. Johnson was presented a Fifty Year Pin.

W. F. Landford of Abilene was Master of Ceremonies for the program. Robert L. Warren presented the pin to Mrs. Johnson.

Music for the occasion was furnished by Mrs. James Reynolds who sang a solo, and Jon Hardwick, Darrell Young and Wayne Boyd.

Following the program, Mrs. Johnson cut a beautifully decorated cake and coffee and cake were served to 45 guests.

Abilene Eaglets Beat Baird, 6-1

Don Edgington and Jackie Boozer teamed up to pitch a three hitter and give the Abilene B team a 6-1 decision over Baird's Bears in Baird Monday afternoon.

Boozer, who pitched the first three innings, was credited with the win. Mac Dumas led Coach Shorty Lawson's Eaglets with two doubles.

Top hitter for the Bears was catcher Robert Suniga with a double and a single. Terry Joy doubled for the only other Baird hit.

Starter Calvin Barnes was charged with the loss.

Batteries—Baird, Barnes, Cummings (4) and Suniga; Abilene, Boozer, Edgington (4) and Thomas.

Methodist Conference Scheduled May 15th

The Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church will be held at Baird Methodist Church Thursday night, May 15. This will also be a Family Night.

Dinner will be served at 7 p. m. and the Conference will follow the dinner.

PARENTS OF SON
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wilbanks are parents of a son, John Mark, born May 8, weighing 8 lbs. 2 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilbanks of Moran and Mrs. Jewel Moore of Gorman.

Baird Rodeo Set To Open Thursday

"We're expecting the best rodeo in years," declared Homer (Blondy) McIntosh, president of the Callahan County Sheriffs Posse, on the eve of the 1958 version of the show.

"We have more cowboys than ever," he declared. "And those disappointed by the postponement last week have signified their intention to return."

The performances, postponed from last week, are scheduled nightly Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

A parade will trigger the rodeo. It will be staged on Market street. It will include mounts, cowboys, antique automobile and early mementos. The time is 6 p. m. Thursday.

Features each night will be the calf scrambles for youths. Donors have contributed more than \$1,000 for purchase of calves to be awarded to winners.

Concession stands on the rodeo grounds will be handled by the Baird Lions Club.

Baird Bears Wallop Moran Nine, 7-5

The Baird Bears racked up their fifth District 10-B triumph in six starts here Tuesday afternoon by defeating Moran 7-5.

Although out hit, 8-7, the Bears held a 7-1 lead until the top of the seventh when Moran got four runs. Moran is 1-5 in district play.

Terry Joy was the winner, going all the way with Burt McKelvain the loser. The Bears play Jim Ned (7-0) at Baird Friday.

Don Davis had a homer for Baird with one on with Barney Tabor, Scooter Tubbs and McKelvain all hitting homers for Moran.

Batteries: McKelvain and Tabor; Joy and Suniga.

Polio Vaccine To Be Given

The third injection of Salk Vaccine for polio will be given next week in the schools of this county by Dr. M. L. Stubblefield, county health officer, assisted by Mrs. Lynn Ault, school nurse.

This will be given to all students last fall or any student who has not had his third injection.

Schedule will be as follows:
May 14—Putnam and Cross Plains.
May 15—Eula and Clyde
May 16—Baird

Brother Of Baird Man Dies Friday

R. C. Glasson of Lamesa, brother of Dale Glasson of Baird, died Friday in Lamesa, following surgery. Mr. Glasson was buried Saturday afternoon at Lamesa.

He is survived by his wife and three children of Lamesa; his father and mother of Lubock; four brothers and four sisters.

Putnam Receives School Annuals

The school annual, the Panther, was distributed recently. Favorites named in it are these: Mr. and Mrs. High School, Jack Francisco and Meta Reynolds; Most Courteous, Effie Jo Carrell and Armo Bentley; Best Personality, Mary Northrup and Henry Mendez; Most Likely to Succeed, Beth Isenhower and Butch Petty; Most Dependable, Effie Jo Carrell and James Isenhower; Beauty and the Beast, Beth Isenhower and Jack Francisco; Mr. and Miss Grade School, Gayle Burnam and Conrad Buchanan.

On May 17, members of the senior, junior and sophomore classes will leave for a four day visit to Houston and Galveston. En route they plan to stop at Buchanan Dam, Austin, and Gonzales. They will return by way of Huntsville, College Station, and Waco. They will be accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Ivey, senior sponsor, J. D. Vitek, sophomore sponsor and Mrs. John Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Fowler and daughter Betty, and Eddie and Debbie Davis of Clinton, Tenn. are spending a few days visiting the J. V. Thompasons.

Baccalaureate Service To Be Held May 18

The Baccalaureate service for Baird High School will be held Sunday night, May 18, at 8 P. M. at the High School auditorium. George Snure, minister of the Church of Christ of Baird will bring the sermon.

Commencement exercises will be on the following Friday night, May 23, at 8 P. M. at the High School auditorium with Mr. Gordon Bennett, acting president of McMurry College, Abilene, delivering the address.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Girl Scout Camp To Open June 8

June 8 will make the opening of Camp Wood Lake, Girl Scout Camp operated by the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council. Camp Wood Lake is located on the scores of beautiful Lake Brownwood, 36th Division State Park.

This will be the third year of resident Girl Scout camping at the Council's established camp.

Camp Wood Lake is owned and operated by the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council for the purpose of enriching the lives of girls as individuals and of teaching them real enjoyment and appreciation for out-of-doors through progressively adventurous experiences.

Camp sessions will be for one and two week periods and will extend through July 19. The camp will accommodate 32 girls per week. A paid staff of 10 qualified counselors, including a camp nurse and a waterfront director, will assume responsibility for camp activities under the direction of Mrs. Wayne Holland, Girl Scout professional worker.

Clyde Bulldogs Lose To Merkel

Only one man reached base as Merkel's Barry Scott twirled a no-hitter against Clyde in a District 3-A baseball game Tuesday afternoon in Clyde.

Merkel won, 15-0, giving the Badgers a 3-0 district record. Scott walked the leadoff man in the third inning, and that was Clyde's lone base runner. Scott struck out 20 of the 22 batters he faced.

Fernando Moreno hit three for four to lead the Merkel 15-hit attack. Phil Seymore homered with one on, and Manley Denton and Joe Neal each hit two for five.

Clyde has a 1-2 district record. Batteries: Scott and Denton; Bynum, Odum (4) and Crain.

Putnam Announces Graduation Services

Baccalaureate services for Putnam High School will be held on Sunday morning, May 11, at the school auditorium. Paul Faulkner, minister of the Putnam Church of Christ, will preach the sermon.

For the commencement program on Friday evening, May 16, the speaker will be Roy Lee Williams, Jr., a graduate of Putnam High School who now is Minister of Education at the First Baptist Church of Houston.

