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Honor Students Named At Putnam H-S

Roddy Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds, has been named valedictorian of the Putnam High School graduating class.

Salutatorian is Constance Feely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Feely.

Roddy and Constance also shared the honor of being Mr. and Miss High School. Both are members of the Panther Chapter of the National Honor Society, have been prominent in athletics and held responsible positions on the yearbook staff with Roddy serving as co-editor and Miss Feely as class editor.

Baccalaureate services will be held on Sunday, May 15, at 11:00 A. M. Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Keith Justice of A.C.C. The commencement exercises will follow on Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M.

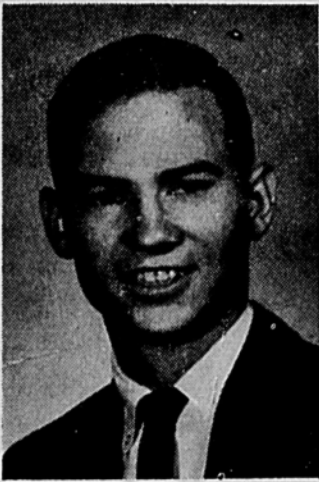
Webb Bruton Buried Tuesday

Final rites for Webb Bruton, 83, were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday at the Godfrey Funeral Chapel with Father Gulley of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Abilene, officiating. Burial was in Belle Plain Cemetery under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home.

Mr. Bruton died at 7 p. m. Monday at the Callahan County Hospital, after an illness of four years.

He was born Sept. 15, 1882 in Louisiana, and had been a resident of Callahan County most of his life. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Myrtle Bruton of Baird; and three nieces, Mrs. Ina Bruton of Baird, Mrs. Dorothy Cheek of Abilene and Mrs. Elizabeth Bruton of Baird.



RODDY REYNOLDS
... Valedictorian



CONSTANCE FEELY
... Salutatorian

Patty Horner Named Rodeo Queen Wins Second In Overall Barrel Race

Patty Horner, Clyde cowgirl and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. (Chief) Horner, was a double winner in the opening performance of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo at Baird Thursday night.

She was named Queen of the 1966 Rodeo, and then won first place in the girl's barrel race with a run of 16.6 seconds. Runnersup in the barrel race were Frances Molt of Temple, Okla., and Frances Smith of Burk Burnett with 16.9 each.

Linda Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Micky Kelly, also of Clyde, was runnerup for rodeo queen.

Patty was presented the

Queen's trophy by Ilene McIntosh, 1965 queen. Miss McIntosh also presented trophies to the winning riding clubs in the parade. First place winner was the Haskell Sheriff's Posse and second to the Coleman County Riding Club. Scurry County Sheriff's Posse won 3rd place honors.

Frances Molt of Temple, Okla., won the Friday night's barrel race with the low mark of 16.3.

The overall average for barrel race contestants was: 1. Florence Youree, 32.7; 2. Patty Horner, 33.1; 3. Frances Molt, 33.2; 4. Wanda Boatler and Carol Rider, Duncan, Okla., 33.5.

Callahan County Rodeo Ends Successful Three Days Saturday

Winnig the all-round cowboy title in the three-day Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo, which ended Saturday night, was Carl Nafsgar of Clarksville.

Nafsgar received \$508.28 for his his part in the rodeo, the top money paid out to any one contestant.

A crowd of approximately 3-000 saw Saturday night's performance. Attendance for the three nights was estimated to be approximately 8,000, surpassing last year's turnout.

Top riders in each category

for the three nights were as follows:

Bareback Bronc Riding — Dennis Reiners, Claircity, Neb. Saddle Bronc — Bill Smith, Cody, Wyo.

Calf Roping — Bobby Goodspeed, High Point, Mo.

Steer Wrestling — Charles Howell, Mansfield, Texas.

Bull Riding — Carl Nafsgar, Clarksville, Texas.

The Callahan County Rodeo Association wishes to express their thanks to everyone for their part in helping make this year's rodeo one of the most successful rodeo in recent years.

Local Golfer Makes Eagle

Last Tuesday, May 3, local golfer Charles Reeves made an eagle on the 15th hole at Maxwell Municipal Golf Course in Abilene. He holed out at 150 yards and had 35 on the front nine.

It was also reported that Reeves, owner of Reeves Lumber Co., in Baird, has been taking golf lessons from the Sam Snead Show on television.

Reeves final score was 78 on the 72 par course.

Hundreds View Long Parade

Hundreds of viewers watched one of the longest parades ever staged in Baird, in connection with the opening of the annual Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo.

The parade stretched from the rodeo arena to well past the courthouse, as members of 13 area riding clubs joined with bands, floats, and individual riders parading down the main downtown streets then returning to the arena.

Among the riding clubs were the first place winner, Haskell Sheriff's Posse; second place, Coleman Riding Club, and third Scurry County Sheriff's Posse. Others participating were Winners, Eastland, Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, Shackelford Co. Pleasure Riders, Cross Plains Riding Club, Cisco Riding Club, Merkel Brush Stompers and the Shackelford Co. 4-H Horse Club.

The winner in the float division was Psi Pi Sorority. In the decorated cars, Baird Garden Club was named first place winner, followed by B&P.W. Club second, and Pis Po Sorority.

Gary Goble was named first place winner in the decorated bicycles division. Second place was won by Paul Stanley. Five others received \$1.00 for their entries.

An accident involving M. B. Casey, manager of Coca-Cola Bottling Co., Coleman, marked a tragic note at the conclusion of the parade.

As the Coleman riding group neared the parade staging area, Casey's mount bucked to rider to the pavement, his left arm taking the full force of the impact. He was taken to Callahan County Hospital and treated for a "severe laceration" on the left arm, between the elbow and shoulder. He was released after it was learned he suffered no broken bones. Mr. Casey went to his Coleman home after treatment and missed the rodeo's opening performance.

Baird Top Senior Students Named

Engineers Look Over Recreation Center Site

Two Engineers from Johnson, Fontaine & Co. Inc., of Palestine, were in Baird Tuesday of this week to look over the selected site and map out plans for recreational facilities for the Shady Oaks Recreation Center.

The two men were very impressed with the layout, location etc. of the proposed center.

Also, a preliminary loan application was mailed to FHA Tuesday to start the ball rolling toward actual construction. Results of the application should be known in about two weeks.

Another engineer is expected to be in Baird in the near future to draw up plans for the recreation center building.

