

The Baird Star

Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-up-and-Git That Makes Men Great."

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BOOST BAIRD IN 1955

Two New Wildcats Scheduled For Drilling In Callahan County

Two new wildcats have been announced for Callahan County. Spotted six miles northwest of Clyde was J. N. Berrier, et al, of Abilene No. 1 Ethel Young.

Having a proposed depth of 1,990 feet with rotary, it spots 330 feet from the south and east lines of Section 5, Block 8, SP Survey.

Other test is J. H. Everitt of Mansfield, Tex., No. 1-A Fred Hart, slated for 1,995 feet with rotary.

It is nine miles northeast of Baird, being 330 feet from the north and east lines of the southwest quarter in Section 6, D&D Survey.

Hooks Brothers, et al, of Abilene staked six regular field locations on the Hooks Ranch seven miles northwest of Clyde. All are slated for 3,500 feet with rotary.

The six locations are all in Section 91, Block 13, T&P Survey. No. 7 Hooks is 1,320 feet from the north and west lines. Site for No. 8 is 1,320 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines. No. 9 spots 2,310 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines.

Site for No. 10 is 2,310 feet from the north and 1,320 feet from the west lines. No. 11 is 2,310 feet from the north and west lines. Site for No. 12 is 2,310 feet from the north and 3,300 feet from the west lines.

L. W. Dorbandt, et al, of Abilene staked four regular field locations in that same area. All are slated for 3,300 feet with rotary and on the Viola Damewood lease.

All locations are in Section 90, Block 13, T&P Survey.

No. 1 Damewood is 330 feet from the north and west lines of the east half in the southwest quarter.

Site for No. 2 is 330 feet from the south and east lines of the north half in the southwest quarter.

No. 3 is located 330 feet from the north and west lines of the south half in the southeast quarter.

Location for No. 4 is 330 feet from the south and east lines of the west half in the southeast quarter.

New RN For County Hospital

Mrs. Peggie McKay, registered nurse, has been employed by Callahan County Hospital. She began work here August 22, coming here from Waxahachie.

Mrs. McKay is a graduate of Abilene High School, attended Hardin-Simmons for two years. She was graduated from Hendrick Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in 1948. She did private duty at Hendrick and St. Ann Hospitals in Abilene.

From 1949-1953 Mrs. McKay was Supt. of Nurses at Abilene State Hospital. She was also Supt. of Nurses at Waxahachie and a director of vocational nursing. She is a lifetime honorary member of Texas League of Vocational Nurses, which she helped to start.

Mrs. McKay is a member of the Baptist Church, American Nurses Association, Texas Graduate Nurses Association, Dist. 4, and is an authorized instructor for Red Cross Home Nursing. She is also a member of the Army Nurse Corps Reserve, on reserve status now.

Lawyer Appointed To Tax Committee

The American Bar Association announced last week its appointment of Randall C. Jackson, a local attorney, to the Committee on Tax Problems of Farmers. The announcement was made by David W. Richmond, chairman of the American Bar Association Committee of Taxation and the committee is to be headed by T. M. Ingersoll of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The committee is composed of forty-eight attorneys and Mr. Jackson is the only Texan on the committee. This is his second year to serve on this committee. He was licensed to practice before the United States Tax Court in 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan, Sr., and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan, Jr., all from Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniels and other friends on Sunday.

Baird Kin Dies At Rockwall

Mrs. Connie Brown received word Friday morning of the death of her uncle, Phillip J. (Josh) Bounds, Sr., of Rockwall. Mr. Bounds, owner and publisher of the Rockwall Success, died late Thursday of a heart ailment.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday at Rockwall.

Mr. Bounds, a brother of the late R. E. Bounds of Baird, is survived by his wife, the former Geneva Beasley of Celeste; one son, P. J., Jr., who was associated with his father in the newspaper; two granddaughters, Joy and Jill Bounds. A son, Glen Dorset, was killed in World War II.

Stores To Be Closed Monday, Sept. 5

Baird stores and business offices will be closed on Monday, Sept. 5, to enjoy the Labor Day Holiday. The observance of this holiday was decided at Callahan County Luncheon Club early this year.

Some service stations and cafes will remain open, but practically all will be closed, including all offices in the Court-house.

Shoppers are asked to remember this Monday holiday and be guided in their shopping so that they may not be inconvenienced.

Chest X-Ray Unit In County Sept. 7-10

The Callahan County T. B. Association is sponsoring a county-wide T. B. X-Ray survey Sept. 7 through Sept. 10th. The State Health Department is furnishing the X-Ray unit for the survey and also their own technician.

The unit will be in Cross Plains Sept. 7 and 8, and in Clyde Sept. 9 and 10. Everyone in the county is urged to have an X-Ray at this time and at whichever place and time that is most convenient to him.

Your Association has planned this survey for some time and is just now able to secure the services of the X-Ray unit. We are sorry that the unit will not be able to spend some time in each town or community in the County, but this is not possible, as they have such a full schedule.

We believe that every person in the county will be able to have an X-Ray at one of these two places. The age group for the X-Rays is from 15 years upward.

An X-Ray takes only a few minutes of your time. You don't have to undress, and, of course, you don't even feel it. An X-Ray check-up every year is the best way we can be sure. There usually aren't any signs or symptoms in the early stages of T. B. So, don't fail to have your X-Ray. Free of Charge, at Cross Plains Sept. 7 and 8 or at Clyde Sept. 9 and 10.

A Thought For Labor Day

By SEYMOUR TAYLOR

If every one who drives a car Could lie a month in bed, With broken bones and stitched-up wounds, Or fractures of the head, And there endure the agonies That many people do They'd never need preach safety Any more to me or you.

If every one could stand beside The bed of some close friend And hear the Doctor say "No Hope" Before the fatal end, And see him there unconscious Never knowing what took place, The laws and rules of traffic I am sure we'd soon embrace.

If every one could meet The wife and children left behind And step into the darkened home Where once the sunlight shined, And look upon "the Vacant Chair," Where Daddy used to sit, I am sure each reckless driver Would be forced to think a bit.

If every one who takes the wheel Would say a little prayer, And keep in mind those in the car Depending on his care, And make a vow and pledge himself To never take a chance, The Great Crusade for Safety Would suddenly advance.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bailey of Ft. Worth; Woody Bailey of Temple; Mrs. Jess Thornton and daughter, Susan of Oklahoma City, Okla. and Mrs. Pressley of Cisco were visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atchison and Mrs. Haynie Gilliland and sons.

Cheryl Sue and Bobby Jack Sims have returned to their home in San Antonio after spending several weeks here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Estes.

Mrs. O. B. Jarrett spent last week in Rochester where she visited her brothers and other relatives.

Lions Carnival Big Success

The Clyde Lions Club wishes to extend its sincere thanks to the whole community for making its 5th Annual Carnival such a huge success.

The two-day carnival, which has turned out to be sort of a homecoming, was opened by a street parade at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, August 26th. The entries in the parade were all outstanding and showed much ingenuity by those who prepared them.

The judges awarded places to the following: Floats: 1st prize, Clyde Study Club; 2nd prize, Fran's Playland; 3rd prize, The Thursday Club. Entries by children, 14 years and under: 1st prize, Andy and Tommy Koneczak; 2nd prize, Johnny Cliff Patton and Randy Warren and 3rd prize, Jacky C. Poe.

The Clyde Lions Club has already started on plans for a larger carnival for next year, at which time they hope to have more concessions, rides for kiddies and more entertainment in every way.

Approximately \$400 was cleared from this carnival, all of which will be spent in the community for eye glasses for needy children, and other worthwhile projects.

The Clyde Lions Club has designated their yearly carnival to be held on Friday and Saturday of the last week of August each year, and any deference shown these dates by other civic and church organizations will be greatly appreciated.

Former Resident Dies Tuesday

Jesse Ernest Jacobs, 60, former Baird and Putnam resident, died at 9 p.m. Tuesday at his home in Breckenridge.

A retired farmer and pumper, he had lived in Breckenridge seven years.

Funeral was held at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Wylie Funeral Chapel in Baird. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Cynthia Jacobs, and one daughter, Mrs. Roy Brooks, both of Breckenridge and one grandson, Billy Clyde Roberson of Snyder. Mr. Jacobs had been in ill health the past seven years.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell and sons of Longview and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hart and daughters of Katy are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCleary, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hampton, Jr., and children who have been living here the past several months, have moved to Ft. Worth. Mrs. Hampton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cluskey of Midland visited Mrs. Grace Vaught and other relatives last weekend.

