

THE BAIRD STAR

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SUPPORT OUR HOME TOWN

SWEET 'N' SOUR

By A. Dill

The Iris, the "poor man's orchid," are lifting their heads in every shade of purple, from deepest blue violet to lavender, the red buds are in bloom and even the wily old mesquite are putting out tips of green - if it isn't spring, it has us all fooled.

Very good news comes to us that Florene Boyd, who underwent heart surgery last week, is improving rapidly and if she continues on this trend she will return home Sunday. Complete recovery and better health than she has ever known are in the future for Mrs. Boyd and we join with her family and many friends in rejoicing over it.

On the recovery list too, is S. L. McKelroy, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia and it's wonderful news that he will be up and about soon. Guess what sort of an Easter present Pat Gray found at her house? Four beautiful black and white cocker spaniel puppies. They'll be wanting homes soon so if you want an ideal pet, get your bid in now.

We had Easter visitors at our house Sunday - Paul and Maurine Cook drove down from Lawton, Okla., to spend the holiday with Mrs. Lena Irwin in Clyde, Mrs. W. J. Cook and the Preston Aults here in Baird.

April brings lots of happy birthday wishes and we send along a very special one to W. V. Walls who celebrates this week James Walls has an April birthday too, and there's two in the Davis family - Bob and Moria. It's a big month in the Alexander household in April - Stafford Alexander (of Abilene) had one on the first and so did Mrs. Joe Alexander. Harold Alexander had his day on the ninth and son, Harold Lloyd will blow candles out on the 26th - best wishes to all of you.

Just about the sweetest sight around town? The Caughen twins, Karen and Sharon, and didn't they look like tiny dolls in their pastel middy blouses? Height of fashion for very young ladies.

The pansies in Inez Windham's yard surpasses being pretty - they are exquisite and maybe slightly splendid - ruffled beauties in every shade of gold, bronze, purple and blue.

For you clock-watching kids, there's exactly six more weeks of school left before they let down the bars and chase all of you out to pasture - with time out for week ends, that's only a matter of 30 days.

About the proudest fellow in town is Scotty Mitchell - with a speedy new racing bike.

There's a lovely wisteria vine in the Bill Work's yard and it's at its misty lavender best right now.

A truly lovely sight is the hedge of redbud trees at Teena Bryant's home - the entire yard is beautiful, as always but the deep rose of the flowering trees adds a spring note that makes it outstanding.

Another spring beauty spot is the redbud tree between the Howard Farmer home and the Freda Jones' yard.

Still another beauty spot is Vida Hill's yard - a pear tree in bloom spreads white blossoms to mingle with the cherry pink of redbud.

And don't you love the graceful golden fronds of Forsythia in the Garvin Jones' yard?

Home after an Easter vacation with David and Shirley Webster in Abilene, is Mrs. R. A. Webster. Mrs. Webster accompanied Jim, Carol and children, Brenda and Joy, of Cisco, on the trip.

News item of the week from Baird High School is that the Junior Class play, "Just Ducky" slated for April 25, is getting into fine shape. Class sponsors, Mrs. Clyde White and Jerry Cochran are pleased with the enthusiasm being shown and believe they have a real evening of entertainment awaiting you. Remember the date, April 25th, 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Tickets will be 50c for adults and 25c for students. Advance sales will begin soon.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. J. H. McClendon recently were: J. H. McClendon of Wichita Falls, Capt. and Mrs. D. A. St. Martin and daughter Lynda Elizabeth of Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Bates Baugh and family of Coleman, Lt. and Mrs. Roy St. Martin of Del Rio.

Father of Baird Woman Dies

Jackson Edward Brannen, 87, retired hardware merchant, land-owner and former state Grand Chancellor in the I.O.O.F. Lodge, died at 10:30 p.m. Saturday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He had been a patient there about three weeks.

Mr. Brannen had lived in Abilene about a year. His original home was in Littlefield, where he owned a hardware store before retiring.

He was born April 2, 1871, in Gainsville. He married Cora Faucett in Lubbock in 1918. Mr. Brannen was a deacon in the Baptist Church. He was an ex-mayor and postmaster of Littlefield; delegate to the 1940 Republican National Convention, and a former president of West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He was in the hardware business in Littlefield for many years, and had extensive property holdings in Lamb, Bailey and Dickens counties.

Funeral was held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Campbell Funeral Chapel in Spur. Rev. Lee Hemphill, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Littlefield, officiated. Burial was at Dickens under direction of Elliott's Funeral Home of Abilene.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Huron B. and J. E. Jr., both of Albuquerque, N. M.; six daughters, Mrs. James L. Snyder of Baird, Mrs. Gerald Johnson of Cebella, N. M., Mrs. Ted Kerkels, Mrs. Bob Hubbard and Miss Grace Brannen, all of Astec, N. M., and Mrs. R. I. Simon of San Antonio; two sisters, Mrs. Frances Xavier of San Antonio and Mrs. Lucille McLaughlin of Austin.

Petit Jury List For April 17, 1958

The following have been notified to appear for Petit Jury:

Lee Ivey, Baird; O. E. Kendrick, Rt. 2 Clyde; Mrs. Fabian Bell, Baird; Emil Ringhoffer, Baird; Mrs. Freda Jones, Baird; H. E. Wagley, Putnam; Benton Pruet, Clyde; Mrs. W. D. Fleming, Putnam; Mrs. J. R. Breeding, Rt. 2 Clyde; Mrs. Fabian Bearden, Baird; James Dyer, Baird; John Estes, Clyde; Mrs. Ashby White, Clyde; L. M. Green, Clyde; Medford Walker, Baird; Mrs. Marston Surles, Rt. 4 Cisco; Mrs. H. A. Callaway, Clyde; B. B. Montgomery, Cross Plains; J. O. Taylor, Putnam; Mrs. W. C. Rhoden, Clyde; Bruce L. Williams, Putnam; Mrs. W. N. Garoutte, Rt. 2 Clyde; Mrs. Eunice Starr, Cross Plains; Raymond Tyson, Baird; Mrs. Laura Brashear, Baird; F. L. Coughran, Rt. 2 Abilene; Mrs. Inez Detrick, Clyde; Mrs. U. L. Lowery, Putnam; B. F. Alexander, Baird; Floy McCaw, Baird; Glenn Payne, Cross Plains; Mrs. George Warren, Baird; Weldon Edwards, Clyde; Buster Hatchett, Baird; Tommy Gorman, Baird; Frank Gardiner, Baird; Forrest Franke, Baird; R. L. McKinney, Rt. 1 Cisco; Roy Higgins, Baird; Douglas Fry, Rt. 1, Cisco.

Clyde School Trustees Reelected Saturday

Each of three candidates for reelection to the Clyde school board received 21 votes in an uncontested election in Clyde.

The three are W. A. Cook, V. R. McClure and Lawson Armor. C. M. Peek got 20 votes for county trustee.

Mrs. Ronald Jantzen and sons Ronald James and Paul of Towhuska, Okla., have been visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cale Weldon during Mr. Weldon's illness. Also visiting was their daughter, Mrs. A. H. Standford of Nowata, Okla. Mr. Weldon is still under medical treatment.

Mrs. Ed Alexander made a trip to Breckenridge to visit her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tomlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Hughes and Sandra spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Warren.

Mrs. Gladys Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Webster and children spent the holidays in Alice with Mr. and Mrs. David Webster.

Baird School Trustees Reelected Saturday

Three members of the Baird school board were reelected by heavy margins. Only 249 votes were cast.

Reelected were M. L. Hughes, 211 votes, C. B. Snyder 230 votes and W. C. Edwards 206 votes. Others in the race were B. G. Haychett, 39 votes and Gene Finley, 39 votes.

C. M. Peek got 222 votes to be reelected county school trustee.

S. L. (Doc) Gray, 66, Taken By Death

S. L. (Doc) Gray, 66, father of Mrs. Janie Patterson of Baird, died at 9:4 a.m. Tuesday in the office of a physician in Amarillo. His home was at 911 Browning Street.

Mr. Gray, a retired grocer, had lived in Amarillo for 28 years. He was born Oct. 26, 1891, and was a member of the Church of Christ at Olney.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 4 p.m. in the Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel. E. L. Dennis, minister of the East Side Church of Christ, officiated and burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife; a son Arlander Gray of Germany; five daughters, Mrs. Lavada Rose, Mrs. Dorothy Evans and Mrs. Roberta Borrell, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. Janie Patterson of Baird; 13 grandchildren and six great grandchildren; his father, V. F. Gray and a brother, J. B. Gray, both of Kaufman and a sister, Mrs. Viola Huffman of Clifton.

Youth-Led Revival At Eula Church

Eula Baptist Church begins a Youth-Led Revival April 11 and will continue through April 13. Time of services will be 7:30 p.m. each night except Sunday, which will be at 8:00 p.m. Sunday morning service is at 11 a.m.

Rev. James Brandon, pastor of the Cottonwood Baptist Church will be the Evangelist, and Bro. Verl Price, of Abilene, will lead the singing. There will be a Youth Fellowship immediately following the Saturday night service.

Bill Harris is Youth Pastor for Youth Week, April 7-13; Sunday School Superintendent will be Sonny Carpenter; Training Unit Director, Jimmy Benefield, and others of the young people will fill teaching places on Sunday, the 13th.

Youth Week is designed to encourage young people to take their place of responsibility in their church. We feel the whole church and community will be blessed by the events of this week.

Norman Crisp, Pastor.

Week end visitors in the home of Mrs. Evelyn McQueen were: Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Spence and boys of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ocie McQueen and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Driggers and daughter of Midland.

Mrs. Leah McCarty and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McCarty of View, spent the Easter holidays visiting relatives in Llano and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pierson and family of Big Spring, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Loper over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Blakely of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Spike Blakely and Sig over the week end.

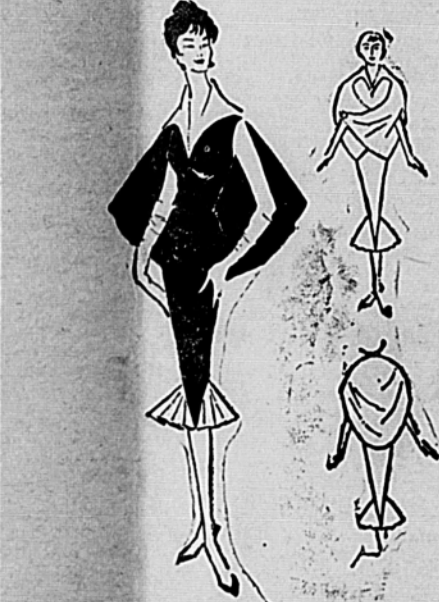
Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manion were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tatum and children of Abilene, and Cleo Ivey of Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sparks and son of Midland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McKelroy.

