

Hobson Reunion In Karr Home

The Hobson family reunion was held Sunday, July 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Karr at 314 Eugenia St. in Baird. 76 relatives and friends called during the day. Mr. Karr was unable to be present since he is in the hospital.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sisson and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. David H. Trammell, Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle McConathy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, W. S. Trammell, and Glenda Holcomb, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Loun Trammell and family and Dawn Moore, Lovington, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fowler, Dorothy, Bobby, Jerry and Mike, all of Jal. N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Eason and Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Hobson, Garner; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Trammell and family, Joshua, Betty, Suzette and Bret Bentley, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hobson, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hobson, Jess R. Hobson, Bobby, Mary, Becky and Donny Stephens, all of Denton.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Trammell, Junior, Hattie and Susan, White Haven, Pa.; Mia Williams, Saigon, Vietnam; Mrs. Lonnie Hobson, Rhonda, Pamela and Lonnie, Byars, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hobson and family, Wichita, Kans.; Mrs. Beth Bell, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thacker, Arizona;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hobson, Margie, and Jimmy Reed, San Angelo; Pat Robinson, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Miller and family of Baird.

Burlesons Host Barbecue Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Burleson, Leonna, Terri and Jeff, hosted a barbecue Sunday, July 7th. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Swafford, Stacy and Tracy of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Carlus Swafford of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swafford and Gina of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Preston and boys of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Graham of Tuscola, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack May and family of Oplin.

Attending from Baird were Mrs. Lillie Swafford, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ivy and Rod, Eddie Curtis and Elmore Kennard.

NOTICE

Baird Masonic Lodge No. 522 AF&AM will have a called meeting on Monday, July 15, at 8:00 P. M. for Degree work.

Mrs. Bobby Price and Mrs. Esther Gillit of Baird spent a very enjoyable afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen at Admiral.

Bro. Hobson Holds Sunday Services

Bro. Charles Hobson was in charge of services at the First Baptist Church in Baird Sunday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Carroll Green.

Bro. Hobson is a graduate of Ouachita Baptist University and Golden Gate Theological Seminary. He and his family have just returned to the States from Bogota, Colombia, where they served as Southern Baptist Missionaries. He is a nephew of Mrs. J. R. Karr of Baird.

Announces Birth Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Higgins are parents of a son, born Friday July 5, at 8:26 a.m. in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 5 ozs. and was named Tommy Joe Higgins.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Corn, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins, all of Baird.

Mrs. Sallie Eastham of Baird accompanied members of her family on a trip to Colorado last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Nelson and family of Monahans, Dickie Eastham and son of Houston, Morris Eastham and daughter, and Agnes Eastham, all of Fort Worth. They visited various parts of Colorado and stayed at a dude ranch in Wagon Wheel Gap. They went sightseeing at Creede, Lake City and South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parsons visited his sister, Mrs. J. R. Childress, who is ill in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. She makes her home in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Fort Worth, recently visited Mrs. M. A. Cline.



OL JED PLAYS THE HORSES BY DAY AN HIS WIFE NAGS BY NIGHT.

Second Amendment To The Constitution Of The United States

OMAR BURLISON

WASHINGTON — The Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States says, "A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."

For nearly 200 years Americans have believed that they did indeed possess such a right as guaranteed by the Second Amendment.

The first Federal Gun Law regulating the shipment of certain types of firearms in interstate commerce was passed in 1934. This action was the outgrowth of sentiment created by the attempted assassination of President Roosevelt in Miami, Florida in 1933.

In 1939, in a case known as the U. S. vs. Miller, the Supreme Court upheld the conviction of Miller for possession of an unregistered "sawed-off shotgun" as a violation of this Act. The Amendment did not guarantee the right to keep and bear such a firearm for the preservation and efficiency of a well-regulated militia.

