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**FOR SALE** — Parakeets. All colors. Normals and rares. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. 28-2-c

**LEASES - ROYALTIES** Mineral & Royalty Co. S. T. Constantine 518 Mims Building Abilene — Phone 4-9189

**TRADE** — B John Deere tractor with implements, good condition, to trade for Ford tractor with implements, must be in good condition. Will Appleton, Baird, Texas. 25-5-p

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For Representative, 76th Representative District of Texas  
No new or higher taxes on Business, Corporation, Natural Resources, Commodities of the individual at this time. I am against abolishing the 91st District Court in Eastland. Open mind on other issues. 28-3-c

**MOVING?**—Then call 4-4113 for a complete, safe and reasonable service.—Red Ball Transfer & Storage, Abilene, Texas. E. R. Cagle R. V. Carey 14-tf-c

**TO LEASE FOR OIL** — My farm, about 168 acres, 3 miles South of Baird. Write or call Miss Pauline Terrell, 1823 Bissonnet St., Houston 5, Texas. Phone 7928. 28-4-c

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**FOR SALE** — Breakfast set, table and four chairs, cheap. R. F. Mayfield at Mayfield's Store. 25-tf-c

**FOR SALE** — 1/3 H.P. jet water pump. Complete with 35 ft. plastic pipe. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. 28-2-c

Expert Piano and organ tuning. Local or rural, work guaranteed, rates reasonable. Call The Baird Star. A. E. Rice. 9-tf-c

**FOR RENT** — Air-conditioned bedroom. Phone 240. 29-1-c

**FOR RENT** — Apartment, three blocks west of courthouse. C. W. Conner. 29-1-p

**FOR RENT** — Apartment, four rooms, bath, garage. Phone 229 or 38. Mrs. John McGowen. 29-1-c

**FOR SALE** — House for sale. Charles Reeves, Clyde, Texas. Phone 2015. 29-1-c

'49 CHEV. Club Coupe. New shaft, rods and mains. A good car, and a good buy at \$395.00. W. A. Chrisman. 29-tf-c

**WANTED** — Painting of any kind, spray or brush, all work guaranteed or no pay. I will save you \$5.00 to \$30.00 on job. For sale also one 18x8 trailer house, cheap and one 8 in. Clark floor sander, cheap. Also want to lease small place near or around Baird. J. W. Sparks out at W. E. Nabors. 29-2-p

Ann and Tommy Barton, Kay Gilbreath, Wally Sorrells, David and Mack Sutphen, Craig and Gelane Staudt, Carlton Jones and Jane Ann Gardiner are all taking Red Cross swimming lessons at Albany each morning, Monday through Friday from ten to eleven o'clock this week and next. The group all report they enjoy it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn and daughter, Reba, spent Wednesday in Abilene in the home of their son, C. W. Whitehorn. The occasion was the celebration of their grandson, Sonny's eleventh birthday.

A-2-c and Mrs. E. J. Barr and son Ronnie of Amarillo visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Whitehorn one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert left Tuesday on the noon train for Marshall where they will attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Renfro, who was a sister of Mrs. J. A. Jackson and a former Baird resident for many years.

Miss Frances Kay Barr and a friend, E. W. Foster of Cross Plains visited Miss Reba Whitehorn and other relatives here last Sunday.

### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Baird Independent School District acting by and through its duly authorized School Board at a meeting on the 9th day of July, 1954, determined it advisable to lease the hereinafter described property for oil and gas development. Therefore, notice is hereby given that at eight o'clock p.m. on August 9, 1954 the School Board of the Baird Independent School District will receive and consider any and all bids submitted for the leasing of the hereinafter described lands, or any part thereof, and at said meeting, which shall be a public hearing, and consideration, by and in the discretion of said Board, shall award the lease to the highest and best bidder submitting a bid therefor, provided that if in the judgment of such governing body, the bid submitted do not represent the fair value of such lease or leases, said Board in their discretion may reject the same and again give notice and call for additional bids if they desire. The property to be leased is all of Lots Numbers Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in and to Block Number Eighty-four (84) and all of Lot Number Three (3) and the West one-half (W/2) of Lot Number Four (4) in Block Number Seventy-nine (79), all of which is situated in the City of Baird, Callahan County, Texas, said lots and blocks being fully designated and described in the official dedication plat of and to the said City of Baird as the same appears of record in Vol. F, Page 636 of the Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas, reference to which is herewith made.

WITNESS our hands this 10th day of July, A.D. 1954.

**BAIRD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
By: Hugh W. Ross,  
President of the Board  
ATTEST:  
Rosco Shelnett, Secretary  
July 16, 23, 30, Aug. 6, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Abernathy and children have returned from their vacation trip to Denver, Colo. Sterling reports a good time was had by all and the fishing was grand.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

By virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of June, 1954, in favor of Robert E. Ford against Noel C. Parker in the case of Robert E. Ford vs. Noel C. Parker, No. 11352 in such court, I did on the 3rd day of May, 1954, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., levy on the following described property situated in Callahan County, Texas, as the property of the said Noel C. Parker:

All the right, title and interest of Noel C. Parker in and to a certain Oil and Gas lease executed by C. T. Childs and wife, Alverta Childs, and J. Carl Hensley and wife, Aline Hensley, to Noel C. Parker, covering the following described property: 240 acres, more or less, a part of the S.P. Ry. Co. Survey No. 305, in Block 5, Abst. No. 367 in Callahan County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at the NE corner of said Survey No. 305, and SE corner of Survey No. 304;

THENCE S. with the E. line of said Survey No. 305, a distance of 708.8 varas;

THENCE West 1911.6 varas to the W. line of Survey No. 305;

THENCE N. 708.8 varas to the NW cor. of said Survey No. 305;

THENCE S. 89° E. with the N.B.L. of said Survey 1911.6 varas to the place of beginning, containing 240 acres of land, more or less; and, on the 3rd day of August, 1954, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. of said day, at the Court House door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all right, title and interest of the said Noel C. Parker in and to said property.