Meta Reynolds, daughter of Supt. and Mrs. W. Reynolds, is valedictorian, and Jack Pruet Francisco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco, is salutatorian. Other members of the class are Effie Jo Carrell and Armo Bentley.

At the senior ceremonies special music will be given by Janice Reynolds and Janell Cochran. Beth Isenhower and Carolyn White will play processional and recessional music for the baccalaureate and the commencement service.

Supt. Reynolds will make special awards, and R. B. Taylor, President of the School Board, will present diplomas.

Eighth graders will receive their diplomas on the same evening. Members of this class are William Hamrick, Alton Northrup, Billy Northrup, and Carolyn White. Valedictorian is William Hamrick, and salutatorian is William Northrup.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Mayes and children arrived Thursday night for a week end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ross, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Warren. The Mayeses were enroute from Virden, Manitoba, Canada to Borgan where they will reside.

Mrs. P. G. Hatchett, Former Baird Resident, Dies In Abilene Tuesday



Mrs. P. G. Hatchett, 85, died at her home, 1742 Merchant in Abilene, at 1:55 p. m. Tuesday. She had been in failing health for the past two years.

Born Ida Scott in Hope, Ark., on Aug. 29, 1872, she later moved with her family to Texas. On Dec. 9, 1891, she married P. G. Hatchett in Erath County. They moved to a ranch in Callahan County in 1904.

The couple left their Callahan County ranch in 1918 and moved to Abilene, where they have resided since. They celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary last December.

Former Clyde Man's Father Dies Friday

J. P. Sallee, 83, died in the Starr Rest Home at Merkel Friday at 11 a. m., after suffering a heart attack. He had lived in Clyde with his son, R. D. Sallee for eight months prior to going to the rest home two months ago.

Mr. Sallee was born in Florence in 1884, and had lived most of his life in Cherokee, near Llano. Funeral services were held at the Cherokee Church of Christ at 2 p. m. Saturday, with burial in the Cherokee Cemetery beside the grave of his wife who died in March 1957.

Survivors include two sons, R. D. of Big Spring, and A. R. of Austin; four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Clyde Girls Win State Tennis Doubles

The Conference B girls doubles championship went to Eula Fay Ham and Dorothy Darden of Clyde who beat Juana McDonald and Paula Jackson of Pyote, 6-2, 6-4.

In Conference B girls singles, Rita Furrett, Lakeview, won the title by defeating last year's champion, Jerry Lou Wright, Ingleside, 6-4, 6-4.

Miss Furrett defeated Bobbie Collins of Clyde, 6-0, 6-13, in the semifinals.

Clyde's Wendell Tucker fell to Carlos Cudd of Pearsall, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1, in the Class B boys singles semifinals.

Mrs. Vess Tollett returned to her home Saturday after undergoing surgery in Callahan County Hospital recently.

Marcelle Jarrett of Midkiff spent the week end visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jarrett and family.

Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Riley were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wylie and daughter Sandra, of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sallee recently moved to Big Spring where he is employed with the T&P. Their son, Richard lives at the home here.

Barbara Snyder, Valedictorian, and R. L. Smedley, Jr., Salutatorian For Class of 1958

Barbara Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder, is the valedictorian of the class of 1958 of Baird High School. Barbara's average for four year's work was 98.11.

Barbara has been very active in high school; she plays 1st chair clarinet in The Bear Band and was elected band sweetheart this year. She is also editor of "The Headlight," the school annual. She has won honors participating in one act play contests, debate, extemporaneous speech and number sense. She

Mrs. Hatchett's mother, who married John Scott, a minister, was the former Rachael Fontaine, of the Fontaine family which were among the original settlers in Virginia.

Funeral for Mrs. Hatchett was held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday at Elliott's Chapel of Memories with Rev. J. S. Bates of Dallas officiating. He was assisted by Dr. Edwin Skiles, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Abilene.

Burial was in the Baird Cemetery under the direction of Elliott's Funeral Home.

Besides her husband, other survivors are two daughters, Miss Ethel L. Hatchett of the home, and Mrs. Rena Belle Carney of Boston, Mass.; two sons, Bill and Buster, both of Baird; five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Howard Farmer, V. E. Behrens, Harold Ray, C. B. Snyder, Bud Cotton, Bill Littleton, E. G. Hampton and Raymond Tison.

Rig Mishap Kills Moran Man

Funeral for O. C. Brush, 32, who was killed 10 miles west of Moran about 9 a. m. Monday when a ball on an oil rig upon which he was working fell on him, was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Moran.

Officiating at Mr. Brush's services was Rev. Roy Norman, assisted by Rev. A. L. Teaff. Burial was in the Moran Cemetery under the direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Working on the rig with his father-in-law, Albert Gline, a drilling contractor, Mr. Brush was killed when the ball fell on him after snapping loose from some fastenings.

Born Aug. 16, 1925, at Sedwick, he served two years in the U. S. Marine Corps, and married Alberta Gline in Moran in 1946. A member of the Baptist Church, he had lived in Moran for only eight months after coming from Albany.

Pallbearers were Gene Nelson, Roy Allen, Frank Beal and Hank Hendrickson, all of Albany, and Ford Green and Dub Midkiff, both of Moran.

Survivors besides his wife include two daughters, Charlotte and Kathy of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tender Brush of Albany; one brother, Melvin Brush of Snyder; three sisters, Mrs. Opal Green of Albany, Mrs. Mozelle Hagwood of Albany and Mrs. Lemae Hardman of Fort Worth.

Grade School Holds Tennis Tourney

The Baird Grade School Tennis Tournament was held this week with nine contestants. Finals were completed Tuesday.

Winners were:
Girls Singles—Kitsy Ross defeated Donna Drennan in the finals, 6-2, 6-4.

Boys Singles—Tommy Barton defeated Tommy Higgins, 6-1, 8-10, 7-5.

Boys Doubles—Robert Martin and Tommy Higgins defeated Richie Crow and Tommy Barton, 6-3, 6-2.

Others entering in the tournament were Tommy Bearden, Johnny Higgins and Eryn Bates.

Mr. Ben Bradley of Downey, California is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. H. Corn and Mr. Corn and other relatives.

Wayne and Carolyn Lawrence of Seymour are spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mart Poindexter and Ted.

Political Announcements

The Baird Star has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject of action of the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1958:

- State Representative:**
PAUL BRASHEAR
(re-election)
OMAR BURKETT
- District Clerk:**
MRS. CORRIE DRISKILL
(re-election)
- County Judge:**
LOWELL BOYD
J. L. FARMER
(re-election)
- County Treasurer:**
HAZEL REYNOLDS
(re-election)
GEORGE BARNARD
- County Superintendent:**
L. C. CASH
(re-election)
- County Commissioner, Prec. 2:**
GLEN SWOR
ELBERT CRAWFORD
ALBERT (Red) BETCHER
C. M. MORSE
- For County Clerk:**
MRS. CHAS. L. ROBINSON
(Re-election)
- Justice of Peace, Prec. 5:**
R. L. PAYNE

ADMIRAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins Saturday night.

