

The Baird Star

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But The Get-Up-And-Get That Makes Men Great."

FIFTY-FIRST YEAR

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1938

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Old Settlers Annual Reunion

Plans are going along for the Third Annual Reunion of Callahan County Old Settlers to be held at the Kendrick Park at Denton, on Friday, August 5th.

The celebration this year will be a basket picnic affair, all to bring their dinner. Coffee will be furnished free. Plans are being made to have barbecue meats for sale on the grounds.

A short program has been prepared but most of the day will be spent in greeting and visiting with friends.

A dance platform will be erected where old settlers will dance the old fashioned dances of frontier days.

There will be tables and seats under the shade trees of the park which has been cleaned up for the occasion.

Awards Made In Garden Club

Early this spring the Garden Club sponsored two contests, working toward beautification of Baird 1st, General Yard Improvement; 2nd, Crepe Myrtle. Three prizes were offered in each contest. In yard improvement Mrs. R. F. Jones won First Prize; Mrs. G. M. King, Second; Mrs. Will Franklin, Third.

In the crepe myrtle contest, Mrs. Hub Warren won First Prize; Mrs. Clyde White, Second; Mrs. Northcutt, Third.

The Garden Club is happy over the general improvement seen in yard beautification over the town and is gratified over the number of crepe myrtle plants to be seen in full bloom in the yards of our town.

The Garden Club held its July meeting in the outdoor living room of the yard which won First Place the yard improvement contest. Truly Mrs. R. F. Jones' yard is one of the most beautiful in Baird.

The crepe myrtle was selected by the Beautification committee the town flower and the Garden Club has made special effort in stressing the planting of this shrub. More than fifty of these plants have been put out in the yards of Baird this year.

The Garden Club appreciates the services of the Judging Committee composed of Mr. Carmen Baird, Mrs. John W. Robbins of Clyde and Mrs. Drummond of Abilene.

Power Rates For Odessa Cut Third

Application by the Odessa city council for federal grants and loans under WPA to build a municipal electric power plant has resulted in a rate reduction of one-third from the private operator furnishing the city.

Rates were cut to the city from one and one-half cents a kilowatt hour to one cent. Rates to private and commercial consumers also were reduced materially.

BAIRD BAR INDORSES JUDGE CRITZ

We, the undersigned lawyers of Callahan County, recognize the fairness, learning and ability of Associate Justice Critz of the Supreme Court of Texas. After rendering distinguished service as a member of the Commission of Appeals, he was appointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, to which position he was re-elected by the people. His service on the bench clearly shows that he is pre-eminently qualified for the place he now occupies.

We heartily endorse the candidacy of Judge Richard Critz, and urge his re-election as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas for his first full term.

Respectfully,
B. L. Russell
Paul Harrell
B. F. Russell
F. E. Mitchell
L. B. Lewis
L. L. Blackburn
Otis Bowyer

Recent Bride Honored

On Thursday, July 7, 1938, at 8:30 p. m. a group of friends met at the Church of Christ in Ranger honoring Mrs. Eldred Bell the former Vera Bryan, with a miscellaneous shower. Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams and Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Green were co-host and hostess for this lovely affair.

The gifts were presented by the fathers of the bride and groom, L. N. Bryan and Aaron Bell after minister W. W. Layton and J. E. Meroney gave some timely advice to the young couple as to attaining a happy life together.

Out of town guests attending were Mrs. T. R. Price, of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pool and Miss Mellie B. Bell of Breckenridge.

Ashby White Sells Tailor Shop

Ashby White, has sold his tailor shop and cleaning plant to Miss Charlie Fields and Mrs. Ivy Magee of Big Spring, who are now in charge. They will be assisted by Buckie Coats who has been with Mr. White for some time and is experienced in cleaning and pressing.

Miss Fields and Mrs. Magee have had ten years experience in the cleaning and pressing business. Ashby White, who has been in the business in Baird for the past fourteen years will devote his entire time now to his insurance business being local representative of the Amicable Life Insurance Company.

In retiring from the tailoring business, Mr. White says: I wish to express my appreciation to the people of Baird for their kindness extended to me; the courtesy shown me and patronage give me for the past fourteen years, while in the tailoring business. I also hope that you will see fit to give your continued patronage to my successors, Ivy Magee and Charlie Fields.

The new proprietors have changed the name of the plant to Elite Cleaners.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Spencer of Heaton, Oklahoma on July 8, 1938 a daughter weighing 6 3/4 pounds, who has been named Margaret Ann. Mrs. Spencer is the former Jewell Grimes of Baird. Mrs. Spencer and baby are patients in Von Keller hospital Ardmore, Okla. Mrs. Isabell Grimes is with her sister.

IS THIS GOOD BUSINESS?

When Mr. Ickes returns from his honeymoon vacation he will find a liberal allotment of \$144,567.298 at his disposal to be applied to the 277 power projects throughout the country. Of course that amount invested in such public projects is insignificant compared to the volume of wealth that has created the privately owned utilities. But that is not the question involved. If the federal government can finance from public funds competition for legitimate investment, the effect must be to very markedly curtail available money for the creation of privately owned power plants in the future.

There are millions of people in the United States who are owners of stock in utility corporations. They invested their funds long ago and they depend upon the returns therefrom. There are other millions who have savings which they would like to employ gainfully, but they are fearful to use them to promote public utilities which may find themselves in competition with those financed by the government. And particularly does it make the proposed investor timid when he realizes that the return to the government upon its loans is meager compared with the interest private concerns pay to those who invest with them—Junction Eagle.

Cross Plains Old Settlers Picnic

The 57th Annual Old Settlers Picnic held Monday and Tuesday drew a large crowd. The celebration was held on the banks of Turkey Creek just south of the city.

Pioneers took an active part in the opening parade, foremost in the group was Mrs. J. C. McDermott 75, who rode an old fashioned sidesaddle; Charlie Barr and Davis Montgomery both residents of Cross Plains for more than a half century drove a hack of frontier day style.

Candidates were numerous and addressed the crowd.

Mrs. Bob Berry Succumbs To Long Illness

Mrs. Bob Berry died at 5 p. m. yesterday afternoon following a long illness. She is survived by her husband, three sisters and one brother. They are: Mrs. Olin Jones, Baird; Mrs. Billie Maltby, Admiral; Mrs. Cora Finch, Los Angeles, California and Arthur Beasley, of Admiral.