Four Injured In Car Wreck East Of Town

Four persons were injured, one seriously, about 5:30 p.m. Saturday when their car hit a tree 8.6 miles east of Baird on U. S. 80.

Most seriously injured was the driver, Viola Robertson, 18, daughter of Mrs. Ora Fleetwood, of Rt. 2, Breckenridge. Miss Robertson was transferred from Callahan County Hospital Saturday night where all the wreck victims were at first taken, to Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene. She suffered a broken shoulder in the accident.

The other injured persons are: Floyd Wood, 61, of Baird, who received a broken elbow. He was also transferred from Callahan County Hospital to Hendrick Memorial Hospital Saturday night.

Ileta Morales, 14, of Breckenridge, who received a broken nose. She was treated at Callahan County Hospital and released.

Calvin Chaney, 20, of Breckenridge, who received minor cuts and bruises. He was treated at Callahan County Hospital and released.

Highway Patrolman George R. Clark of Baird, who investigated the accident, said the 1948 Chevrolet driven by Miss Robertson went out of control and slammed into a tree near the highway when a tire blew out.

Positions Open At Air Force Base

Vacancies exist at Abilene Air Force Base for Stenographers. The entrance salaries in these positions are \$2,960, \$3,175 or \$3,415 per annum, depending upon experience.

Interested applicants may become eligible for these positions upon successfully passing a U. S. Civil Service Examination for Stenographers conducted by the Base. Application to take this examination may be made on an official form which may be secured from a Post Office or by written request. Form or letter should be mailed to the Civilian Personnel Officer, Abilene Air Force Base, Abilene, Texas.

Applicants will then be notified of the date and place of examination. Typewriters will be furnished by the Personnel Office.

Baird Youth, 11 Injured By Horse

An 11-year-old Baird youth was injured Saturday when a horse fell on him.

Mike Odom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom, Star Rt., Baird, was admitted to Hendrick Memorial Hospital with a broken leg. The accident happened on the Odom's ranch near Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Thompson returned home Saturday from Burbank, Calif. where they visited their son, Dee Thompson and wife and Mr. Thompson's brother, Loy Thompson and family.

Baird Bears Open Football Season At Cross Plains Tonight At 8 P. M.

The Baird Bears will open the 1955 football season tonight (Friday) with the Cross Plains Buffaloes. Kick-off time is 8:00 p.m. at Buffalo Stadium in Cross Plains.

Coach H. R. Jeffries has been working the 25 boys for the past two weeks with scrimmages against Lueders and Wylie highlighting the training period. The team is light and inexperienced but promises to develop into a fighting group as the season progresses.

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NOTICE

I am moving my Shoe Repair Shop from Market Street to the I.O.O.F. Building, just back of Lone Star Gas Co. on West 3rd Street. I invite all my friends and customers to visit me in the new location.

I. A. (Hoot) Allphin

Plans Complete For Lake Leon Opening

Committees whipping together the details of the Lake Leon opening celebration Sept. 3 and 4 are coming into the last stretch.

Much interest in the Sept. 4th fishing rodeo, for which \$100 in prizes will be given, is reported. The prizes will be: largest bass, \$30; largest catfish, \$30; in the youngsters division (under 14) largest bass, \$15; largest catfish, \$15; and the largest aggregate catch \$10.

The catches will be weighed at the station on the north side of the dam at 4 p.m. Winners will be announced at the bathing revue which is to be held at 5 p.m.

Fifteen to twenty girls are expected to be entered by sponsors in the bathing revue which is to be held at 5 p.m. also arranged for the north side of the dam.

At least three bands will furnish music the first day of the celebration. They are the Moslah Temple Shrine Band of Fort Worth and the Rising Star and Ranger High School Bands. They will play before the 2 p.m. address of Congressman Omar Burleson and while the boat races are in progress.

The sponsoring Ranger and Eastland Chambers of Commerce have announced that a special invitation has been extended to Mrs. Ben Young of Baird, who won the \$100 prize given by both Chambers of Commerce for naming the lake. Many hundreds of names from over the United States were submitted.

The Eastland County Sheriff's posse will handle the parking of the cars.

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Visiting Home

Pfc. Jimmy R. Smedley, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smedley of Baird, has been spending a 30-day leave at home.

Pfc. Smedley is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he has been for the past year. He joined the Army Aug. 9, 1954 for three years. He entered the service at Hot Springs, Ark., and took basic training at Camp Gordon, Ga.

Pfc. Smedley is a graduate of Comanche High School. His oldest brother, Sikes E. Smedley, is a veteran of 16 years service.

Pfc. Smedley returned to his base Aug. 28.

Callahan County Hospital News

Patients

Mesdames: L. L. Blackburn, Baird; W. O. Wylie, Sr., Baird; Jake Shelton, Baird

Dismissals

Mesdames: Willie Ramirez, Baird; Barbara Bailey, Abilene; Rosie Fite, Moran

Messers: H. G. Whitehorn, Baird; Hershel Swan, Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Lee Ivey has returned home after a two weeks vacation in San Francisco, Calif. where she visited her brother, J. W. Norwood and family and to points of interest in Los Angeles, Calif., Santa Fe, N. M., Grand Canyon and El Paso.

A RESOLUTION



WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, in session assembled duly opened on this 12th day of August 1955, is very conscious of the absence of the long time President of this bank, Mr. W. P. Brightwell, due to untimely death on July 15th, 1955, and

WHEREAS it is the sense of the members of the board that Mr. Brightwell served this bank ably, faithfully and with due conscientiousness for his responsibility as President thereof, and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Board of Directors and each member thereof by this Resolution expresses our deepest sympathy over the passing of W. P. Brightwell and request that a certified copy of these Resolutions shall be spread permanently on the records of this bank, and a copy thereof shall be duly certified and furnished to the widow, Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, and the surviving daughter, Mrs. Berna Louise Newcomb.

I, Edwin Baum, Secretary of the Board of Directors, Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Resolution passed by the Board of Directors on this 12th day of August 1955 in regular session.

Witness my hand this the 12th day of August 1955.

s/ Edwin Baum
Secretary

1955 OPEN SEASONS FOR MOURNING DOVES

NORTH ZONE—Sept. 1 to Oct. 15, both days inclusive. Shooting hours 12 o'clock noon to sunset.

SOUTH ZONE—Oct. 15 to Nov. 28, both days inclusive. Shooting hours 12 o'clock noon to sunset.

SANCTUARY—Unlawful to take chachalaca or any fowl south of U. S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4.

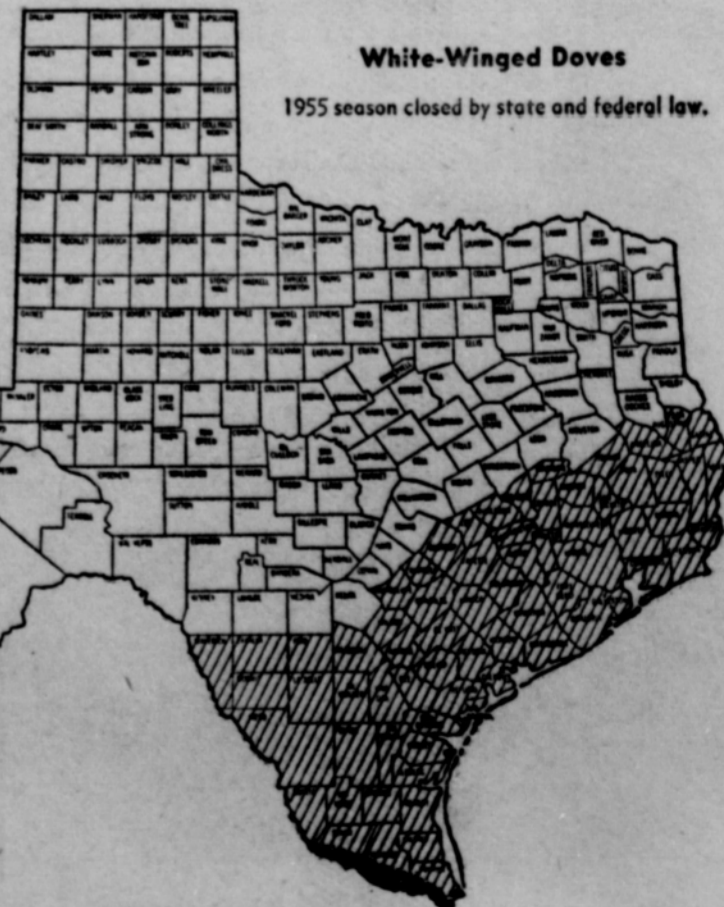
BAILEY COUNTY—No open season.