More recently the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, writing in the New York University Law Review on the formation of the Declaration of Independence, had this to say:

"Despite these safeguards, the people were still troubled by the recollection of the conditions that prompted the charge of the Declaration of Independence that the King has 'effected to render the military independent and superior to the civil power.' They were reluctant to ratify the Constitution without further assurances, and thus we find in the Bill of Rights, Amendments 2 and 3, specifically authorizing a decentralized militia, guaranteeing the right of the people to keep and bear arms, and prohibiting the quartering of troops in any house in times of peace without the consent of the owner."

In 1941, shortly before Pearl Harbor, Congress passed what is known as the Property Seizure Act. It was made clear in the Law that nothing contained in the Bill should be construed to authorize the President to requisition or require the registration of firearms possessed by an individual for his personal protection or sport, nor that registration should be required. The Law said specifically that the President or any Board, Agency or Officer has no right to trespass upon the people in this respect.

The language of the Bill further stated that "In view of the fact that certain totalitarian and dictatorial nations are now engaged in the willful and whole destruction of personal rights and liberties, it is appropriate for the Congress to expressly state that the Law shall not be construed to impair or infringe the Constitutional right of the people to bear arms." When a U. S. Senator, the Honorable Hubert H. Humphrey, now Vice President, had this to say in connection with the Second Amendment to the Constitution.

"Certainly, one of the chief guarantees of freedom under any government, no matter how popular or respected, is the right of citizens to keep and bear arms... the right of citizens to bear arms is just one more guarantee against arbitrary government, one more safeguard against tyranny, which now appears remote in America, but which historically has proved to be always possible."

In 1963, the Congress passed PL 88-88, amending the Arms Control and Disarmament Act. Section 33 of this Law contains the following provisions with respect to the individual's right to keep and bear arms for legitimate purposes:

"Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to authorize any policy or action by any Government Agency which would interfere with, restrict, or prohibit the acquisition, possession, or use of firearms by an individual for the lawful purpose of personal defense,

sport, recreation, education, or training."

In a recent debate in the U. S. Senate the Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court was quoted as follows:

"We may happily note that the Constitution has weathered a variety of crises. Some were as acute as those we face today. Today, as always, the people, no less than their Courts, must remain vigilant to preserve the principles of our Bill of Rights lest in our desire to be secure we lose our ability to be free."

The right of the people of the United States to keep and bear arms is guaranteed not only by the Federal Constitution but by the Constitutions of thirty-five States.

Article I, Section 23 of our own Texas Constitution, says, "Every citizen shall have the right to keep and bear arms in the lawful defense of himself or the State; but the legislature shall have power, by Law, to regulate the wearing of arms, with a view to prevent crime."

At the present time a majority of the States are seeking through agreements and Compacts, uniform firearm legislation. It would seem they should have time and opportunity to work their will.

Would it not be better to have local and State enforcement officers to keep guns out of the hands of criminals, addicts, minors and the mentally deficient, than to have Federal police knocking on our doors?

The point has been made that we register and license dogs and automobiles. True - by the States, Counties or Municipal governments.

Oplin Observations

DAPHNE FLOYD

Our newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swor, were honored with a bridal shower at the Community Center last Saturday night, Your truly, Mrs. Ray Floyd acted as MC, (self-appointed). A welcome address was given to approximately 125 guests.

The MC gave The Baird Star a plug when she read a fairly current article which had appeared in the Oplin Observations. The article told of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swor. Everyone seemed to be in the mood for some joking, so yours truly dished it out. The climax came when the honorary hostesses: Mmes. B. G. Poindexter, Herman O'Shields and Ray Floyd presented the bride with a little love gift, to be used as a "power of persuasion" occasionally, which was nothing other than the old standby, a rolling pin.

Then the Commissioners employees, Dad Poindexter, Herman O'Shields and Ray Floyd came forward with a special gift for the groom. By special request, the Commissioner was blind-folded and quick as lightning those Prec. 2 boys opened a box containing a real nice identification bracelet, which they fastened around his ankle, snapped a lock on it, and had the blindfold removed. The Commissioner seemed rather surprised when he looked down and realized he was wearing a ball and chain.