We did not learn the funeral arrangements up to going to press.

Hughes Plans To Drill First Oplin Producer Deeper

Hughes Petroleum company announces plans to deepen its No 1 Cook & Jordan (Pindexter), discovery well of the Oplin deep Ordovician pool. Work will start today.

The test has been producing a small amount of oil under a high gas flow since February from the Ellenburger lime at 4,368-89 feet and will be deepened to 4,460 feet to test the second section of Ellenburger porosity which has been showing in the two most recent Oplin wells.

Shooting with 240 quarts of nitroglycerin was scheduled this week-end for the Hughes, Coper & Weeks No. 1 C. D. Straley, south-east outpost to the area. Section to be shot was from 4,380 to 4,440 feet, total depth. It is producing gas and about five barrels of oil daily.

EVALYN BLAKLEY SUFFERS BROKEN ARM

Miss Evalyn Blakley of Belle Plain had the misfortune to have her right arm broken at the wrist joint Saturday when cranking a car.

Baird Has Signs For Aircrafts

An airway marker pointing the route for passing crafts has been erected on the roof of R. E. Bounds Blacksmith Shop.

The sign bears the name Baird an arrow pointing north toward the beacon light and emergency field which mark the air route also the name Abilene and an arrow pointing that direction.

The letters are eight feet high painted orange and black. The marker was erected by W. P. A. the work being supervised by F. M. Summerour of Ft. Worth.

Gov. Allred Named Federal Judge

Governor James V. Allred was named Federal Judge by President Roosevelt Tuesday at Wichita Falls. Gov. Allred's home, as the President made a short stop there on his way to the Pacific coast.

This court was recently created in South Texas and includes a total of 44 counties.

Gov. Allred will likely resign as governor after the primary to assume his new duties.

The Blantons Are Coming Home

Hon. Thomas L. Blanton and family will return soon to Abilene to make their home after spending two years in Washington, D. C.

Matthews Blanton, the eldest son, with his wife and baby daughter have already returned to Abilene. Bill Blanton will also return with his parents.

The law firm of Blanton & Blanton will be composed of Thomas L. Blanton, Sr., Matthews Thomas L. Jr., and Bill Blanton, with offices in Abilene and Albany. Tom Jr. has remained in Albany while the other members of the firm transferred two years ago to Washington for law practice.

In Washington Matthews Blanton specialized in radio law, a branch of legal activity more or less new and he will continue to stress that angle.

"I gained much valuable experience in Washington, experience I could not have gained anywhere else," said "Matt" yesterday. "But West Texas and Abilene look better to me than ever before, and I dare say that goes for all members of the family. We are glad to get back home."

Judge Blanton served 18 years in congress, originally from the "jumbo" district composed of 58 counties and later from the 17th district centering on Abilene.

Coleman Rodeo

The Coleman third annual Rodeo is now holding the spot light of this section, the four-day celebration began Wednesday and will close Saturday.

Miss Curley Seale is sponsor from Baird. Miss Jo Morris, young est daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Press Morris, was crowned Queen of the Rodeo. Mrs. Press Morris is hostess for the sponsors.

Mrs. Morris is the former Carrie McCoy, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jasper McCoy pioneer ranch people of Callahan County.

Taylor County Pioneer Reunion

The Taylor County Annual Old Settlers Picnic will be held at Buffalo Gap today and tomorrow today being Old Settlers day and Saturday will be political day, when all candidates will be given an opportunity to speak.

Buffalo Gap is Taylor County's birth place a village of hills, shady oaks and rich in pioneer memories and old settlers from far and near will be in attendance to take part in the program. Tom Bledsoe is president of the association. Other officers are Jim Hurt, vice-president; W. F. Jones, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Jones, assistant secretary-treasurer; Dan O. Conell, marshal, and Will Watson announcer.

Griggs Hospital News

W. H. Berry, Jr., was operated on Monday night for acute appendicitis.

Louise Dennis, 11 year old daughter of Roy Dennis was a tonsilectomy patient Tuesday.

Benny Gale Ray, 3 year old son of C. E. Ray of Putnam left the hospital Tuesday following treatment for nose infection.

Miss Evalyn Blakley of Belle Plain was a patient Saturday for treatment of a broken right arm.

Aaron McKee living north of Clyde was a patient Saturday for treatment of a fractured arm.

Miss LaVern Edwards of Clyde was a tonsilectomy patient Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Owens of Snyder was a tonsilectomy patient Monday.

Jack Ashlock left the hospital Tuesday following an appendix John Hampton was a car wreck patient Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Foster who has been a patient for several weeks remains in a serious condition.

Mrs. W. B. Griggs continues to improve.

Burglars Foiled In Attempt To Rob Price Ice Co.

An attempt to rob the safe at the Price Ice Company was prevented early Sunday morning by Hamp Cowan and C. V. Hamilton T & P Ry. employees who were working on a car near the plant. Their attention was attracted by an automobile which was driven slowly about the plant and a little later they heard the sound of an electric drill coming from the direction of the ice plant and went to investigate.

As they walked up a man wearing a white shirt and a straw hat jumper from the window of the plant and made his escape in a waiting automobile that was driven by another man.

The knob of the plant's safe was knocked off with an electric drill, officers reported.

Callahan County Library

The County Library is growing in usefulness. Last month 200 books were issued to patrons in different parts of the county. An order for new books was made this week.

A number of patrons, particularly children, are taking advantage of the opportunity it offers to spend the afternoon reading in a cool room.

The Library is open from 1 to 5 o'clock each afternoon except Saturday.

Rites Held At Eula For W. F. Harrison

Funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Eula Methodist church for W. F. Harrison, 64, who died at his home near there Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Lloyd Mayhew, Eula circuit Methodist minister officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dick Bright of Potosi.

Mr. Harrison's death resulted from a stroke of paralysis with which he suffered three years ago this past April.

Mr. Harrison was born near Conway Arkansas Dec. 10, 1873. He came to Texas when a youth settling in Ellis county. He was married to Miss Nellie Fondrew Nov. 12, 1899. Four children were born to this union, who with their mother survive him. The children are: Erston and Rush Harrison of Eula; Mrs. Cecil Warren of Pasadena, California and Mrs. Bernadine Cole, of Abilene; also three nieces: Mrs. Clyde Crawford, Mrs. Clemit Pye, of Mexia; Mrs. Autry Pye, of Van.