McMULLEN COUNTY—Open season by state law Nov. 1 through Dec. 15; by federal law Oct. 15 to Nov. 28.

KAUFMAN COUNTY—Dove season closed in Combine Community.

SHOTGUNS must be plugged permanently to three-shell capacity, may not be larger than 10 gauge. Hunting doves with rifles prohibited.

NO HUNTING permitted in game refuges and game reserves.



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CLASSIFIED

MOVING?—Then call 4-4113 for a complete, safe and reasonable service.—Red Ball Transfer & Storage, Abilene, Texas.
E. R. Cagle R. V. Carey
14-1f-c

We have all size air conditioner pads, pumps, hose, floats and fitting. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas.
17-1f-c

Pigs for sale and Single Row John Deere Tractor. Contact H. A. Goble, phone 9304, Clyde.
35-1f-c

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Business in Callahan County. Sell to 1500 families. See J. H. Pittman, 507 S. Green, Eastland, Texas or write Rawleigh's Dept. TKH-1010-SA, Memphis, Tenn.
35-3-p

HELP WANTED — Woman to work in Dairy Bar. Apply in person at Dairy Bar. 33-1f-c

FOR ATHLETES FOOT
Use T-4-L for 3 to 5 days. Watch the old tainted skin slough off leaving healthy, hardy skin. If not pleased with powerful, instant-drying T-4-L, your 40c back at any drug store. Today at

CITY PHARMACY

DON'T SCRATCH THAT ITCH! IN JUST 15 MINUTES.

If not pleased, your 40c back at any drug store. Try instant-drying ITCH-ME-NOT at any time of day or night to KILL germs ON CONTACT. Fine for eczema, ringworm, foot itch and other surface itches. Today at

CITY PHARMACY

POSTED

Notice is hereby served that under the State laws it is unlawful to shoot any gun or firearm in, on, along or across any public road in this State, or to hunt on enclosed lands without the owner's consent. Any person found violating these laws on my property or along the roads bordering my property will be dealt with according to law.

Ralph W. Robinson
35-1f-c

POSTED — All lands owned and controlled by Ludie H. Owens is posted. No hunting or fishing allowed. 28-1f-c

WANTED — Drilling Leases, Shallow Fields, 300 to 500 feet. Joe E. Moore, P. O. Box 1443, El Paso, Texas. 34-3-p

NOW OPEN
Uranium Dirt House
EDDIE KONCZAK

4 1/2 Miles West of Baird on New Highway
36-2-c

Nice House For Sale. Ideal for couple. Jess Pycatt, Clyde, Texas. 36-1-c

WANTED — Ironing, housework, or baby sitting. Mrs. J. P. Goodloe, 442 W. 2nd. 36-1-p

FOR SALE — Carpenter tools, some pipe and other articles. W. 5th St., W. W. Sepler. 36-3-p

FOR RENT — Farm Home, 4 rms. electricity, chicken yard. Write or call Pauline Terrell, 1823 Blissonnet, Houston, Texas. Phone JA 2-7928. 36-1f-c

HOUSE AND 1941 CHEV. PICK-UP TO BE SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER

The house located on Lt. 1, Block 34, RR, will be sold for cash to the highest bidder Sept. 12th, 1955 at 8 p.m. Purchaser to remove same from present location within 30 days from date of purchase.

One 1941 Chev. Pick-up, formerly used by Electric Dept. will also be sold for cash to highest bidder on the above date and time. Pick-up located on the above lot for inspection. Sealed bids must be filed with the City Secretary not later than 12 noon Sept. 12th, 1955.

CITY OF BAIRD

By J. T. Lawrence, Mayor
35-2-c

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert have returned home after spending the past several weeks in Marlin.

Mrs. Carol Gillit and daughter Donna Ann of McCamey are visiting Mrs. L. C. Gillit and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price of El Paso are visiting her mother, Mrs. Grace Vaught and other relatives.

Mrs. J. F. Boren of Abilene was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banks from Snyder visited their niece, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Thigpen from Big Spring visited the Scott Bryants the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wylie spent the weekend in Denton with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Cooper.

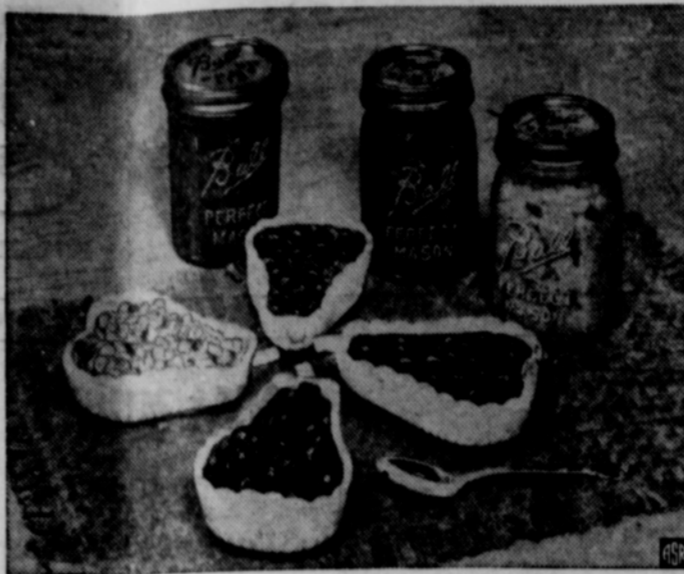
Mrs. Blondy McIntosh spent last weekend visiting in San Angelo.

THE OLD TIMER



"Many a live wire would be dead if it weren't for his connections."

Pickles That Grandma Made



Old family recipes for pickles number in the thousands. There are numerous names for most of them, and dozens of slightly different "recipes" for each name. Here are a few old family favorites that have been handed down through generations.

Grandma Cehl's Chili Sauce

1 basket (about 28 lbs.) red-ripe tomatoes
2 quarts chopped onion
4 quarts chopped green peppers
1/2 teaspoon Cayenne pepper
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
2 teaspoons cinnamon
2 cups sugar
4 tablespoons salt
1 quart vinegar

Skin, core and chop tomatoes. Mix together everything except the vinegar and cook about 1 1/2 hours. Add vinegar (and more salt and seasoning if needed). Cook until thick. Pour, boiling hot, into hot jars; seal at once.

Granny Fanny's Corn Pickle

8 cups cut corn
1 cup chopped onion
1 cup chopped green pepper
1 cup chopped red sweet pepper
4 cups chopped cabbage
2 tablespoons prepared mustard
1 tablespoon mustard seed
1 tablespoon celery seed
1 tablespoon salt
1 tablespoon turmeric
1 tablespoon curry powder
4 cups vinegar
1 to 2 cups sugar
1 cup water

Mix all ingredients. Simmer 20 minutes. Boil 3 minutes. Pour, boiling hot, into hot jars; seal at once.

Aunt Lula's Spiced Grapes

8 cups grapes
4 to 5 cups sugar
1 teaspoon allspice
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup vinegar

Wash, stem and measure grapes. Press to separate grapes from skins. Cook skins until tender in just enough water to prevent sticking. Cook grapes in own juice to loosen seed, then press through sieve. Mix all ingredients. Cook until mixture almost, but not quite, sheets from side of metal spoon, as in jelly test. Pour, boiling hot, into hot jars; seal at once.

Dan Truman Overman Marries El Paso Girl In Church Rite Saturday Evening

Dan Truman Overman, son of Mrs. Lucille Overman, 1926 Amarillo St., Abilene, and the late Herman Overman, was married to Joy Louise Ports in El Paso's Grandview Baptist Church Saturday evening.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Myrey Ports. Rev. J. Boyd Fine, pastor of

the church, read the double ring ceremony before baskets of white gladioli with a background arrangement of fern and palm. Wrought iron candelabra held white tapers and white satin bows marked the pews.