It didn't help the situation any when yours truly threw the key through the door into some tall Johnson grass. The time arrived to thank Glen and Lee for being such good sports, and

from there the 'spot light' was theirs. They opened their gifts from a table laid in white, with a small demonstrator model caterpillar, circled with yellow roses as the centerpiece.

The hostesses: Mmes. Dad Poindexter, Herman O'Shields, Ray Floyd, Norman Haskeew, Lu-vien Pierce, J. B. Pierce, Bill Windham, A. L. McGinnis, Paul Kirk of Abilene, Ida Nobles, Roy Campbell and Mallie Johnson served a refreshment plate of sandwiches, cookies and punch,

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jacobs were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jacobs and family of Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. Bobby Jean Joy and family, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Maner and daughters, of Woodland Hills, Calif.; and Mrs. Luther Maner of Colonial Oaks Nursing Home in Cross Plains.

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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans	Capital
U. S. Government Obligations	Surplus
Other Investment Bonds	Undivided Profits
Municipal Bonds and Warrants	Reserve for Taxes
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	Reserve for Contingencies, Bond Premiums, Improvements, Etc.
Banking House and Furniture and Fixtures	Reserve for Losses, Depreciation, Etc.
Prepaid Insurance	Deposits
Cash and Due From Banks	
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News Items From Putnam

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley entertained a number of guests Saturday evening with a fish fry in their back yard. Guests from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Lane of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hatchett, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry and son of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Fry and family of Cisco. Local guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Petty, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Feely and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green and family, Roddy Reynolds, John Doyle Isenhower and Elaine Isenhower.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey also entertained 36 guests with an out-door dinner and singing afterwards, in their home the evening of the Fourth.

Mrs. Ruby Black and daughter, Harvette, of Abilene, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton went to Knox City Tuesday to spend a day or more with her sister, Mrs. Neil Logan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Payne of Thomas, Okla., spent the weekend with his mother and brother, Mrs. Ben Payne and Elvie.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams of Crosbyton were visiting in Putnam Friday.

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

A TOPS Club was organized three weeks ago. Three women from Clyde came down and

helped organize. Officers elected were: Leader, Mrs. R. W. Reynolds; Co-Leader, Mrs. John Petty; Secretary, Mrs. H. A. Pruet; Treasurer, Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr.; Weigher, Mrs. John Petty. At the present time they have seven members. Those wishing to join, come to the school building at 6:45 Monday evening. Other members are Mrs. Hinkle of Cross Plains, Mrs. I. G. Mobley and Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower.

Charlie Cunningham, who is employed by an Oil Co. in Carthage, spent the 4th and weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham. Mrs. Cunningham closed the Cafe over the weekend.

Mrs. Lee White returned to her home Sunday after spending a week in Madill, Okla.

Mrs. W. A. Everett spent from Sunday to Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Hight in Winters. Mrs. Hight, Karla Nelson and Vickie Shaw brought her home.

Bill Everett and son Mike, of Irving, spent Friday night with Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Mrs. Fred Cook returned home from Hendrick Memorial Hospital after spending two weeks there. She went to Irving Saturday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Everett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor visited Mrs. Clint Blakley in Hendrick Memorial Hospital Sunday. Mrs. Blakley suffered a stroke.

Mrs. W. A. Everett was a visitor with her father, A. E. Ellis in Clyde Sunday. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis

in Atwell. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Waddell and Buddy spent the 4th with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans, near Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland of Baird were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco.

Mrs. Edna Brooks of Odessa is spending a few days with Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor went back to Abilene Monday and reports Mrs. Clint Blakley much better.

Mrs. C. K. Odom and Vella Sandlin spent four days in Oklahoma visiting Mr. and Mrs. Duane Brown and family.