Baird-Clyde area residents are again reminded that the initial entry fee will be raised from \$25.00 to \$100.00 when the loan for the center has been approved.

To date, the center has 160 members, with an additional 15 members being added the past two weeks. They are:

- George Dyer, Clyde
- L. E. Scott, Clyde
- James W. Briscoe, Clyde
- Edward Petty, Baird
- W. M. Carrico, Baird
- L. C. Cash, Baird
- Tommy Watts, Clyde
- Richard P. Young, Clyde
- Robert L. Warren, Abilene
- Don Oliver, Clyde
- Sarah Parks, Abilene
- Harold Mauldin, Abilene
- Don Tabor, Clyde
- James Trammell, Clyde
- Roy Phemister, Clyde

BIG ONES DIDN'T GET AWAY

Jack Tollett and Alex Shocklee were real glad to show off their fish, that didn't get away.

On a fishing trip to the Clear Fork, north of Breckenridge last weekend, they were showing a 36 pounder, and two smaller ones of 27 pounds and 16 pounds. The fish were yellow cats.



PATRICIA FIEDLER
... Valedictorian



LARRY TOWLER
... Salutatorian



DANA CORN
... Honor Student

Honor students at Baird High School have been announced by Principal Ed Cotton.

Patricia Fiedler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fiedler, is Valedictorian of the Baird High School graduating class.

Miss Fiedler has a four-year average of 95.29. She is a member of the National Beta Club, F.H.A. president, senior class secretary, sophomore class favorite, co-editor of the school yearbook, voted best all-around girl by the faculty, and has received the homemaking, biology, English, math, and spelling awards during the past four years.

Named Salutatorian is Larry Towler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Towler. He has a four-year average of 93.75.

Included in his honors are: Beta Club president, senior class president, junior class vice-president, Headlight King, spelling award, and co-editor of the school yearbook.

Third ranking student, and the only other honor student of the graduating class, is Dana Corn with a four-year average of 91.76. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Corn.

Miss Corn's honors include editor of the school newspaper, Beta Club secretary, pianist in FHA, Pep Club vice-president, and junior class favorite.

Baccalaureate services will be held May 23 at 8:00 p. m., with Jack Lanham, Church of Christ minister, delivering the sermon. Addressing the graduates at commencement exercises May 24 at 8 p. m., will be Clyde Austin, dean of admissions and placement director at Abilene Christian College.

Stolen Barb Wire Returned To Owner

Five rolls of barbed wire were located, south of Baird on a dirt road Friday night, May 6th. The wire was reported stolen Monday, May 9th, and was returned to the owner, a rancher in the Opika community.

BAIRD BIRTHDAYS

- May 15 — Roger Lance Cummings
- May 16 — John Dillingham and Jo Ann Newton
- May 17 — Billy Cummings and Helen Brown
- May 18 — Mona Tollett
- May 19 — Ricky Lee Cummings

Annual FFA Rodeo Dates Set For May 26, 27, 28

The third annual Baird F.F.A. Rodeo will be held at the Callahan County Rodeo Arena May 26, 27 and 28, as announced by Dick Vestal earlier this week.

The street parade will be held at 5 p. m., May 26, with the Grand Entry beginning at 8 p. m. at the Rodeo Arena.

Several F.F.A. Chapters and members will be on hand to participate in the events, in three divisions. They are: 1. high school; 2. grade school, and 3. open division.

Each entrant must have a minor's release signed by his parents to be eligible to participate in the rodeo events.

If you have not received a release from your school, and have been invited to take part in the events, please fill in the blanks below and mail to F.F.A. Chapter, Baird High School, Baird, Texas.

COUNTY RECORDS

A marriage license was issued in the County Clerk's office on May 6, to Billy Don Bell of Cisco and Miss Bobbie Kay Campbell of Cisco.

New Vehicles
The following vehicles were registered at the courthouse last week:

- Glen Swor, Chrysler
- J. E. Mikeska Jr., Chevrolet
- Sewell Landers, Chevrolet

Minor's Release and Entry Blank

Release No.
BAIRD HIGH SCHOOL F.F.A. RODEO
We, the undersigned grant (first) (last) permission to participate in the Baird F.F.A. Rodeo and (first) (last) and in so doing, release the Baird School, District 903, The Baird F.F.A. Chapter, The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse and any person from all responsibility and/or liability for any personal injury or loss and/or damage of private property incurred by the above named contestant while taking part in the rodeo. This contestant may enter the following events: (Draw line through event contestant will not enter).

- | SENIOR DIVISION | | OPEN DIVISION | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Bull Riding | signed | 1. Calf Roping | signed |
| 2. Red Wagon Contest | (legal age witness) | 2. Rescue Race | (Father's name) |
| 3. Girls Barrel Racing | signed | 3. Pole Bending | signed |
| 4. Boys Barrel Racing | (legal age witness) | JUNIOR DIVISION | |
| 5. Goat Sacking | signed | 1. Girls Barrel Racing | signed |
| 6. Bareback Broncs | (legal age witness) | 2. Boys Barrel Racing | signed |
| | | 3. Goat Sacking | signed |
| | | 4. Calf Riding | signed |
| | | 5. Shetland Bronc | signed |

I am a member of the school team competition in:

School represented:

Keep Documents Handy Urges Coker

Keep family documents such as birth and marriage certificates where they can be readily found, Jack Coker, Manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office, Waco, advised veterans and their dependants today.

Coker said documents of this sort may be needed to support claims for veterans benefits and for other purposes.

These include military discharges or separation papers, death certificates, divorce decrees and guardianship or child custody evidence, he said.

Veterans' claims which may require these documents include disability of death compensation or pension and burial benefits.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jackson of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. George Crutchfield in Baird, and his mother, Mrs. J. L. Collins in Cisco.

Loretta Hammons - David Bayha Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

Loretta Lynn Hammons of Austin, became the bride of David Carl Bayha, also of Austin, on May 7 at 10 a. m., in the St. John The Divine Episcopal Church at Houston.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence V. Hammons of Houston. Her grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammons of Baird.

The bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Carl L. Bayha and the late Dr. Carl H. Bayha of Toledo, Ohio.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Arthur C. Knapp. The church's natural stone altar was decorated with tulips, iris, stock and assorted colors of gladiolas. Magnolia branches and greenery enhanced the front of the church.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of candlelight dupioni satin, designed with sabrina neckline, accented with a deep yoke of peau d'ange lace. The fitted bodice featured long sleeves, pointed at the wrist, which repeated the lace motif.