Other relatives attending the funeral were: Guy Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bailey, of Odessa; Mrs. John Watson and daughter of Forrester.

Pall bearers were: Ralph Brock Owen Battles, Lloyd Barr, Rufus Miller, Aaron White and Edgar Gann.

Flour girls were: Virginia Watson, Helen Brock, Geraldine Bell, Gladys Campbell, Genevajo Gibson, Margaret Gann and Aline White.

Mr. Harrison and family moved to Callahan County in 1817, settling at Eula. He was a member of the Christian Church joining the First Christian Church in Lancaster in 1909.

Mrs. R. A. Williams Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. R. A. Williams celebrated her 69th birthday Friday, July 8th with her family. She received a number of nice gifts.

Members of the family present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Benson and children, Pauline, Dolores and L. R. and Mrs. Rose Bell, Prichard Mrs. Williams is a native of Callahan county born and reared here.

HOLIDAY NOTICE

The First National Bank of Baird, will not be open for business Saturday, July 23rd, 1938, Election Day (A Legal Holiday).

(SAMPLE BALLOT)

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

I Am A Democrat And Pledge Myself To Support The Nominee Of This Primary.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 17th. DISTRICT:

C. L. (Clyde) Garrett

FOR GOVERNOR:

Jas. A. Ferguson of Bell County
Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County
Karl A. Crowley of Tarrant County
W. Lee O'Daniel of Tarrant County
Joseph King of Harris County
Marvin P. McCoy of Harris County
Tom F. Hunter of Wichita County
S. T. Brogdon of Erath County
Clarence R. Miller of Dallas County
Clarence E. Farmer of Tarrant County
Thos. Self of Houston County
William McCraw of Dallas County
P. D. Renfro of Jefferson County

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Pierce Brooks of Dallas County
John Lee Smith of Throckmorton County
Alton M. Mead of Tom Green County
George A. Davisson, Jr. of Eastland County
Coke R. Stevenson of Kimble County
G. H. Nelson of Lubbock County

FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:

George H. Sheppard of Nolan County
J. J. Biffle of Hill County
Lane Terrell of Tarrant County

FOR STATE TREASURER:

Lewis C. Foster of Tarrant County
E. B. Barnes of Travis County
Charley Lockhart of Travis County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE:

Larry Mills of Dallas County
Bascom Giles of Travis County
William H. McDonald of Eastland County
Morris Browning of Potter County

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

Robert W. Calvert of Hill County
Lewis M. Goodrich of Wheeler County
Ralph Yarborough of Travis County
Gerald C. Mann of Dallas County
Walter Woodul of Harris County

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:

W. E. James of Travis County
L. A. Woods of Travis County
S. R. LeMay of Henderson County

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:

Leonard Westfall of Haskell County
George H. Allen of Smith County
J. E. McDonald of Ellis County

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:

C. V. Terrell of Wise County
O. C. Christie of Collin County
Frank Morris of Dallas County
G. A. Jerry Sadler of Gregg County
John Wood of Shelby County
Robert A. Stuart of Tarrant County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT:

W. H. Davidson of Jefferson County
Tom Smiley of Karnes County
Richard Critz of Williamson County

FOR JUDGE OF COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (REGULAR TERM):

F. L. Hawkins of Ellis County

FOR JUDGE OF COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (UNEXPIRED TERM):

Charles A. Phippen of Dallas County
Harry N. Graves of Williamson County
James A. Stephens of Knox County

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS 11th. SUPREME JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

O. C. Funderburk of Eastland County

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 107th. FLORIAL DISTRICT:

T. S. Ross of Eastland County
Omar Burkett of Eastland County
E. M. (Ed) Curry of Eastland County
Wayne Sellers of Eastland County

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 42nd. DISTRICT:

J. R. Black of Taylor County

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

L. B. Lewis

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

F. E. Mitchell

FOR CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT:

Mrs. Will Rylee

FOR COUNTY CLERK:

Mrs. S. E. Settle

FOR SHERIFF:

J. M. McMillan

Hugh H. McDermott

C. R. Nordyke

W. A. Peterson

FOR DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN:

J. Rupert Jackson, Jr.

FOR ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES:

Olaf Hollingshead

FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN:

PRECINCT NO.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

Mrs. Will McCoy

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:

B. C. Chrisman

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER:

PRECINCT NO.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 1:

J. Frank Browning

J. W. Hammons

G. H. Corn

B. O. Erame

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 2:

B. M. Baum

Grover E. Clare

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 3:

Pete King

Claude C. King

R. D. Williams

J. F. Rawson

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

PRECINCT No. 4:

G. H. Clifton

Jeff Clark

B. H. Freeland

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

PRECINCT No. 1:

J. W. Farmer

Mike Sigal

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

PRECINCT No. 6:

J. C. Watson

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

PRECINCT No.

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT No. 1:

Morgan Stokes

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT No. 8:

L. D. Maynard

FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT No.

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AROUND TOWN

By Otto B. Grate

Now for the news you've been looking and waiting for; the winners in the best-kept yard contest sponsored by the Plaza Theatre in cooperation with Clean-Up-Week which will terminate July 18.

The five housewives who have won complimentary passes to see "In Old Chicago," showing Sunday and Monday of this week are: Mrs. Irving Alphin, Mrs. R. F. Jones, Mrs. Earl Hall, Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, and Mrs. Howard Farmer. If these ladies will call at The Baird Star office, they will receive their passes. Right here and now we want to thank Manager Pawkett for making the yard contest possible and for the other ways in which he has cooperated with the clean-up-campaign. Another regular fellow who came through with a boost to Clean-Up-Week is Sam (Tots) Wristen, who devoted an entire show window to the cleanliness movement. There oughta be some thing we could say in behalf of people like that.

Before going further into this Around Town report, let's get a matter cleared up. It's not Cliff Bowden, as stated last week, who is rapidly singfing himself into the hearts of the townsmen, but Vester O. Bowden. There was a slight mix-up in a matter of names which we sincerely hope this straightens out.