Dated at Baird, Texas, this 7th day of July, 1954.

Joe Pierce,  
Sheriff, Callahan County, Texas  
By Homer Price, Deputy  
July 9, 16, 23, 1954

Recent visitors in the J. A. Brashear home were Mr. and Mrs. Temple Brashear of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Leqaetter of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and other relatives here last Sunday.

Recent guests in the H. G. Whitehorn home were: Mrs. A. H. Ussery, Mrs. V. A. Montgomery, Mrs. Jim Settle, Mrs. Oran Barr and son, all of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams returned Monday from their vacation trip through Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Louisiana and also a visit with relatives in East Texas.

John Adams of San Angelo was visiting in Baird on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Latimer visited her sister in Lubbock last weekend.

## Down Memory Lane

July 18, 1913

We are sorry to learn that James Ross had the misfortune to break one of his arms a few days ago.

Mrs. F. L. Driskill spent a few days last week with Miss Ruby Hill at her home on the Bayou.

Mrs. B. L. Boydston and daughter, Lula Mae, left Monday for Sulphur, Okla.

Little Miss Nell Price is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Blakley, on Crooked Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hamilton of Cross Plains are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. W. Howell, south of town.

Mrs. W. W. Ship, of New Orleans, is visiting Mrs. J. A. Scott and Mrs. E. C. Fulton.

Mrs. H. F. Foy and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Foy's mother, Mrs. H. C. Wallace, at Keller, Tarrant County, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutbirth, Fred, Naomi and Bonnie left yesterday in the auto for Big Spring, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Phillips. From Big Spring, they will go to Reagan County to visit relatives.

July 20, 1934

Miss Marian Dyer of Baird, is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Rosalee Cutbirth, in Cross Plains.

Miss Adelle Bockman of Baird spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Gardner and

family of Eula.  
Mrs. Clark Elder and little daughter from Maricobia, Venezuela, South America, arrived a few days ago on a visit with Mrs. Elder's mother, Mrs. Cora Works and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell spent Sunday with Mr. Norrell's sister, Mrs. Wilson at Eldorado.

Miss Alda Nordyke, who has been attending school at John Tarleton, came home Sunday.

Carl Campbell of Tonjab, India, is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough. Mr. Campbell is with the Attock Oil Company in India, and this is his first visit home in nine years.

Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Jr., and Miss Katy Lou Moore left last Saturday for a ten days visit at the Century of Progress, Chicago.

Miss Edna Snow has returned from a two weeks visit with relatives in Abilene.

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6:30 - A.M.  
★ THURSDAY - JULY 22  
6:30 - A.M.  
8:00 - P.M.  
★ FRIDAY - JULY 23  
6:30 - A.M.  
9:30 - P.M.

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ROSALIND RUSSELL  
PAUL DOUGLAS  
MARIE WILSON

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## Political Announcements

**RATES IN ADVANCE**  
Precinct ..... \$10.00  
County ..... \$15.00  
District ..... \$20.00

The Baird Star is authorized to publish the announcements of the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary election.

**State Representative, 76th Dist.**  
Paul Brashear  
Omar Burkett

**For District Clerk:**  
Mrs. Corrie Driskill  
Re-election

**For County Judge:**  
J. L. Farmer  
Re-election

Joe Allen Jones  
Joe Pierce  
R. L. (Rob) Cochran

**For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
Homer Price  
J. W. (Wes) Patton

**For County Clerk:**  
Mrs. Chas L. Robinson  
Re-election

**For County Treasurer:**  
Hazel Reynolds  
Re-election

**For County Superintendent:**  
L. C. Cash  
Re-election

**For Justice of Peace, Prec. 1:**  
W. L. Bowlius

**For Commissioner, Prec. 1:**  
I. A. (Hoot) Alphin  
R. R. Shelnett  
R. L. "Buck" Lunceford  
Carl Ray Hass  
J. A. McFee  
L. S. (Scott) Bryant

**For Commissioner, Prec. 2:**  
Clyde T. Floyd  
Re-election

G. H. Farmer  
J. M. (Morton) Whitley

**For Commissioner, Prec. 3:**  
I. G. Mobley  
Re-election  
M. G. Burnam

## CHARLES H. DAWSON

FOR REPRESENTATIVE  
76th Representative District of Texas

No new or higher taxes on Business, Corporation, Natural Resources, Commodities of the individual at this time.

Am against abolishing 91st District Court in Eastland.

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## Leland F. Jackson, M. D.

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Baird, Texas

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<b>BODY FEATURES</b>					
Windshield glass area—940 sq. in. or more	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Rear window glass area—978 sq. in. or more	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Total glass area—3,200 sq. in. or more	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Right front fender visible by driver	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Window lifts available on 4 windows	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
Four-way power seat available	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
Turn-key deck lid opening	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Front vent window rainshields—standard on all models	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Hood insulation					
<b>CHASSIS FEATURES</b>					
Ball-Joint Front Suspension	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Full Hotchkiss Drive	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Three or more forward speeds in automatic transmission	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Accelerator controlled downshift on automatic transmission up to 59 mph (Drive range)	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Riveted brake lining	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES
Rear shock absorbers diagonally mounted to frame	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Rear spring length—53 inches or more	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Parallelogram steering linkage					
<b>ENGINE FEATURES</b>					
V-8 engine offered	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Low-friction design (bore larger than stroke)	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Overhead-valve engine design	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Piston speed at 60 mph—1,500 ft. per min. or less	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
Water all around cylinders for full length					
<b>SCORE</b>	<b>FORD 22</b>	<b>HIGH-PRICED CAR C 21</b>	<b>HIGH-PRICED CAR P 14</b>	<b>LOW-PRICED CAR C 4</b>	<b>LOW-PRICED CAR P 3</b>

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BAIRD, TEXAS

# The Putnam News

The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, July 16, 1954

## Attending Funeral

A great host of sorrowing friends and relatives crowded the Moran First Christian church to overflowing, Sunday, pay their last respects to Mrs. Bertie Bowne.