The bouffant skirt descended from a double row of tiny buttons at the back. The soft, unpressed pleats forming the skirt, ended in a chapel train. Her veil, a cluster of ivory silk roses held a lavish tier of illusion that cascaded over the gown to end beyond the hemline of her train. She carried a white prayerbook with white orchid, cascading gardenias and English ivy.

The Lohengrin Processional and Purcell's Trumpet Voluntary were played as wedding music.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Barry M. O'Brien of Houston, carried orange tulips, iris and spring flowers as her bouquet.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Frank W. R. Hugert Jr. of Austin and Mrs. James T. Henley, Plymouth, Mich., sister of the groom.

The bridesmaid's full length empire sheath dresses were designed with a yellow brocade bodice with scooped neckline and fitted elbow length sleeves. The skirts of pale yellow crepe fell softly from the empire waist. A detachable panel of yellow brocade cascaded from the neckline at the back of the dresses. Headpieces were bows of matching brocade worn over yellow circlets. Bouquets were cascades of graduating orange and yellow tulips, iris and spring flowers.

Miss Stephenie Linz of Austin was the flower girl and wore a pale yellow floor length A-line dress with lace overlay.

The ring-bearer was William Jasperson of Dallas, a cousin of the bridegroom.

James T. Hanley was best man and groomsmen were Bob Rogers of Houston and Michael V. Hammons, also of Houston and brother of the bride.

The reception was held at the church where the tiered wedding cake, decorated with sugared fruits and red florabunda roses, was served. Mrs. John W. Robbins of Houston played the harp during the reception.

Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Sam Gammon, Austin; Mrs. Robert F. Smith, Woodburg, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Nowicki, Toledo, O.; and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jasperson of Dallas.

The couple left for Jamaica and the Island for a two-weeks honeymoon trip. They will return to New Orleans, to Houston and on to Austin.



MRS. LORETTA LYNN BAYHA

The bride wore a mint green Moygashel linen sheath dress, with matching cape featuring appliques of pastel flowers embroidered by her late grandmother, Mrs. Henry J. Dixon, for the wedding trip. Bone accessories completed her ensemble.

The groom received his A.B. degree and M.S. degree in Geology from Miami University in Ohio. He is presently employed as a geologist in Austin by the Texas Water Development Board.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gammon of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunt of Baird, aunt and uncle of the bride; Mrs. Ruth Cross, San Diego, Calif, aunt of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt of Hurst, cousin of the bride.

Named Medical Director Of West Point-Pepperell, Inc.

WEST POINT, GA — Dr. Key David McMurrian Jr. has been named Medical Director of West Point-Pepperell, Inc., effective May 1, J. Richard Walton, Director of Industrial and Community Relations, announced.

Dr. McMurrian came to The Valley from Pine Mt., Ga., in July of last year and has been associated with Drs. Norman and Powell in general practice at offices in West Point, Ga., since that time.

He graduated from Tulane University School of Medicine in 1958; interned at Charity Hospital at New Orleans, La., in that year and completed a one year general practice residency at the Huey P. Long Charity Hospital, Pineville, La., in 1959. He entered the United States Air Force in 1960.

While in the Air Force, Dr. McMurrian saw duty as a general medical officer in charge of a dispensary, duty as a Flight Surgeon and worked in the Fifth Air Force Surgeon's Office as Assistant Director of Aerospace Medicine for all Flight Surgeons' offices in Japan, Korea and Okinawa.

A native of West Monroe, La., Dr. McMurrian is married to the former Deanna Seitz of St. Louis, Mo., and they are parents of three children.

He is the stepson of Robert L. Cockran of Baird.

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People who continue to work, or return to work after applying for social security benefits may qualify for higher payments because of additional earnings, R. R. Tuley Jr., district manager of the Abilene social security office, announced today.

"The Social Security Administration will use its electronic computers to determine whether recent earnings will increase benefit amounts," according to Tuley. "If so, the increase will be made automatically. In the past it has been necessary for a beneficiary to file an application to have his benefit amount refigured. Now the application is not necessary."

Tuley emphasized that this change should encourage people to file an application for benefits before they become 65. Such an application can be filed as early as three months before one's 65th birthday.

An additional and very important reason is the fact that applicants who file applications during the three month period before they reach 65 will have medicare protection at the earliest possible date. A delay in filing would, in turn, delay the date their medicare protection would become effective.

Persons born before March 2, 1901 must enroll for medicare before May 31, 1966 or be barred from such enrollment until October, 1967, he concluded.

Mrs. Madge Bearden and Tommy, and Mrs. Margaret Gilliland spent Mother's Day in Lubbock visiting their children, Karen and Tabor Bearden and Gary and Jud Gilliland.

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Putnam High Elects Cheerleaders; Several From Area See Baird Rodeo

Cheerleader tryouts were held in the High School auditorium last week. Three girls were elected by the student body.

Leading the cheers for the Panthers next year will be: Susie Wagley, Head Cheerleader, a sophomore.

Jan Petty, a junior; and Ellen Shackelford, a freshman. These girls plan to attend a Cheer Leader School at Cisco Junior College in June.

Putnam Junior High basketball girls received a beautiful trophy last week for winning second place in their district. The high school boys also received their trophy for winning the district championship.

Third and Fourth Grades
Many from our class watched the rodeo parade in Baird last

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Thursday, and Tim Ferguson rode in the parade.

Those attending the rodeo were Sheri and Tana Price, Jimmy Jones, Danny Henry, Jerry Foster, David Isenhower and Tim Ferguson.

Debora Meador spent all day Sunday and Sunday night with Kathy Hurley.

Jerry Nettles went fishing at Ft. Griffin Saturday and had good luck. His group got a 31-lb. yellow catfish. How about a fish fry, Jerry?

Tim Ferguson visited his grandmothers in Baird and Eula on Mother's Day. He also played with cousins from Austin and Big Spring.

David Isenhower told the class about helping his brother put a swarm of bees into a hive.

Evelyn Wagley spent the weekend in Abilene with her grandparents, and an aunt and uncle from Hallettsville.

Cindy Feely had company from Cisco Friday and they all went fishing.