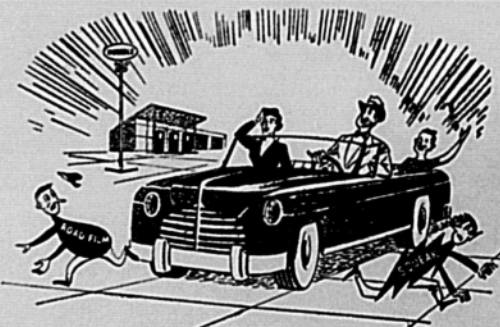
Mrs. J. M. Harrell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthern last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hughes visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rob Walker Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Lennard from Spey Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Black and boys of Hamby and Rev. and Mrs. Ted Johnston, Cindy and Teddy.

Myrtle and Aleta White, Mrs. D. L. Pearce visited in the home of the Wendell Smiths and then they all visited in the home of H. F. Summers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Sunday.



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Chemical May End Layers Fly Problem

The addition of a larva killing chemical to the ration fed laying hens in cages may be the answer to the fly control problem... a common one with cage operations.

Dr. John H. Quisenberry and C. B. Ryan of the Poultry Science Department and Dr. Manning A. Price of the Department of Entomology of the Texas A & M College System have teamed up to conduct research work on the problem.

Last year in limited tests, the scientists found that six pounds of polybor 3 mixed with a ton of laying mash cut the number of flies under the cages from 4,648 for the check cages to only 27 under the cage housing the hens which got the additive to their ration. Flies per pound of droppings were reduced from 522 per pound for the control cage to only 3 per pound under the cage holding the hens which got the polybor 3 in their ration. The chemical sells for about 15 cents per pound, say the scientists.

The research workers believed that fewer pounds of polybor 3 per ton of feed might give adequate fly control if faster drying of the droppings were possible. The second test was set up and results indicate that as little as 3 pounds of polybor 3 per ton of laying ration might give adequate fly control under practical cage conditions. Indications are that the feeding of polybor 3 results in drier droppings. During the time of the second experiment, cooler weather reduced the fly population but additional tests are already planned for the coming summer.

The scientists point out that field trials will be used to further check this method of fly control and that information must also be collected on the possible effects of polybor 3 on production before general recommendations on its use can be made. There is also a potential danger from the effects of boron on highly susceptible plants where the droppings are used indiscriminately as a fertilizer but the low level dosage would greatly lessen this danger.

Other chemicals are also now being tested not only in Texas but in other states and this method of fly control does offer much promise.

Contractors' Notice of Texas Highway Construction

Sealed proposals for constructing 28.364 miles of Gr., Strs., Widened Base and One and Two Crs. Surf. Treat from FM 18 to Callahan Co. Ll. FROM Taylor Co. Ll. TO US 283 Located at Cedar and Elm Creeks and From SH 36 to 4.7 mi. S. on Highway No. SH 36, US 277, FM 1178, covered by DF 844(6) and (7) and DS 663(5) and R 2378-1-1, in Taylor and Callahan County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., May 13, 1958, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workmen or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workmen or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of E. L. Harris, Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

Eula Items

By Sandra Beard

The Eula P.T.A. will meet Monday, May 12th, at 7:30 P. M. in the Eula School Auditorium. The program will consist of the installation of next year's officers.

Tuesday, May 13th, the high school boys will play Baird at Eula in baseball. The game will begin at 2 p.m.

Everybody please remember the Eula Senior play Friday, May 9th. The play will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. "The Girl Next Door" is the title of the play.

The Eula school will hold its All-School Field Day Wednesday, May 14th.

The Eula High School boys will play Moran at Eula Friday, May 16th in baseball.

James Cannon of the second grade is absent with the mumps and the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nixon of Seminole and Mr. Earl Rutledge of Odessa were guests in the home of the J. A. McKees over the week end.

Curtis Shipman visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shipman, over the week end.

The third grade has a new pupil, Elaine Trigrett, from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dipple and Shirley visited at Wolf Valley Saturday. Wolf Valley is near Rising Star.

Mrs. C. D. Mitchell has returned to her home after undergoing major surgery in an Abilene hospital recently.

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National HD Week May 4 - 10

Texas home demonstration club women -- over 36,000 of them -- will be among the 6 1/2 million homemakers throughout the nation who will observe National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10, according to Maurine Hearn, state home demonstration leader of the Agricultural Extension Service. Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World is again serving as the national theme of the week.

During the week, most of the 2,000 Texas home demonstration clubs plan special activities to highlight their programs. Special exhibits, community programs, feature stories, radio and television programs, and tours are planned to inform other homemakers and families of the purposes of home demonstration work and show its contribution to family and community life.

The home demonstration program is planned by homemakers and carried on cooperatively by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the land-grant colleges and county governments. New research information in all phases of homemaking is brought to women and families through specialists, home demonstration agents and local leaders. Programs and demonstrations in foods and nutrition, housing and home improvement, home management, health and safety, recreation, family life, clothing, consumer buying and public affairs are developed to fit local needs and interests. Home demonstration club members also conduct special programs in civil defense and encourage and assist with local 4-H Club programs.

Get acquainted with the home demonstration club program in your own county. Visit your local county extension office and take part in the special activities planned for National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10.

New Wild Game Bulletin Now Ready

Almost three-fourths of Texas' 170 million acres of land are forests and grasslands. The soil, vegetation and climate conditions vary in different regions, providing suitable habitat for a variety of native wildlife species.

Deer, pronghorn antelope, elk, bighorn sheep, bear, peccary or javelina and tree squirrels are considered game animals in Texas. White-tailed deer and tree squirrels, more plentiful than any other game, are distributed more widely and are the most important ones.

The deer population of Texas is approximately 750,000. The principal kinds are the white-tailed and the black-tailed, or mule deer. The white-tailed, with its varieties, including the flagtail, is distributed most widely and is the greatest in number.

The pronghorn antelope is one of the most picturesque and swiftest of big game. It is a deer-like animal, suggesting a cross between a deer and a goat.

Bighorn sheep and black bear are few in number in Texas, and only a few elk are to be found. Most of them are in the Guadalupe Mountains of Culberson County. The native elk vanished before 1900, but in 1928, 44 elk were imported and have increased to a population of 300 to 500.

Principal game birds of Texas include ducks, woodcock, brant, geese, snipe, plover, many species of shore birds, wild pigeons, chachalacas, prairie chickens, wild turkey, quail and doves.