Her sweet memory will be a comfort to her friends and family in the trying days until they will meet again. Her understanding and teachings will be joy for her family after the grief has passed.

There is no consolation in the face of death but the floral offering offers a mute tribute of love and esteem in which she was held by her friends and relatives.

It is impossible to name all who attended, so we will only name a few.

Friends from Miami, Arizona, attend were: Mrs. Edith Hanlon, Eda Frederick and daughter, a Dell, and Mrs. Johnnie Rogers; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Day, of Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Dubark of Lubbock; the Gunn brothers, John, Print, and Grov- of Bell County with part of their families.

Friends and relatives of the family attended from Brownwood, Pettersburg, Lorena, Austin, and numerous other distant places. Many attended from Putnam, Baird, and Moran.

## Sunday School Picnic

The young people of Putnam went on a picnic at the Cisco lake last Tuesday, July 6. The

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picnic was sponsored by the Baptist Intermediate Girl's Sunday School Class. The group met at the Baptist Church and left at 6 o'clock. Each person carried a sack lunch and after swimming for several hours, the food was spread on the tables in the park area. After eating, several played miniature golf and others went to the show.

Those who attended were: Gayle Williams, Madge Reed, Mary Helen Isenhower, Jo Verl Everett, Nettie Lu Donaway, Teresia Speegle, Delores Sargent, Betty Rutherford, John Doyle Isenhower, Jack Francisco, Jammie Fry, Mrs. Kellner, Mrs. E. C. Waddell, and Mrs. Sargent.

## It's A Boy

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Cook have received word of the birth of their great-grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardin, who live in Plainview. The baby has been named Charles. Mrs. Hardin is the daughter of Mr. Valentine Cook.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation and thanks to each and every one for the many kind deeds and words of sympathy that you showed in the passing of our brother and uncle.

May God's blessings be with all of you.  
Mrs. Janie Moor and Family  
Mr. Lem Harper and Family

## CARD OF THANKS

Thanks, dear friends, for your kind thoughts, words of sympathy, and the beautiful flowers, during the illness and death of our beloved Mrs. Bertie Bowne.

Hodge Bowne and Sons  
Mrs. D. D. Jones and Family

## Union Usuals and Unusuals

Veda Yarbrough

Hi there. Yes, I am at home. Came home Sunday. Got home about one o'clock. Had a nice visit with Mildred and Gerald.

Little Boy Jim came up to Vernon last Friday. He came by Munday and visited with Ben Yarbrough and wife a while. Around Munday it is not as dry

as it is here but was hot and dry at Vernon.

Mildred and Gerald really have a pretty yard and their grass is as green and like walking on a carpet and no red bugs in the grass there like there is here. Gerald has his own well of water and it runs day and night on the yard. The next door neighbor waters his yard from Gerald's well too.

Went to a real pretty church wedding while in Vernon and a bridal shower too. Could have gone to several more but rather watch TV. Tried to sew some too but didn't get much done as you can't very well sew and TV so I just rested.

I have been cleaning house today. That is the awful part of taking a vacation is there is so much to do when one gets home when it is so dry like it is now but kinda got things cleaned a little. And of course you always have lots of washing and ironing to do when you get home.

The heat is awful. Was 106 and 108 yesterday. Feed is most gone. Some cotton is blooming. If we don't get rain soon it will be gone too.

My sister, Clara Lunsford, her husband and daughter and little grandson, and a girl friend, all came by last Monday to visit us a while but of course I wasn't at home. They had lunch with the Hired Hand and Ollie. Jim went down and visited with them a while. They were on their way home. Had been visiting in Brownwood over the weekend. Sorry I wasn't at home.

Had a card from Sister Fay Wood. She and her family were in Tennessee on their vacation. They were at Lookout Mountain. Said they hoped to get back home Sunday some time. The Charlie Browns went with them. I know they had a good time.

We were so sorry to hear of Bob Harper's death. When we got to Moran Sunday we were told Bertie Bowne had passed away too. We really was sorry to hear of her going but was expecting it. So glad we came home in time to attend her funeral.

Jim and I visited with the Enoch McCollums as we came home from the funeral. Mrs. McCollum was not feeling too well but think she will soon as she has a new Ford car. She and Clovis are partners in the new Ford. Jim thinks maybe he wants a Ford but don't think I do. Mrs. Mc says she is coming up and let me drive her new car and then she bets I will want one then.

Mr. Charlie McCollum is home again from the hospital and doing very well. We hope you soon get ok Mr. Charlie. Their daughter Veda was visiting the Enoch McCollums a while yesterday. She is here helping take care of her Daddy, Charlie. I think she lives in Port Arthur.

Johnny May Ramsey came up a few minutes this morning to ask Jim and I to a steel supper at her home tonight. Think maybe I might go out. Little Boy Jim says he is not going so guess will let him eat cold supper. No not cold supper this hot weather, just left over from lunch.

I went to the supper at Burnett's and Johnny's last night. Was real nice. The supper was put on by Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, salesmen for the Flavor Seal Stainless Steel. Really was good food. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch McCollum, Maurine and Clovis, the hostesses Burette and Johnny, and myself.

Oh yes must tell you, the Buchanans have the keenest air conditioner in their car and is really nice. No news, as I was away and didn't find out much the goings on while I was gone. So. Long.