Those attending the Donaway Reunion at Oak Park, Scranton, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Donaway and Warren, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donaway and Gay, Putnam; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Donaway and Jeff, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Donaway and boys, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Donaway and son, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hazelwood and son, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ivie and Kathryn, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander and baby, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reece and baby, Colorado; Mrs. Raymon Bailey and daughters, San Angelo; Mrs. Bennie McCleskey, Cisco; Mrs. Clara McKinley, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Viola Gattis, Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Reece, Scranton; Oleta and Duane Hale, Cisco; and Milton Donaway of Cisco.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

K. of P. Retirement Home
Greenville, Texas

Dear Folks:
You may not remember me, but I was once one of your disciples, working for the T&P Railway, switching box cars, and once knew your entire staff, and did visit there some three years ago and only met a very few I once knew. It did remind me of the Ghost Towns you see on T.V.

I attended the Knights of Pythias convention in Austin and met a lady there that was raised in Baird, related to Dr. Griggs' wife, Mrs. R. L. Griggs Sr., the Boydstuns, Driskills and McGowens. I couldn't place her and never asked her name, but she told me that you had an organized home-coming there each year. If not too late, I would like to know the date and give myself a special invitation to come.

Yours very truly,
Hugh E. Deaton

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bruce have returned to their home in Ajo, Arizona, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bruce. They attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of the senior Bruces on June 23. Also attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Looker of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oliver and family of Abilene.



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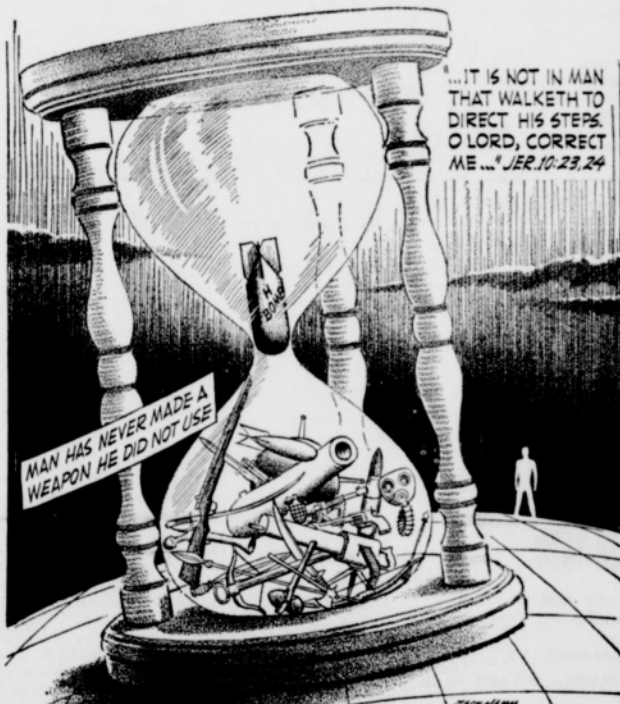
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Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster during the weekend were all of their children and some of the grandchildren. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Newman Jackson and two grandsons of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Blen Stewart and two daughters of Chicago, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster and Mrs. J. C. Nance of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins. Other grandchildren were: Mrs. Mike Turner, who is staying with her parents while Mike is in service; Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fuller and baby, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Justice, Kermit; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Nance of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom spent Thursday and Friday at Lake Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions spent Thursday and Friday fishing on the Bayou with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom, Beverly and Kim, attended the beauty contest and fireworks at Lake Cisco July 4th.

Mrs. W. A. Everett visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom attended the parade and rodeo at May Saturday night, but were not on the bleachers when it fell. There were several hurt, but none very seriously.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Foster and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. James Foster of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Stevie Foster of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster visited them Sunday. Beverly Tatom left Monday morning with a group of young people and their sponsors for Six Flags. They will spend Monday night in Fort Worth and return home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Al Graham and children of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with Harvey Black.

CHATHAM VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Chatham and Kim of Houston are visiting with his mother, Mrs. Pete Chatham, after returning from a recent vacation trip to Clay County, Alabama, and Atlanta, Georgia.