Visiting last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield were Mr. Mayfield's sisters, Mrs. Carl Alford and Mrs. George Goss of Rising Star. Visiting this week is Mrs. Mayfield's sister, Mrs. Respass.

Mrs. Myrtle Berry visited Mrs. Marian Watts and Mrs. Lena Melton in Clyde Sunday.

Rev. H. G. Markley returned home Wednesday after spending several days in the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring.



CUTE CAPER

The latest entry in the "clothes horse" race made its debut with the introduction of the "convertible" look by Raymond A. Wilson out of Kabro of Houston. Created by Elizabeth Roth, head designer at Kabro, the new fashion modifies the "sack" look along health principles championed by Wilson, founder and president of American Health Studios and Silhouette Figure Form, International. The "convertible" look has the lines of the "sack", yet silhouettes the female figure.

Joy Hurls No-Hitter Against Scanton

Terry Joy hurled a near-perfect no-hit, no-run game against Scanton Tuesday at the Baird Bears took a 5-0 victory in a District 10-B contest.

Only one runner reached base for Scanton as Joy compiled 15 strikeouts in the district opener for both teams. Joy struck out 12 batters in a row before an error allowed the only Antelope base runner of the game.

Jerry Blackwell struck out nine and gave up 13 hits for Scanton.

Baird blasted out four runs, including a pair of round trippers in the sixth when the Bears tallied four runs. Leonard Payne, Harvey Christian and Robert Suniga hit bases-empty homers and Don Davis blasted a four-bagger with two men on in the sixth.

Joy is a righthander who compiled a 3-5 record last season as a sophomore for Baird.

Former Rowden Woman Dies

Funeral was held Monday in Yuma, Ariz., for Mrs. Kate Minerva Miller, 74, former resident of Rowden in Callahan County, who died at 5 p.m. Friday. Burial was at Yuma.

She had been in ill health for several years. She and her husband, M. S. Miller, moved to Arizona in 1918 from Callahan County. Mr. Miller is a retired carpenter. She was a longtime worker and Sunday School teacher in the Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; four children, from Arizona and California; one brother, C. E. Taylor of Potosi; two half-brothers, Otha Gist of Eula and Eugene Gist of California; two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Dent of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Mattie Hearn of Fort Worth; and a half-sister, Mrs. Myrtle Hughes of Big Spring.

Eula School District Elects Trustees

A total of 42 votes were cast Saturday in the Eula School Trustee election. Two trustees were elected, with J. A. McKee receiving 29 votes to return him to the board. Price Stephenson received 30 votes, W. J. Hogue received 24 votes and Joe Bentley received 1 vote as a write-in.

At a meeting of the new board Monday night, J. A. McKee was elected president and F. T. Stalley, secretary. Other Board members are: Dick Favors, L. G. Wallick, Jack Shipman and W. B. Caton.

Ted Poindexter of Seymour visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Mart Poindexter during the holidays.

Mrs. Myria Gibson of Clyde visited in the home of her son A. W. Gibson one day last week.

Bear Band To Present Concert At Eula

The Baird High School Bear Band has been invited to give a concert at Eula, in the High School Auditorium on Tuesday, April 15 at 8 o'clock. The concert is the program for the Cancer Drive of the Eula community.

Both the stage band and the high school band will play. Admission will be by free-will contribution to the Cancer fund, and all proceeds will go for that purpose.

The public is cordially invited to attend this program.

Dist. Literary Events In Baird Saturday

District 20-B Interscholastic League Literary events will be held at Baird Saturday, April 12, with Baird, Eula, Putnam, Moran and Scanton competing. Following is a schedule of events room and Directors:

HIGH SCHOOL
9:00 - Declamation, High School Auditorium, Mrs. Nichols
9:00 - Ready Writing, History Room, Mrs. White
9:00 - Typing, Commercial Room Mrs. Crow
9:50 - Extemporaneous Speech, High School Auditorium, Mrs. Nichols
10:20 - Number Sense, Math Room, R. W. Reynolds
11:00 - Poetry Reading, High School Auditorium, Mrs. Nichols
11:00 - Spelling, History Room, Ed Elms

GRADE SCHOOL
9:00 - Declamation, Grade School Auditorium, Mrs. Ross
9:00 - Ready Writing, History Room, Mrs. White
9:00 - Picture Memory, English Room, Mrs. Ivey
9:40 - Story Telling, Grade School Auditorium, Mrs. Ross
10:00 - 5th and 6th Spelling, Science Room, Mrs. Ivey
11:00 - Number Sense, Math Room, R. W. Reynolds
11:30 - 7th and 8th Spelling, Commercial Room, Mrs. Huddleston

The public is cordially invited to attend the following events: High School Declamation at 9:00 in the auditorium; Extemporaneous Speaking in the auditorium at 9:50 and Poetry Reading in the auditorium at 11:00; Grade School Declamation in the Grade School Auditorium at 9:00 and Story Telling in the auditorium at 9:40.

Through The Mails

THREE SHIPS COMING IN
If you have no debts, this is not for you. If the mortgage has been paid off, if there are no upcoming payments on the car, the TV, the automatic washer or the new baby; if you don't owe the butcher, the baker or the man who lets you pay for the blue serge suit while you shine it; you can't win.

We refer to the darndest contest we ever heard of - a rescue operation for somebody who does have unpaid bills - three somebodies, in fact. The deeper in debt the contestant is, the more he has to win; thus the excitement will be in direct proportion to the weight of the contestant's obligations. It is called the "Fresh Start Contest" and is sponsored by a national food manufacturer, The R. T. French Co., of Rochester, N. Y.

The contest runs from April 1st to May 17th. But do not rush out now and order up a few od-and-ends such as a new car, a new house, new equipment for farm or shop or home or even new shoes for all the family. Even though this might be considered a very patriotic act in these times, the contest recognizes debts contracted no later than February 28th.

And just so you'll know what to expect, the three winners will have up to \$30,000 worth of debts paid - and receive, in addition, a nest-egg that will make the bank account look more impressive. As we see this glowing picture, it would be downright shameful to win - and have only 20 or 25 thousand dollars worth of obligations!

May the brokest men (or women) win!

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cotton of Houston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton in Clyde.

Little League Organized

In a meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 in the Cafeteria, the Baird Little League was inaugurated for another year.

Discussion was held about the possibilities of affiliating with the National Little League Association, and to the expense involved.

Officers were elected for the coming year. They are: President, Sterling Abernathy; Vice President, Madge Bearden; Secretary, Cubelle Harris; Treasurer, Bill Ford; Player Agent, Bob McKinnon; Official Score Keepers, Doris Robbins and Janice Jackson; Umpires, Frank Crow, H. R. Jefferies, M. M. Caldwell; Managers, Vance Stephenson, Tom Barton, J. D. Drennan, Lonnie Ray; Assistant Managers, Joe Harris, George Warren, Otis Bollinger and W. C. Gordon.

Officers and managers of the league will meet next Tuesday night, April 15, in the conference room of the high school, to discuss the problems of affiliation with the national organization.

Cancer Control Day Tuesday, April 15

April 15th has been designated as Cancer Control Day, and all workers are asked to make a special effort to complete their contacts by that date. All reports are to be turned into the local chairman by that time.

Nolla Ward Smartt Dies At Pasadena

Nolla Ward Smartt, 71, of La Porte, died Wednesday, April 2, in a Pasadena Hospital. He had suffered a stroke.

Mr. Smartt was born in Admiration May 6, 1888, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Butler Smartt. He was married to Lydia Alma Rodgers at Colorado City July 31, 1910.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Friday at the Art Simpson Funeral Home at La Porte, with Rev. Monty Gorzacki of La Porte officiating, assisted by Rev. Frank Dent of Houston. Burial was in Forest Park Cemetery in Houston. Mr. Smartt was member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. C. H. Lewis of Olathe, Kansas, and Mrs. John D. Lawler of La Porte; five sons, Tom B. Smartt of Deer Park, N. D. Smartt of Houston, Billy Howard Smartt of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Ralph W. and Kenneth D. Smartt, both of Grand Prairie; one brother, W. C. Smartt of Abilene; two sisters, Mrs. H. D. Womack of Colorado City and Mrs. Tom McGuire of Abilene; and 16 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Paul Hultquist, W. E. Jones and G. Creighton all of La Porte, Cage Hessler and Stafford Alexander of Houston, and Smokey Andrews of Baytown.

New and Renewals

L. W. Phillips, Pecos
Mrs. Minnie Crosby, Eastland
F. L. Smith, Clyde
L. V. Hagan, Baird
R. B. Taylor, Putnam
O. C. Burns, Sand Springs, Oklahoma

Mrs. Frank Windham, Baird
A. B. Berryman, Clyde
Bob Gabbert, Clyde
Mrs. N. D. Smartt, Houston
Roy D. Williams, Baird
Wm. B. Barrette, Dallas
Mrs. F. V. Baum, Cross Plains
Mrs. H. W. Martin, Baird
R. L. Darby, Venezuela, S. A.
Mrs. Beatrice Deal, Baird
Thelma Shelton, Baird
Mrs. M. E. Heslep, Houston
Mrs. J. M. Woodley, Maplewood, La.

Pvt. Donny West, Derbe, Colo.
Mrs. F. A. Bruce, Jones, Okla.
B. H. Walls, Baird
Mrs. Bessie Short, Baird

Visiting Mrs. Walter Bryant over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Dupree Bryant and Ray of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook and daughter, Ann, of Dallas; Mrs. Reece Cook of Abilene, Mrs. Heaton and Denise of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Simmons of Big Spring have been spending their vacation in Clyde, Baird and New Orleans.

Mrs. Bud Fleming and Laverne Rutherford of Putnam were in Baird shopping Monday.

NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

SCHOOL NEWS

The Putnam School is announcing its volleyball tournament to begin Thursday, April 10. The tournament is open to the community of Putnam from the 7th grade through the parents. Teams will be drawn and a round-robin tournament will decide the winners. There is no admission.

FIRST AND SECOND GRADE

We had a nice Easter party Friday afternoon. We want to thank Mrs. Vernon Donaway, Mrs. J. O. Taylor and Mrs. Archer for helping to make our party so nice.

Those on the honor roll this six-weeks period are: 1st Grade: Warren Donaway, Ellen Shackelford, Marilyn White and Sharon Archer. 2nd Grade: Jimmy Feely and Ricky Sherman.

Bonnie Nettles spent Easter with her cousins in Brownwood. Douglas McCorkle entered our second grade class this period. He came from Whitesboro school.

Warren Donaway spent Easter with his uncle who resides near Cisco.

Sherron Archer spent Sunday at Lake Brownwood with her family.

Ricky Sherman helped Grady Pruitt with the cattle Saturday. He says when he gets older he wants to be a rancher.

4-H CLUB NEWS

The 4-H Girls met April 2 at our usual place. There were 17 present.

Mrs. Isenhower asked each of us to tell what we had fixed for our meal. Nearly every girl had fixed her's. Elaine Isenhower, our little mascot, had even fixed her's, her mother helped her of course.

About 45 were present at the 4-H party we had at Mrs. Isenhower's home Friday night, April 4th.

April 2 was probably our last meeting. We sure have enjoyed meeting once a month. We sure thank Mrs. Isenhower for working with us. We are looking forward to meeting again next year. Until then goodbye from all of us.

CITY ELECTION

In our city election, Fred Cook was elected our Mayor, and L. A. Williams and O. W. Culwell our Councilmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reagan of Cisco were visitors with Mrs. Vena Shackelford Sunday.

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TRUSTEE ELECTION

F. P. Shackelford and R. B. Cunningham were re-elected trustees. Fred Cook was elected County Trustee.

METHODIST REVIVAL

The Methodist will begin a revival meeting Sunday evening, April 13. Their local minister, Franklin Dean, will be the speaker. Everyone is cordially invited.

They will hold their quarterly conference Sunday morning at Cottonwood.

Putnam Personals . . .

Mrs. Nell Norred of Big Spring is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon.

Mrs. Lee White and son, Carl, spent the week end in Madill, Okla. visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Reed of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman over the week end were their sons, Chris of Altus, Okla. and Earl of Fort Worth.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sprawls of Scranton, Mrs. M. B. Sprawls of Fort Worth and Mrs. Buddy Reed of Cisco.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell during the Easter holidays were their daughter, Aura Francis of Abilene and son, Clinton and family and Ora Clinton of Scranton.

Those spending the holidays with Mrs. Mitt Cook were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruyle and Lillian Cook of Dallas. Sunday guests were: Mrs. Lula Flemming, Mrs. M. H. Cook, Mrs. Mildred Harrison of Abilene, Mrs. Baulch of Clyde.

Those spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe were Raymond Jobe and family of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and sons of Abilene and Foy Jobe of Jal, New Mexico.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hopkins and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Higgs of Nugent, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cochran and daughter of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton of Sweetwater were Sunday guests of Tom Butler. They also visited Mr. Overton's parents in Brownwood.

Clint Rutherford of Grand Prairie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Smith and children of Grand Prairie were holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith. Gall Williams of Texas Tech

was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring left Thursday to spend four days in Stanton visiting Mrs. Herring's sisters, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Clement. They also visited Elmer McIntosh in the VA hospital at Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Tatom and children and Elva Payne of Sonora were holiday visitors with Mrs. Mae Payne.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. John D. Tatom and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tatom and son of Breckenridge.

Those visiting Mrs. D. D. Jones and Dove Gunn Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowne of Garland, Mrs. T. B. Watson and children of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jones and children of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones, Billy Bowne of Austin and Johnny Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green and sons of Colorado City were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower and Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday were their sons, Bill and family of Weatherford, Homer and family of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Finley and daughters of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and children of Clyde were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and sons of Houston, Mrs. Earline Clark and daughter of Boerne, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and son of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and sons of Abilene.

Clifford Smith of Grand Prairie was a first of the week visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett during the holidays were: Mrs. Bill Sutton of Allee, Mrs. Angie Sandlin of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Edwin Harris of Refugio, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and daughters of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Everett and family of Big Spring, Mrs. Jim Larcum and son of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ross Everett and children of Baird, Loren and Jo Everett. Friday was Mr. Everett's birthday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glogan of Anson and Mr. and Mrs. Roert Lambert of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Burge and daughter of Hamlin were holiday guests of Mrs. Louise

Williams and Mr. and Mrs. John Clements.

Hubert Donaway of Kermit was a week end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Free and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hedrick were Nimrod visitors Sunday.

Mrs. C. T. Clay and sons, Charles and Robert spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright. Mrs. Boatwright had a family dinner Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Clay and sons, Robert and Charles of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor. Hope you have had a nice Easter day. The weather is real nice here today. We had a large crowd at church this morning and heard a real good sermon.

Now wasn't Saturday a whizzer. Never saw so much dirt. Still don't have all of it out of the house. Wish we could get some rain and wash this dirt off the grass.

Jim planted maize today which is Monday. He also planted blackeye peas. Hope we make lots of peas as we have just about eaten all we put up last year.

The Jack Everetts spent Sunday with the Mark Burnams. Glen Burnams came by for a while in the afternoon. They had supper with them.

Mrs. Arno Roggenstein visited with me last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Poston and children of Cisco visited Sunday afternoon with John and Roma McIntyre.

Mrs. Onie Abernathy of Baird and son William of Odessa visited awhile Sunday and came by a few minutes to see Jim and me.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sugg and children of Midland came out this afternoon. We all went fishing. Didn't catch any big ones but got lots of little ones. I really enjoyed seeing those kids catch them. They really did have a lot of fun.

Retha Burnam of Midland spent the Easter holidays with her parents and Gayle.

Mike and Stella Hughes and girls spent Easter holidays visiting the John Hughes and Burette Ramseys. They were at church Sunday morning. We were so glad to see them. The girls will soon be grown. Doesn't seem possible.

Bro. Wayne Blankenship, pastor of Putnam Baptist Church, had Sunday dinner with the Burette Ramseys.

Dovie Pruet and Lillie Eubank visited Sunday afternoon with the Burette Ramseys. Mark Burnams and Jim and I were glad to have them.

I visited awhile Friday afternoon with Mrs. Laura Jobe. She and I visited awhile with Mrs. Mary Ramsey Saturday afternoon and with Mrs. May Payne in Putnam.

Jim and Dick Yarbrough were in Baird Tuesday on business.

Mark Burnam took some calves to Abilene Sale Tuesday.

Mrs. Bob Clinton visited last Wednesday afternoon with Ollie Burnam. Mrs. Fred Wylie and Mrs. Pearl Roach of Moran also visited Wednesday with Ollie Burnam.

Visiting with Roma McIntyre last Wednesday afternoon was Mrs. Pearl Roach and Mrs. Fred Wylie.

Lucille Kelly of Cisco visited Tuesday with Mark and Ollie Burnam.

Mrs. Clarence Earp and daughter, Mrs. Rogers of Clyde visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Chatham and children.

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

Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

The Sunrise Easter services were just as inspiring as ever. Bro. Bell, the assistant pastor from the First Methodist Church in Abilene, brought the message. Some twenty-five persons attended. To some that may sound like a few in number, but when you remember that God promised to be in the midst of a few that were assembled in his name then you realize that everyone surely receives a blessing at these services.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Adell Turner upon the arrival of a big baby boy last Friday, April 5. The young couple have been home on leave from Venezuela since February awaiting the arrival of this new baby. The Turners have a small daughter, Danna Jean. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Turner of Oplin and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Scott of the Denton Valley Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grantham of Premont have been visiting up in these parts for a few days. His mother, Mrs. Beulah Grantham also of Premont accompanied them on the trip. I feel sure Mrs. Grantham will extend her visit and stay awhile with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Poindexter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner and son, Mike, of Burkburnette will be visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Turner.

Oplin friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirkendoll, who just recently moved to Lawn, will be happy to hear that they are expecting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Clark and children, Ronald Ray, Donna Faye and Margie Kay of San Diego, California, the first of next week for a visit. The husband and father will only stay for a few days visit, but Mrs. Clark and children will extend their visit for several weeks.

Mrs. Alice Hopkins, who makes her home with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dad Poindexter and Clarice, hung her foot on a rug and fell one day last week. She struck her forehead on a chair, cutting quite a rash. Some eight or nine stitches had to be taken. Mrs. Hopkins had not been feeling well of late so of course the fall and cut didn't help her feelings.

Belated congratulations up Mr. J. H. Carpenter's way for he celebrated his 90th birthday last Saturday. Mr. Carpenter was dismissed from the hospital a few days before so I hope this finds him still feeling much, much better.

John W. Loven was hospital-

ized last Sunday with double pneumonia and other complications. He was thought to be critically ill.

Eula Items

By Sandra Beard

The High School volleyball playoffs will be in the Eula gym Monday, April 14th. The first game will begin at 6:30 P. M.

Tuesday, April 15th the Eula High School boys will meet Moran at 2 p.m. at Moran in a practice baseball game.

The Eula Cancer Drive Program will be April 15th at seven-thirty p.m. in the Eula School Auditorium. The Baird Band will present the program.

The UIL Literary meet will be at Baird Saturday, April 12th. Contestants from Eula will include: Barbara and Shirlett Shipman - Picture Memory; Susan Rock - Story Telling; fifth and sixth grade spelling; Patty Jones and Dianne Black, Shirley Dipple and Ronnie Esman - grade school declamation, Elene Bentley and Jack Bentley and Carrol Miller - grade school number sense, Ramona Stephenson - High School number sense, Jobeth Bentley and Linda Livingston - High School spelling, Beth Zachary and Georgia Merle Shipman - Typing.