## Putnam Personals . . .

Mrs. Floyd Smith and children of Stanton left Saturday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring.

Mrs. Gertrude Short stopped for a few hours in Putnam Friday on her way to Marlin for a three week's stay.

Mrs. Mabel Carrico and Mrs. Tex Herring were visiting in Baird Friday.

Uncle Jack Nettles is home from a few days stay in the County Hospital.

Mrs. Alma Stein visited her sister, Mrs. J. E. Pruet, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stewart and Sandra of Electra visited her mother, Mrs. Early Hurst.

Mrs. Louis Williams, Mrs. R. L. Clinton, Mrs. Fred Tunnell, of Cross Plains and Margie Ray of Baird, left Monday morning for Ruidosa, N. M., where they will take a two week art course.

Mickey Lee and Pat Stedaman, of Eunice, N. M., are visiting Jo Verl Everett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and Mike of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower and family, Sunday.

Nancy Hutchison of Stephenville was visiting in Putnam, Monday.

Mr. Neal Moore and daughter Karen of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. Janie Moore, Sun-

day afternoon.

Mrs. Messenger of Fresno, Calif., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. De Witt Chandler, this week.

Gary, Kenneth, and Ronnie Mitchell and Mike Pruet visited John Doyle and James Isenhower Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alma Buchanan and daughter Beverly, of Beaumont, visited her mother, Mrs. Early Hurst, over the weekend.

Bro. and Mrs. Ronald Chandler and baby of Abilene visited his brother, Bro. De Witt Chandler, Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Heyser is still doing very well.

Miss Betty Williams visited her grandmother, Mrs. Louie Williams, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Y. Cook and children and Mrs. Friday visited with Mina Cook Sunday. They were enroute from East Texas to their home in Midland.

Glen Burnam was visiting friends in Putnam last Thursday. Mrs. J. N. Williams is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hoytt Suggs, in Longview this week.

Mrs. Hershel Wagley and children had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Hamrick and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Kitrell and Mrs. Gladys Edwards left Monday morning for their home in Petersburg. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn Sunday afternoon, and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Williams and children have moved from Abilene to Sonora, where Bobby will teach this coming school year.

Ervon Brown, son of Mrs. Hershel Wagley, will leave July 17 on the destroyer, SS Brinkley Bass for the Indochina area.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and son, Darrel, of San Antonio are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubanks, this week.

Teresia Speegle is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Bob Coats and family in Odessa.

Mr. E. G. Perkins, Jack Francisco, Pete Mendez, Dan Reed, Jammie, and Butch Petty attended the 4-H camp at Cisco Lake, Thursday and Friday.

Gay and Linda Isenhower celebrated their sixth and ninth birthdays on July 9 and 10. Gary and Kenny Mitchell enjoyed eating cake with them.

Mrs. M. H. Sargent and daughter Delores, and Madge Reed visited Mrs. Sargent's mother, Mrs. B. E. Fulbright in Hamilton over the weekend.

FIRE & THEFT PROTECTION 1c Per Day for Safety Deposit Box - 1ST NATL in Cisco - Member F. D. I. C.

Mrs. Franklin Shackelford and children visited her sister, Mrs. Howard Hurd in Brownsville, July 4-9.

Billy Jim Everett drove down from San Antonio and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett over the weekend. Mrs. Everett, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook this past week returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baker of Hobbs, N. M. visited over the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Sr.

Mr. E. G. Perkins visited in Dallas and East Texas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Smith of Arlington visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Zuber and son Kent drove down from Abilene Thursday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Perkins and Blaine. Kent spent the night with them and returned home Saturday.

The family from out of town who attended the wedding of their brother, Royce White, were Mr. and Mrs. Olen White, Jacksboro, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle White of Madill, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell White, Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Varner, Baird. Those of Putnam were Mr. and Mrs. Lee White, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Alton White and Carl White.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford, Monday night.

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Mr. C. A. Davis of Hobbs, N. M. visited with Mrs. S. W. Jobe last week.

## New and Renewal Subscriptions

G. A. Gwin, Baird  
Mrs. Gerald Carter, Vernon  
Mrs. Henry Freeman, Corsicana

Will Appleton, Baird  
W. B. Varner, Abilene  
L. G. Kerby, Baird  
Christine Settle, El Paso  
Mrs. Donald Melton, Breckenridge

Alvis Dill, Baird  
Wilson Poultry Farm, Clyde  
Eflie Martin, Merkel  
Mrs. Adelia Turner, Patagonia, Arizona

W. F. Jones, Baird  
Mrs. W. E. Harper, Grove, Okla.  
F. H. Emerson, Dabajuro, Venezuela

Ralph W. Robinson, Baird  
Herman Betcher, Baird  
Ace Hickman, Baird  
Betsy Hickman, San Marcus

Nannez, Martha and Lana Coley, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coley, visited Mrs. Coley's sister, Mrs. Glen Eager in Winters last week.

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# EDITORIAL

## FEW PRESIDENTS HAVE OBTAINED SO MUCH

For some reason, the idea has been gaining wide currency that the Eisenhower legislative program has encountered extremely thorny going, and that only a relatively small part of it has any chance of becoming law. There seems to be more talk about the setbacks than about the accomplishments.

It was obvious from the beginning that no program so all-embracing as that laid down by the President at the start of his administration would be approved in its entirety. Some of the President's friends and followers are of the opinion that he made a mistake in asking so much. But, whether that is true or not, an objective look at the record shows many very important accomplishments.

Jay Hayden, a nationally syndicated columnist, recently discussed what has happened. "Eisenhower is approaching the end of his first full fiscal year in a remarkably strong position. It is not too much to say that Eisenhower's accomplishment in the field of economics adds up to as revolutionary a swing toward industrial freedom and stability as Roosevelt's initial New Deal did in the opposite direction of socialistic government controls."