Other visitors in the Chatham home are Frank and Alene Hodson of Round Rock, Mrs. Mable Francisco, Jim and Dixie of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bailey of Levelland.

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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Training Classes 5:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday:
Ladies Class 9:30 a.m.

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Carrol Green, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
Training Union 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Albert Cooper, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
MYF 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Wed. 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD

Chas. Sinks, Pastor

Sunday:
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:
Y.P.E. 7:00 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Ben H. Moore, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION

Joe L. Galan

Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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RAIDERS NEED FINANCIAL HELP, ON LUBBOCK TOURNAMENT TRIP

The Raiders need your help in financing their trip to the semi-pro baseball tournament in Lubbock during the latter part of July. The team has no sponsor and all the cost of outfitting the team has come from several individuals, and some members of the team. Individuals who have contributed most at this point are Benton Pruet, Preston Manguni and Knox Waggoner, all of Clyde.

The district tournament will be held in Abilene beginning on July 19, with the first and second place teams qualifying for the state tournament. The Raiders and Sports of Abilene are heavy favorites to be meeting each other in the tournament finals.

In the event the Raiders do not make it to the state tournament, the contributions would be retained for next year's operations.

Get behind this fine baseball team and support them, as they will be appreciative of your effort. They have certainly made their effort in representing our towns well.

Mrs. Bill Sproule and girls of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cargill of Irving visited Mrs. S. P. Sproule and other relatives last weekend.

Visiting in the M. D. McElroy home July 4th were a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd and Bill of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. McElroy's sister, Mrs. L. H. Kay of Ranger.

Admiral Cemetery Needs Funds For Care

Recent donations to the Admiral Cemetery are the following:

Mrs. Lona Hammer, \$5.00
 Mrs. Eva Vestal, \$10.00
 T. D. Dawkins, \$10.00
 Oils Williams, \$5.00
 Ruben Sanders, \$10.00
 W. W. Rose, \$5.00
 Mrs. John McClendon, \$5.00
 Noah Smedley Heirs, \$13.73
 John Miller, \$5.00
 Irene Gary Martin, \$5.00.

It is requested at this time that interested persons donate for the care and upkeep of the cemetery. You may mail your donations to Mrs. Warren Price, Star Route 2, Baird, Texas 79504

ROWDEN ROUNDUP

Rowden community missed a good chance for rain Monday morning. The northeast part did get around .70 of an inch which was needed very much. Young feed, cotton and peanuts all need rain in this area. Gardens are keeping the women busy, either canning or storing in the freezer. Blackeye peas are sure good, fresh out of the garden. Even corn on the cob is not bad.

Tractors could be heard running until nearly night in the fields around here today. Farmers are hoping to keep down the grass and weeds. Who wants to use a hoe anymore?

Rites Held For Mrs. Crawford

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah (Sallie) Crawford, 94, were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday, July 9, in Godfrey Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating was the Rev. Riley Fugitt, Baptist minister. Burial was in Dudley Cemetery.

Mrs. Crawford died in Callahan County Hospital early Monday. She had been a resident of Clyde Nursing Home.

Born Nov. 2, 1873, she had lived in the Baird area most of her life, and in Abilene for 10 years. She married M. E. (Matt) Crawford, and was a member of the Baptist Church here and of the Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include two sons, Matt of Colorado City and Edgar of Baird; four daughters, Mrs. Kirby Myers of Monahans, Mrs. Augh McCormack of Roscoe, Mrs. Clyde Cutbirth of Midland and Mrs. Ted Ivey of Abilene; one sister, Mrs. B. Watson of Longview; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Her husband and one son preceded her in death.

Pallbearers were Homer Price, S. N. Dunlap Jr., Duke McIntosh, Blonny McIntosh, Frank Payne and R. C. Wristen.

John W. Bowls Buried Wed.

Funeral services for John W. Bowls, 60, were held Wednesday, July 10, at 2 p. m. in Godfrey Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Albert Cooper and the Rev. H. B. Terry of Abilene, officiated.