Mrs. Fern Cound played traditional organ wedding music. Mrs. Donald Payton sang "Because," "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Tommy W. Overman, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and Mrs. Richard L. Tonn of San Bernardino, Calif., sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Mrs. Fenton Slaughter was a bridesmaid and ushers were Max D. Overman, brother of the bridegroom, Charles Ports, brother of the bride, Thomas Bever of Abilene and Richard L. Tonn of San Bernardino, Calif.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina length gown of white crystalite over taffeta, fashioned with a jacket of lace. The jacket had a peter pan collar. Her fingertip veil was held by a fitted headpiece of matching lace. She carried a white orchid with stephanotis atop a white Bible and wore a single strand of pearls and diamond earrings.

Mrs. Tonn wore a ballerina length gown of pale blue crystalite over taffeta with a fitted bodice and wore a matching head bandeau. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

The bridesmaid's dress was of pale pink crystalite and made like the matron of honor's gown. She carried a colonial bouquet of blue carnations.

The bride's mother wore a street length dress of navy cotton lace with white accessories. The bridegroom's mother chose a grey crepe street length dress with navy accessories.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. White gladioli and fern were used in decorating. The three tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bridal couple and encircled with carnations and greenery. Mrs. J. Boyce Fine presided at the cake and Mrs. R. J. Singleton ladled punch. Charlotte and Catherine Pool served and Mrs. L. E. Magers registered guests.

After a wedding trip, the couple will live at Baird where Mr. Overman will be principal of Elementary School. For traveling the bride chose a navy daron suit with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

The bride was graduated from Austin High School in El Paso and has been employed by the Mountain States Telephone Co. Overman, a graduate of Abilene High School and Hardin-Simmons University has recently been separated from the Army after serving two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Browning of Jal, N. M. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniels. Mrs. Browning remained in Baird for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis To Mark Emerald Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis will celebrate their emerald anniversary, 55th, at an open house from 2:30 to 5 p.m. Sept. 4 in their home at Potosi. Hosts will be a daughter, Mrs. W. R. Webb, 1318 Jeanette St., Abilene, and Mrs. G. I. Webb, whom the Davises reared.

Assisting will be a sister-in-law Mrs. O. D. Gist, Gail Webb, a granddaughter, will register guests.

Lee Family Reunion At Cobb Park Sunday

A family reunion was held August 28 in Cobb Park, Abilene, for the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lee. Lunch was served at the noon hour to 51.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lee of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lee, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee, Flora and Frances, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and Christine, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Doyal Lee, Doyal Gene and Ricky Don, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. David Lee, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lee, Janis and Janie, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hagood and Bill, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hagood, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Martin, Pat and Mike, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Rudy King, Carolyn, Linda, Ronnie and Gail, Hurst; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. King, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jefferies, Bettye, Ronnie and Anne, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Elkins, Bobby and Vickie, Coleman; and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lee, Oran Lynn and Margie of Abilene.

Mrs. Todd Newton Honored At Shower

The home of Mrs. Lee Brown was the setting for a stork shower honoring Mrs. Todd Newton, on the evening of August the 11th.

Mrs. Newton was assisted in the receiving line by her mother, Mrs. N. L. Dickey and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Buck Edgar of Abilene.

The registry table was laid with an Irish linen cloth, centered with sweetpeas and rose buds. The registry book was hand made by Mrs. Lawrence Bowls. Mrs. Glen Elliott of Albany presided over the register while Mrs. Richard Windham conducted the guests to the gift display. Crystal plates of pink lemonade and carnival pastries were served to the guests. The hostesses presented Mrs. Newton with a hand made corsage of tiny multi-colored baby sox.

Approximately fifty guests attended with out-of-town visitors from Abilene and Albany.

Hostesses for the shower were: Mmes. Lee Brown, Howard Barton, Margie Ray, Charles Hounshell, Doris Harris, S. L. McElroy, Freda Jones, Cullen Gunn, J. V. Thompson, Glenn Elliott, Pauline Warren, Richard Windham, Bill Johnson, Harold Ray, Ernest Windham and Sid McAdams, Jr.

Sfc. and Mrs. Jack C. Sims of San Antonio came last Saturday after their children Cheryl Sue and Bobby Jack, who have spent the past month here with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Estes.

Tommy Ivey spent the weekend in Pecos visiting with Jim Ashlock.

Emerald centerpiece on the refreshment table will feature a wedding theme. A miniature bridal couple will be placed in an emerald wedding ring encircled with emerald flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis were married Sept. 2, 1900, at Rowden in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gist. They lived in Parker County until January, 1905, when they moved to the Potosi Community where he began farming. He taught school before their marriage. From 1920 to 1942 Mr. Davis was in the grocery business in Potosi. He retired in 1942.

Mr. Davis was reared in Parker County near Brock. He was born Aug. 21, 1873. Mrs. Davis, the former Emma Taylor, lived in the Rowden Community, near Baird. She was born Aug. 29, 1881.

Mrs. W. R. Webb is the only one of the five children living. The Davises also reared Velma Thomason, who married Mrs. Webb's husband's brother, G. I. Webb.

The celebrating couple has one grandson, R. D. Webb, 1310 Lillus St., and the granddaughter, Gail. Great-granddaughter is Janet Carol Webb.

Both are members of the Baptist church and are still attending. She taught Sunday School classes for about 40 years.

Mr. Davis's only living brother is C. T. Davis of Fort Worth. Her brothers and sisters are C. E. Taylor, Potosi; Otha Gist, Clyde; Mrs. Perry Hughes, Baird; Mrs. J. C. Hearn, Fort Worth; J. R. Taylor of Cross Cut; Mrs. J. R. of Yuma, Ariz.; and Eugene Gist of California.

Morning Coffee For Shower Hostesses

The hostesses for Mrs. Todd Newton's stock shower were honored with an early morning coffee in the home of Mrs. N. L. Dickey, on the morning of August 23rd.

Mrs. Newton greeted the guests. The table was beautifully decorated with a lace cloth and a silver coffee service. A centerpiece of scarlet crepe myrtle surrounded with china dominated the table. Mrs. Dickey serviced the guests with coffee, french pastry sticks and date nut cookies.

Those in attendance were: Mmes. Lee Brown, Charles Hounshell, Glenn Elliott of Albany, Richard Windham, Harold Ray, J. V. Thompson, S. L. McElroy, Freda Jones, J. O. Warren, Bill Johnson and Margie Ray.

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The Putnam News

PUTNAM SCHOOL STARTS MONDAY

The Putnam school opened Monday with assembly meeting in the auditorium at nine o'clock. After singing our National Anthem and our school song, a brief message of "Lasting Values of School" given by the Baptist minister, Rev. A. Loiry and a prayer by John Shrader, the pupils marched to their rooms. The faculty of the year will include: Mrs. Roland Nichols, Mrs. Buddy Reed, Mrs. Mary Kellner, Mrs. A. Loiry, Mr. John Shrader, Mrs. R. N. Cluck and the Superintendent R. W. Reynolds.

The P-TA will meet Wednesday.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor, this Sunday afternoon! Still no rain here yet. Our little old cotton is popping open right along. Yes, I went to church this morning.

Roma and John McIntyre came in from Salt Lake City, Saturday morning about eleven o'clock. We were really glad to see them but not expecting them until this afternoon. They left here Saturday afternoon for Oplin to visit the Clint McIntyres.

The Jack Everetts came in from Lubbock last week. They spent Thursday and Friday with the Mark Burnams then moved into their house in Cisco Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Ollie and Gayle Burnam came up a while Wednesday morning. So did Ruth and Bettie Mobley, also Mrs. Lucille Hall. They all got a mess of those good old blackeyed peas. Johnny Carl Gunn and his cousin from Oklahoma came over to get eggs and we gave them some peas too. Hope everyone enjoyed eating them as much as we enjoyed giving them.

We had a little sprinkle of rain this afternoon. Not enough to measure but kinda cooled things up a bit.

Roma and I went over to Cisco a while this afternoon. Didn't shop very much, just looked at a few things. Still too hot to think about winter clothes.

Roma and I went to church in Moran Sunday evening. Their meeting closed out Sunday night. It had been in progress for ten days. They had a good meeting.

Little Boy Jim took four calves to Abilene Sale last Thursday. They sold pretty well.