Detailed information on these game birds and others and on the principal game animals including some of their habits, characteristics and where they are most plentiful may be obtained by ordering B-150, "Wild Game of Texas" from local county agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. Bob Stublefield and family of Dallas, spent the week end visiting Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stublefield. Mrs. Stublefield accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Roberson spent Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Breeding and Mr. Breeding in Abilene. Mrs. Breeding prepared a birthday dinner for her mother.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Bessie Shaffer, Defendant

Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court 42nd Judicial District of Callahan County at the Courthouse thereof, in Baird, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 9th day of June, 1958 to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on this 24 day of April, 1958, in the cause, numbered 11,179 on the docket of said court and styled Earl Sunderman Plaintiff, vs. Bessie Shaffer, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Being an application to have a receiver appointed to execute an oil and gas lease covering the defendant's interest (57/756) in the oil, gas and other minerals in and under the following described tract of land in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: The West one half of the Southwest one quarter of Survey No. 4, Bayland Orphans Home Lands, containing 80 acres of land, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: The North 57 acres of the West 7/8ths of the Northeast one quarter of Survey No. 8, Bayland Orphans Home Lands.

THIRD TRACT: 104 acres of land, more or less, of the Southeast one quarter of Survey No. 3, Bayland Orphans Home Lands, BEGINNING at the Southeast corner of the Southeast one quarter of Survey No. 3, Bayland Orphans Home Lands, THENCE North with the East line of Survey No. 3, to the Northeast corner of the Southeast one quarter of Survey No. 3, THENCE in a Southwesterly direction along the North property line fence belonging to John D. Isenhower; to a point in West boundary line of the Southeast one quarter of Survey No. 3, THENCE South along the West boundary line of the Southeast one quarter of Survey No. 3; THENCE East to the place of beginning, as more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

SEAL
Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Baird, Texas, this the 24 day of April, 1958.

Attest: Mrs. Corrie Driskill, Clerk of the 42nd Judicial District Court of Callahan County, Texas.
May 2, 9, 16, 23

Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford

It's good to see the sunshine after a week of muggy weather and severe thunderstorms.

Mrs. Elbert Crawford, Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Boyd at Downing near Comanche where a tornado struck April 28th.

Mrs. Boyd being an aunt of Mrs. Crawford she was happy to know they escaped the storm, but it did strike near the Boyd home.

Just received word that the last surviving member of the J. W. Taylor family passed away in McAlester, Okla. Saturday Uncle Weaver Taylor had been in very poor health for several years, and a bed patient for about 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris have purchased a 54 model Ford and it was so muddy for several days they couldn't get out and drive around, but Sunday was nice and cool so I noticed they were out visiting.

The young Crawford sons were out visiting with us after a day in National Guard training at Abilene for Hulon.

Hulon and Alice Crawford made a trip to Lubbock April 28 and while there chatted with Mrs. A. B. Byers, a former resident of Opalin. Mr. Byers had been real sick with the flu but was better at that time.

Mr. Charlie F. Young entered the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring Sunday for a check up.

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Legionnaires and Auxiliary members from the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 21st Congressional Districts comprising the Fifth Division of the American Legion will assemble in San Angelo on Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4, for their annual Spring Convention, Dr. Robert G. Cleere, Commander of James J. Goodfellow Post No. 32, has announced.

Registration will be open Saturday from 10:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. at the Town House Hotel. There will be a parade, beginning at 2:00 P. M. which will be followed by the 40 & 8 Street Work. A rehabilitation conference will be held at 4:00 P. M. The annual convention dance will begin at 9:00 P. M. at the Hotel.

Activities will get under way Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock with a Commanders' and Adjutants' breakfast at the Hotel. Registration will be open from 9:00 to 11:00 A. M.

The joint session of the American Legion and Auxiliary will start promptly at 10:00 A. M., with Dr. Cleere calling the meeting to order. Colors will be advanced by the Lubbock Color Guard, followed by the Invocation by 21st District Chaplain Ferrell Brooks of Junction. The address of welcome will be given by Mayor H. E. McCulloch and response by Division Commander C. B. Cathey of Hamilton, Past Department Commander Joe L. Matthews of Fort Worth will deliver the principal address to the convention. Chaplain Brooks will have charge of the Memorial Service.

Barbecue lunches will be served at 12:00 Noon at Santa Fe Park. Immediately after lunch the Legion and Auxiliary will hold their separate business sessions. The Legion meeting will be presided over by Commander Cathey. Committee reports will be heard, a vice commander for the coming year will be elected and also a Delegate to the National Convention to be held in Chicago in September.

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News Happenings In Clyde



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SS Class Meets In Thomas Home

Mrs. H. K. Thomas was hostess for the Dorcas Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church held in her home Monday at 7:30 P. M. for their regular monthly meeting.

Girl Scout News . . .

INTERMEDIATE TROOP 2
Troop 2 Intermediate Girl Scouts went to Abilene April 23 for our last sewing lesson at the Singer Sewing Center. We were shown how to use a pattern and select our material also how to put in a zipper and the different kinds. Our next meeting will be at the Scout Hut. Those attending were: Jackie Poe, Barbara Russell, Linda Kelly, Mary Ann Ralston, Ann Williams and Mrs. Homer Kennard.

TROOP SIX
Girl Scout Troop 6 met Tuesday, May 6, at the home of their leader, Mrs. Clyde Foster. Games were played and nibbles were served.

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served during which time we read the story of Juliett Gordon Low.

During the business session dues were paid and reports given after which we made Buddy Burners for our camp out. For our Ditty Bags we got different colors of material. We also planned some of the activities for our camp out.

TROOPS 4 and 5
Girl Scout Troop 5 and Brownie Troop 4 met Thursday at the Scout Hut with their leaders, Mrs. R. O. Cloud and Mrs. Bill Baker.

CUB SCOUT NEWS . . .
DEN ONE
Cub Scouts of Den 1 met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. George Chapman. The group spent the afternoon potting flowers for Mothers Day gifts.

Clyde Study Club Views Style Show
The Clyde Study Club met last Thursday, May 1, in the home of Mrs. Don Allen. Program for the day was a style show by the Clyde Home-making Department. Mrs. Allen, instructor, presented her first and second year pupils. Girls styling the garment they made were: Phyllis Barnes, Jane Blacklock, Beth Cook, Anna Beth Oren, Janice Evans, Shirley Ray, Cyse Oren, Linda Eager, Beth Kniffen, Pat Schwellhard and Dorothy Vickers. Sherrill Allen, age 4, styled a dress made for her by Sue Crawford. Other childrens dresses were shown by Mrs. Allen.

First Baptist Church News . . .
At our services on Sunday morning in recognition of Mother's Day we will award the oldest mother present, the Youngest mother present and the newest mother present, a corsage. This will be a small token of our appreciation for all our Mothers.

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Eula Banquet Honors Trustees-Teachers

The Eula Future Homemakers honored the teachers and trustees with an "Appreciation Banquet" Friday night, May 2 in the Eula lunch room.