Your reporter, still on the attractive yard trail which he started last week, wants to make mention of the Earl Hall place, which by the way, is one of the contest winners. Mrs. Hall's yard is one of the loveliest in town, it boasts of an excellent barbecue put, lunch tables, fish ponds, and flower beds galore. The Halls have installed their own lighting equipment which turns the place into an ideal picnic or party ground. They are continually adding to their yards, and are now experimenting with a new variety of "carpet" grass which they believe will be an invaluable aid in producing heavier lawns and choking out weeds. The Halls were kind enough to show the old Around Towner through the grounds with special attention given to the cages of pheasants in the back yard. Though the Halls have had these birds for several years, they were a real surprise to me and, I imagine, will be of interest to you. There are some eighteen of the gorgeous plumed fowls and you will find it fully worth your while to take a look at them. They are of the Chinese ring-neck variety and furnish the family with eggs-fancy that. The eggs are a delicate green and vary in shade.

Though only a hobby with Mr. and Mrs. Hall, they are as fine specimens as you will find in any zoo.

Entertainment tip of the week is, of course, "In Old Chicago," the best of the better pictures. Tuesday brings "Crime School" to the screen. It concerns the adventures of the little roughnecks who scored such a hit in "Dead Snd."

If you want an extra good tip on where to find cold drinks that are cold in the broadest sense of the word, you'll go to the McDonald store at Bayou. This well kept place is some twelve miles out of town and isn't to be surpassed in the quality or friendliness of its service and is a real boon to the county. P. S. This reporter made special note of the pretty little brunette attendant who made stopping there a pleasure, what with her smile 'n all.

Spotlight of the week goes to Mr. Tom French, who never once fails to practice the good neigh-

bor policy we advocate so strongly. A nice friendly "Hello", maybe a few words about the weather, and Mr. French leaves you with the feeling that you have at least one friend in the world, no matter what happens. Yeah, for an all around right guy, we give you Tom French.

Methodist Church Notes

Hamilton Wright, Pastor

Dean R. G. Boger of McMurry will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Church Sunday morning while the pastor is closing out a revival at Bethlehem Church. Boger, a layman, comes with a Gospel message. Everybody is urged to hear this interesting exangelist, will arrive in the afternoon and open the summer revival at the evening hour. Denison is pastor at Matador and noted for his excellently revival success throughout the South Plains. The fine new Methodist Church at Olton was erected under his ministry.

Services during the meeting will be held twice daily. All services will be held in the main auditorium of the church rather than on the lawn. Good soft seats, electric fans insure the utmost comfort available at this season of the year. Pete Slatton, well known singer, will direct the singing during the meeting.

We urge our Membership to co-operate in this revival to the end many souls may be saved. We cordially invite everybody in Baird to attend these services.

Two bright conversions occurred Wednesday evening at the Bethlehem revival being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Hamilton Wright. The morning services have been very inspiring, men and women

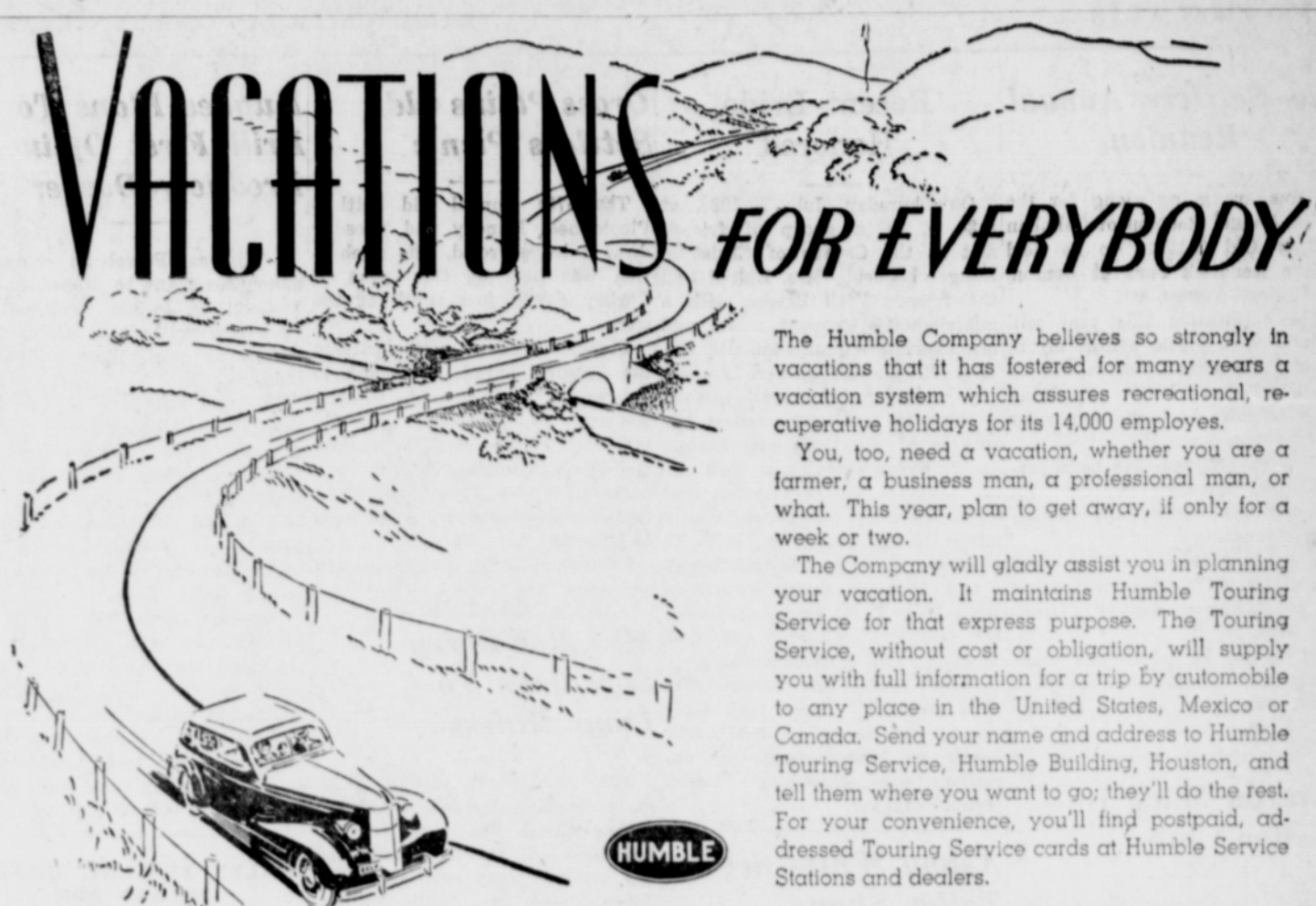
testifying. Large crowds are attending daily. Services are being held each day at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., the latter preceded by "grove" prayer meetings.