Will soon be cotton pulling time again so if any body wants to drag one of these little white trawlers, well come over in about two weeks. This dry weather the cotton is popping open like pop corn.

Gertrude and Bert Jones had company the past week. Gertrude's brother, Bud Kill and family of Okla. Would liked to have seen Bud. Haven't seen him since he was a little boy. Johnny Carl said he was going home with them and spend a couple of weeks before this cotton is ready to harvest.

Those baby chicks we bought a few weeks back are ready to start eating on. Think I shall kill about two of them tomorrow

and see how good they are. They should be real good cooked in my new Sunbeam electric skillet.

Good morning! This is Tuesday. We had a light shower early this morning. Not much but cooled the air a lot.

School started Monday. I thought about going over but didn't. Guess all the kiddies were glad to get started back to school.

We are looking for James Carter from Vernon today. He will want to be here when dove season opens, which is Thursday.

My, here it is most dinner time so guess I better get busy and fix a bite to eat. So be good and I'll be seein' you next week.

Putnam Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Isenhower of Cisco visited Mrs. Mary Ramsey Thursday.

Mrs. Herbert Brown and children of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Macon Norris of Lawn visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Gunn are spending the weekend at their home in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Tatom and family of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tatom Sunday.

Lynn Tatom spent Saturday night with Junior Tatom's family in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet and Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones and family visited with Mrs. D. D. Jones and Dovie Gunn Sunday.

Donald Bowne is home from A&M for ten days.

Earl Hewlitt of Eldorado, Okla. spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis and family in the Atwell community Sunday.

Mrs. Vena Shackelford visited J. N. Williams in Hendrick Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hewlitt, Jr., were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet Monday. Mrs. G. S. Pruet, Mrs. Hewlitt and Mrs. Homer Pruet spent Monday afternoon with Lexie Dean Jobe and children of Rising Star.

Minerva Jones returned to her home in Allen, Okla. after several weeks visit with Mrs. D. D. Jones and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Davidson and sons of Electra spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crenshaw and daughter, Janette, Nettie Lu Donaway and Jo Veri Everett spent several days last week at Possum Kingdom Lake fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith of Olney visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ray Hill of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley Sunday.

Mrs. Will St. John of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruyle of Dallas are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mitt Cook this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cook of Galveston spent the weekend with Mrs. John Cook and Mary Kellner.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Park of Mineral Wells has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park.

Mrs. J. W. Glascock of Sweetwater visited her sister, Mrs. Luther Park over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitener and children of Sarasota, Fla. have been visiting her niece, Mrs. H. T. Wagley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mercer of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman Sunday.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank visited with Mrs. Sam Yeager in Cisco Monday.

Mrs. Owen Shackelford of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon left Friday for the

weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mitchell and family of Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman returned home Friday after a three weeks visit with their sons in Sinton and Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sunderman of Sinton were in Putnam Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rutherford of Grand Prairie visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Rutherford of Abilene were visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey of Cottonwood were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Moore and Eva has been attending church at Cisco several nights this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton are leaving this week for Sweetwater where they will begin teaching in the school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Smith and daughter of Grand Prairie visited Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith Sunday.

Miss Frances Ball of Abilene visited Delores Sargent Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell White of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Jobe is visiting in Ft. Worth a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe returned Thursday after three weeks stay with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Jobe at Shell City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rutherford and daughter Mary visited with Dale Rutherford last week.

Sorry to hear of Willie Grace Mundt breaking her foot last week. Ellison Pruet took Jerry Mundt home after hearing the bad news.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell of Abilene went to Bryson Sunday to attend the wedding of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank and Aileen Pruet were business visitors in Abilene Thursday.

Mrs. G. S. and Homer Pruet went to Abilene Thursday and visited Dr. Royce Pruet in the afternoon and Benton Pruet in Clyde.

H. T. Wagley made a business trip to Ft. Worth Thursday.

Mrs. Wylie SorRelle and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sweet and daughter Connie of Sweetwater visited with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Park Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heysler and Laverne Rutherford returned from a weeks fishing at Buchanan Lake Saturday.

Oplin Observations

By Mrs. Daphne Floyd

Odds and Ends Opportunity Offered in Open Order

We always welcome our visitors at Oplin. My it was good to see J. D. and Faye Turner from Premont over the weekend. They will be visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Turner, most of this week. The Baptist folks welcomed them as visitors at church last Sunday also.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIntyre had their daughter, Mrs. Billie McNeice of Big Lake with them from Friday through Sunday of last week. She had taken her son, Buster, to a Boy Scout Camp and came on for a few days visit with her parents. Their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre of Salt Lake City, Utah will be visiting them some this week. By way of the press, I knew John and Roma were being expected home.

Paula Windham is accompanying a group of girl friends, who are all members of the Desk and Derrick Club to a Convention in New York. They plan on being gone about two weeks and will take advantage of the opportunity to visit the Grand Ole Opera and sight-see several days in Washington, D. C. and other points of interest. They are making the trip via way of car.

Little Miss Patricia Breeding was on the sick list last weekend. Just fever and a sort throat we hope. She and her sister Dorothy, had to cut their visit short with their other sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Landers and son, Mike, of Abilene.

It will be "back to school" this week for the youngsters who will attend school at Lawn.

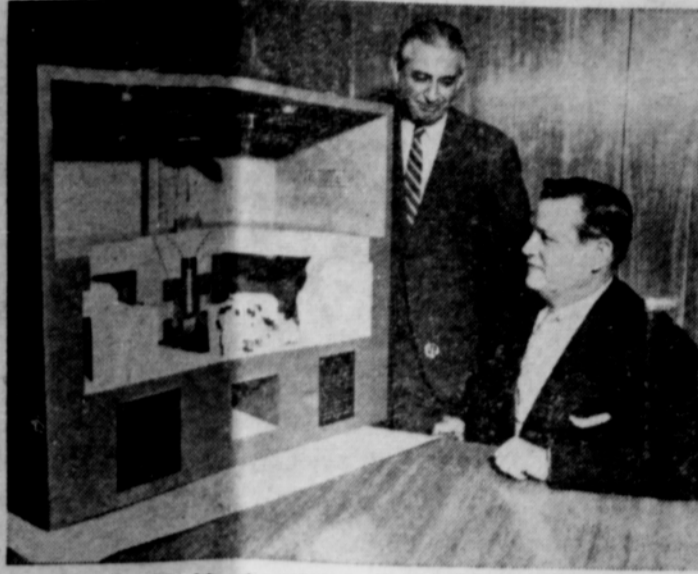
We did have scattered showers around Oplin last Sunday afternoon. It rained 2 inches a short distance south of town, an inch in Oplin and 2 of an inch up our way.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wasson and daughter, Judy, of Coleman were the weekend guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson.

Mrs. Willis Bauch visited the Bates Bauch family in Coleman last week.

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Atoms For Medicine



John Jay Hopkins (seated), chairman of the board and president of General Dynamics Corporation, and Dr. W. Randolph Lovelace II, vice president and executive director of the Lovelace Foundation for Medical Education and Research, Albuquerque, N.M., study a model of the Foundation's proposed nuclear reactor to be used for medical research, therapy and training.

NEW YORK, N.Y.—Plans for a powerful atomic reactor to be used for medical and biological research, training and therapy have been revealed by the nation's first private organization dedicated to nuclear medicine and biology.

Dr. W. Randolph Lovelace II, vice president and executive director of the Lovelace Foundation for Medical Education and Research in Albuquerque, N.M., said that the reactor will be used at the Radiation Therapy Center of the Foundation's Institute of Nuclear Medicine and Biology.

Construction of the reactor, Lovelace said, will start in the immediate future. He expects that it will be in operation before the end of 1956.

The reactor was designed by the Convair Division of General Dynamics Corporation and will be built at Convair's Fort Worth, Tex., plant.

Convair has designed, constructed and is now operating a nuclear reactor in connection with the United States Air Force's program leading to the development of atomic-powered aircraft.

Among other uses, the medical reactor will be applied to treatment of selected types of cancer, as well as for training doctors, radiation technicians and physicists.

It is designed for an operating power of 1000 kilowatts which will make it far more potent than any other reactor which has yet been announced for medical and biological uses.

The total cost of the installation, including a new building to house the General Dynamics reactor and special treatment rooms, will be around \$2½ million. Funds will be provided by the Foundation.