Mr. Hayden went on to describe a number of the major achievements. Some are highly controversial, of course, and many people will disagree with their wisdom. Regardless of that, the President wanted them and got them. Here is a partial list:

The Administration wiped out all price and wage controls. And it did this, as Mr. Hayden observes, "with no sign of inflation, wholesale strikes or other disturbances that were prophesied as resulting from that action."

Government military buying for military purposes has been reduced by \$7,500,000,000 in a single fiscal year. Yet employment has been running at higher levels recently than was the case a year ago. In May, the number of employed reached a peacetime record.

Substantial reductions have been made in taxes, from which all individuals and enterprises will benefit in one way or another. Even so, the deficit will be two-thirds less than the Truman estimate.

Though the Senate and House agricultural committees voted down the Eisenhower flexible support proposals, and voted continuance of 90 per cent supports, a surprising number of Senators from farm states—including Iowa, Kansas, Idaho, Florida and New Mexico—supported the President. Here Mr. Hayden observes, "The avowed purpose of President Eisenhower to cut back farm price supports, hailed earlier as his greatest political danger, shows signs of becoming an election-day asset."

Other Eisenhower requests which have been approved include the St. Lawrence Seaway, which had been advocated by every President beginning with Harding without success; increased social security benefits; a national defense bill differing in a number of important respects from prior ones, and extension for a year of the reciprocal trade plan.

That is the record of a stormy and eventful year. Few Presidents have obtained so much, they wanted in so short a period.

# Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

Texas politicians turned to the grass roots trails, trying to swing undecided votes, as the campaign wound into its final days.

Most attention was centered on the governor's race, in which Allan Shivers and Ralph W. Yarbrough flung charges and countercharges at each other in a dazzling exchange. Some of Shivers' contentions were:

That Yarbrough was using "vile methods in an attempt to cover up his tie-in with the CIO-PAC which was trying to take

over the government of Texas." That Yarbrough campaigners had spread false rumors to the effect that Shivers wanted to abolish the orphan state home at Corsicana.

That Yarbrough has promised George Parr to call off the clean-up campaign in Duval County.

Yarbrough Retorts

Yarbrough came back with these accusations:

That Shivers had tried to suppress an FBI investigation of the Gatesville school last year.

That Shivers is a "hyphenated Democrat-Republican."

That Shivers had not reported all of his campaign expenditures.

Positive Side

Both candidates, stump speaking in the villages and towns, also had their positive statements to make, in addition to charges against each other, although the latter phase made the most headlines.

Shivers, saying that he was drawing surprisingly good crowds, emphasized his record in office, pointing to more money spent for roads, schools, and welfare programs.

Yarbrough pledged improvements in the state government and more money for state services.

He also expressed interest in a state youth program to combat juvenile delinquency, and was critical of the slash in appropriations which wiped out the Community Services Division of the Youth Development commission.

"The field representatives of the Commission who worked with local government and groups, and also as parole supervisors for youngsters released from state schools on parole, were eliminated," Yarbrough commented.

Delegate Ruling Texas' Supreme Court has been asked to determine how Democratic delegate strength shall be counted this year.

Significance of the question is that its solution will have a strong bearing in deciding control of party conventions.

Previously the State Democratic Executive Committee had called for computation of delegate strength by considering

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both Democratic and Republican votes that Shivers received as a cross-filed candidate in 1952.

Anti-Shivers loyalists, backed by two lower court decisions, have argued that the convention strength should be based only on Democratic votes recorded in the last state election year.

It is the first time in Texas political history that the question has arisen.

Drought Aid John C. White, the state commissioner of agriculture, went to Washington and asked that federal assistance be given to 27 Central Texas counties, hard hit by drought.

White told federal authorities that Central Texas people face possibly the worst crisis in history unless help—in the form of money or rain—comes soon.

Receivership Into permanent receivership went the General American Casualty Company of San Antonio, so ordered by District Judge Jack Roberts of Austin.

Judge Roberts ordered the company's over 120,000 policies to be cancelled after stating that he had delayed the receivership move in the hope that the firm's officials could reorganize, but that they had been unable to raise the necessary financing for another try.

Red Law Texas' new anti-Communist ruling that outlaws membership in the Communist Party or any organization attempting to overthrow the government by force may not hold up in court, says Attorney General John Ben Shepperd.

Shepperd, who called the legislation the "most inclusive and far-sighted anti-Communist law in the nation," warned state lawyers that a former court ruling holding that control of sedition belong exclusively to the federal government might render the law invalid.

Shepperd added that the ruling, handed down by a Pennsylvania court, might "knock out all state sedition and treason laws."

Duval County Suspended by the Supreme Court was an order halting the prosecution of Duval County political boss George Parr and several of his associates.

Attorney General Shepperd, hailing the ruling which clears the way for action on 28 indictments returned by a special Duval County grand jury, said it "clears the decks for prosecution of the indictments."

Mrs. Bud Davis of Borger is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill. She attended the tea last Saturday honoring her sister, Miss Ernestine Hill.

## Wardens Answer On 'Party' Line

The Director of Law Enforcement for the Texas Game and Fish Commission reported that some of the heaviest fines in the last arrest report were for stunning fish with old-fashioned hand-cranked telephone sets.

Top levy for the month, among 244 cases listed, was against a Houston man. It was for \$200 and court costs for using the once standard magneto-equipped phone set to shock fish so that they rise to the surface.

Several such violations were detected in the Houston area. In addition to the \$200 fine plus costs, there were three for \$100

fines and costs. Smaller levies were made against others.