Last Sunday morning Rev. Lloyd Mayhew, pastor of the Clyde circuit, brought a message to our people. Mayhew is a graduate of McMurry College. He is greatly loved by the members of his church at Bethlehem, Eula, Dudley and Oplin.

Our Sunday School was down to about 91 Sunday. Let's not get the House of God during the summer time. Make a new resolution to attend Sunday School every Sunday. Bring the children and insist on their remaining for church.

Joe Dena Wright is in charge of the juniors for two Sundays while Mrs. Carroll McGowen is away. She is teaching the "kids" new songs to sing. W. A. Fetterly, chairman of the board of stewards, has put in several hours this week after laboring hard at the railroad shops repairing the light columns at the church and doing other repairs. Efforts are being made to repair the church this summer. Solicitation upon the part of Stewards of members should be respected with liberal offerings.

APARTMENTS: Two furnished apartments modern conveniences See or phone Mrs. J. H. Terrell Phone 112.



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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF BAIRD, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1938
Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$161,787.93
Overdrafts	95.88
United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	390,482.44
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	93,010.92
Banking house, \$3,500.00	
Furniture and fixtures, \$3,000.00	6,500.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	6,651.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	70,814.43
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collections	580,759.17
Cash items not in process of collections	86.67
Other assets	1,106.72
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,311,295.16
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$762,369.41
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	280,053.94
State, county, and municipal deposits	153,121.10
United States Government and postal savings deposits	5,000.00
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	23,699.53
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and-or investments	\$125,807.50
Deposits not secured by pledge or loans and-or investments	1,098,436.48
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,224,243.98
Dividends declared but not yet payable and amounts set aside for dividends not declared	437.50
Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 400 shares, par \$62.50 per share, retirable at \$62.50 per share	\$50,000.00
Common stock, 500 shares, par \$50.00 per share	
Surplus	\$12,210.00
Undivided profits-net	20,903.68
Preferred stock retirement fund	3,500.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	86,613.68
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,311,295.16
MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	
	147,413.81
TOTAL PLEDGE (excluding rediscounts)	147,413.81
Secure Liabilities	
Against United States Government and postal savings deposits	12,000.00
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	135,413.81
TOTAL PLEDGE	\$147,413.81
State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:	
I, BOB NORRELL, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
BOB NORRELL, Cashier.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of July, 1938.	
E. G. Hampton, Notary Public.	
Correct-Attest:	
Tom Windham	
Ace Hickman	
Henry James	
Directors.	

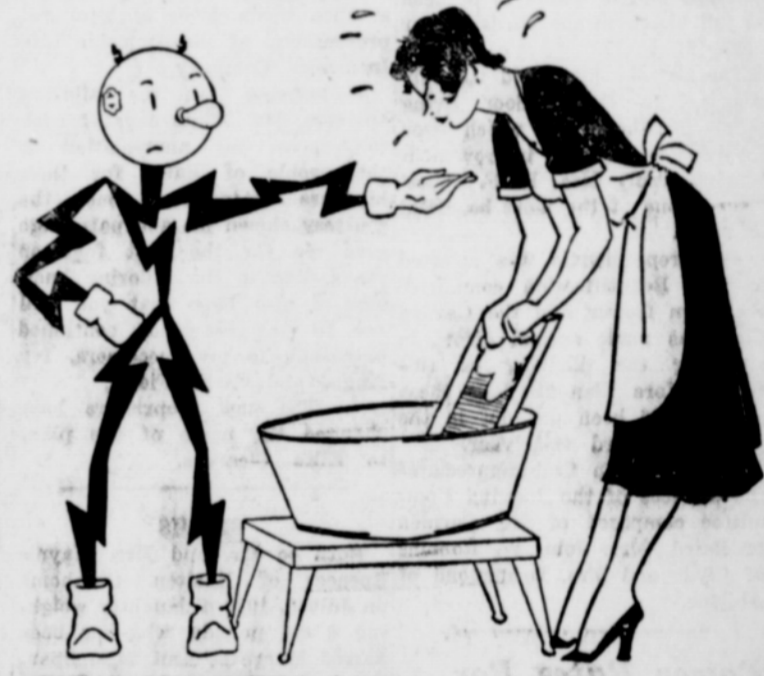
Let's Talk About Service

MOST everyone knows that SERVICE, as defined in the dictionary, means: "the act or occupation of working for another . . . the manner of performing work . . . that which is supplied or furnished to meet a demand," etc.

Working for you is Your Electric Servant's occupation. By that act of providing light and power for your home and business, the electric company renders a service. You pay a small amount each month as compensation for this service.

It, perhaps, seems like a simple transaction: but, in order to perform the work of providing the electric service you demand, this company is forced to employ approximately 1,000 men and women to whom it paid over \$1,200,000 in wages during 1937. As a citizen and property-owner in every community it serves, it paid the equivalent of \$9.25 in taxes per customer in 1937.

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TO
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JERRY SADLER
Railroad Commissioner

Sincerely
HARLEY SADLER
(POL. ADV.)

NORVELL'S GROCERY AND MARKET

SPECIALS For Saturday, July 16th and The Following Monday

BEWLEYS BEST FLOUR	48 LBS.	\$1.43
MEAL	20 LBS.	37c
SUGAR PURE CANE (Limited)	10 LBS.	48c
LUX HAND SOAP	3 BARS	19c
LIFEBOUY SOAP	3 BARS	19c
NO. 2 PLAIN CANS	PER 100	\$2.75
ORANGES	2 DOZEN	25c
BANANAS	2 DOZEN	25c
LETTUCE	2 HEADS	9c
FRESH GREEN BEANS	PER LB.	5c

CHOICE MEATS

Phone 297—We Deliver

Personal

Mrs. B. F. Keele of Rowden was in Baird Monday.