Carolyn spent Sunday with her grandmother Culwell. Mrs. Ferguson attended a math workshop at Tarleton College Saturday.

First and Second Grades
Several in our class attended the parade and rodeo in Baird.

Roger Reynolds rode in the parade and won one dollar on his pretty bicycle.

Richard Wagley had guests this weekend, his brother Craig and family from Amarillo.

Donald Isenhower had his cousins, the Greens, from Abilene as weekend guests.

John Ferguson visited his grandparents in Baird and Eula on Mother's Day.

Brenda Chapman spent part of the weekend in Abilene. We are sorry that her mother has been ill.

We hope to learn many things this week, as we plan to spend a day in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cochran and daughters of Fort Worth spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor returned Wednesday after attending the funeral of Mr. Taylor's brother in Laurel, Miss. Their son, Pete, from Snyder, accompanied them.

James Cotton, a consulting engineer in Dallas, passed away last week and funeral services were held in Dallas Saturday. He was Gene Cook's son-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Mary Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Brown and son of Copperas Cove, Mrs. James Isenhower and son of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fetterly and son of Midland were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. A. Ramsey.

Those visiting Mrs. Drue Sprawls Saturday were Mrs. Dottie Sprawls, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Wilkins of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. John Schrader of Scranton. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls of Brookshire and Mrs. Altie Foller of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sublett and family of Abilene were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Lee Donaway of Abilene spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt

of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet of Cross Plains were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and sons of Abilene were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Jobe and family of Baird were Saturday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ross Everett and family of Dudley were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett. Thursday guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hight of Winters Saturday guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stanley of Carlsbad, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Fred White of Paris and Fred Ellis of Moran.

Mrs. Raymond Christal of San Antonio brought her mother, Mrs. G. A. Brown home and spent Friday night with her.

Mrs. Everett Williams of Crosbyton spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. John Clements and with Mrs. Louie Williams.

Charles Rutherford of Winnie spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanvil Gilbert of Austin, Mrs. John Gilbert of Cisco were Saturday guests with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford.

Dr. and Mrs. Keith Justice of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and family of Clyde were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price, Mrs. John Petty and daughter Jan and Connie Feely spent the weekend in Austin where Jan competed in the Slide Rule contest.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowery of Carbon visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinton and family in Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend Talbot and Mrs. Jack McDaniel of Big Spring were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mrs. R. F. Webb and daughter Linda and family of Abilene, Mrs. Elmer Tidwell and family of Albany were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilbanks.

Mrs. C. T. Clay of Big Spring spent Mother's Day with her sister, Mrs. Roland Nichols. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boatwright, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nichols were also Sunday guests.

S. M. Eubank was taken to the hospital in Baird Saturday with pneumonia. Mrs. Roy Lee Williams came from Houston Saturday night to spend a few days. Mr. Eubank was brought home Monday morning.

Spending Mother's Day with Mrs. J. C. Weldon and Beulah were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Burnett and children of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Standford of Hilton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Conwell and Janet Lea of Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. Weldon had four generations represented in her home Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Pete Chatham this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Reed Francisco and family of Grand Prairie, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bailey of Levelland.

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Mrs. Tom Windham Jr. attended her family reunion, held at the Novice Park last Sunday. Mother's Day is the day set for descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer to gather for the family reunion. Those registering were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dyer, Linda Lee and Jack Jr., Marfa; Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer, Rocky and Jeff, Marfa; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murrell, Greg and Gary, Artesia, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Loose, Cindy, Robin and Greg, Carlsbad, N. M.; Mrs. Jeanne Tiffany, Santa Monica, Calif.; Mrs. Mildred Pate and Doris, Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Griff Parker and granddaughter, Patsy Murrill of Novice; Dubble Murrill, Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dyer, Debbie, Jerry, Brad and Kim, Denton; Mrs. Early Welborn and Beth, Novice; Mrs. Janis, Howard and Brenda Moses, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Vardi Dale, Coleman; Paula Windham, Carlsbad, N. M.; Mrs. Tom Windham Jr., Oplin; Sandra Stewart, Abilene; Shella Durham, Levelland; Julie Ann Durham, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dyer, Kevin and David, Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. Mae Dyer, Lawn; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reed and Matt, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dyer and Johnny of Abilene.

Douglas Breeding had a close call last Friday afternoon when the brakes on his car locked, pulling him into a deep ditch and the car skidded 30 or 40 feet and then turned over. Luckily, Douglas was able to crawl out and walk home and there was not too much damage

to his car. Doug, I still call that a close call.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce visited a while last Sunday afternoon with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Sumner McKinley of Coleman.

Mrs. Cotton Barrett of Lawn visited Monday of this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ray Floyd. In the afternoon they visited Mrs. Stella Yost.

Lee Straley and Freida express their sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Millhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warren, A. O. Jack May, Oran, Orlin and Sonny Bains for coming and helping with the filling of graves, that were in bad shape due to our recent rains, and for their

help in mowing.

Donations to the Oplin Cemetery Fence Fund: Maurice Atwood, \$5; Herbert Warren, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McBride, \$5; Oran Bains, \$10; Orlin Bains, \$10; Sonny Bains, \$5; Lucien Warren, \$5 and C. M. Morse, \$5.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lambert, who are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Monday. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lambert of Coleman and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breeding of Oplin. I might ask, who wanted a girl, anyway? Ch maybe sister Elaine, but probably the two little brothers, Jerry and David are happy to have a baby brother.

THANKS

Words are inadequate to express the gratitude I feel toward the wonderful people of Callahan County. To serve as your County Judge will be an honor and a great responsibility.

To those who supported me and those who did not I extend my sincerest thanks.

I would also like to express my appreciation to my opponent for the splendid manner in which he conducted his campaign.

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16 Eula Elementary Students To Hear Dr. Beazley of H-SU

Dr. William O. Beasley, director of student affairs at Hardin-Simmons University, will be guest speaker at the May 18 graduating exercises of 16 students from Eula Elementary School. Commencement will be at 8 p. m. in the High School Auditorium. Kerry Noble, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Douglas Jr. is Valedictorian, and Jovern Bilibrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bilibrey, is Salutatorian.

UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

BY VEDA YARBROUGH

Hi neighbor, hows the weather over your way? We had some pretty warm days then Sunday night here came a new norther and little on the cool side today, Monday, but this is the kind of weather I like. It might rain tonight or that is what the weather man said.