The report contained 22 cases for taking fish illegally. Most of these involved "telephoning fish." The largest fine outside the Houston area was against a San Antonio man.

Of the 244 cases in the arrest report, 118 involved individual fishermen's troubles. There were others affecting commercial violations.

Mrs. Parker Coppinger and son, John, of Abilene, visited her mother, Mrs. Sam I. Smith and other relatives here last Wednesday.

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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	\$2,296,195.76
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	\$363,130.26
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	\$50,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,750.00 stock in Federal Reserve bank)	\$3,750.00
Loans and discounts (including \$2,002.76 overdrafts)	\$646,472.48
Bank premises owned \$3,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$2,000.00	\$5,000.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$NONE liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	\$4,000.00
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptance outstanding	NONE
Other assets	\$1,589.83
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$4,665,568.70</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,467,695.50
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$244,458.20
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	\$46,601.37
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	\$501,701.44
Deposits of banks	NONE
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	\$103,933.90
Total Deposits	\$4,364,390.41
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	NONE
Mortgages or other liens, \$NONE on bank premises and \$NONE on other real estate	NONE
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	NONE
Other liabilities	NONE
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$4,364,390.41</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred, total par \$NONE, retireable value \$NONE	
(Rate of dividends on retireable value is %)	
(b) Class B preferred, total par \$NONE, retireable value \$NONE	
(Rate of dividends on retireable value is %)	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus	\$75,000.00
Undivided profits	\$73,944.44
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	\$102,233.85
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$301,178.29</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$4,665,568.70</b>
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$559,200.00

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## From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



### What's New with Cows?

Catching up on my reading, I noticed three news items you might like to know about.

First, a farmer whose milk had a trace of garlic flavor is feeding his cows chlorophyll to sweeten their breaths.

Next, a college agricultural station has trained a herd to get milked when they are called by number. Seems 75 out of 80 cows learned their numbers in a few days. Guess the "dumb" five couldn't count that high. Final item—cows are getting "nose-printed" for identification.

From where I sit, I hope there is as much progress being made with humans... especially in regard to tolerance. Whether it's a choice of a political party, a basketball team, or a favorite beverage, let's learn to live and let live more. You may ask for a soft drink after a hard day's work—I'll choose a refreshing glass of beer. But let's not try to "cow" the other fellow into our way of thinking!

Joe Marsh

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**Former Putnam Man, Royce V. White,  
Weds Abilene Girl Saturday Evening**

In Elliott's Chapel of Memories, Abilene, Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, Joan Brown, 1417 N. 7th St., and Royce V. White of San Angelo were married.

The double ring service was read before an all white setting of wrought iron candelabra and candles with palm trees forming an arch. The sides were flanked with wrought iron floor baskets

of white gladioli. White satin bows and fern marked the pews. Rev. R. L. Butler of Sweetwater pronounced the rites.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White of Putnam. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Brown of Merkel.

Laurel Sherrell attended as maid of honor. Best man was James Eubanks of Baird.

Carl White, brother of the bridegroom from Putnam, and Wesley Rutherford were ushers. Organist, Mrs. Viva Peek, accompanied Barbara Sue McLeod, who sang "Because" and "Always." Mrs. Peek played the traditional wedding marches.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of white cotton lace over taffetized faille. The fitted bodice had a diamond shaped neckline outlined in Venice lace studded with pearls. The ballerina length skirt was full. Her shoulder length nylon tulle veil was fastened to a headpiece of nylon tulle and orange blossoms. The bride carried a cascade arrangement of fringed white carnations centered with a white orchid with streamers of white satin ribbon and imported French lace.

The mothers of the couple assisted in the receiving line in the foyer of the chapel. Jo Denton of Austin registered the guests.

Out of town guests were present from Sweetwater, Merkel, Anson, Jacksboro, Ft. Worth, Putnam, Baird, Odessa and Madill, Oklahoma.

For a wedding trip to Austin and San Antonio, the bride chose a powder blue pima broadcloth full skirt and white linen jacket. She wore an orchid corsage and used white linen accessories.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Putnam High School. He served in the Army two years and is now employed by the Kimbell Co. The bride was graduated from Merkel High School and at-

tended Gail Business College. She was employed by the Capital Co.

The couple plans to live in San Angelo.

**Garden Club Meets  
With Mrs. Kelton**

The Old Fashioned Garden Club met Tuesday, July 6, in the home of Mrs. Rod Kelton with Mrs. John Towler assisting. Sixteen members and guests answered roll call by telling of their hobby and displaying a sample of it. Mrs. S. W. Lilly, who is a woman of many hobbies, showed the club many beautiful things which she had made, including leather, metal and bead work, oil and textile paintings and basketry. Her most interesting hobby is ceramics. She had on display the different steps taken in the making of the lovely vases, figurines and other items. Mrs. Hubert Ross gave a very interesting talk on the care of house plants.

After refreshments of cake and punch the club adjourned to meet in August with Mrs. Clyde White. This will be the annual watermelon supper when each member is to bring their husband or some other guest. The club is looking forward to having Mrs. Wilma Lucas, Eighth District Governor, to meet with them in September or October. She will discuss "Table Settings and Arrangements."

**Oplin Observations  
By Mrs. Daphne Floyd  
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I guess you would say we have been having a heat wave the past week, for the mercury has topped the 100° mark.

Say folks start keeping those old horseshoes! They are really a good luck token for one was attached to the stake that marked the location for the oil well that went down on Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville's place. The latter part of last week the well was brought in at the rate of 16 barrels per hour. Folks that makes congratulations in order and let us all add, "it couldn't have happened to nicer folks."

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Parrot of Throckmorton have been visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Windham slipped off on a trip for cooler parts last week. I heard they headed for Oklahoma and then word was received that they were in Colorado. Who knows! They may go on up into Kansas and back through Arkansas.