Jess Willbanks of Crain spent several days in Baird the past week.

Jim Barton and little daughter Janice Ruth of Dudley were in Baird Monday.

B. L. Boydston left Sunday for San Antonio and other points in South Texas on business.

Preston Thompson of Paul's Valley Oklahoma, visited his aunt Mrs. Will Rylee the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross are visiting in Big Spring and New Mexico.

Misses Evalyn and Winifred Hegwood of Hattisburg, Miss., are visiting Mrs. H. Austin and family.

Mrs. Gus Berman and sons, Gus, Jr., and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hinds of Handley are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ray

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell, of Houston spent the past week end with Mrs. Russell's aunt, Mrs. R. E. Nunnally and family.

Mrs. Naomie Lidia returned Tuesday from Dallas where she was operated for removal of gortfire from her neck. She is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham, grandson, Robert Windham and Miss Irene Fincher of Oplin were in Baird Monday.

Jim O'Shields of Ranger was in Baird Tuesday. Jim is a former Baird boy spending his early boyhood days here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murphy and little daughter Cora Gale of Monahan spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Etherly of Patterson are visiting Mrs. Etherly's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Newman and son Lee Wayne, Rosalie Montgomery and Jack Newman have returned from a ten days fishing trip near Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rutledge, now of Clyde but formerly of the Bethlehem community were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Browning Sunday after attending the revival at Bethlehem.

Mrs. Charlie Powell and little daughters Shirley and Charlene of Spur visited Mrs. Powell's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott this week.

Miss Viola Boatwright returned Saturday from Mission where she has been visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright, whom she accompanied home on their recent visit here.

Sam H. Gilliland, Baird Electrolux dealer and Cahal Clinton salesman spent Wednesday in Ft. Worth attending a meeting of Electrolux dealers and salesmen. Mr. Clinton was awarded a \$25 cash prize on sale of Electrolux.

Jack Ashlock, who underwent an appendectomy last week, was removed to his home Tuesday and is rapidly on the way to recovery, which we are glad to report. Baird needs some more men like Jack Ashlock.

Mrs. Woodfin Ray and two little daughters, Betty Sue and Donna Lou, of El Paso, are visiting friends and relatives here. Mr. Ray will join them later for a weeks visit.

Jim Howell who has been ill for about three weeks with what may be typhoid fever, is reported unimproved at his farm home about six miles south-west of Baird. Howell is one of the fine citizens of the Ione settlement.

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Announcements Political

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held Saturday July 23, 1938:

For Representative, 107th Electoral District:

T. P. ROSS,
OMAR BURKETT
WAYNE C. SELLERS

For County Judge:

L. B. LEWIS

For Sheriff:

C. R. NORDYKE
W. A. PETERSON
J. M. McMILLAN
HUGH McDERMETT

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1:

J. W. HAMMONS
B. O. BRAME
G. H. CORN
J. FRANK BROWNING

For Commissioner Pre. No. 2:

GROVER E. CLARE
B. M. BAUM

For County Treasurer:

MRS. WILL McCOY
For County Clerk:
MRS. S. E. SETTLE

For District Clerk:

MRS. WILL RYLEE
RAYMOND YOUNG

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

OLAF HOLLINGSHEAD
For County Superintendent Public Schools:
B. C. CHRISMAN

For Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 1:

J. W. FARMER

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner of Quanah spent the past week end with Mrs. Garner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Garner's brother Billie Fred Hart, the popular reporter for the first grade room in Baird Grammar School.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Askew, Will Askew and Mrs. Pearl Kesterson of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hays. Mrs. Hays is a sister of Dr. Askew, Will Askew and Mrs. Kesterson. The party left Sunday for Marble Falls to visit their father A. L. Askew and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hays and daughter, John Faye left Monday for Marble Falls to join the family in their annual summer reunion.

A. C. Ogg, train master of the T and P Ry., with headquarters at Big Spring was a pleasant caller at The Star office Tuesday. Mr. Ogg succeeded Clarence Percy who has been made Assistant General Manager of the Texas and Pacific Ry. Clarence Percy began his railroad career in Baird beginning work at the depot here when a boy fourteen years of age. His father, the late J. W. Percy was telegraph operator here at the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boatwright and little sons, Fred and Billie of Pampa left yesterday for home after a visit with Mr. Boatwright's mother, Mrs. John Boatwright and other relatives here.

They also visited Mr. Boatwright's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright at Mission and his sister Mrs. Charles Smith and family in Dallas. Mr. Boatwright is manager of the Phillips Petroleum Company at Pampa. He has been with the company for 14 years.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Short evening prayer and sermon at the Episcopal Chapel of the Lord's Prayer at 3:30 p. m. Sunday, conducted by Rev. Willis P. Gerhart.

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APARTMENTS: See or Phone Mrs. E. M. Wristen for furnished Apartments.

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The State Treasury was richer by \$8,000,000 a year—every year—as a result of Attorney General William McCraw's signal victory in the Cook Estate case, which established the constitutionality of the gross production tax on the royalty owners' portion of oil.

NOTICE OF SALE

The trustees of Clyde Independent School District will receive bids on the Lone Oak school building, Saturday, July 16th, bids to be opened at 4:00 o'clock P. M. on July 16th. The building is located 4 1-2 miles south of Clyde and includes the school building, coal house, water pump and small tank. The trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids. The bids should be given to T. O. Dulaney, Secretary Clyde Independent School District, Clyde Texas.

Trustees Clyde Independent School District. 29-2t.

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BANANAS	Good Fruit	2 DOZ.	25c
LETTUCE	FIRM HEADS	EACH	5c
CHERRY BELL FLOUR	EXTRA BLEND PATENT	48 LBS.	\$1.39
RED AND WHITE FLAV'R JELL	6 Fruit Flavors	2 Pkgs.	9c
FOLGERS COFFEE	Vacuum Packed	LB.	27c
DOLE NO. 1—So Called Gallon PINEAPPLE JUICE		EACH	59c
RED PITTED CHERRIES	1 LB. CAN	2 FOR	25c
SWIFTS—BONELESS CURED HAM	Half Or Whole	LB.	35c
LOAF CHEESE SWISS OR PIMENTO		LB.	25c
DRY SALT BACON		LB.	17c
GROUND MEAT	Fresh Ground	2 LBS.	25c
BEEF ROAST	GOOD CUTS	LB.	15c

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Listed below are OUR NEW PRICES ON CLEANING AND PRESSING
Mens Suits, Cleaned and Pressed.....75c
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Ladies Dresses, Cleaned and Pressed.....75c and Up
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To The Voters of Precinct No. 1 Callahan County, Texas

It has been told around in various parts of the County that the total indebtedness of Precinct No. 1 Callahan County, Texas, has been materially reduced since December 31, 1934. Below, I give you a true statement of the condition of Precinct No. 1, as of December 31, 1934; also as of July, 1938; these two statements were prepared from the records of the County Treasurer's office, and are true and correct.