Methodist Church News . . .
The regular work of the church continued this week, with 121 participating in the morning worship last Sunday.

Joint Meeting WMU Circles Held Tuesday

The WMU Circles of the Baptist Church met Tuesday at 10 a.m. for a business and Royal Service Program. Theme of the program, "The Doors of the South" was given by Mrs. Patton, after which a round table book discussion was presided over by Mrs. C. F. Reid.

Bailey Circle Meets In Stevenson Home

The Bailey Circle met in the home of Mrs. A. E. Stevenson Monday, May 5th, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting opened with a prayer by Mrs. Stoen.

1st Lt. WILLIAM R. SWAN HOME ON LEAVE
First Lt. William R. Swan, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rud Swan of Clyde, formerly of Abilene, is home on leave before his new assignment as a helicopter pilot in Alaska.

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Mrs. Bill Baker Hosts Circle

Mrs. Bill Baker's home was the scene for the Armstrong Circle meeting Monday at 7:30 P. M. when the group met for their pledge services with Mrs. Harold Holden in charge of the program.

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CARD OF THANKS
Our thanks to the Clyde Fire Department for every effort made in extinguishing the fire which destroyed the truck and its contents at our home. Special thanks to the T&P train crew, Mrs. Dan South, Mrs. Vera Nelson, C. C. Poe, and the entire force who helped in any way.

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Mrs. Henry Pierce Has Been Visiting Her Children

Mrs. Henry Pierce has been visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and son Lynn in Fort Worth; her brother-in-law Milburn Pierce, in a Dallas hospital; Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pierce and Diane in Farmington, N. M. Mrs. Pierce returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lofton, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Riley visited in Big Spring and Stanton last Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Sherrill left Tuesday for Boling Green and Campville Ky, for a visit with relatives.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norwood this week are their grandsons, Wayland Reed and Brian Dale Norwood of Midkiff.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holden returned recently from a visit with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holden and son in Lubbock. They also visited relatives in Three Rivers, N. M.

Leonard Gay and David Lynn spent last week on the ranch in Palo Pinto county. Mr. Gay reports that the grass and cattle are in the best condition in seven years, and that fishing was fine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Meeker, Colo., spent 12 days here recently with his mother, Mrs. Dora Miller, and his sister, Mrs. A. V. King and Mr. King.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Pyeatt returned this week from a visit in Farmington, N. M. with son Bob and wife. They also visited relatives and friends in El Paso, and were accompanied home by Mrs. Callie Marshall who will visit a few weeks.

Mrs. Lula Peeler, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Corn in Baird, visited friends and neighbors here Tuesday.

The Steen Circle met Wednesday for the first of a series of lessons on missionary work, under the leadership of Mrs. P. C. Steen.

Week end visitors with Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Williams were his two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Williams of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williams of Hooker, Okla. Their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Trent, were also here.

Mrs. John Soules of Star visited this week with her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Edwards and family.

Rough Fish Kill For Possum Kingdom

The enlarged program for rough fish eradication in Possum Kingdom lake is a chemical treatment process and no poisoning is involved, according to the Director of Inland Fisheries.

"Studies now are being made by biologists," the Director said. "During the latter part of July we will move enough men with boats and planes onto the water to cover the lake thoroughly in one day. This definitely is not a poisoning program. Through sampling we have determined the amount of chemical treatment necessary for removal of certain types of rough fish.

"This treatment affects the gills of the fish, which makes it impossible for them to breathe in the treated water. When they are surfaced they are picked up or they wash ashore and are destroyed."

"After this treatment the fish are still edible and thousands of pounds will be picked up by persons who will use them for food."

This treatment program on Possum Kingdom will be the largest of its kind ever attempted, according to the Director. It will involve the use of scores of men and boats and possibly airplanes. They will be equipped for spreading the chemical over the entire lake.

The program has the full support of all the sportsmen of the area, many of them offering assistance when the event is scheduled.

Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foster were Mrs. E. R. Foster of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson of Oklahoma City, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray, Doyle and J. W. of Eula.

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Pecan Growers To Meet At Ranger

Oscar Schater, Rt. 2, Cisco, president of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association, announces that the Association will hold its annual Spring field day in Ranger, Friday, May 16.

The discussion will cover marketing, spraying, latest techniques of grafting, etc., and each subject will be discussed by an expert which will include Don King, of the Department of Entomology at A&M College; Joe Orchard of Texarkana, grower and director of the State association; L. C. Romberg of the Brownwood U. B. Field Station, and others.

The meeting will convene at 10 A. M. at the Ranger College cafeteria and will continue till noon, and the group will then be guests at a joint meeting of the Ranger Lions and Rotary Clubs, also in the cafeteria.

Pecan growers from adjoining counties are cordially invited to attend.

Week end visitors with Mrs. John Robbins were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Robbins and her mother Mrs. Merle Williams of Snyder. Mrs. Arch Hudson of Monahans also visited in the Robbins home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holden recently received word of the death of a sister-in-law, Mrs. Maggie Holden, who died in Big Spring.

Through The Mails

(Editor's Note: Americans are inveterate second guessers. They stoutly defend their inalienable right to dispute the decisions of baseball umpires or, for that matter, the officials of any sports contest. We figure the ancient American sport of rodeo is no exception. So here's a list of what cowboy judges base their decisions on in one of rodeo's five standard events.)

Bull Riding

No rodeo event is more dangerous to the contestant than bull riding. Perhaps because of this, figuring the bull rider has enough on his mind, the authors of rodeo's rule book gave it the simplest set of rules.

Everything that needs to be said about the event is summed up in six short paragraphs totalling 150 words. About all the cowboy has to do is hang on for an eternity of eight seconds.

To help him hang on all he can use is a loose rope without knots or hitches. Held around the heaving, ton-heavy brute simply by the pressure of the rider's grip, the rope must fall off when the ride is over.

Unlike the bronc riders, the bull rider isn't required to spur, either on the first jump out of the chutes or later through the ride. But spurring, if he's able to do any, will earn him extra points. And the dull spurs, tucked into the loose folds of the brahma's hide, help him hold his precarious perch.

Bull rides are marked with the same spread -- from 1 to 20 points for the rider and 65 to 85 points for the bull -- as the other riding events. But because there is less that can be done to make a good bull ride better, the top scores for the rider are usually lower.

A contestant who sticks to the whistle upright in his seat will usually mark about 10. A score of 14 is unusually good. Mark the rider down if you see him leaning to one side or hunched forward over the brahma's hump.

The only other bull riding rule common with the bronc riding events is that the ride must be made with only one hand, the other held free. Otherwise the ride is qualified as long as the riding hand is on any part of the bull rope -- and the twister hasn't hit the ground -- when the whistle blows.

As though the bull needed anything to encourage him to buck, the bull rope must have a bell that dangles and clanks under the brute's belly throughout the ride.