Visiting over the weekend with Mark and Ollie Burnam were Bill, Retha and Nevin Brown of Copperas Cove. James, Gayle and Steven Isenhower of Baird. Kim Burnam and friend, Mr.

Glenn of Portales, N. M. Several out this way attended the Rodeo in Baird Thursday afternoon.

I visited a while Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Thursday afternoon Betty Mobley, Mabel Carrico and I went to Band. I visited with Ruth Mobley in the hospital a while also visited in the Rest Home, visited a while with Mrs. Felix Mitchell, shopped some and saw the Rodeo Parade. We might have rode in the parade but we didn't have a horse.

We are glad to say Mr. Marvin who has been in the Hospital with pneumonia is home and doing very well. We hope he soon gets OK.

Mrs. Joe Hurley, Johnny May Ramsey, Ollie Burnam and me attended a Stanley party last Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. S. M. Eubank in Putnam, several Putnam ladies were there too, it was a nice party.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeter of Dallas had dinner Saturday with his sister Johnny May and Bernette Ramsey, they went on to Abilene in the afternoon to Mrs. Jeter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collins.

Burette Ramsey, my brother visited a while with me Sunday afternoon so did John and Roma McIntyre.

Ardis Yarbrough and a Mr. Johnson of Ira visited a while Wednesday afternoon with John and Roma McIntyre, they were interested in Santa Gertrudis cattle and were looking at John and Roma's pretty cattle.

Guess I better get busy so be good and I hope to see you next week.

GOOD FISHING In Baird New Lake

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Garden Clubs Ends Season's Meetings

The Baird Garden Club met May 3 in the home of Betty Young for their final meeting for the year 1965-66.

Reports were given by all officers and committees for the year.

A lovely bouquet of honeysuckle and rose buds was presented by Mrs. John McGowen. Bouquets of irises were brought by both Mrs. B. H. Freeland and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell.

"Outdoor Life - Way of Life in West Texas" was given by Mrs. W. A. Hunt. Mrs. Jerry Abernathy gave a speech on "Imagination - Key to Garden Ornaments."

The new officers for the coming year were welcomed and installed.

Mmes. B. H. Freeland, F. E. Mitchell and Betty Young served refreshments to 22 members.

School Menu . . .

MONDAY
Hot dogs, mustard, pea-beans, mixed greens, pickles, milk and apple sauce cake.

TUESDAY
Fish sticks, catsup, creamed potatoes, green beans, stuffed celery, bread, milk and peanut butter cookies.

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti and meatballs, buttered corn, Harvard beets, carrot strips, butter, hot rolls, milk and jelly.

THURSDAY
Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pork and beans, potato chips, milk and raisin cobbler.

FRIDAY
Teacher Work Day, no school.

Eula Students To Hear Pastor, Eldon Mahon

Fifteen candidates for graduation from Eula High School will hear the Rev. George Caffey, pastor of Eula Baptist Church, deliver the May 15 baccalaureate address, and Eldon Mahon, Abilene attorney, the May 19 commencement speech, as announced by Mac Copping, Supt. of Schools.

Both programs will be held at 8:15 p. m. in the High School Auditorium at Eula.

Valedictorian is Charlotte Shipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shipman, and Salutatorian is David Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Black.

New S&H Ideabook Available at Black's

The 1966 edition of a perennial American household favorite -- the S&H Green Stamps Ideabook -- is being introduced Thursday, May 12 at Black's Food Store and other S&H merchants in Baird.

This edition marks the 70th anniversary of The Sperry and Hutchinson Co., nation's oldest and largest trading stamp firm. S&H was founded in 1896.

The 1966 edition, biggest the firm has ever published, contains 188 pages and some 2,000 items, according to Ray Black. There are 56 categories for stamp-savers to choose from. Approximately 37 percent of the merchandise displayed is new this year.

Mr. Black said the new book continues the trend, started a few years back, to provide a broader selection of leisure time items. As an example, he said that skiing and horseback riding equipment was being included for the first time.

Also new this year were the teen-age bedroom sets and Spanish-style furniture. And among other new items listed is a sportsycle, automatic pet feeder, portable clothes dryer, electric manicure set, solid-body electric guitar, teflon-coated sole plate iron and a battery operated carving knife.

S&H expects to distribute about 32 million catalogs this year.

Officers Elected At MFT Meeting

The last MFT meeting for the 1965-66 school year was held Monday night.

A short program by students of both grade and high school was presented to entertain the parents.

New officers were elected for the coming year, as follows: President, Ann Long; Vice President, Jan Green; Secretary, Joyce Smaulley; Treasurer, Dixie McPherson.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with the very deepest gratitude that I express my appreciation to the voters of Precinct 1 for your support in electing me for the second term as Justice of the Peace.

I shall make every effort to meet your expectation of service.

Sincerely,
Garvin Jones

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my friends for their assistance on my behalf in the contest for Queen of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo.

My appreciation and gratitude to all who sold tickets for me. I thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to meet personally so many fine people and I offer my congratulations to all my opponents for the fine sportsmanship shown during the contest.

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I wish to humbly express my deep and sincere gratitude for the help and support which was given during the election. I greatly appreciate those who assisted me in any way in being elected, and I hope that I may fulfill the confidence you have placed in me.

I would like for anyone in need of any assistance I may render, to feel free to visit me at any time.

I promise again to execute the duties of the office in the best way that I know how to do.

I wish to thank my opponent for the fine manner in which he conducted his campaign.

Again may I thank each of you for your support and renew my pledge to serve you in the best interest of the public.

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NOTICE - Yards mowed and cleaned up. See Lester Hughes at City Shoe Shop. Any type of yard work. 19-1-c

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Jan Walker Wins Second Place In Recent 6th Grade Essay Contest

I think America is great because of many things. One is democracy. We can have freedom to do many things, though most people just take them for granted. Even some people do not think we have enough rights and disobey the law. People that

do this are given a fair trial, before a judge and jury and are not prosecuted unjustly.

We have the freedom to go to school and learn about people that don't have some of the liberties we do. We can go to the church of our choice and not be forced to worship where we don't want to. People can hire the men they want to work in their businesses.

In America, we are under our own flag and are not ruled by a king in another country. A president is elected by people, age twenty-one or over. The president helps promote peace and be friends with other countries. Also, governors are elected for state government. In cities, we elect mayors and other city officials.