The Eula High School boys will play Baird in baseball at Baird Friday, April 11th, at 2 p.m.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: JOSEPH F. HAVENS, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas, at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 28th day of April, 1958, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 13th day of March, 1958, in this cause, numbered 2356 on the docket of said Court and styled THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BAIRD, a banking corporation, Plaintiff, vs. JOSEPH F. HAVENS, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit on a promissory note payable to The First National Bank of Baird, signed by Joseph F. Havens, in the principal sum of \$45.75, payable or on before 3 months from date, being dated July 22, 1954, bearing interest from date at ten per cent per annum, plus ten per centum as attorney's fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection and for costs of suit, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, this 13th day of March, 1958.

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Editor's Note: This is the 5th in a series of articles compiled by C. M. Vaden, Jr., Field Representative of the Abilene Social Security Office. The sixth article will cover "Retirement Payments."

The Farm operator was covered by Social Security beginning with 1955. He reports his earnings the same as any other business man. He must have at least \$400 to report the same as a man who operates a store, for example.

However, he does have an optional method of reporting his Social Security which no other business man has. If a farmer or rancher has a gross profit of \$1800 or less, he can report either his actual net earnings or two thirds of his gross. If his gross is \$1800 or more and his net profit is less than \$1200 he may report either \$1200 or his actual net. If his gross profit is more than \$1800, and his net profit is more than \$1200 this option does not apply and he must report his actual net profit. This reporting is done on regular income tax forms, 1040, Schedule F, etc.

In computing his Self-employment income the farm or ranch operator should include all of his business income. This

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includes the sale of all commodities produced on his farm or ranch for sale, custom work off the farm, patronage dividends, most agriculture program payments, proceeds of crop insurance and Soil Bank payments. He deducts from this income all of his business expenses, including depreciation where applicable.

He should not include, on Schedule F, income from the sale of capital assets (such as buildings, machinery or livestock held primarily for draft, dairy, or breeding purposes), wages earned as an employee, or personal income such as dividends, interest, or royalties on oil leases, etc. Also he should not include cash or crop-share rentals unless he "materially participated" in the production of the crop or livestock.

"Material Participation" is what a farmer lives up an agreement (oral or written) with his tenant whereby he takes an active part in the operation of the farm. Factors considered in determining material participation are: physical work performed, management decisions affecting the success of the enterprise, periodic inspection of production equipment used in the production activities with the view toward making needed changes, furnishing machinery or equipment used in the production activities, production expenses furnished and advice and consultation with the tenant.

Farmers or ranchers desiring more information should write to the Social Security Administration, P. O. Box 1641, Abilene, and ask for a free copy of the booklet "How does Social Security Affect Farm Families?" "The Social Security Retirement Test for Farm People" or "Farm Rental Income - Soil Bank Payments, How Do They Affect Social Security?"

AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE . . .
 Congressman Omar Burleson

Fundamentally, people are the same all over the world. In accordance with his knowledge, experience and ability to react, the emotions in Africa, New Zealand or China are seemingly the same as ours.

When the Soviets announced their intentions to suspend testing of nuclear weapons, the world reacted. It seemingly is natural that man wishes to hear and believe that which he wishes to hear and believe, hence the propaganda value of the Russian announcement.

Our nation, whose every act is based on the moral concept, could not make such a promise unless it intended to keep it.

It is the purpose of this nation to continue to test nuclear weapons. Russia says that if we continue to explode atomic and hydrogen tests that they will be released from their promise to suspend their testing.

It is wrong to assume that all people of the world trust the United States. Millions or multiplied millions know us as little or less than they know the Russians. They are conspicuous of the meaning of the explosion of hydrogen bombs and fear it.

The purpose of our government in further testing is to develop the "clean bomb," to control its effects and reduce its size for both military and peaceful purposes.

But many people will not listen to this reasoning. Rather, they want to hear that all tests are suspended.

It is the call of the sirens. Some years ago Phillip Wylie told the story of the "Fifth Horseman." He rode ahead of his brothers, warning the people of their coming. The people laughed and refused to believe. So when Conquest, Slaughter, Famine and Death ravished the land, the people were caught

unprepared. Then when the Fifth Horseman rode back sadly over the devastated land, the people reviled him and shouted, "Why didn't you warn us?" Infiltrated by such ingratitude, he rode with his brothers and was more terrible than any -- his name -- Reality.

From long, sad experience, we know that the men in the Kremlin can not be trusted. In fact, since the days even before Lenin, they told us of their intent to communicate the world by deceit, treachery and all other means necessary to accomplish their ends.

Which of these promises should we believe? Should we believe that they are honest in suspending nuclear weapons tests; that they are sincere in their desire for a "summit" meeting, looking for ways to resolve our conflicts peacefully? Shall we believe they actually will keep their agreements; that we can trust them without a foolproof system of inspection; or shall we believe what the Soviet leaders have told us during the past forty years?

Spring Range Sales Features New Ranges

The most advanced automatic gas ranges ever to hit the retail market will be seen in home appliance stores in April and May during the Spring Range Sales Campaign conducted for local dealers by Lone Star Gas Company.

Leading the parade of new features for finer cooking is the "Burner With A Brain". It is called the greatest advance in gas cookery since the invention of the oven thermostat.

The "Burner With A Brain" automatically maintains top burner temperature settings and makes the cooking of even the most delicate foods foolproof. The burner prevents overcooking as well as undercooking and gives constantly good deep fat frying, boiling or griddle cooking

without separate appliances. It actually makes automatic appliances out of ordinary pots and pans.

But the 'Burner With A Brain' is only one of the many fine features on today's gas range. Some of the others are pointed up in a range sale promotion piece which reads: "Gas ranges are most modern with more automatic, more exclusive features than any other type of range, like no hangover heat, closed door broiling, 1,001 top burner settings, bake and broil at the same time, and fastest cooking and clean, cool cooking."

Lone Star Gas Company home economists will conduct cookery demonstrations in gas appliance dealer stores. Each person attending the demonstration will be given a yardstick on which is printed in large blue letters: Only gas measures up; cooks cleaner, cooler, faster; plus four to one savings.

Some dealers are offering low-down-payments, extra trade-in allowances, easy terms and special discount.

The modern gas range to be seen on dealer sales floors is as automatic as any range made today. It is the finest and most efficient cooking appliance that money can buy. It is equipped with numerous special refinements to fit any need of the most exacting homemaker.

So rapidly are new and improved features being added to modern gas ranges, that models

in use only a few short years are considered by some homemakers to be out of date. That is true, even though the older models are dependable and still capable of producing good cooking results.

During the entire two months of the Spring Range Sales Campaign, the homemaker will be offered the valuable opportunity of seeing the most fashionable and desirable arrays of gas ranges ever assembled by dealers of fine cooking equipment.

The homemaker may literally experience a shopper's holiday in her choice of models and the dozens of automatic, convenience and operating features that enhance the beauty and increase the efficiency of the modern gas range. Gas ranges now set modern standards of performance with their numerous automatic refinements that make cooking easier and more

comfortable. Actually, with a modern gas range, the daily duty of cooking for the family can be turned into a delightful pursuit that eases worry and doubt for the homemaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hart and two boys, of Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart last week end.

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News Happenings In Clyde



The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, April 11, 1958



Noma Mae Bales Weds Arthur Lee Henderson In Monahans Church Rites Friday Evening

Noma Mae Bales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Muri Bales of Odessa, and Arthur Lee Henderson were married Friday evening at the Third and Dwight Street Church of Christ in Monahans. Norman L. Bales, minister of the Rosebud Church of Christ, read the double ring ceremony. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Henderson of Quanah. A chorus directed by Mrs. Cecil Turner gave the wedding music and Bobby Dale Connel was soloist. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a chantilly lace gown with fitted bodice, and skirt of tulle and lace ruffles. Her fingertip veil of French il-

lusion was held by a tiara of pearls and sequins and she carried white orchids and split carnations on a white pearl Bible. Alfreda Rankin of Monahans was maid of honor; Mary Helen Jaggars of Baird and Wanda Lee Bales of Odessa, sister of the bride, bridesmaids. They wore mint green lace sheaths lined in taffeta, sashed with taffeta cummerbunds. Their bouquets were of orchid asters, carried with white fans. Sharron Lols Hodges of Odessa was flower girl and Richard Wayne Jaggars of Baird was ring bearer. Tapers were lighted by Sidney Clemmer of San Angelo and

Tommy Dan Howard of Monahans. James Henderson of Quanah, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushering were Keelon Hays of Andrews and Charles Ralph Bales of Odessa, brother of the bride. For traveling to the Davis Mountains, the bride chose a pink suit and hat with white accessories. Mrs. Henderson is a graduate of Clyde High School and Abilene Christian College. She is teaching in Huddler Junior High School in Monahans. Her husband graduated from Quanah High School and attended Abilene Christian College and Texas A&M. He is owner of Cabell's Minit Market in Monahans where the couple will be at home at 603 S. Gary St. Carole Curtis registered guests at the reception which followed. Others in the houseparty included Dianne Campbell, Carter Barron and Linda Bowman.

Virginia Ann Watts Sets Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watts announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Virginia Ann, to Arthur Edwin Huddleston, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Huddleston of Eula. June 7 is the date set for the wedding, which will be held in the First Baptist Church at 8 p. m. Miss Watts is a senior student in Clyde High School. Her fiancé is a student in Cisco Junior College.

Baptist WMU Circle Meets At Church

Mrs. Doris Easterling gave the opening prayer Tuesday at 10 a. m. at the Baptist Church for the Morning WMU Circle. Mrs. De Witt Chandler presided for the Bible lesson, taken from the 9th chapter of John - theme: "Believing In The Beautiful." The group attended an all-day meeting in Abilene Thursday. Present were Mrs. Mmes. Chandler, Patterson, Easterling, Reynolds, Ralston, Misses Anna Bell Tabor and Evelyn Hollis. Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hutchins and Joan were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell and Kent of Austin. Mr. Campbell is a student at the University there. Others were Mrs. Rachel Lane of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Prader, Philip Bith and Jane of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Jenkins and Lillie Marie of Rochester.

Girl Scout News . . .

Mrs. Ruth Hoyle, Executive Director of the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council was in Clyde Tuesday for the "Outdoor Activities Workshop," training with leaders, assistant leaders, camp director and other who will help with the Day Camp which is planned for the girls this summer. To be able to have this camping for the girls, it will be necessary to have the help and cooperation of the community and parents.