If there are few rules to restrict the riders, there are none to hamper the bulls. Endowed with a permanently murderous attitude toward humans, they resort to anything to dump the cowboy so they can trample or gore him. A favorite trick is to throw the rider forward with a heaving high kick behind, then hook up at him with their huge, banana-shaped horns.

Another lethal type is the spfinner, who swaps ends for the eight seconds like a freight car caught in a tornado. Hair-raising tactics like these make the ride harder and boost the marking for the bull higher.

In the other riding events you will see the judges posted in the arena a few yards out in front of the chutes, one on each side of the bronc. But if you don't see them right away in bull riding, look again.

There they are, perched safely up on the chute gates.

Attending the WSCS District meeting in Abilene April 30 were Mrs. T. M. Plemons, Mrs. B. A. Randolph, Mrs. T. H. Dix, Mrs. M. C. Lofton, Mrs. R. O. Cloud and Mrs. Doyle Hopper.

Cox Home Scene Of Club Meeting

The Corinne Blackburn Club met Monday night, May 5th, in the home of Mrs. D. C. Cox with Juanita Danielson and Mrs. Jack Gilliland as co-hostesses.

The Club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Glenh Rocky. The Club voted to contribute \$10.00 to the Little League. \$25.00 was given to the park board for the purchase of a redwood table top. Following the business meeting Mrs. Cox presented the speakers for the evening, Mrs. C. M. Peek and Mrs. Eddie Konczak. They gave a very interesting panel discussion on "Carrying On the Adventure". This was the concluding program for this year's course of study, "The Art of Conversation".

During the social hour the hostesses served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. Lynn Ault, Eunice Brock, Beatrice Deal, Eddie Konczak, Clyde Latimer, A. A. Manion, C. M. Peek, Glen Rocky, Terrell Williams, Lucille Tankersley and our Honorary member, Mrs. L. L. Blackburn.

Lawn Maintenance Aided By Mowing

Constant care and attention are necessary for the maintenance of a beautiful lawn. One of the basic factors involved, says E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, is mowing.

Improper mowing is responsible for the deterioration of many lawns. Mowing too close encourages the thinning of the turf and shallow rooting, resulting in lower resistance to drought, diseases and invasion by weeds. Setting the mower too high results in many of the same problems, says Trew. Excessive soil drying and baking and heat damage to the lawn grass during the summer also result from too close mowing.

The leaves of the lawn grass not only produce the green color, but also manufactures the food required for the entire plant. When too much of the leaves are clipped, the entire plant suffers, points out the specialist. No more than a half-inch of the leaf tip should be removed at any one mowing.

Proper mowing, advises Trew, requires a sharp, well-adjusted lawn mower.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Birkhead of Midland, were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Farrar.



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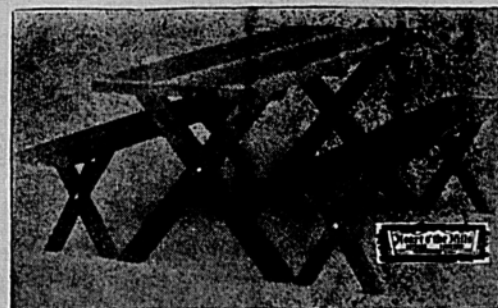
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Their influence since earth's earliest ages has been felt throughout the world, their unselfish sacrifice has been one of the great mysteries of life, their precious love has been an undying influence for good in our lives, and their constancy a benediction to all men who have been recipient of a Godly mother's love.

We feel that her love is a type of that unspeakable love which gave us Calvary and Redemption, from Thy most merciful hand. Therefore make us ever grateful, we pray Thee, for her love that would follow us to the very ends of the world, and give her life willingly to make us strong men of God.

We thank Thee for the fact that there stood by the Cross of Jesus His mother. Broken-hearted and weeping as she stood there, we thank Thee that Jesus Himself remembered His mother in His dying agony. May we unite our hearts today in giving Thee praise, honor and glory for Thy great love in giving us mothers, and may her prayers continue to follow us as we journey down the pathway of life, toward the land of the setting sun from whose bourne no traveller has ever returned. We thank Thee for the millions who have heard her sweet voice in prayer as she humbly asked Thee to keep us near to Thy great tender and loving heart. This we ask in the name and for the sake of Thy blessed Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Our deepest thanks to Rev. H. G. Markley.

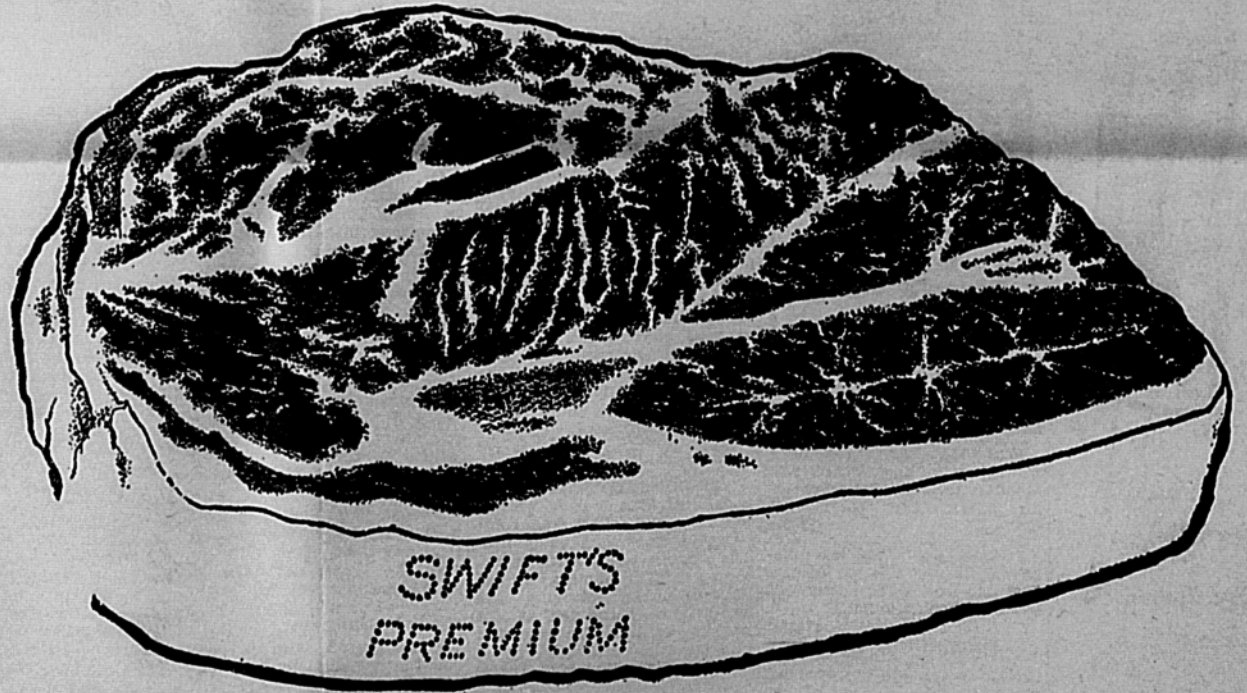
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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

SCHOOL NEWS

FIRST AND SECOND GRADE

We are nearing the close of this school term. We are planning a party for our room next Wednesday afternoon.