Ray and I will have to eat light this week for we had my folks as dinner guests last Sunday. They were my parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Barrett of Lawn, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barrett, Arnold Barrett of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barrett and son, Sammy, of Houston.

If you are looking for a surprise show, plan to attend the program at the Community Center on Wednesday night, July 21. This program will be sponsored by the young people of the community. Now don't let them down for they have been working hard on it.

Mrs. Arthur Frymire and son Kenneth of Jal, N. M. visited all of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dyson, who are our June newly weds will share honors when they will be feted with bridal showers at the Community Center this Saturday night, July 17. An open invitation is extended to their friends.

**Putnam Girl - Rankin Man Wed In  
Morning Church Service Saturday**

Patsy Joan Taylor and Chester Leon Wilson, both of Rankin, were married in a morning ceremony, Saturday at the First Methodist Church in Putnam.

Rev. W. B. Swimm of Abilene, read the double ring rites. The altar was banked with white gladioli and fern.

**Bride-Elect Honored  
At Afternoon Tea**

Ernestine Hill, bride-elect of Ira M. Goodrich of Austin, was honored Saturday afternoon at a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Ellis Warren. Guests were received by Mrs. Warren, Miss Hill, her mother, Mrs. E. J. Hill, and the two sisters of the honoree, Mrs. William Young of Abilene and Mrs. Alvin Davis of Tulsa. Mrs. Lee Ivey was at the door, and Laura Hughes registered the guests.

Garden flowers decorated the living room where Mrs. L. L. Blackburn and Mrs. W. Clyde White greeted guests. Gifts were shown by Mrs. Sam Gilliland, Mrs. W. E. Haley, Mrs. Fred Hart and Mrs. N. M. George.

The tea table, laid with a hand-made organdy and lace cloth, was centered with an arrangement of white asters and fern in a crystal bowl. A beautifully decorated cake emphasized the bride-elect's chosen colors of aqua and white. Appointments of the table were in crystal.

During the first hour, Mrs. A. E. Dyer served cake and Mrs. James Asbury poured punch. Mrs. M. C. McGowan assisted. For the second hour, Mrs. M. D. Bell, Mrs. Earl Ellis, and Mrs. J. E. Bullock served.

Other members of the host group included Mmes. C. B. Snyder, Jr., E. C. Fulton, Bob Norrell, A. L. Price, H. N. Ebert, Glenn Elliott, Ace Hickman, Jack Gilliland, W. P. Brightwell, and Irvin Corn.

Out-of-town guests registering were Mrs. Andrew Johnson of Oplin, Mrs. Raymond Reed of Abilene, Mrs. E. J. Wasson and daughter, Judy, of Coleman and Mrs. W. E. Green of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Elder of New Orleans are visiting her mother, Mrs. Cora Work and other relatives.

Delores Flores is visiting Mrs. Wallace Tike and family in Big Spring this week.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Orval Taylor. Curtis A. Wilson from Wichita Falls is the father of the bridegroom.

Mrs. James H. Taylor, sister-in-law of the bride from Woodman, was matron of honor. Best man was Robin Luce of Big Lake.

Bridesmaids were Laura Whitteberg of Rotan and Patty Williams.

Ushering were James Campbell of Odessa and Bryant Taylor, brother of the bride.

Margie Chisolm sang "Always" and recited "The Lord's Prayer" at the close of the ceremony. Retha Burnam accompanied her with the piano.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white silk faille dress with a flared waist length skirt. Over the bodice, she wore a white imported lace bolero with a high collar and long pointed sleeves. She wore white shoes. A net illusion veil was attached to a tiara outlined with seed pearls. Her bridal bouquet was white gardenias.

Reception was held in the home of the bride's parents with the groom's sister, Mrs. Dixie Hyde, assisting in receiving the guests. The table was decorated with yellow carnations arranged in the shape of a ring and a three tiered cake. Baskets of white gladioli were used in the rooms.

To begin a two weeks wedding trip, the bride wore a white embossed cotton suit. She added a white and navy hat, white gloves, navy shoes and white gardenia corsage. She carried a navy bag.

The bride attended Tarleton State College and is a graduate of North Texas State College. She is a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron, Alpha Chi and Kappa Delta Pi. Teaching in the Rankin Independent School system, she is a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority and the Rankin Study Club.

The bridegroom was graduated from Wichita Falls High School and attended Midwestern University. He is employed with the Texas Natural Gasoline Corporation in Rankin.

The couple plans to live in Rankin.

Mrs. Eric Buchanan of Moran and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christian of Rising Star were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gray Whitehorn.

**Mrs. Peek Hosts  
Garden Party**

The Emma Reynolds Circle of the Methodist Church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Viva Peek for a garden party.

A short business meeting was held and the guest of honor, Mrs. Lucy Curtis was presented with a shower of pink and blue gifts.

Hostesses for the evening were: Mmes. Clyde Latimer, Irvin Corn and C. M. Peek.

**Rowden Round-Up  
By Thelda Crow**

Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter

Several people of the Rowden community attended the pink and blue shower for Mrs. Dale Gibbs Thursday night at Mrs. Conlee Pruitt's.

Irene and Marjorie Mauldin visited Pearl Smedley Sunday evening.

Mrs. Blain Odom visited Mrs. B. Crow and girls Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White have as guests this week their nieces, Gloria and Kay Teaff of Merkel.

**M. Y. F. Holds  
Planning Retreat**

On June 1, the Methodist Youth Fellowship held a Planning Retreat on the Howard Farmer ranch. The purpose of this retreat was to plan the Sunday School and M. Y. F. programs and special activities for the rest of the year.