Most people in America have a home to live in and three meals a day, whereas in some countries there are one or no meals a day.

We can buy food and clothing or other things we need or want in nice stores. There are all kinds of electrical appliances in some homes and a lot of nice things.

Public schooling is required for twelve years and after high school you can go to a college or university.

Our government is trying to help needy countries and helping them to help themselves. When we have foreign visitors we try to make them feel welcome as we would have them do to us if we visited their country.

Here in America we have hospitals to take good care of people that are sick. Doctors and scientists are studying to find ways to treat and cure diseases so that people all over the world can live a longer life.

Many great men fought to make America great. They fought for freedom from Britain and won it. They fought to make the North and South one union.

All of this together is what I think makes America great. Indeed, America is a very great country. I am very glad that I have the privilege of living in America.

MOTHER'S DAY VISITORS IN MITCHELL HOME

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Felix Mitchell over the Mother's Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rouse, Belinda, Carol and Steven, Mrs. Bonnie John and Laura, all of Fort Worth. Mr. John could not attend because a daughter, Jan had the measles; Mrs. Patsy Mary Thompson and sons, Mark and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Thompson and baby, and Victor who just returned from four years with the Armed Forces in Turkey. Fred Thompson received a back injury and could not attend, so he and another son Steven remained at home in Clinton, Oklahoma.

Also Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manion of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell of Cottonwood, Mrs. La Verne McElrath of Medford, Ore., Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Ivy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ivy and Rodney of Baird, P. G. Freeland and Kearney of Baird, Eudora Tipton of Garland, Mrs. Ola Notgrass Boles of Nimrod.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to all those who visited, sent cards, flowers, and expressed concern in any way while I was in the hospital following my accident.

A special thanks for the concern of all those citizens on Feline Street.

L. C. Cash

Smokey Edwards was home for the weekend from Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Bill Edwards of Dallas spent the weekend with his parents.

L. C. Cash, Co. Superintendent who was injured in an accident about ten days ago, came home Monday from Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Relatives visiting in the home of Mrs. M. A. Cline last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson of Lubbock, Mrs. Stanley Puerifoy of Big Spring, Leonard Stewart of Alice and Ann Stewart of Kerrville

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roby Barnard and Carolyn Jonas visited his mother, Mrs. Sally M. Barnard in Sulphur Springs Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown, Mrs. Bryan Dale Brown and children, Jenice and Terry Price visited in Rochester Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Wolf.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denney visited his mother, Mrs. M. B. Denney in Springtown over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McWilliams visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Benne and children of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. L. B. Dendy and Don, Saturday. They all visited in Haskell Sunday with Mrs. C. H. Dunnam.

W. A. Cook Jr. Dies Suddenly At Clyde Tuesday

Funeral services for W. A. (Dub) Cook Jr., 49, were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the Clyde Church of Christ, with Roy Phemister, minister, officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

The appliance department salesman at Sears in Abilene, died about 10:30 a. m. Monday following an apparent heart attack.

He was in downtown Clyde when he suddenly became ill. Tuesday would have been his 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Cook was born March 23, 1917, in Tipton, Okla., and was married to the former Clara Tipton, May 10, 1941, in Tipton. He moved from Tipton to Earth in 1943, and came to Clyde in 1949.

He was active in civic affairs and served on the Clyde School Board for 12 years. He was a member of the Clyde Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Tom of Austin; his mother, Mrs. Roxie V. Seymour of Baird; a sister, Mrs. Warren Sherman of Norman, Okla.; several nieces and nephews.

His father died in 1931, and two sisters also preceeded him in death.

Brown and Son Submits Low Bid

A contract for 13.014 miles of Construction on Roads 2945 and 2926 (FM) in Callahan County has been awarded to a Tye, Texas firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

T. M. Brown & Sons, Inc., submitted the low bid of \$264,044.49 on the project. Grading, Structures, Base and Surfacing is expected to take 140 working days, according to J. C. Roberts, District Highway Engineer at Abilene.

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Mrs. Slater Buried Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Earl (Jecie Lena) Slater, 77, were held at 10 a. m. this morning in the Clyde Church of Christ with Marion Hays, Sterling City minister, and Roy Phemister, local minister, officiating. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Slater, longtime Clyde resident and school teacher, died at 2:15 p. m. Tuesday at Callahan County Hospital in Baird after an illness of four months.

Born Oct. 1, 1888 in Clyde, she married Earl Slater Aug. 2, 1912. Her father, J. L. McCammon, homesteaded land west of Clyde in the early 1880's and was an earlyday rancher and lawyer. He was also the first mayor of Clyde.

Mrs. Slater received her education in Clyde schools and at Abilene Christian College. She taught in Clyde school for 20 years. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are two children, Mrs. R. B. DeCoursey of Arlington, Va., and B. E. Slater, with the Navy in Abilene; and eight grandchildren.

Mr. Slater, a retired rural mail carrier and postmaster, preceded her in death March 7, 1963. A daughter, Alene, died in 1917.

Palbearers were H. C. Cotton, John Estes, Jess Pyeatt, Hal Broadfoot, Merwin Eager and R. L. Sutphen.

Clyde Youth Dies Suddenly Buried Saturday

Funeral services for Ronald Duane Atkinson, 14, were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 7, at the First Baptist Church in Clyde, with the Rev. Wendell Shirey, pastor of the South Side Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Woodson Cemetery under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

The young Clyde Junior High student collapsed on the school ground about 3:45 p. m., Thursday and died a short time later in Callahan County Hospital at Baird.

Clyde Coach Ed Ammons said the boy was doing pullups on a bar outside the school building when he collapsed. He was taken inside the building, then rushed to the hospital in a car.

Ronald was born Aug. 22, 1951 at Olney. He attended public school at Hawley and later at Locust Elementary School in Abilene. The family moved to Clyde about two years ago where he was an eighth grade student.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Atkinson of Clyde; three brothers, Charles D. of Fort Worth, Benette of Abilene and Danny of Fort Rucker, Ala.; and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Douglas and Mrs. R. W. Hardin, both of Abilene.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for your thoughtfulness, flowers, food, cards and words of comfort during the death of our loved one.

The Family of Shelby Harville

Hospital Notes . . .