Indebtedness of Precinct No. 1, as of December 31, 1934:

TIME WARRANTS	\$1500.00
TIME WARRANTS	1357.96
Deficiency Warrants	202.08
T O T A L	\$3060.04

And the following indebtedness in which all four Precincts participated—(Precinct No. 1's part being 26.62%):

Issue	\$36,000.00
Issue	14,000.00
Issue	2,500.00
Issue	1,000.00
T O T A L	\$53,500.00

(Figure 26.62% of \$53,500.00—\$14,241.70 TW and Def Warrants above 3060.04

Grand Total as of Dec. 31, 1934—\$17,301.74

Now As Of July, 1938, we have:

TIME WARRANTS	\$1500.00
Time Warrants	1357.96
Time Warrants	500.00
Time Warrants	1147.68
T O T A L	\$4505.64

Warrant Issue (Spns at) 1500.00

T O T A L \$6005.64

and 26.62% of the remaining \$47,000.00 amounts to 12,511.40

TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS \$18,517.04

COMPARE THE \$17,301.74 as of December 31, 1934 and the \$18,517.04 as of July 1938 and demand the TRUTH when any one disputes the above.

Respectfully,
J. W. HAMMONS, Baird, Texas.

(Paid Political Advt.)

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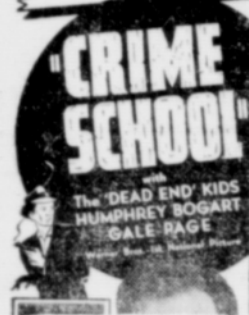
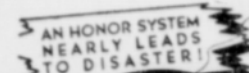
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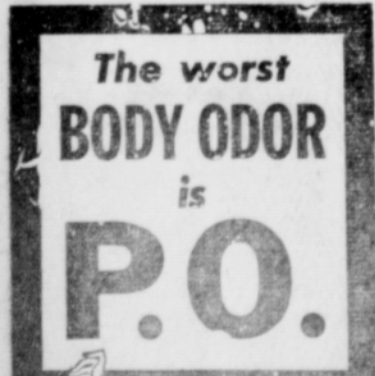
—also— SECTECTED SHORT SUBJECTS

COMING— SATURDAY, JULY, 23

Three Big Features

1. Chas Starrett in "CATTLE RAIDERS"
2. Lee Powell in "FIGHTING DEVIL DOGS" New Chapter Play
3. Joe Louis and Max Schmeling "FIGHT PICTURES" Official—Exclusive

Attorney General William McCraw passed the Texas bar examination at the age of 19, and had to have the courts remove his minor's "disabilities".



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Name _____ Address _____

Tecumseh News

The good old summer time is really here but its much cooler nights since the rain.

Threshing is over in this part of the country. Oats were very good. Robert Howton has been quite sick for the past six weeks, but he is reported much improved at this time. All of his children except one has been with him.

Mrs. Vernon Driggers and little Mrs. Vernon Driggers and little son left for their home, Berkeley, Calif. last Friday. Mrs. Ernest Lawler left Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dupree and three sons and Mrs. Dennis Rutland of Deming, New Mexico are still with them, also Aaron Hawton of Ranger.

Mrs. Clara Stone has been quite ill the past two weeks but is much better now.

Vane Tunnell of Van Nuys, Calif is visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. Velma Baskin and daughter June and little son, Don, of San Fernando, Calif, are visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Keele.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tunnell and Mrs. Dorothy Dean and two children of Bakersfield, Calif, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tunnell.

Mrs. J. P. Tunnell is spending a few days at Putnam attending the camp meeting there.

THANKS FRIENDS

We wish to express our sincere appreciations to all for the many kindnesses shown our little daughter, Melba Jean during her long illness following a bite by a rattlesnake. She has received so many gifts and flowers and cards. We appreciate every kindness shown. Sincerely, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tyson.

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Misses Avanelle Shelton and Rochelle McIntosh of Clyde were the guests of Miss Delores Rylee this week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heart felt gratitude to the many friends of father and uncle Tom Cross for their kindness to him during his last illness and for the floral offerings and expressions of sorrow at his passing. We wish to thank Brother Dick Bright for his consolation and kindness and to the undertaking staff at Ovalo who so efficiently and courteously conducted the services. Sincerely, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hancock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cross Miss Thelma May Cross Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and family.

LOST: Pair of glasses and underset of gold false teeth. Lost on Baird and Cross Plains last Sunday. Notify Miss Jackie Tucker, 749 Cherry St., Abilene for Reward.

CARD OF THANKS

We trust that our Heavenly Father will see fit to make the sun shine brighter on these our dear neighbors and friends who so beautifully administered to us in so many ways in our hour of sorrow, and that He will continue to bless them with good health, and help us to live so that in some way we may be able to help those who so loyally stood by us. The floral offerings were beautiful and we shall ever be thankful for having lived in such a community of friends. Mrs. W. F. Harrison and children.

Mrs. W. D. Ferguson and son Donald after spending a month in McAlester, Okla, with Mrs. S. L. Stokes and Mrs. Herman Harper returned Wednesday with her, accompanied by Mrs. Stokes who will visit her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydston for a while. They will visit the Carlsbad Coveran and San Genito.

Let all that can come to the Baptist Sunday School next Sunday. We had a fine time and good attendance, also good collection. Last Sunday report was: Present, 86. Collection, \$72.38, of which \$52.60 was for our Building Fund.

Pioneers' Reunion To Be Held August 5

FINANCE COMMITTEE: B. L. Boydston, Baird, Chairman E. J. Barton, Denton J. S. Yeager, Putnam R. M. Pyeatt, Clyde This committee is privileged to appoint as many sub-committees as necessary.