TROOP 6

Troop 6 met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Clyde Foster Tuesday, April 8. They had their business meeting and nibbles were served by Dorothy Kirkendall. The troop discussed what to bring for a hike which will be held in a few weeks. Jenolse Blue gave a reading on grooming, then the girls painted their drinking cans which they will use at their meeting place. The Friendly Circle closed the meeting. Present were: Ellen Howe, Dorothy Kirkendall, Shelia Powers, Marsha Rose, Lou Kuykendall, Cinda Young, Lanell Pettit, Sharon McKelvy, Carolyn Simmons, Charlene Weldon, Vicki Wilson, Mrs. Foster and Jenolse Blue.

TROOP 2

Troop 2 met at the Scout Hut. The roll was called and dues collected. The girls discussed their second class rank and finished some of their tests. After the business session, the troop had an Easter egg hunt. Plans were made to require each one to have a notebook next meeting day. Nibbles were served by Pansy Tedford. Present were: Linda Kelly, Pansy Tedford, Jackie Poe, Agnes Kennard and Bea Craig.

EXPLORE SCOUTS

The Explorer Scouts met in the Scout Hut April third. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. A discussion was held on buying a canoe for the Scouts. The boys would like to do yard work or odd jobs to buy this canoe. If you are in need of any work done, please contact Ted Callaway.

Home Makers Club In Regular Meeting

The Enterprise Home Makers Club met Thursday April 3 with Mrs. O. J. Witte. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Ray Young, by repeating the Club motto, pledge and prayer. Roll call was answered with How To Control Insects In The Garden. In the business session, the Club voted to contribute \$5.00 to the Cancer Fund. Mrs. Dalton A. Calfee was presented a beautiful picture for the many helpful things she has done for the club. Mrs. Britton showed a picture of the club made in 1938 while they were making down comforters. Refreshment plates of canapes, cake and punch were served to five guests, Mrs. Larry Hartman, Mrs. Buchanan and little daughter, Mrs. W. R. Turner, Mrs. Britton, and the following members: Mmes. Ray Young, C. M. Dunn, A. B. Foster, R. E. Hansen, Dalton A. Calfee, Paul Shanks, J. A. Coffey, Sam Sherrill, E. M. Parks, O. C. Dodson, John Estes, Homer Fears and the hostess.

Mrs. John Kennard Hosts Study Club

Mrs. John Kennard was hostess for the Clyde Study Club Tuesday, April 3, in the Community Center. Program for the day was musical selections, given by Mrs. Tommy Odum, Mrs. J. B. Paylor, Mrs. De Witt Chandler and Miss Anna Bell Tabor. Mrs. Odum presided for a business session, at which time Mrs. T. O. Dalaney and Mrs. E. G. Hampton gave a brief report of the District Convention held in Sweetwater March 20. Clyde Study Club was awarded third place on the club's report for the year. The annual Red Cross Drive was set for April 22. Mrs. A. N. Johnson assisted Mrs. Kennard in serving from a table centered with an arrangement of beautiful painted daisies. An Easter color scheme was carried out in the refreshment plate of cake and punch, which was served to 19 members, and two guests, Mrs. J. H. Bailey and Mrs. L. F. Patterson.



Girl Scouts of Clyde are proud of Shelia Powers, left, and Cinda Young, right. They each won individual awards for the sale of Girl Scout Cookies during the sale in March. Shelia sold 84 boxes and Cinda 48. They belong to Troop 6.

WCS Circles Hold Joint Meeting

A joint meeting of two WCS Circles was held Monday at the Methodist Church, for a series of studies taken from the book of Mark. Mrs. T. J. South presided for the devotional. A very interesting lesson on Jesus Teachings was enjoyed by the following: Mmes. Gibbins, Farrar, Plemons, Forester, Burrow, South, Barton, Crawford, Bailey, Stover, Witte, Johnson, Walls, Kennard, Berry, Loyd, Weathers, Bryant and Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Williams of Paint Rock were Sunday visitors with his mother, Mrs. Ira Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy King and son, Lynn, of Kermit were week end visitors with his parents, the A. V. Kings, and her parents, Mrs. Roy LaFoy and Mr. LaFoy and family. Mrs. King and Lynn remained here for a longer visit with relatives. Visiting Monday with the Tom Plemons were her sister, Mrs. H. W. Rains, and Mr. Rains of Mountain View, Okla., and their son Martin Rains of Haskell. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hannaford visited Wednesday of last week in Pear Valley with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Faulkner, and Mr. Faulkner. Jimmy Johnson of Denton visited during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Johnson. Jack Johnson of Texas Tech also visited in the Johnson home. Dr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey of Dallas and Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Bailey of Abilene were Saturday visitors with Mrs. J. H. Bailey, Mrs. R. C. Clemer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey. Visiting in the John Estes home over the week end and on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lastovica and family of Temple, Mrs. Jean Davis and children, the Bill Estes family, Word Estes and friend, all of Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Estes and Dr. John L. Estes and family of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn of Rosebud and Mrs. R. A. Coffman. Albert Briscoe of San Angelo visited Sunday with Mrs. S. H. Briscoe, Boyd and the James Briscoe family. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis, Dixie and Bitsy of San Antonio were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, Ginger and Tommy. John Poole of El Paso spent the week end with his parents, the P. L. Pooles. Dr. T. A. White of Abilene visited Mrs. Faye White and the Austin Bouchetts. Dr. and Mrs. White are the parents of a baby girl born last week. Miss Vada Collins of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. John Collins of Eastland spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Collins. On Monday Mrs. Mae Day of Abilene visited the Collins. Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIntosh were Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIntosh, Johnny and Monica, of Houston, Mrs. G. G. Bowen of Wichita Falls, Capt. and Mrs. Glenn W. Bowen and children, Gay, Glenna and Geri of Denver, Colorado. Capt. Bowen is stationed at Lowry AFB, there. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Nevills of Big Lake spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. J. A. Reed. She accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Church of Christ News . . .

Last Lord's day the Clyde church enjoyed a day of worship to God in which the church building was filled to capacity, including extra seats. Bible school attendance increased greatly, and contributions were good. Beginning next Lord's day, the congregation will conduct an eight-day series of gospel services, daily at 7:30, with Troy M. Cummings, local evangelist, speaking, and Wayne Berryman leading the singing. Probable sermon subjects next Sunday will be, in the morning, "The Last State Is Worse Than The First"; in the evening, "One of the Greatest Spiritual Needs" then Monday evening, "Take Heed How Ye Hear"; Tuesday, "How Can We Know When We Are Saved"; Wednesday, "Jesus, the Misunderstood Saviour"; Thursday, "The Greatest Thing In The World"; Friday, "Christ and His Church"; Saturday, "God Gave Unto Us Eternal Life"; Sunday morning (April 20th) "To Live We Must Die"; Sunday evening, "Why Be A Christian?" These Bible-centered messages will be an effort by the congregation to set forth the principles of the original New Testament Christianity, in its first-century simplicity, purity and power. This eight day series has been planned as a spiritual service to the public, in which prayerful efforts will be made to stimulate within all a deep interest in Christ's message for man exactly as it was delivered nineteen centuries ago. You will find a warm welcome from your friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Snow Hosts Armstrong Circle

Mrs. J. C. Snow was hostess for the Armstrong Circle Monday, with opening prayer by Mrs. Allan Thornton. Mrs. Bill Shelton gave the devotional, with Mrs. Grady Barr in charge of the program, based on Resurrection. Mrs. Tabor presided for a brief business session. Hostess gift was presented to Mrs. Thornton. Other members present were: Mmes. Doyle Hopper, Bill King, R. O. Cloud, Harold Holden, Bill Baker, Blanton Scott, Leslie Waldon, Selan Canada, Joe South, Wesley Rutherford, Weldon Rutherford, Lee Crouch, Tholbert Smith and one visitor, Mrs. J. W. Faircloth. Gloria Forester of Dallas spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Forester, and the Harold Holden family. Joe Steen of College Station visited Monday with his grandmother, Mrs. P. C. Steen. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gardner of Irvin and Miss Mary Gardner made a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watts Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth King and two sons, Mark and Vinson, of Hurst, Mrs. Jean Scott and daughter, Melba, of Hamlin visited here during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. King and her mother, Mrs. Dora Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Yarbrough and children of Denver City spent the week end with Mrs. Ollie Burrow. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Levelland visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cook Jr. of San Angelo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cook Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Danewood of El Paso visited during the week end with Mrs. G. L. Walker and Velma, the Von Ray McClures and Mrs. W. Danewood and Robert. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Caldwell and Julie Ann of Jacksonville were week end visitors with her mother, Mrs. Edna Tuberville. Mr. and Mrs. Don Tabor of Denton spent the week end with the Clark Tabors. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Meadows, Ricky and Jan of Pampa, and Betty Harless of Amarillo visited Mrs. Claudia Harless and other relatives for the Easter week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook of Lovington, N. M., visited a while Monday with W. R. Cook. They had attended the funeral services for an aunt in Abilene, Mrs. Austin Middlebrook. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook of Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. Preston Ault visited their mother, Mrs. Lena Melton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sherrill and Mr. Whittle of Crane, visited a while Monday with Mrs. Sam Sherrill. Mrs. Ernest Klepper and Bettie Rightmer visited friends and relatives in Fort Worth and Grand Prairie during the week end. Recent visitors with Mrs. G. R. Baker and her mother, Mrs. Mary Saunders were Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Baker of Amherst, Rev. and Mrs. Luther Baker, two sons and a daughter-in-law, Barbara Baker of Lorenzo. Visitors during the Easter holidays with the Clyde Fosters were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brown of Big Lake, the M. B. Conner family of Abilene and James Moore of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Turner of Rt. 2, Clyde, are the parents of a son, born at 1:12 p. m. Friday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Harry Lester of Big Spring and Mrs. Jack Gorman of Snyder spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. M. M. Woodward. Mrs. Woodward accompanied Mrs. Lester home for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. John Tubb Jr., and daughter, Nancy, of Rayne, La., spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steen, and Mrs. P. C. Steen. Visiting in the J. W. Hardy home during the week end were Miss Virgie Hardy of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Hardy of Seminole. Mrs. Hardy who has been school nurse at Seminole the last 5 or 6 years is at present school nurse at Jal. N. M. Mrs. G. R. Baker and Mrs. Mary Saunders visited Sunday in Bradshaw with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Saunders. Leroy Corley, of Tarleton, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corley. Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Kniffen of Abilene visited Sunday in the Bailey Johnson and Fred Kniffen homes. Holiday visitors in the Jim Bauch home were Mrs. Lula Fleming, Mrs. Mildred Harrison and Mrs. Mitt Cook, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bates Bauch of Coleman, Rex Bauch of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bauch Jr. and daughters, Sue and Martha of Jal. N. M. Johnny Kniffen and Miss Katherine Furlow of Lubbock spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kniffen, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Plemons spent Sunday visiting their son, T. O. Plemons and family at Jacksboro. Week end visitors with Mrs. Lily Morton were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin and family of Payson, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Morton and family of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morton of Abilene.