The following were listed as patients in Callahan County Hospital Wednesday:

- Mrs. T. V. Monsey, Cross Plains
- Mrs. J. W. Rhymes
- Jay Ringhoffer, Baird
- Mrs. Joan Ringhoffer, Baird
- Karen Ringhoffer, Baird
- W. D. Turner, Clyde
- Charles Lauw, Clyde
- Joseph P. Taylor, Rising Star
- Mrs. Lettie Rhodes, Cross Plains
- C. A. Mackey, Clyde
- Jo Ann Alexander, Baird
- Jim Asbury, Baird
- Mrs. C. F. Holley, Baird
- Jan Earp

- Dismissals
- E. J. Ellis, Moran
- Roy Miller, Clyde
- Mrs. Rosie Fite, Moran
- Mrs. Viola Mayfield, Clyde
- Mrs. Spike Blakely, Baird
- W. B. Splawn, Clyde
- Wiley Smedley, Baird
- Mrs. E. C. Parsons, Baird
- Mrs. Ida Lincecum, Clyde
- Mrs. Morris Thomas, Cross Plains
- Mrs. Irene Rocha and baby, Abilene
- S. M. Eubank, Putnam

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price were Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Price and Gaylene of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilbourne of Olden, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bell of Ranger, George Price of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dugan, Paula and Johnny of Clyde.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd, Davy and Bill of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. McElroy's sister, Mrs. L. H. Kay of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holley spent Sunday in Goldthwaite visiting her mother, Mrs. Eula Nichols.

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\$285,000,000 on deposit with the Post Office Department to convert their investments into United States Savings Bonds," John Towler, Baird Postmaster pointed out.

"I join him in urging local citizens to do likewise. United States Savings Bonds are the finest investment offered to the people of our nation. Savings Bonds offer every advantage and security formerly available through Postal Savings Certificates, plus many other advantages unique to Savings Bonds."

The special advantages of Savings Bonds, Mr. Towler said, are the new higher rate of interest, 4.15 per cent, and the satisfaction of knowing we are supporting our own nation in its fight for freedom and doing our fair share for economic progress and security here at home.

Details about the procedure for conversion can be obtained from the postmaster of any Postal Savings Depository Post Office, which includes the city of Baird.

The Postal Savings System, in operation since January 1, 1911, was discontinued April 27, 1966, by an Act of Congress. The Post Office Department is presently liquidating its account and on July 1, 1967, will transfer all unclaimed assets of the System to the Treasury Department.

"The purpose of the Postal Savings System have long since been fulfilled," Postmaster Towler commented. "And, as Mr. O'Brien emphasized, no greater new purpose could now be served by funds on deposit in the Postal Savings System than to put those funds to work for America in the form of United States Savings Bonds."

Mrs. W. A. Williams visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blakeney and girls of Abilene over the weekend, and attended Training Union and church Sunday night at First Baptist Church.

Delphian Club Holds Guest Day, Art Exhibit

The Delphian Club held their annual Guest day Tuesday, May 3, at the Presbyterian Church in Baird. An art exhibit, featuring paintings by Mrs. Marshall Newcomb Jr., was also held in connection with the Guest Day meeting, with the theme "Creative Living Through Art Appreciation."

Assembly music was furnished by Mrs. James Asbury and the Invocation was given by Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.

Special music for the program was presented by Melba Foy and her trio, composed of Nancy Deal, Peggy Gordon and Nadene Shelnett.

Mrs. James Snyder, president, gave the welcome, and Mrs. Blain Odom presented the program.

Mrs. Newcomb spoke on "My Paintings and I," after which an exhibit of her paintings on display in the Annex were viewed by the 125 members and guests present for the occasion.

Among out of town guests were Mrs. Prone Hewitt, Mrs. Newcomb's mother, from El Paso; Mrs. Marshall Newcomb Sr., of Stephenville; her mother-in-law, Mrs. Charlie Powell, Leah Hays and Jean Brandenburg, all of Abilene; Mrs. Eugene Snyder, Mrs. Reaves Hickman and Mrs. Elmer Tidwell, of Albany; Mrs. Lynn Williams, incoming president of Mesquite District, her secretary, Mrs. Oscar Wise, and Mrs. Morris Snyder, all of Moran.

Presiding at the tea table, featuring a centerpiece of Spring flowers and appointments of crystal and silver were Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, president-elect of the club.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. S. L. McElroy, James Asbury, Tee Baulch and C. B. Snyder, Jr.

Callahan County Shares In 100th Anniversary As Oil Producing State

As Texas celebrates its 100th anniversary as an oil-producing state, Callahan County shares in the development that made the Lone Star State the No. 1 energy source for a booming American civilization.

During Texas' first century of oil production (29 billion barrels), Callahan County has contributed approximately 50.4 million barrels, its record dating from 1923.

The latest U. S. Bureau of Mines figures (1964) show Callahan County produced more than 2.3 million barrels of crude oil valued at \$6.7 million; and 832 million cubic feet of natural gas worth about \$103,000. The 1965 output would be approximately the same, preliminary estimates indicate.

Callahan County ranks 11th among the Texas counties producing oil and gas.

Payrolls, distribution of royalty checks to local landowners, new drilling ventures and tax payments are some of the way by which oil and gas revenues are injected into the Callahan County economy.

One of the most important "crops" harvested by Texas ranchers, farmers and other landowners is the royalty interest from oil and gas operations. These payments are at the rate of \$856,000 a year in Callahan County. Many more thousands a year are paid in lease rentals and bonuses on acreage which operators hope will some day yield oil and gas.

In addition to sharing the tax load for local schools and levels of government, oil and gas producers and royalty owners send some \$317,000 a year to the State Treasurer in severance taxes. Oil taxes account for \$310,000; gas, \$7,000. Several schools in this county depend on the oil and gas property taxes for a sizeable part of the annual locally-raised budgets. Example: Eula, 64%.

Girl Scout Annual Day Camp To Be May 30, June 1

Dates for the Girl Scout Annual Day Camp have been set for the week of May 30 - June 3, to be held at Clyde. Hours for the camp will be from 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. daily.

Parents will be responsible for getting children to and from the camp site.

The director for this year's day camp will be Mrs. Frank Bradley. Her assistants to help with the administration of the camp will be Mrs. Eleanor Weeks of Baird and Mrs. Frances Whitehead, Clyde.

Mrs. Bradley and her assistants, together with administrative staff from other communities in the district, received special training for carrying out their particular day camp function on April 20 in Brownwood.