Concession Committee: Fred Heysler, chairman, Cisco, Rt. No. 4.

Ground Committee: E. J. Kendrick, Denton, Chairman. B. O. Brame, Baird Grover Clare, Oplin Pete King, Putnam B. H. Freeland, Cottonwood Judge L. B. Lewis, Baird

Entertainment Committee: Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Baird Chairman.

R. P. Stephenson, Eula Olaf South, Clyde Jack Scott, Cross Plains Lee Coats, Admiral Mrs. Bland Odum, Bayou Nat Williams, Baird Miss Mildred Yeager, Putnam Mrs. E. J. Barton, Denton Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Oplin Miss Hazel Respass, Cottonwood Russell Morrisset, Lanham Fred Stacy, Dressy Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough, Union Steve Foster, Atwell Earl Hays, Clyde Hawk Roberts, Dudley Grover Gibbs, Rowden.

Nominating Committee: Fred Heysler, R. P. Stephenson, Roy Kendrick, J. H. Hughes, E. J. Barton, Jack Scott, Miss Mildred Yeager.

The annual election of officers will be held at the Reunion. Coffee will be furnished free M. G. Farmer was appointed chairman of the committee with Ed Lambert and Morgan Stokes as assistants.

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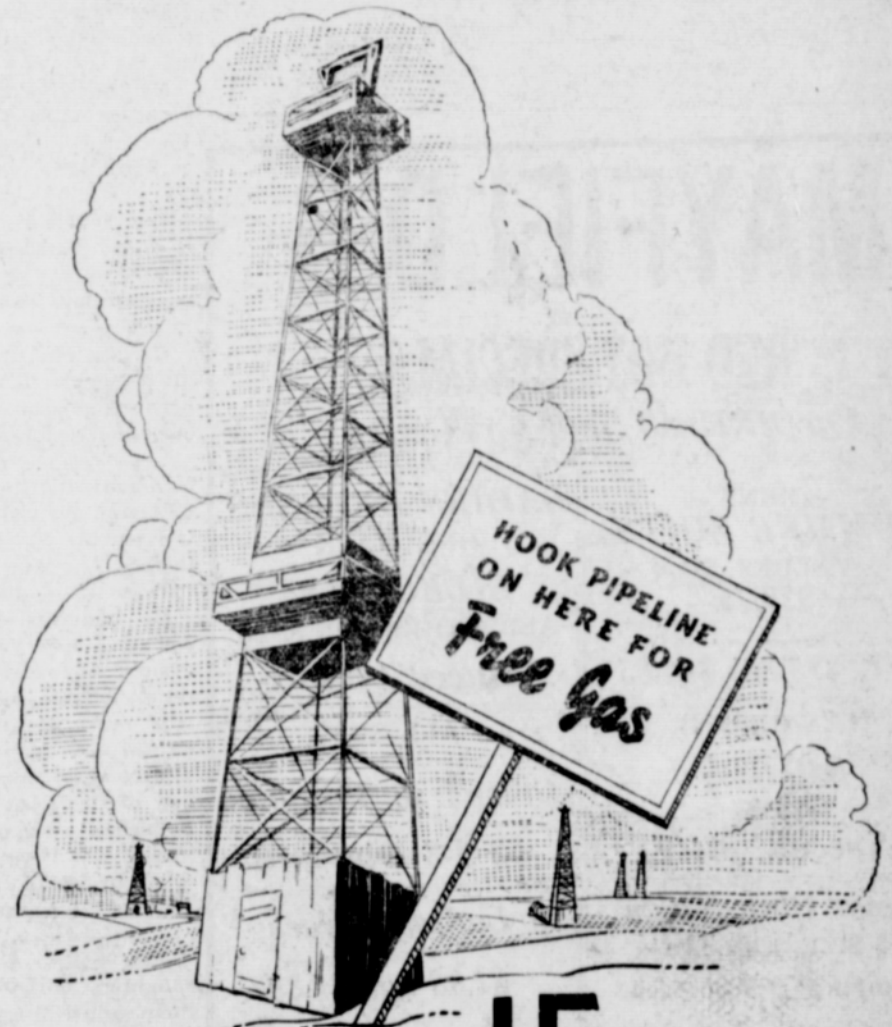
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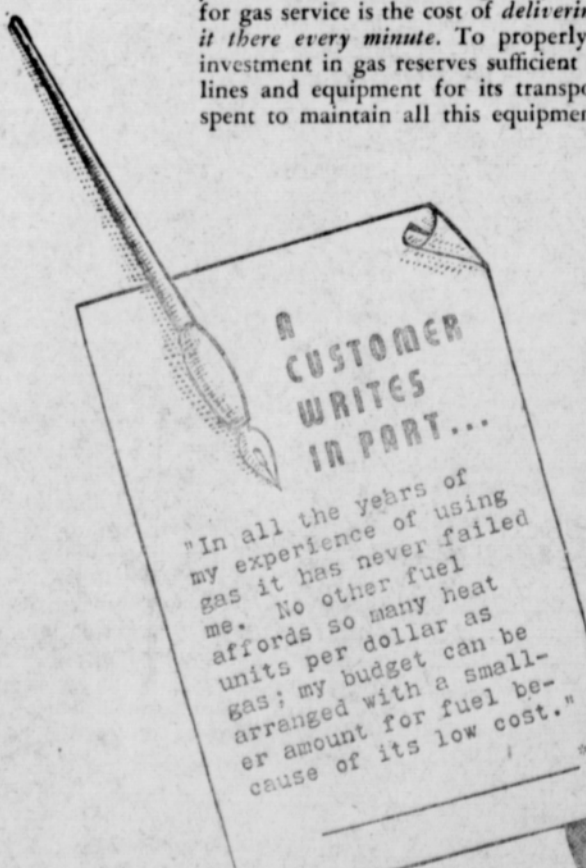


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Tackle the farm problem with both fists and help the farmer and rancher work out a solution that will take the penalty off owning or working a farm or ranch—his belief being that the farmer is entitled to a fair profit, the same as any other man.

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Actively encourage industrial expansion to relieve unemployment; wage war on governmental waste and fight new taxes; and advocate state control and regulation of all utilities.

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