The second grade children are working on a unit of Vacation Plans this week and next week.

Warren Donaway had his brother, Hubert, to visit him the week end.

Ellen Shackelford is looking forward to her 7th birthday Friday.

Putnam Personals . . .

Those having Sunday dinner with the Homer Pruets were: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jones and family of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and family of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones and daughter of Ranger and Johnny Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barrington of Abilene were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Brown Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton of Sweetwater were week end guests of Tom Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor in Weatherford. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorter of Oplin were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Those visiting the Earl Rutherford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Speegle and Clint Rutherford.

Neil Moore of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. L. B. Moore Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Sunderman of Sinton were Monday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and sons of Abilene visited the Earl Jobs Friday. Troy conducted an art show at Cisco high school Friday.

Wayne Taylor was a week end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Taylor.

Mrs. Hale from San Saba spent the week with her brother and family, Jay Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Speegle spent Sunday with his brother, M. D. and family of the Van Horn Community.

Benjamin Abernathy of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma spent the week end with Eli Abernathy.

Hubert Donaway of Ft. Stockton and Miss Marlene Shortes of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway Sunday.

L. L. Reese, brother of Arthur Reese, passed away in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reese of Lubbock visited the Arthur Reeses Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hess of Moran were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Cook of Plainview were week end visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls of Springtown spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Cisco visited the E. E. Sundermans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce White and son of Clyde were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Sunday.

Carl White was a visitor in Brownwood Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Gunn visited with Mrs. Charlie Brandon Sunday.

Mrs. Buddy Reed of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls Saturday.

Ben Bradley of Downing, Calif. has been visiting friends in Putnam the past week.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday were Mr. & Mrs. Homer Taylor and daughter of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Finley of Waco. Debbie Finley spent last week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor, and Mrs. R. D. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heysler have gone to Rock Port for a week or more of fishing.

Ruth Mobley after several days in Baird hospital returned to her home Monday.

The Baptist will begin a meeting Wednesday night lasting through Sunday. Their pastor, Wayne Blankenship of Abilene, will conduct the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon McWilliams and Mrs. Rouse of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tatom and son of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett attended Church at Cisco Saturday.

Mr. S. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and Eula Fore attended a meeting at Cottonwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and family of Abilene and Mrs. Warren Everett of Cisco were Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Easterling and family of Big Spring visited the W. A. Everetts Monday.

Those spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks were Mrs. Scott Lillie of Baird, Melba, Peggy, Danny Weeks and Janice Corbin of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Weeks of Abilene were Saturday visitors. Those visiting them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Weeks and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Weeks and family of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Shackelford of Midland are the parents of a baby girl born May 1st.

Mrs. Patty Blerge and daughter of Hamlin visited in Putnam last week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clements and Mrs. Louie Williams.

F. P. Shackelford made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Waddell gave her recital at the High School Auditorium Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Clinton of Wichita Falls were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright and Miss Myrtle Gunn at Baird.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor! The weather is real nice and sunny here this Monday. Good to see the sunshine awhile after a week of rainy, cold weather. The rain was real nice. No hard washing rain around here. No hail to speak of either.

Everybody is busy trying to get grass and weeds out of their yards. Was at Mark and Ollie's the other day. Mark was mowing the yard. Ollie, Eula, Jim and I were out in the yard looking at the flowers. Ollie said it was about to kill her because she couldn't work in the yard. Mark said Ollie was about to die because she couldn't work and he was about to die because he could but don't think it hurt him too much. I was there again Sunday afternoon. He looked as if he were doing OK.

Gayle Burnam was sick all last week and part of the week before with measles. Still not able to return to school. She is now up and will soon be able to be in school.

John and Roma McIntyre and John D. Isenhower took Roma's school pupils on a skating party and picnic at Lake Cisco Friday afternoon. They reported a good time in spite of the rain.

I hear Mr. Jewel Ellis sold his dairy to Mr. Roy Higgins. Not his land, just cows and dairy equipment.

Johnny May Ramsey is visiting a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Mike Hughes and family in Rankin.

We are glad to say Ruth Mobley is recovering from her operation and will soon be able to come home and will be all glad and happy to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shrader of Scranton visited the Mark Burnams Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eula Fore attended the Memorial Services at Cottonwood Sunday afternoon. Saw several old friends she had not seen in a long time.

Jack Everett and family visited Friday afternoon with Mark Burnams. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mrs. Leonard Alvey, Rodna Lamb and Wayne Blankenship.

Mrs. Mary Kelner visited this morning with Ollie Burnam.

Lula Isenhower and daughter, Mary Joe Jackson, Reba Francisco, Mrs. Mary Ramsey and I visited awhile Monday afternoon with Ollie Burnam. Poor old Mark is still mowing grass and weeds. Says he doesn't think he will ever finish. Ollie went over to Cisco awhile this afternoon shopping. Wasn't gone too long.

Jim and D. A. Yarbrough went to Abilene sale today. Just on-lookers.

Good morning this beautiful Tuesday.

Little boy Jim and I have been

hoing weeds and grass out of the yard. Don't think we will ever get through either. Jim quit and went to Moran. I have to finish my house work. We were glad to hear Ruth Mobley came home Monday. I will go over to see her a few minutes today.

Mrs. Arno Roggenstein visited with Ollie Burnam one morning last week. Brought her some frozen corn, okra and other things she had put in the deep freeze. That is being a good neighbor, don't you think.

I must get busy so I'll see you next week.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Miss Estelle Freeland who's home is in Baird is a missionary on furlough from Africa. She made a talk and showed some slides at the Atwell Missionary Baptist Church Sunday night. There was a large crowd and several visitors from other places.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse visited their son-in-law, Garland Dupriest, who is sick in San Angelo Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Morton spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith and Averil of Fort Worth visited Mr. S. A. Black and Vee over the week end. Averil stayed here for a longer visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis attended the Memorial Services at Cottonwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillians and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster and C. E. Foster of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin of Sabanno visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox of Houston Pvt. and Mrs. E. W. Foster, Pvt. Jerry Foster visited Elder and Mrs. D. C. Foster over the week end.

Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle and Mrs. Pat Hughes attended Church at Baird Sunday.

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

Mrs. Garland Dupriest and baby of Texon, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dillard and children of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble and children of Abilene spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady Sunday.

Jim Hemes, Roy Tatom and D. C. Foster made a trip to Brownwood Monday to get brick to build an archway at the Atwell Cemetery.