Weekend visitors in the F. L. Burleson home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graham of Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Preston, Bill and Dennis of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Waldon May and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack May and family of Oplin.



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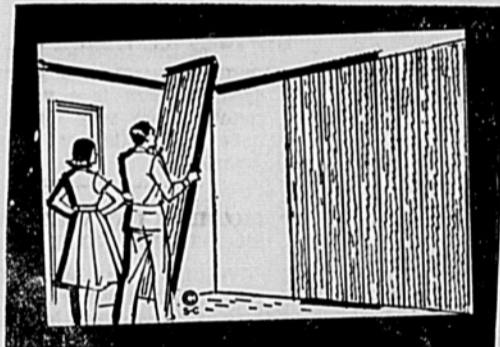
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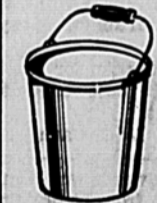


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Many Visit In Rowden Community Some From As Far As Colorado

Those spending Mothers Day weekend with Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond were Mrs. Ruby Russell of Menard, Mrs. Howard Kline, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Summers and Theresa of Ft. Worth. Mrs. Ellie Holloway visited Mrs. Gibbs Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Gibbs has been real sick. We hope she feels much better soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow Friday. They spent the weekend in Abilene with her sons, Weldon and Gerald Stephens and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mauldin of Denver Colo., Cheri, Sissy and Jacky Mauldin and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and Douglas of Abilene, spent part of last week with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin. They all spent Monday and Tuesday at Lake Travis, except Gene, and also visited Mrs. Mauldin's sister, Mrs. Davis there.

Mrs. Roy Thornton returned home last week after spending several days with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hines and children at Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smedley and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes last week.

Several from this community attended the Parade and Rodeo at Baird last week.

Mrs. Effie Holloway visited her sisters, Mrs. Ed Richardson and Mrs. Joe Higgins at Cross Plains Saturday afternoon.

Nancy Odom visited Mrs. B. Crow a while Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton visited Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge Friday night.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. B. Crow attended the quilting at the home of Mrs. Willis Bauch at Baird last Thursday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smedley of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price of Baird spent Mother's Day with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West, Chris and Cindy. Aizie Price was also visiting for the day.

Mrs. Effie Holloway and Mrs.

Joe Higgins of Cross Plains spent a few days recently with a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bennett of Roscoe. Oran Bains and Sue visited his daughter, Mrs. Claudell Joy and family at Clyde Saturday. They visited a while this morning with B. Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Odom and Mike of Texas A&M, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Marian, and Mrs. Pearl Windham of Abilene.

Atwell News

MRS. ROY TATUM

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Thomas and family of Altus, Okla., and Mrs. G. R. Stephenson from Cisco spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black.

Visitors at the Primitive Baptist Church Sunday were Elder and Mrs. V. M. Bleeker and Mr. and Mrs. G. K. McCaleb and Jane of Olton, Elder and Mrs. C. T. Venable of Bangs, Elder E. B. Tabor of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatum went to Springfield, Ohio, last week on a business trip for Dan Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster, Stevie and Randy visited Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster in Cross Plains Sunday.

There were several from our community who saw the parade and attended the rodeo in Baird last Thursday.

Mrs. Ethel Hewes attended the funeral for Lonnie Woods in Sabanno last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster, Stevie and Randy visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Mrs. Elvis Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Brashear of Cisco and Mrs. Lois Price of Baird visited Mrs. Dayton Sessions Thursday afternoon.

REGISTERED ANGUS CATTLE

Glen Elliott of Baird recently purchased 47 head of registered Angus cattle from Charles Griffin & Sons of Uvalde.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ

The good tax folks tell us that if you receive dividend or interest income, the payer will need your Social Security number for tax information purposes. The Internal Revenue Service requests you to please furnish your number promptly when requested.

The telephone company is not the only one who says "Number, please," nowadays.

Miss Gina Swafford of Ranger spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Burleson and family.

Warnie May of Oplin spent Thursday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Curtis.

Mrs. Mary Stites and Mrs. James Peacock of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burfield over the weekend.

May Vote To Be Held On Cotton Allotment Transfers

Cotton farmers in Callahan County will vote this month to decide whether they want to be able to sell or lease their cotton allotments outside the county, Tommie Harris, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, has announced. The referendum on the question will be conducted by mail during the period May 16 through May 25. Ballots may also be delivered by hand to the ASCS county office.

The only question to be decided by the balloting is whether upland cotton allotments may be transferred during the next three years to other farms outside the county which are owned or controlled by someone else. Such transfers may be made by sale or by lease. In no case may transfers be made outside the State. An affirmative vote by at least two-thirds of the county's cotton farmers who vote will permit such transfers for the next three upland cotton crops, 1967-69.

A referendum on the same question was conducted last fall throughout the Cotton Belt, and growers in 349 counties at that time approved the allotment transfers. The vote this May will be held only in counties which disapproved such transfers in last fall's vote.

The upcoming vote by mail marks a first in program administration, according to Mr. Harris. Farmers previously have been able to vote by mail in annual ASC committeemen elec-

tions, but the method has never before been used in a commodity program referendum.

Mr. Harris said, "It's easy to vote by mail, and we hope all producers will vote. The vote should be fully representative of the wishes of cotton farmers in our county."

The Chairman said that copies of the ballot are being sent to all cotton producers of record in the county, together with information describing the program's purpose and operation. Any cotton producer who has a question about the referendum or about who is eligible to vote, is urged to get in touch with the ASCS county office.

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Wednesday:
Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Richard C. Lewis, Pastor

Sunday:
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Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Albert Cooper, Pastor

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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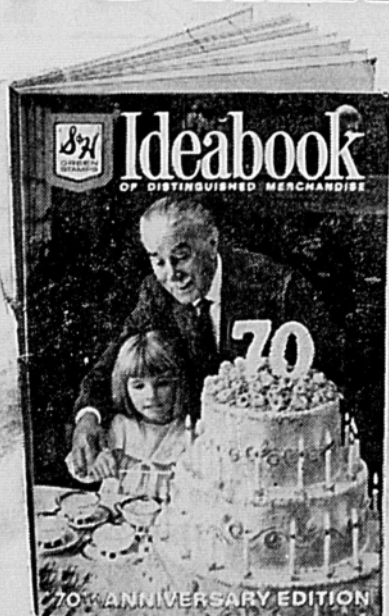
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