Mrs. J. M. Reynolds and Miss Hazel Reynolds made a trip to Ft. Worth on Sunday to take Mrs. Reynolds' grandchildren home. They have been visiting here about two months.

Mrs. Obera Respass of Rising Star is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Mayfield and Mr. Mayfield. They all visited another sister, Mrs. L. B. Windham and family at Lawn on Sunday.

Rowden Round-Up

By Thelda Crow

Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Nelda Smedley has been visiting in the Blain Odum home for a few days.

Irene Mauldin has gone to Snyder where she will teach school starting Sept.

We are sorry to hear Gene Mauldin is sick and in Hendrick Memorial Hospital but seems to be feeling better at this time.

Mrs. Sterling Odom and children and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Judy visited relatives at Clyde Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary of Coleman and Mrs. Bernard Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Dean Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Smedley are visiting relatives at Rowden for a few days.

Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs, Mrs. Lella Gibbs, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Lon Duncan met at the home of Mrs. Bill Lawrence Tuesday morning and dressed chickens for the locker. Mrs. Lawrence has been sick for some time.

Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Irene and Mrs. W. F. Jones Tuesday evening.

Tecumseh Topics

Mrs. Lillian Crawford

Tersely Told, Typographically Tended and Tolerably True.

Well it's vacation time says Lynda Jean along with many others but she doesn't go very far, just to Abilene to stay a few days with Dale and Betty before starting back to school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner of Premont, visited with us a couple of hours this afternoon after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford where a number of relatives met to spend the day. Among those attending were: Mrs. Minnie Edwards, Calif.; Mrs. Melvin Betcher,

daughter and grandchild of Abilene; Mrs. Ethel Walker, Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner, Oplin and Harlen Turner, wife and baby were also present a short while. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Coughran and daughters, Tonya and Brenda.

Bobby Crawford and a cousin, the former Donna Betcher and husband, left Thursday for Corpus Christi.

Lynda Jean and myself visited in the Otto Rogers home last Thursday and attended the revival at the Baptist Church.

The weather man predicted scattered showers for this area today. Well, it was scattered all right, but was more like scattered rain drops. We hope there will be good rainfall soon as it's getting very dry and is so hot that crops will soon be severely damaged by the drought and heat.

Mrs. Darcus Crawford and Mrs. Kate Crawford are probably still visiting in Farmington, N. M. They were to visit Mrs. Lizzie Thomas who was on the sick list and not much hopes for life due to old age. She is the only surviving one of a large family who were one time residents of the Dudley community. Her sisters and brothers were Sallie, Nanny, Mollie or Mary, Edd, Mattie, Felix and John Crawford.

Mrs. Wallace Pike and daughter, Sarah of Big Spring, visited over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Brumbaugh and other relatives.

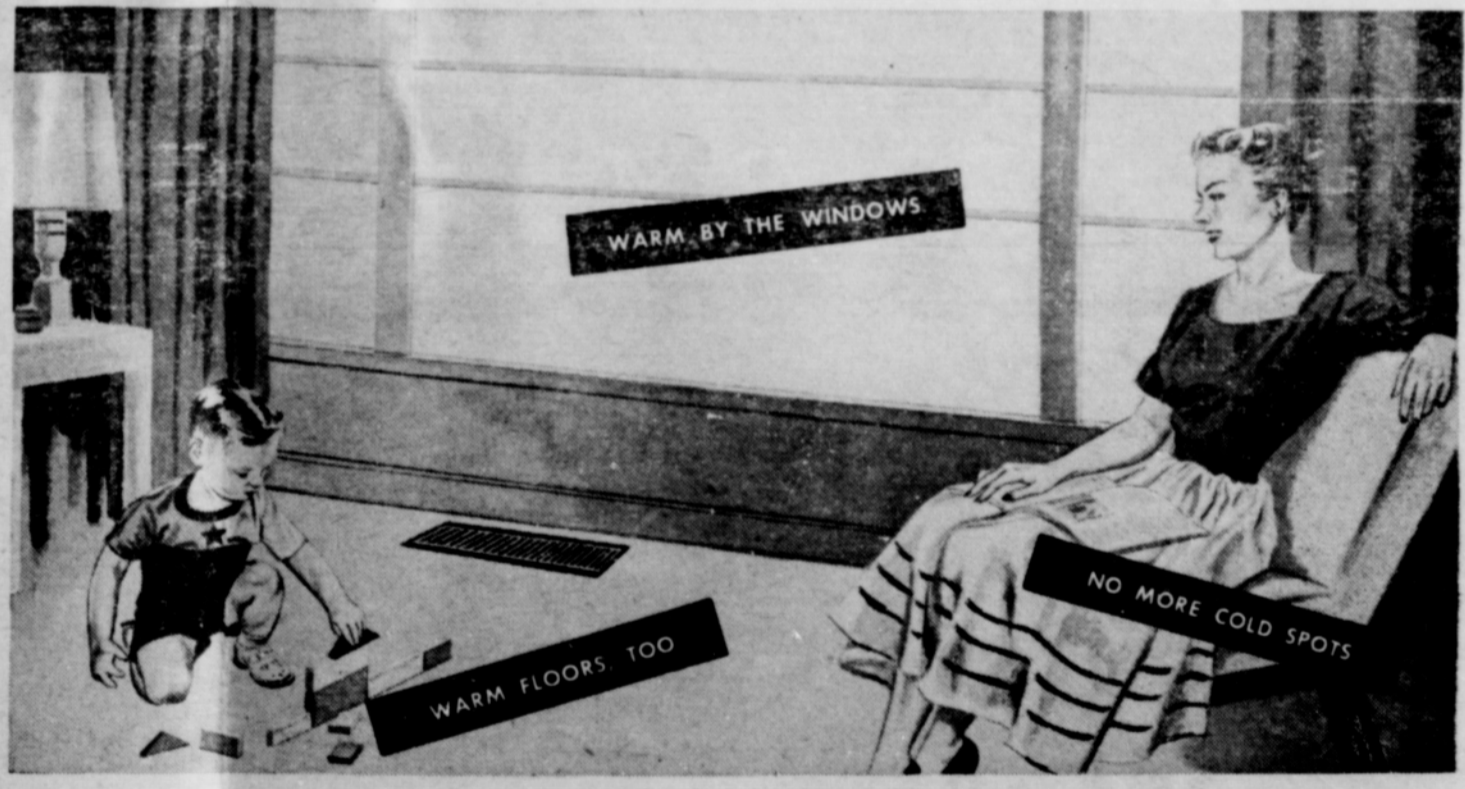
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Norrell visited relatives in Amarillo during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Williams are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Easter and Bob in Midland this week.

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Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Main impact of the 54th Legislature will be felt next week when most of the bills it passed will become state law.

Taking effect Sept. 6 will be laws designed to eliminate insurance abuses, overhaul the scandal-racked veterans land program and restrict some labor union activities.

Tax increases are most likely to be noticed first. To augment state revenue by \$50 million per year, new levies were placed on beer, cigarettes, gasoline and corporate franchises.

Ultimate payment will fall to the consumer.

Nine major insurance bills are aimed at strengthening the industry and providing better protection for the buying public. Capitalization and surplus re-

Strict Tests Through Every Process Assure Safety of Salk Polio Vaccine

For the first time in history, a vaccine is protecting millions of human beings from paralytic polio. While the Salk vaccine will not work in every case, American children are being safeguarded against the dread disease, with no more risk than they would take in a vaccination against smallpox or a typhoid shot. The Salk vaccine must pass elaborate tests under the watchful eye of a government inspector at every stage of production. Then the final packaged vaccine is approved by the U.S. Public Health Service for distribution. Here are shown a few of the steps that assure American parents their children are being given a safe vaccine.



This technician is filtering dead cells and all other foreign matter from polio virus after it has grown on animal tissue in glass containers.



Virus is "cooked" in tank with formaldehyde (from bottle) until it is rendered harmless, after which it must pass exacting safety tests.



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Veterans land program legislation will tighten regulations and impose more stringent controls on both buyers and sellers. Both

are made liable to jail terms up to 10 years and fines up to \$10,000 for fraud or misrepresentation.

Major labor legislation includes the "Port Arthur Bill." It will enable employers to enjoin strikes by a union which cannot show it represents a majority of workers. Already effective is the "Ford Motor Bill" denying unemployment payments to union workers by a strike in another plant of that company.