The following people were present: Ethlyn Tabor, Sissy Barnes, David Neel, Roger Corn, Robert Barnhill, Glen Kerby, Joy Latimer, Jackie Stanley, Jimmy Barnes, Louanna Ault, George Jones, Johnny West, Donny West, Mickie Brown, Jimmy Johnson.

The adults which were with the group were Sylvia South and Rev. Womack.

**Denton Dcings  
Jean Farmer**

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and James visited Mr. and Mrs. Morton Whitley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benja Pillans and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Winford Scott and Roberta visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Farmer and family Sunday.

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WITH ACCOMPLISHMENTS, NOT PROMISES, ALLAN SHIVERS' LEADERSHIP HAS ACHIEVED:



**BETTER SCHOOLS:** Has signed or supported every major piece of public school legislation during past 20 years.

**MORE HIGHWAYS:** Greater mileage of roads constructed during his administration than in any comparable period.

**TIDELANDS:** Fought to return tidelands to school children who already have gained \$32 million through victory.

**OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:** As senator, wrote first Texas Old Age Assistance Law . . . . Obtained pension increase amendment.

**STATE HOSPITALS:** Called special session of legislature that appropriated \$55 million to improve deplorable conditions.

**PRISON REFORMS:** System has progressed from one of worst to among nation's best during his tenure; cost reduced 50 per cent per man.

**VETERANS' LAND PROGRAM:** A Texas veteran and member of the American Legion and the VFW, Governor Shivers helped establish the present successful land program.

**SEGREGATION:** Believes in the right of local school districts to work out their own problems without outside interference. Wants to keep schools as they are now.

TEXANS WILL CONTINUE TO BUILD A GREATER TEXAS BY RETURNING ALLAN SHIVERS TO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, JULY 24.

**TEXAS comes first with ALLAN SHIVERS**

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**SWEET AND SOUR**  
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get that dope for you too. P. S. He will also be your history teacher.

Since we are at the halfway mark of vacation season maybe you'd like to check up on your faculty members and see just what they have been doing the past few weeks. Melba Foy, your first grade teacher, is swinging into second semester of summer school work at McMurry College where she is just about to win a decision over the bugs, bees, and bullfrogs in a science and nature study.

Mrs. John Bowlius, your second grade teacher has just completed a three-week English workshop at Hardin-Simmons University and Mrs. Donald Smith, combination room teacher, will receive her Masters degree from McMurry College in a few weeks. Mrs. Hubert Ross, third grade teacher, will finish a Reading clinic and workshop at ACC this week and is all loaded down with new ideas and plans for her youngsters come fall. Miss Isadore Grimes, fourth grade teacher, who spent last winter in education classes at Hardin-Simmons as well as teaching classes here, is taking a well earned vacation with her sister and family in Dallas and will return home in about two weeks.

Mrs. Lucille Hall, fifth grade teacher, has spent this part of the vacation with family and friends and plans an art course at Hardin-Simmons the latter part of the summer. Mrs. Gladys Webster has had this summer free to visit with her family and have them visit her and tells us that she is working up some splendid classroom activity which your children will benefit from in September. Mrs. Lee Ivey, who attended workshops last summer also has had this summer free for visits with her family and to plan for oncoming work. Jackie Pruitt, eighth grade teacher, has just returned from a vacation in New Orleans and is already looking forward to the most profitable school season she has ever had—plenty of new ideas and slants on this job of teaching. Your grade school Principal, J. H. Shrader, hasn't been out of touch with your youngsters for one minute this summer. He devotes part of each afternoon to ball games with the boys and girls on the school grounds and tells he is "waiting to go" when the school bell rings out September the seventh. That about ties up your Grade School staff and as for those "furriners" in High School, well, just give us another week of "research" and we'll come up with all the data you'll need.

Welcome to the Simms family, Pat, Jack, Cheryl Sue, and Bobby Jack, who just blew in from the north country this week. It's wonderful to have them back home after so many weeks away. We understand

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn and children of Center Ridge, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and daughters last week.

Mrs. C. L. Holt and children have returned to their home in Brownwood after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn.

Sue and Ann Hart of Houston recently visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCleary.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield visited relatives and friends in Eastland and Carbon last Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace Tike and daughters, Waldene and Sarah of Big Spring spent last weekend with Mrs. Tike's mother, Mrs. Monte Brumbaugh.

Mrs. J. W. Harston of Lubbock spent last weekend with Mrs. Cora Work and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray are vacationing in Santa Fe, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller and children of Freeport, Ill., are visiting relatives and friends in Baird and Clyde.

Kay Eatherly granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray, has returned to her home in Midland after visiting here several weeks.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence visited in Gainesville and Dallas last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey, Mrs. Todd Newton, Mrs. Norris Bauch and son, Dusty, are visiting relatives in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Purvis and daughters, Paula and Pam of Taft are visiting Mr. Purvis' sister, Mrs. Edgar Smith and Mr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor in Gariand last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Moring and daughter Shelley of Austin arrived this week for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore of Ft. Worth spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Grady Whitehorn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Chamberlain and children of Brooksmith visited in the Roy Gilbreath home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pool, Jr., and children of Del Rio spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gardiner and children, Nancy, Jane Ann and Larry and Mrs. A. A. Manion and son Felix attended the Area Council Meeting of the Girl Scouts at Brownwood, Sunday afternoon. This meeting was held at the new Girl Scout Camp on Brownwood Lake.

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**Methodist Memos**

Last Monday night, the more energetic members of our church came up and did a lot of work around the church grounds and building which really did need to be done. Some of the men trimmed the dead limbs off the trees while their wives worked to clean up the church kitchen. After everyone had worked up a good appetite, the M.Y.F. sold them home-made ice cream and cake. The Ice Cream Supper was a huge success, for the group did make enough money to pay for the redecorating they have done in their department.

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