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Daily Services, 7:30 p. m.

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Mrs. Johnny Hodges of Farmington, N. M. visited over the week end with her son Johnny and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Robbins.

The Back Trail

By "THE OLD TIMER"



Dear Textizens: Away back at the beginning of this century we had rain, as we sometimes do now. I think it was on the 28th day of May the dark clouds came over from the West, the lightning flashed, the thunder rolled, the hail was large flat slugs, not many but a few, and some were round about the size of golf balls, we could hear a heavy roar away to the Southwest, and my father said, "I believe they are having a big hail over on the head of the Leon." That was about two or three o'clock in the afternoon, he had just finished plowing out and laying by, our corn only a few rounds had been left at noon so he had put away the cultivator and turned the mules into the pasture. Sister and I gazed with fascination at the green-black clouds, then as the wind came on with dust, a few hail stones still scattered about, we headed for the storm cellar, mother carried a basket of food, father got the Semi-Weekly News and the Atlanta Constitution, we carried a kitten, and placed the axe and grubbing hoe by the steps and let the door down. We had a round of fried chicken and then went to bed while mother and father read by the lamplight. The rain poured and once or twice lightning struck a tree nearby sending us children under the cover for a few moments. Then after the shades of night were fading to the dawn of a new day, we came out and looked toward the 90 acre creek-bottom field. Water covered all but a couple of acres, just a few stalks of corn were visible. And for forty-eight hours the water stayed over the field, absolutely ruining the whole corn crop. The cotton fared a little better as it still young, and barring some where the ground was washed bare, a shower a few days later took most of the dirt that had settled on the leaves away. There was still time to plant milo maize and red-top and sumach cane, and father put the little piece of ground just below the hog pasture in black amber cane for early fall use.

The roads dried up in a few days, and father took me along and we went to see the storm damage. There was the corn on the old Montgomery Ranch, stalks as big as a person's arm, beaten to eight inches of the ground, by the hail, the shingles beaten off except on the rent house which had just been recovered, the tanks were all gone great holes washed in the dam. The chickens were all killed, it looked like winter time, all the trees were bare. We went farther on to a big orchard, there was real desolation, early peaches, apricots and plums, all over the ground, the bark all beaten off the West side of the trees. Mr. Bone told us he was moving to another farm, where the hail didn't reach that time, an old nursery place with lots of fruit. We loaded up the wagon and took a load for him as we went

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on our way toward town. (Years later we leased the place so hard hit by hail).

Farm house after farm house was un-roofed by the hail and wind, it looked as if our fields were very lightly hit compared to many of the places we saw on our trip. When we reached town, the merchants eagerly inquired as to the damage we had seen, offered all assistance that was in their power to give, and sold us what seed we needed until fall and insisted that we buy a load of supplies to be paid for that fall while we were waiting for the ground to get where we could go to planting. Father bought another Georgia Stock and a couple of heel sweeps so he could put another hand in to run the middles so the ground wouldn't get too hard to plow before he could get plowed over. A man gave us a small bucket of

a new kind of syrup cane seed to try on our upland sand. That was the grandfather of our later wholesale sorghum cane venture which I will tell you about sometime. Another gave us a start of cattail millet, and we had four or five kinds of field peas, then another shared his melon seed. A little boy gave me a snuff bottle of Tennessee Red Goobers to plant, we already had enough of the present Spanish type peanuts to plant a row, so with two varieties of pop corn and a gallon of Hickory King (or something of that nature) for late roasting ears we happily wended our way homeward -- arriving after night. We heard the timber wolves howling over back of the Martin Pasture but they never came our way that night.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit on a promissory note payable to The First National Bank of Baird, signed by Samuel J. Havens, in the principal sum of \$35.75, payable on or before 9 months from date, being dated February 7, 1955, bearing interest from date at ten per cent per annum, plus ten per cent as attorney's fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection and for costs of suit, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, this 13th day of March, 1958.

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Mrs. Archie Nichols Hosts Study Club

Mrs. Archie Nichols was hostess to the Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club, Monday night, April 7.
 Following the business meeting, Mrs. Nichols introduced the speakers for the evening, Mrs. Juanita Daniels and Mrs. Terrell Williams. They gave a very interesting discussion on "Colorful Descriptions," our eighth lesson in the study course, "The Art of Conversation."

The hostess served refreshments to Mmes. Lynn Ault, D. C. Cox, Eunice Brock, Juanita Daniels, Beatrice Deal, Sybil Dickey, H. D. Hart, A. A. Manion, Glenn Rockey, L. L. Blackburn, Lucille Tankersley and Terrell Williams.

Former Resident To Wed Lubbock Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Kay of Lubbock have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carmen Sue Kay, to Lt. Billy Carlton Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Walker of Eldorado, formerly of Midkiff.

The wedding will be held May 31 in the Bowman Memorial Chapel of the First Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Miss Kay, a graduate of Rochester High School, is a senior student at Texas Technological College. She is a home economics major and is affiliated with the Baptist Student Union and employed with the Lubbock Avianche-Journal.

Lieutenant Walker was graduated from Snyder High School and Texas Technological College. At Tech he was a member of Alpha Phi Omega fraternity and Sigma Chi social fraternity and served as chairman for Tech Homecoming in 1956. Currently he is in officers training at Fort Benning, Ga.

Miss Grimes Hosts Wednesday Club

Miss Isadore Grimes was hostess to the Wednesday Club March 19 in the home of Mrs. J. R. Jackson.

Mrs. Jackson, president, presided. Mrs. Stubblefield gave the Invocation. Twelve members answered roll call with current events. Mrs. Russell gave a program on "Haiti, The World's First Negro Republic". Mrs. Jackson spoke on "Tumult in the Dominican Republic". Refreshments were served during the social hour.

Martha Royce Gilliland and Hudson Lee Long Wed In Baird Church Rites Friday Evening

Martha Royce Gilliland and Hudson Lee Long, both of Llano, exchanged marriage vows Friday evening in the First Baptist Church in Baird.

Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Royce F. Gilliland of Abilene and the late Royce F. Gilliland. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Long of Llano.

Mrs. James Foy Tarver of Odessa, sister of the bride, and Sherman Long of Llano, father of the bridegroom, attended the couple as matron of honor and best man.

Malcom Long of Llano, brother of the bridegroom, and Fritz Otto Jr. of Llano ushered and served as candlelighters.

Leonard Payne, organist, accompanied soloist Glen Rockey. Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, James Foy Tarver, the bride wore a floor length gown of tulle inset with panels of scalloped French imported hand clipped lace over satin.

The neckline was traced with seed pearls and scattered iridescent sequins accented the fitted bodice. Her fingertip length veil of illusion was set with matched seed pearls and iridescent sequins. She carried a white Bible and a white orchid.

The matron of honor wore a powder blue dress of tulle and taffeta, styled off the shoulder, and floor length. Her large picture hat was covered with pastel flowers and she carried a bouquet of pale pink carnations.

The reception was held following the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church.

Included in the houseparty were Loreta Allen of Abilene, Marilyn Gilliland, cousin of the bride, Jennie Harris, Mrs. N. M. George, Mrs. Melba Dyer and Clara Corning.

The bride wore a beige light

Delphian Club Meets In Siadous Home

The Delphian Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. C. H. Siadous. Mrs. L. C. Cash called the meeting to order and invocation was given by Mrs. Sterling Odum.

Mrs. Tee Baulch introduced the program. Denmark, Home of Sea Rovers was presented by Mrs. Stubblefield; Finland, Land of 1,000 Lakes was given by Mrs. McCowan.

Refreshments were served to 16 members and one guest, Mrs. Wren Latimer.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Homer Driskill on April 29, with Mrs. James Asbury as hostess.

weight wool suit and willow green hat with beige accessories for their wedding trip to New Orleans. They will make their home near Valley Spring.

The bride is Llano County Home Demonstration agent and the bridegroom is a rancher near Valley Spring.

Mrs. Long is a graduate of Baird High School and North Texas State College and her husband is a graduate of Llano High School and Southwest Texas State College.

Texas Egg Law Misunderstood

A serious misunderstanding apparently has arisen between some producers and buyers of eggs on certain points of the new Texas Egg Law, Agriculture Commissioner John White said today.

Reports have reached the Texas Department of Agriculture that certain retailers and buyers have refused to handle eggs from the small producers with limited flocks. These buyers have blamed the Texas Egg Law and used it as an excuse for not doing business with the farmer who wants to sell only two or three dozen eggs at a time.

"There is absolutely nothing in the law that interferes with or prohibits this long-standing business relationship between any producers and buyers," White emphasized. "A retailer or other egg handlers can purchase any amount of eggs from a producer at any time."

Although the law prohibits the sale of inedible eggs, this factor should not jeopardize normal egg transactions with either small or large producers, Commissioner White said.

"This type of regulation against inedible eggs, as well as other food products, has been in force for years through the U. S. Pure Food and Drug Act. If the usual precautions are taken by both egg sellers and buyers -- just as in the past -- this phase of the law will not place undue restrictions on the trade."

"There is a big difference between occasional bad eggs involved in sales transactions and whole cases of spoiled eggs," White said. "Common sense will prevail in egg inspection work."

"There have been instances when large lots of inedible eggs were deliberately moved into trade channels before we had the additional protection of the Egg Law. We will be especially vigorous in preventing this type of violation."

Another misunderstanding involves provisions of the law relating to egg grades.

"Eggs do not have to be graded," White pointed out. "Grading is not mandatory under the law at any level of trade. Ungraded eggs may be sold in the channels of trade but they must be plainly marked 'ungraded' on the carton or container."

White added that it is more advantageous to all concerned if the producers and handlers do participate in the egg grading program. Otherwise, high quality eggs will be sold on an ungraded basis, sacrificing the price advantage of the higher marked grades.