Other new laws will provide \$7 million more for public assistance and bring 30,000 more state employees and college professors under federal Social Security. Corruptive comic books will be banned, and incorporation requirements will be broadened to include "any lawful purpose."

Integration Upheld
Big Spring's test case on the legality of Texas public school integration headed toward the Supreme Court.

A suit to enjoin the Texas Education Agency and comptroller from making payments to desegregated schools was denied in district court. Judge Charlie N. Sullivan ruled invalid that part of the Gilmer-Aikin law which applies to segregation.

Notice of appeal was given at once by the attorney for the pro-segregation Texas Citizens Council who brought the suit. If the district court opinion is upheld, there apparently would be no need for an immediate special session of the legislature to revise school laws.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shapperd has warned that school integration should not precede legislative action. He, like the Citizens Council, has insisted that the law is presently set up to make state payments only to segregated schools.

Gov. Allan Shivers declined to comment until after the final court action.

Thirty Deaths Predicted
Thirty traffic deaths are predicted by the Department of Public Safety for the upcoming Labor Day weekend.

Last year 29 Texans were traffic fatalities during the three-day holiday.

Only once recently has the department's forecast missed by any sizable margin. For July 4 it predicted 29 fatalities. Only 18 occurred.

Col. Homer Garrison, department director, expressed hope for a similar error for the Sept. 3-5 holiday.

Politics is Budding
Texas' governorship campaign seems to be shaping up, considerably ahead of schedule.

Former Supreme Court Justice and University of Texas Chancellor James P. Hart addressed an East Texas meeting at Henderson, sponsored by the liberal Democrats. Liberals have been courting his entry in the race, and he is "thinking about it."

There were those who said he "sounded like a candidate" in his talk on "ideas and ideals." Former Speaker Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, only an-

nounced candidate for governor, has held a meeting of his statewide campaign steering committee in Austin. He said he will name county and precinct campaign chairmen by January.

State Senator Jimmy Phillips of Angleton is an intended candidate. He was present in Henderson when Hart spoke. A statewide rally in Galveston on Sept. 1 was planned by his friends as the send-off for his campaign.

Mrs. Wayne W. Waggoner of Bowie, widow of the senator killed in a car accident two weeks ago, also has been mentioned as a possible candidate. She was the only other speaker at the Henderson rally which her husband was to have addressed. Her's was not a political speech.

Senator Price Daniel, currently abroad, is holding up disclosure of his decision whether to run for governor next year, two years before expiration of his first Senate term.

Governor Shivers hasn't announced his plans. "Anything can happen; at this time I am not a candidate for anything," he told newsmen.

Biggest But Not Cheapest
Texas has become the principal producing state of Aluminum Company of America's vast chain of aluminum refining and smelting operations.

Persuaded to try aluminum for some of its heavy permanent road signs, the Highway Department asked for bids. When they were opened, the Canadian aluminum industry turned up

with a bid on imported metal eight percent under the lowest domestic bid.

SHORT SNORTS - Gov. Shivers and his family return to Austin Sept. 1 after a summer in Woodville. Before coming back to his job as Texas' top executive, the Governor hunted antelope in Wyoming with several other governors. Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson's Austin office opens on Sept. 1 also, manned by staff members. Johnson is resting at his Gillespie County ranch, recuperating from a recent heart attack. Notary public commissions were mailed to 90,932 Texans last week by the Secretary of State's office.

Mrs. Kenneth Fincher and son David and daughter Suzan of San Diego, Calif. are visiting her mother, Mrs. W. C. Brumbaugh and other relatives.

Mrs. Clark Elder of Los Angeles, Calif. is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Cora Work, who for the past month has been quite ill.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Newcomb and other relatives and friends in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams spent Sunday in Ranger visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch attended the Lions Club Carnival in Clyde on Saturday night.

Norris Baulch and wife of Wichita Falls visited the N. L. Diceys and other relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Price and children, Susan and Keith have returned home after vacationing in Tahoka, Anton and New Mexico.

Mrs. Guy Hendrick and daughter, Margie have returned home after vacationing in New Orleans, La., Baton Rouge, La., and Ft. Worth.

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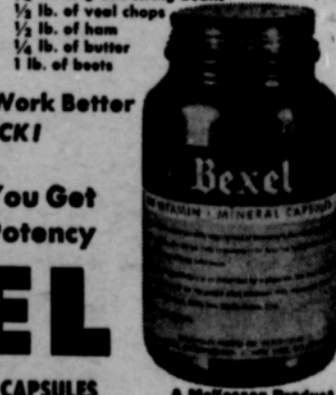
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Doves Plentiful Over Texas

Reports indicate that the mourning dove season—first phase of the fall wildlife harvest—will be favorable, according to the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

He said a field survey of the north zone, which opens for mourning doves on September 1, shows that there is a good supply of birds and that food and water conditions are fair to good. The north zone season runs from noon on September 1 to sunset on October 15. The south zone season is from noon on October 15 until sunset November 28.

Changes this year include a five day extension to a forty-five day season and a two weeks delay in the south zone opener.

Bag limits and shooting hours, and other basic regulations, are the same, said the Executive Secretary. Shooting will be confined to afternoon hours only and the limits are ten per day and ten in possession.

The north zone area comprises about three-fourths of Texas, comprising as it does all the territory running diagonally across the state on a rough line from Maverick county on the Mexican border to Sabine on the Louisiana border.

The Executive Secretary said pre-season population reports presage a standout shoot. He added, however, that dove numbers are unpredictable and that the birds frequently shift their residences abruptly.

"We have a fine weed seed crop," he explained, "and water is plentiful in many areas."

The Executive Secretary suggested hunters should follow safety rules closely because of the anticipated influx of gunners in the field and that they should always obtain permission from landowners before entering the latter's property to hunt. He added that the state's Game Warden force is available to inform hunters.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Sr., visited their daughter, Mrs. Charlie Powell and Mr. Powell in San Angelo last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sutphen and sons returned home Thursday after spending a week in Red River, N. M.



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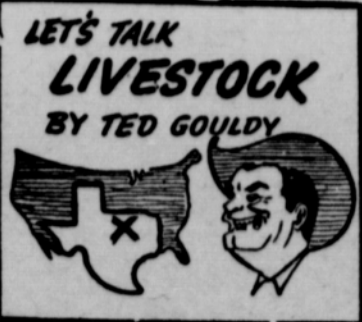
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SMALLER CATTLE NUMBERS POSSIBLE NEXT YEAR

The recent study of the livestock and meat situation released by USDA pointed out that slaughter of cows and heifers had expanded this year, and reports from over the major market circle currently reveal larger numbers of females than a year ago.

If this trend of increased slaughter of cows and heifers is continued through the last quarter of the year some reduction in the estimate of cattle on farms in the United States is indicated.

However, expanded swine numbers and the expected larger lamb crop in the Southwest next year will likely offset any reduction in total meat animal numbers or tonnage.

GATTLE NUMBER LARGER MONDAY AT FORT WORTH

The offering of cattle and calves was the largest since mid-July at Ft. Worth Monday. Drying ranges in many sections of the Southwest and the approach of Fall with the cowmen busy working to shape up herds to go into the winter are credited with the bigger movement.

Most classes showed some weakness. Cows were 50 cents to \$1 lower. Steers steady. Bulls unchanged. Slaughter calves and most stockers closed lower.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings \$18.00-\$22.00 (quotable to \$23.50); common and medium steers and yearlings \$12.00-\$18.00; fat cows \$9.50-\$11.00; canners and cutters \$7.00-\$9.50; bulls \$10.00-\$13.50; good and choice slaughter calves \$16.00-\$18.50; common and medium \$11.00-\$15.00; culls \$9.00-\$11.00; stocker steer calves \$20.50 down; yearling stockers \$19.00 down; replacement cows \$8.00-\$12.00.

ANGUS ENTRIES LARGE FOR SHOW SEPTEMBER 9

Interest is working up to fever heat in the September Aberdeen-Angus feeder calf show and sale due on the Stockyards Sept. 9. Secretary Glen Tole, says the largest consignment to date in 160 head from one owner. Several lots of straight heifers and numerous lots of steers and heifers are reported.

Judges Marvin Couey, San Angelo and Harris Mullin, Dalhart, will have the largest field of Angus calves to judge that have yet appeared at any of the associations show and sales at the stockyards, on the basis of these announced early intentions.