Joe Corleton of Dallas and Dr. Paul Green of Graham were guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowan over the week end.

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Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

Last week was one of rain, rain or maybe I should say drizzle. The weeds and grass are growing by leaps and bounds. The weather didn't promote much news in the community though.

Grandma Breeding was dismissed from the hospital last week and is reported to be doing fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Barrett of Lawn visited with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd, last Thursday night a-while.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson of Abilene attended Sunday School at the Baptist Church with her mother, Mrs. Zack McIntyre last Sunday.

Recent week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Floyd were their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wayne Floyd, and baby daughter of Midlothian.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass

Rev. Wallace Bennett of Dallas visited his father, Bryan Bennett Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lemonds and Mrs. Sam Bains of Abilene visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton and attended Memorial Services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coats of Lubock are spending a few days with Mrs. W. B. Gilleland and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hayes of Clyde visited friends here Sunday after attending memorial services. She will be remembered as Miss Nora Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley of Clyde visited her father, E. E. Weaver and Mary Sunday.

Mrs. F. W. Respass of Rising Star visited in the Respass home Saturday night.

Mrs. P. M. Duncan had surgery at Comanche hospital last week, she was reported real sick but some better at last report.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Whitel and boys of Seminole and Mrs. A. P. Whitel of Carlsbad, N. M. visited in the Respass home Tuesday and Mrs. Maud Whitel will remain for a longer visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McBride and family of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold McBride and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McBride over the week end.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowan attended a State Dental meeting in Dallas Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and family of Abilene visited relatives in Baird Sunday.

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SWEET AND SOUR
(Continued from Page 1)

Warrens this week — son Dwight Warren Mayes, wife Mary, and the youngsters, Gary, Steve, and Patricia, are home from wandering on foreign soil. Dwight has

been in Canada for over three years with his oil company employers but this week he received a transfer to Borger, Texas and so it was home-again for that family. You may move a Texan to Timbuctu but you don't take Texas out of him ever. After

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all those months of the grandeur of the north woods, tall timber, and majestic mountains, Dwight took one look at the scrubby mesquites and prickly pears of West Texas and remarked, "Isn't it pretty? Even the dirt looks good!" P. S. We hope Dwight noticed the flowers in his grandmother's yard, for the Iris were never prettier than they are now.

Special get-well wishes to Tiny Joy Cochran, Jerry and Janelle's youngest, who is recuperating from a leg fracture. We hope that precious baby is up and about very, very soon.

Birthday wishes 'n lots of them, to Nadine Shelnett who was nine the first day of May — greetings too to Don Franke and Ann Smith who celebrated that all-important first teenage birthday this week. Janet Ross will have a thirteenth birthday this month and so will Jud Gilliland.

One of the nicest things about birthdays is hearing from friends and our Linda was thrilled Saturday when her very own telegram arrived with birthday wishes from the Jack Simms family in San Antonio, and as Linda says, "I'm glad we're kin to them."

Signs of time — It's nearing the end of school when High School Juniors begin to feel their importance and realize that they are the next term's senior citizens with all the res-

ponsibilities of publishing the school paper, editing the school's year book, sponsoring the school's autumn festival and the thousand and one jobs a senior class falls heir to. Our Junior Class started their Senior career this week by electing Mrs. Clyde White and Coach Jeff-feries as their sponsors and by taking a trial run at publishing the Bear Facts this week. Class officers and organization officers will be announced later.

If this sunshine, warmth and moisture holds out Callahan County will have the finest fruit crop it has known in years. The gardens around Clyde are beautiful and the berry bushes at Jim and Mary Prews are snowy with blooms. A few months ago we were about ready to deed West Texas over to the horned frogs and road-runners as part of the American desert — now look at it!

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors who have been so thoughtful of us during Phil's illness and convalescence. We appreciate every card, the flowers, the wonderful food, your visits, telephone calls and we still covet your prayers. May God bless you are our prayers.
Mr. and Mrs. Phil West

**Baird Garden Club
Meets At Box Home**

The Baird Garden Club met May 6, 1958 in the country home of Mrs. W. E. Box with Mrs. Leo Tyler and Mrs. H. D. Hart as co-hostesses.

After the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. Ace Hickman, a plant exchange was held and a beautiful poem was read by Mrs. Hubert Ross. The lovely china paintings of Mrs. Bill Varner of Abilene, Mrs. Box's daughter, were displayed in the entertaining area. Members answered roll call by describing the plant they had brought and the care of it.

Afterward refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed by Mmes. C. Z. Anderson, D. J. Anderson, L. C. Cash, Frank Cunningham, W. A. Fetterly, Ace Hickman, Rod Kelton, S. W. Lilly, Maria Leach, John McGowen, F. E. Mitchell, Ben Ross, W. A. Robbins, Joe Pat McHaney, George Snure, I. E. Warren, Clyde White, Al Young, Dick Young, the hostesses and four guests, Mmes. S. L. McElroy, Arthur Young, Fred Hart and Bill Alexander.

**Mary Bates To Wed
Alton Payne May 30**

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bates of Baird are announcing the engagement and approaching mar-

riage of their daughter, Mary, to Alton Payne also of Baird. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

Date of the wedding has been set for May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Andrews of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews Wednesday.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to all my friends who remembered me in so many ways during my illness. Your kindness shown me in the form of visits, flowers, cards and letters will always be remembered by me and my family.
Mrs. C. D. Mitchell.

REMOVAL NOTICE

I am now located next door North of Lone Star Gas Co., and extended an invitation to the citizens of Baird, Clyde and surrounding area to drop in and visit my new store, where you will find many new items.

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Lipton Tea

1/4 lb. size

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**King Size
COCA-COLA**
6 bottle carton, 2 for
49c

**Folger's Instant
COFFEE**
big 6 oz. jar
99c

**FINEST QUALITY
MEATS**

CHOICE
BEEF ROAST, lb. 63c

FRESH DRESSED
FRYERS, lb. 39c

COOKED READY TO EAT
PICNIC HAMS, lb. 49c

GOOCH'S RANCH STYLE
Bacon, 2 lbs. \$1.19

**GARDEN FRESH
VEGETABLES**

YELLOW
SQUASH, lb. 9c

BLACK EYE
PEAS, 2 cans 29c

GARDEN FRESH
GREEN BEANS, lb. 19c

VALLEY FRESH
CORN, 4 ears 29c

GLADIOLA
FROZEN ROLLS, 2 doz. size 29c

FOR SALADS OR COOKING
MAZOLA OIL, quart 69c

GLADIOLA
FLOUR, 5 lbs. 49c

KIMBELL'S
PIE APPLES, No. 2 can 19c

WILL BOYDSTUN SPECIAL
KIM TISSUE, 4 roll pkg. 19c

PET MILK, 3 tall cans 39c



ANY BRAND
BISCUITS

4 cans

39c



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