When the grading system is used, the cartons or containers must be labeled according to the actual size and grade of the eggs. Standards are those set by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and approved by the Texas Egg Marketing Advisory Committee.

Two main points to remember, said White, are:

1. An egg producer, large or small, is exempt from the law -- and all of its provisions -- if he sells only from the production of his own flock on an ungraded basis.

2. The new law is essentially an egg labeling act which requires that eggs sold within the state be properly marked as to size and grade if a grade is claimed, or marked "ungraded" if no grade is claimed. The eggs must meet the specification indicated on the container if they are sold as ungraded eggs.

"Our problems would be simplified if most of the complainants would only read the law," said White. "Troubles arise when a person gets his information 'second hand' and decides that the law discriminates against him."

White strongly urged all persons with a question on the law to contact the Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin.

Veterans Responsible For Statements

Veterans are responsible for the accuracy of statements on which they are hospitalized by Veterans Administration for non-service-connected disabilities, the agency said today.

VA said wartime veterans without service-connected disabilities may be admitted for non-service-connected conditions when beds are available, provided they state under oath they are not able to pay for the needed care.

Along with the oath the veteran is required to file a statement of financial assets and liabilities.

Before hospital admission, the veteran is given an opportunity to review this statement and compare his ability to pay with an estimate of the amount the needed care would cost in private hospitals, VA said.

Emergency patients, however, may be admitted immediately on arrival at the hospital and may complete the financial statement and oath later when their condition permits, VA added.

VA hospital managers have been instructed to report to VA Central Office in Washington, D. C., any cases that may occur in which the statement of inability to defray expenses of hospitalization appears incorrect.

Federal laws provide both criminal and civil penalties for making false statements in connection with claims for VA benefits, VA said.

ASC News Letter . . .

EXCESS WHEAT ACREAGE

The measuring of 1958 wheat acreage is nearing completion and all notice of acreage should be mailed soon. Due to the adverse weather conditions in the past several months, a large amount of volunteer wheat has not been destroyed and must be classified as wheat. The final date to destroy all excess wheat acreage is May 10, 1958. Excess acreage must be destroyed by the above date and prior to maturity (headed out). Marketing cards cannot be issued on overplanted farms unless excess is disposed of or the penalty rate is paid. All small grain (wheat, oats and barley) growing on land designated as Soil Bank Acreage must be destroyed by May 10, 1958 also, or the agreement will be in violation.

WOOL PROGRAM

All wool growers who have not made application for incentive payments under the 1957 Wool Program may do so not later than April 30, 1958. Wool or unshorn lambs sold before March 31, 1958 are eligible for incentive payments. Please remember to bring the original sales receipts with you when making application under this program.

COTTON ACREAGE RESERVE

Those cotton farmers who did not sign an agreement or a request to place their cotton acreage in the Acreage Reserve (Soil Bank) by the closing date (Feb. 20, 1958) may sign a certification to do so not later than April 18, 1958 provided:

(a) The farm operator files with the County Committee a certification on form CSS-847, setting forth that he took specifically stated positive action in an attempt to participate and showing that this action was

taken after the opening of the 1958 period and not later than the closing date.

(b) The completed certificate is signed in this office not later than April 18, 1958.

ASC PERSONNEL

We wish to take this opportunity to introduce the following employees of the ASC Office to you. Due to an increase in program activity and the addition of Soil Bank, it has become necessary for each of us to specialize in various programs to give better service to farmers and ranchers of Callahan County.

Introducing:

Mrs. Dorothy Parsons - ACP, Conservation Reserve, Performance, Peanut Mkt. Quota.

Miss Floy N. McCaw - ACP, Conservation Reserve, Performance, Peanut Mkt. Quota.

Miss Patricia Barnhill - Acreage Reserve, Performance, Cotton and Wheat Mkt. Quotas.

Mrs. Ruth Strickland - Wool, Administrative, Loans, Acreage Reserve, Cotton and Wheat Mkt. Quotas.

Mr. Claude Johnson - Assistant County Office Manager, Performance Supervisor.

Mr. J. C. Earp, Jr. - County Office Manager

Yours very truly,
 J. C. Earp, Jr.
 Callahan County ASC

CARD OF THANKS

Our hearts are filled with gratitude and appreciation for our many good friends whose comfort during our recent sadness meant so much to us. We wish to especially thank the employees of the T&P Railway Co., and the people of Baird for the lovely flowers and cards. We thank each of you from the bottom of our hearts.

Janie Patterson and Family.



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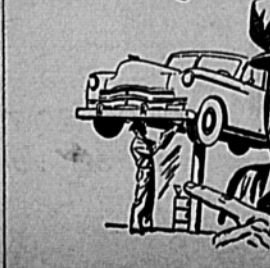
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Cottonwood News
By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh of
Andrews spent last week end
visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. R. A. Maddox.

The spring revival closed Sun-
day night with a very successful
meeting, several rededications,
two new members, Mrs. Richard
Goldman and Miss Florence
Thornton.

There were some special visi-
tors yet members of the Bap-
tist Church. Mrs. H. S. Varner
in the morning services. Four
men carried her into the church
in a chair. She has been con-
fined to her room for 3 years.
Then at night services Granny
Moore came for the services. Her
two sons Bernie and Truman
helped her into the Church.

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Richard Purvis of Clyde and
Mrs. Foy Young were in atten-
dance at the morning services at
the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and
son of Abilene visited her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingram,
and attended Methodist Church
services Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woody
and family visited Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Woody Sunday. Bruce
Woody and family of Abilene
were here Sunday also Mr. and
Mrs. C. E. Woody of Grand Pra-
irie.

Mrs. W. B. Gilleland visited
in Lubbock last week with Mrs.
Fred Kelly and Mrs. Dixie
Bohm and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carey of
Abilene visited her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goble
and family the last week end.

William Hale Kelly of Clyde
and Miss Billie Lou Weaver were
united in marriage March 31 by
Rev. James Brandon at the Bap-
tist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hale of
Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. McNally
of Burkett visited Mr. and Mrs.
Sam Swofford Monday of last
week.

Weldon Bennett of Jal, N. M.
visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Levi E. Bennett during the Eas-
ter holidays.

Mrs. Don Weaver and two
children and Mrs. Hazel Cop-
pinger visited in the Respass
home Friday and Saturday.

The Methodist Church people
were invited to an Easter pa-
geant at Scranton Church Sun-
day night. Also Putnam church.
Those from Cottonwood who at-
tended were Mr. and Mrs. J. M.
Sparks and J. M., Mr. and Mrs.
Sam Swofford, Mr. and Mrs.
Herman Helme, W. J. Coats, Mrs.
W. B. Gilleland and Hazel I.
Respass.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey
made a trip to Fort Worth Sun-
day.

R. F. Joy and son, Donald Joy,
of Abilene attended the ball
game at Fort Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton
spent last week at Arlington in
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hart-
ley Edwards, keeping their great
grandchildren while Hartley
had surgery and Mrs. Edwards
stayed with her husband.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick at-
tended a Bible Clinic at Cisco
last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson
and boys of Crane spent the
week end with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. W. A. Duffalo, Mon-
day.

Anderson and boys remained for
a longer visit.

Rowden Round-Up
By Mrs. B. Crow

Those having Sunday dinner
with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose
were Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell,
Earnest and Sam Sikes of Abi-
lene, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mil-
ler and children of Wylie, Mr.
and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and
Judy and Marian Odom of Row-
den.

Rev. and Mrs. N. A. Linewe-
aver, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Line-
weaver, John, Stephen and
David of Abilene and Mr. and
Mrs. V. H. Patterson of Mer-
kel visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E.
Akin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited
with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer
and C. R. at Eula Wednesday
evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adair made
a trip to Houston this past week.
The children of the Communi-
ty enjoyed an Easter egg hunt
at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Rose Sunday evening.

We had several visitors at the
Baptist Church Sunday morning
and visitors are always welcome
to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Jefferies
of Refugio visited her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow, Sunday
evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Russell of
Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Howard
Kline and Martha of Fort Worth,
Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and
Tom McCoy of Baird and Mr.
and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs and chil-
dren of Abilene visited Mrs.
Mattie Gibbs and Raymond over
the week end.

R. L. and Nelda Smedley vis-
ited relatives and friends at Row-
den Sunday.

Gary Gibbs spent Friday night
and Saturday with his grand
parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow had sup-
per with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs
and Gary Saturday night. Others
visiting in the home were Mr.
and Mrs. Frank Crow and Richie
of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Scot-
tie Jefferies of Refugio.

ADMIRAL NEWS
Ann Smith

Visitors in the Rob Walker
home over the weekend were Mr.
and Mrs. Odell Petty and chil-
dren of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs.
Johnny Joe Walker and son Bob
of Goldsmith, Texas. Mr. and
Mrs. Gordan Black and boys of
Hamby, Jackey Ness Smith of
Brady and James Walker and
family.

Visiting Mrs. Smartt and Rue-
belle Sunday were Mr. and Mrs.

Billy Howard and family of Col-
orado Springs, Colorado, Mr.
and Mrs. W. C. Smartt, Mr. and
Mrs. Britton Smartt of Abilene
and Mrs. E. Davis of Admiral.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Grogan
and children of Anson and Vic-
key Jones were visitors in the
Wendell Smith home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Ted Johnston
and family were dinner guests
in the Roy Higgins home Sun-
day.

All of the children at Admiral
enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Sun-
day afternoon at James Wal-
ker's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter were
guests in the Claxton Jones
home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones
and girls visited in the Wendell
Smith home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones
visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy
Higgins Saturday.

Atwell News
By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Smith
and children spent Saturday
and Sunday nights with Mr.
and Mrs. Nathan Foster. The
Smiths had Sunday dinner with
Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richardson
of Cross Plains visited Mr. and
Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom Friday
night.

Mrs. Nancy Jones of Cross
Plains visited with Mr. and Mrs.
Buster Foster and Mr. and Mrs.
I. W. Morgan from Wednesday
until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom of
Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs.
Jim Hewes Tuesday morning of
last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy
and children of Baird visited
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sessions over
the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom,
Beverly and Kim visited Mr. and
Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan
and boys visited Mr. and Mrs.
C. G. Hutchins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mills and
children of Fort Worth visited
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Black
of Fort Worth visited Mr. S. A.
Black and Vee Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd of
Cross Out visited Mr. and Mrs.
Roy Nell Tatom Saturday.