Burial was in Ross Cemetery under direction of Cates-Spencer Funeral Home of Sweetwater.

Mr. Bowls died at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Simmons Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater.

Born May 11, 1908 in Baird, he married Ruth Simons here June 10, 1944. He was a veteran of World War II and owned and operated a lumber company here until moving to Sweetwater 12 years ago, with Burton-Lingo Lumber Co., now Jordan Lumber Co. At the time of his death, Mr. Bowls was assistant manager of the company.

Survivors include his wife; one son, John W. of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Errol Haley of Big Spring, Mrs. Hal Ramsey of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Cecil West of Baird.

Pallbearers were J. L. Toland, Jr., C. W. Justiss Jr., Claude Wilson and Jack Aycock, all of Sweetwater; Frank Crow, M. L. Hughes, Ira Walker and Bill Hunt, all of Baird.

VISIT MRS. MITCHELL IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Visiting Mrs. Felix Mitchell while she has been a patient in Callahan County Hospital are: Mrs. Walter Bellamy and Sandy of Odessa, Mrs. Victor Scarpell of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Rouse of Fort Worth, Mrs. Fred Thompson and Danny, of Clinton, Okla., Mrs. Horace McElrath and Rusty of Austin.

Others visiting were Lucibel Manion of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Ivey and family of Ferris.

Visiting Mrs. Onie Abernathy Monday was Bob Schaffer of Kerrville.

Holiday Nursing Home Visitors

Golden Holiday Nursing Home had a number of out-of-town guests last week and over the holiday weekend.

Visiting Mrs. Myrtle Berry were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson of San Angelo, Mrs. Gail Harris of Lamesa, Mrs. John A. Glasscock and Mrs. Pearl Gaines.

Visiting Myrtle Rogers were Dorothy Lofton, Otis Rogers and Carl Rogers, all of Clyde.

Nina Jones had as guests, J. R. Johnson and Mrs. Alpha Johnson.

Dick and Fern Davis of San Antonio visited Mrs. R. C. Davis. Carlton L. Edgar of Albany visited with Carl Edgar.

Visiting Jeffie Lambert were Mrs. V. Whitehill of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kuykendall of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Q. Evans of Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Hodges of Sphenerville and W. C. Hodges.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. Juanita McIntyre of Abilene visited Mrs. R. C. Vaught.

L. and Mrs. James Van Zandt of Jacksonville, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Arnold of Abilene visited Pat Arnold.

Visiting Ida Lincecum were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lincecum.

Other out of town visitors were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Withers and children of Lubbock, Mrs. Tom Vaughn and Fred Earnest.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris spent July 4th in Kerrville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross, Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Sweet and son Jeffrey Ross, and Mrs. Elizabeth Sweet of Florida.

Stella Marie Canada Engagement Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Selan Canada, of Rt. 1, Baird, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Stella Marie to Bobby Glenn Fellers, son of Mrs. Margaret Fellers of Clyde.

Miss Canada is a graduate of Clyde High School. Fellers, also a graduate of Clyde High School, is employed at Post. An August 3rd wedding is planned.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parsons Sunday were his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parsons, Mike, Rickey and Rusty of Albany.

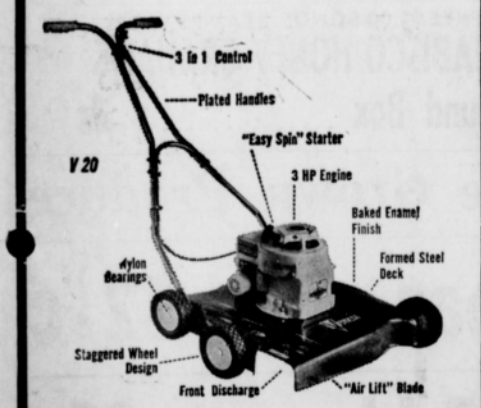
Kitty and Richard Pierson of Austin are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loper and other relatives.

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