Maggie and Myrtle Wilson vis-
ited Mary B. McLeod and Mrs.
Nancy Washburn at Cottonwood
Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. S. A. Black

and Mrs. Frank Maner Sunday
were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mc-
Kinley, Tommie and Virgal of
Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Louis
Griffith and Averil of Ft. Worth
Harvey Black of DeLeon, Mr.
and Mrs. Jim Hewes, Mr. and
Mrs. Dwight Black, Barbara and
Loy Don.

Mrs. Bobby Dillard and chil-
dren visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E.
Rouse over the weekend.

Mr. S. A. Black and Mrs. Frank
Maner are spending this week
with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mc-
Kinley in Brownwood.

Tecumseh Topics
By Lillian Crawford

The Easter season brought a
lot of sand and found a number
of people sick with the flu, and
among those are Mr. and Mrs.
L. V. Harris. Visiting the Har-
rises Sunday afternoon were Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Armor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford
and baby of Arlington, Mr. and
Wesley Coughran and girls, Mr.
and Mrs. Harlen Turner and
family of Abilene visited Mr. and
Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stan-
ley Saturday night.

Stanley Crawford, Lonya Cou-
ghran, Lynda Crawford and I
went Easter egg hunting at the
W. C. Breeding place southeast
of Oplin Saturday afternoon. On
the way back home we stopped
by to see Mrs. Alice Hopkins who
had fallen Friday and cut a gash
in her forehead and was badly
bruised around the face. It took
several stitches to close the
wound and she seemed to be
doing very well.

Sorry to get the news that
Dolph Hodges hadn't been doing
so well the last few days.

Our children were out visiting

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Easter Sunday, not hunting Eas-
ter eggs but butterflies. Hulon
and Alice had a lot of fun mak-
ing a net and catching the but-
terflies for some experimental
studies.

Visiting in the home of Mr.
and Mrs. J. M. Whitley Sunday
were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coffman
and girls of Dudley, Mr. and Mrs.
George Scott and children of
Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lem-
ernack and family of Midland,
and Mr. and Mrs. Howard John-
son of Oplin.

**Land Program To
Be Speeded Up**

Further speed-ups in the al-
ready accelerated Veterans' Land
Program are anticipated when
money is received from the April
1 sale of \$12½ million worth of
Veteran's Land bonds.

So says Bill Allcorn, chairman
of the Veterans' Land Board
and Texas land commissioner.

The Board had already speed-
ed up its buying program as
funds became available on Jan-
uary 16 from \$12½ million worth
of bonds sold in December, 1957.

The bonds sold on April 1
went at 2.89 per cent interest,
well below the three per cent
limit provided in the State con-
stitution.

The Board is now sending out
application forms to 300 veter-

**Political
Announcements**

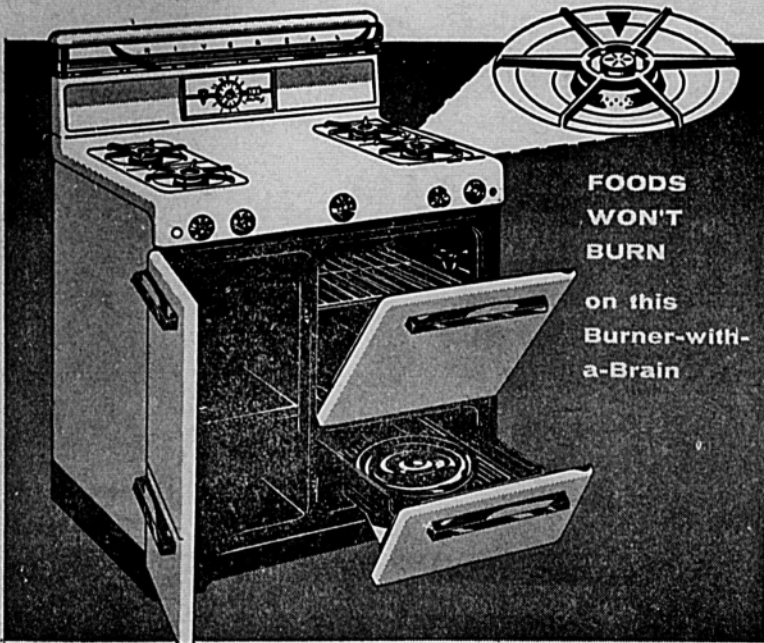
The Baird Star has been au-
thorized to announce the follow-
ing as candidates for public of-
fice, subject of action of the De-
mocratic Primary, July 28, 1958:

- State Representative:**
PAUL BRASHEAR
(re-election)
- District Clerk:**
MRS. CORRIE DRISKILL
(re-election)
- County Judge:**
LOWELL BOYD
J. L. FARMER
(re-election)
- County Treasurer:**
HAZEL REYNOLDS
(re-election)
- 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

ans each week. Allcorn notes
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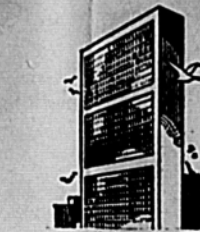
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, Texas, will receive bids until 10 o'clock of April 31, 1958 at the Courthouse Baird, Texas, for the purchase of one 2 ton truck Chassis with

cab and 4 yard Dump Bed, with dual rear tires, tires to be 8x25-10 Ply. Front tires to be 7:50-10 Ply. Truck to be short wheel base, 130 inches with 2 speed rear axle. A check of 5% to accompany the bid. Payment there for to be paid by cash out of

Road and Bridge fund, Callahan County.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. L. Farmer,
County Judge,
Callahan County, Texas

Eula Lad Has 'Ideal' Project

FFA boys with ideal farming projects are about as hard to find as a needle in a haystack in some localities.

However, such is not the case with Claude Rock, Eula VA teacher. At his disposal, Rock has several boys with projects that might be termed as ideal.

One of these such boys is Jay Hogue, who as a sophomore was selected as having the most outstanding farm projects in the Eula Chapter. This was the first time a sophomore ever received this honor.

As a matter of fact, the projects that won Jay the honor were carried on during his freshman year in school.

Jay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hogue, have completely turned over an 89 acre farm, located about two miles southwest of Eula, to the boy.

At present, the young farmer's

projects include eight head of breeding beef cows, one bull, 16 acres of wheat, 15 acres of oats, 225 pullets, and 20 production hens. He also plans to seed eight acres of sorghum in later on for grazing.

Jay is also constructing a colony cage laying operation which he plans to have ready to house his pullets in the near future.

According to Rock this will be the second colony-type arrangement to be constructed in this area. Don Brown of Clyde has one other.

Rock pointed out that this type of caged hen operation can be constructed at a cost of about \$1.25 per bird compared to \$3 per bird with the individual cage arrangement.

The arrangement consists of eight cages, four by six feet each. The house is being arranged with four cages on either side of an aisle running down the center.

Figuring at the rate of one bird every square foot, each cage should hold 25 birds which would give the house a capacity of 200 hens, said Rock.

The watering device will run down the backside of the cages with the feeders along the front.

Jay's Greenhand projects that won him the title of Star Chapter Farmer included three head of breeding beef cows, 200 production hens, 20 acres of oats and one beef animal.

The youngster had a net labor income of \$430 off of these projects.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Gertrude Short, Deceased.

No. 1996, County Court, Callahan County, Texas.

Jimmie M. Whitmire, Administrator thereof, filed in the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 7th day of April A. D. 1958, his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Gertrude Short, Deceased, together with an Application to be discharged from said Administration.

Said Final Account and Application will be heard and acted on by said Court on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from date of Posting or Publishing this citation, the same being the 28th day of April, 1958, at the Courthouse thereof in Baird, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate are required to appear by filing a written answer and contest said account and application should they choose to do so.

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.

Given Under My Hand And The Seal Of Said Court at office in Baird, Texas, this 7th day of April, A. D. 1958.

(SEAL)

Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson,
Clerk of the County Court,
Callahan County, Texas

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all of our friends for their kindness when our father passed away. May God bless each and every one of you.

Mrs. Venora Williams
Mrs. Hazel Thompson
Mrs. Ophelia Platt
Mrs. Joyce Freeman
T. J. Huddleston

Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Pierce and Jan of Abilene spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gibson. Other week end visitors were: Hiram Cook of Clyde, Bernie Jo Cook of Beaumont, Reece Cook of Abilene, Mrs. Maurine Heaton and Denise, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook and Retha Ann, all of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Poe of San Marcos visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and Mrs. Jessie Poe last week end.

Jerry Lynn Jones of NTSC, Denton, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Jones.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the men who sat up, and special thanks to those who brought food, flowers and cards to our father.

The Children of W. V. Walls

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flores Jr. and children, of Andrews spent the week end in Baird with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. C. Edwards and Bill visited Mrs. Edwards' sister, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. Wilson and boys in San Angelo last week end.

Mrs. Margie Ray visited Sunday in Jal, N. M., with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Max Varner and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Ted Gunn and daughter of Jal, N. M., were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Ross, Mary and Janet, spent the week end in Corpus Christi visiting relatives.

Mrs. Callie McIntosh of Clyde visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards of Eula the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Posey spent the Easter holidays in Windom visiting Mrs. Posey's mother.

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SPINACH, 2 No. 303 cans 29c

DEL MONTE NEW

POTATOES, 2 No. 303 cans 29c

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KIMBELL'S

TABLE SALT, 2 boxes 19c

BETTY CROCKER - WHITE, YELLOW, DEVIL FOOD

CAKE MIX, box 25c

GLADIOLA OR BORDEN'S

Biscuits, 4 cans 39c

KIMBELL'S

FLOUR, 25 lb. sack \$1.69

PET MILK, 3 tall cans 39c

TIDE, giant size 69c

FINEST QUALITY MEATS

RATH'S CEDAR FARM

Bacon, 2 lbs. \$1.09

GOOCH'S ALL MEAT

WIENERS, pound 49c

NICE LEAN

Chuck Steak, lb. 65c

CHOICE

BEEF ROAST, pound 63c

HUNT'S

PEACH HALVES

No. 2 1/2 can

25c



BLACK'S FOOD STORE



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