Upwards of 1,000 are expected, and with inquiries ahead of the same time on the earlier sales the number could be well above that figure. Judging starts at 6:30 a.m. and will be concluded and awards made, so selling can start by 8:30 a.m.

HOGS OPEN STEADY TO 25c HIGHER MONDAY

Top hogs sold for \$16.50 to \$16.75 at Ft. Worth Monday and less attractive weights and kinds sold from \$15.50 to \$16.25. Sows were steady at \$10 to \$15.

A national publication, out this week, estimates the lowest average for hog prices in the August through January, fall and winter period will be about \$15.50 for the United States. They predict November or December will be the low time, when average prices are expected to swing between \$14 and \$16.

This is an educated guess based on the historic application of numbers of pigs farrowed, disposable consumer income, pork in storage and average July hog prices!

Anybody gotta Crystal Ball?

SHEEP AND LAMBS STEADY TO STRONG

Good and choice fat lambs topped at \$18.50 at Ft. Worth Monday and feeders sold from \$17 downward. Medium and lower grade lambs sold from \$10 to \$16. Yearling wethers drew \$8 to \$16. Old wethers sold from \$8 to \$12. Old slaughter ewes cashed at \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Prices were steady on all classes, and high grade sorts very scarce.

WOOL PROMOTION PROGRAM REPORTED OK'D

Early and incomplete returns of the nation-wide poll of wool producers shows a majority favor the wool promotion program. However, it will be some time before tabulation is completed.

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This modern recipe is a favorite with busy housewives for it is so simple to prepare, keeps well and tastes just as good when heated for second meals. Best way to serve it is piping hot, with a good helping of butter or margarine, preserves or syrup. Try it once and you'll make a double recipe next time around, for sure!

Davy Crockett Cracklin' Bread

2 cups Self Rising Corn Meal	1½ cups sweet or diluted evaporated milk
1 cup sifted Self Rising flour	½ cup bacon drippings, melted and cooled
1 egg, beaten	1 cup cracklings*

(If plain corn meal is used, add 6 teaspoons baking powder and 1 teaspoon salt.)

Mix corn meal and flour in mixing bowl. Combine egg and liquids and add to dry ingredients, stirring gently during addition. Stir just until ingredients are mixed. Fold two-thirds of the cracklings into the batter. Pour batter into well-greased square (8 x 8 x 2-inch) baking pan. Sprinkle top with remaining cracklings. Bake in hot (400°F.) oven until done, about 25 minutes. Serves 6.

*To fry cracklings, place small pieces of bacon in a heavy fry pan and cook over low heat until bacon is crisp and brown. Stir as needed to brown evenly. Drain on paper towels.

ATOMIC ENERGY

By BILL JURY
General Electric News Bureau
Hanford Atomic Plant

The cast of characters vital to the development of atomic energy lists many players; scientists, engineers, designers, research teams, laborers, clerks, and strangely enough—sheep. Sheep and other domestic animals are an important part of a plan to probe into the many unknowns of the atomic age.

In tidy pens in the shadow of the huge Hanford atomic energy plant near Richland, Wash., sheep are being studied by some of the world's foremost biologists to determine how they react to radioactive isotopes. Findings from these studies already have helped scientists take long strides in the field of veterinary medicine, and have provided answers to perplexing problems pertaining to atomic energy.

What happens to livestock exposed to excessive radiation, and, for that matter, what amount is excessive. Those questions are being answered at the Hanford plant today by General Electric company scientists whose chief laboratories are clean brick barns where their purebred Suffolk sheep are housed.

Countless experiments proved that highly radioactive waste particles from the plutonium-producing Hanford Works are not harmful to animals or humans after they have been dispelled in the atmosphere, despite the fact that many of the particles eventually fall to the earth and settle on grazing lands.

However, suppose the plant facilities were altered or increased; suppose another plant were built elsewhere in the nation where wind currents swooped the particles to the ground instead of scattering them into the atmosphere as they do at Hanford.

One part of GE's job is to determine if a greater number of particles, or a greater concentration of particles, would be harmful to man or animals in the vicinity. Again, the team of biologists and their black-faced Suffolk sheep are providing an answer to the riddle.

Since 1950, experiments have been conducted in GE laboratories in an attempt to define the threshold level between safety and danger. The Suffolk sheep have been fed concentrated food pellets spiked with I-131, radioactive iodine. Quantities of the radioactive iodine are varied in a search to locate the amount which may be ingested daily without causing either structural or functional changes in the animal.

Every other condition to promote health is included in the care of the sheep so that the experiments are conducted on normal, healthy animals. They are among the nation's best fed sheep, stowing away liberal quantities of vitamins and minerals and nutrients in the form of alfalfa, grain, and concentrated food pellets.

In time, the biologists' work with sheep will provide part of the information that will be needed by engineers and scientists who design future atomic plants and will furnish much in-

formation of value to the entire livestock industry and to the medical profession.

Genetical conclusions will be longer in coming, but the results will be valuable to the scientist and layman alike.

Eye Care Important To Good Health

If Johnny should come home crying, "Mom, I got something in my eye" — what would you do?

The sensible thing would be to follow this 3-step procedure recommended by the State Department of Health for just such emergencies.

Lift the upper lid and pull it down over the lower lid. This will allow the tears to wash out the offending speck. Tears are nature's own eye wash.

If this doesn't work, wash the eye with drops of luke warm water, using an eye dropper and holding Johnny's head so the water will flow away from the nose, toward the side.

If the speck doesn't dislodge, bandage the hurt eye lightly to prevent Johnny from rubbing it, and take him to a physician.

"Remember," the Department cautions "trying to rub the speck loose can cause infection that may scar the cornea, resulting in partial blindness."

Ever heard someone remark their eyes were "simply worn out"? That's sheer nonsense, says the Department. It's impossible to "wear out" healthy eyes by overuse.

Then why do your eyes feel strained? It could be because you need glasses or are wearing improperly fitted glasses. Or it could be that you are failing to follow the rules of good lighting and proper eye use. Or the strain could be due to an eye or body disease.

Under correct conditions you should be able to use your eyes as much as you want to without strain. Healthy eyes give the best and most comfortable service when you sit erect with your work arranged at 45 to 70 degrees from the horizontal and from 14 to 16 inches from your eyes. Tilt-top desks and book easels are best for children.

Reading in bed is perfectly all right, providing you stick to the rules of good lighting and good posture. But it's never wise to read in sunlight, even if your book or magazine is shaded.

What about television? It does not harm the eyes if the picture is clear and steady, and if there is enough light in the room to prevent too great a contrast with the screen. Avoid sitting off-center or too close to the set.

Washington

"As It Looks From Here"

OMAR BIRLESON
Congressman
17th District



It always feels good to be back home. It will be necessary for me to return to Washington about mid-September. Soon thereafter, however, I shall be back in my Congressional District and hope to see as many of you as possible during the Fall.

A measure introduced in the Congress during the last Session, known as H.R. 3, was not considered. It provides that State Law in any field will continue to be valid and can be enforced in State Courts except in those instances in which there is a conflict between State and Federal Law, in which event the latter will prevail.

This measure would more clearly establish the principle of "States' Rights." I am a strong supporter of it.

Amid all the talk of peace these days, there remain some headline-making blowups around the world. There is still trouble in Guatemala; the trouble between India and Portugal regarding Goa; France's trouble in Tunisia, Morocco, and Algeria; England's difficulty in Malaya, Singapore, and Cyprus.

These do not include the old sore spots in Korea, Indochina, and Formosa.

"Conformity" has become sort of a bad word. It has become so because it has been used so much in a certain type of propaganda. It has been used in the sense of meaning regimentation, which is not to our liking.

However, in many respects we all conform to certain patterns. We wear clothes which are fairly uniform, and eat a lot of the same breakfast food because it is well advertised.

We stop at red lights, pay taxes, and usually obey the laws which are for our own protection, without too much grumbling.

Most Americans believe there is a Divine Intelligence, although we can get into serious arguments as to what He is and how He is to be worshipped.

Most of us believe that ours is a good country to which we are loyal. Again, there are vast and annoying differences of opinion as to how one can be most effectively loyal to his country. The need for loyalty is not denied.

When it comes to our economic system, it seems there is considerable confusion because we live in a kind of mixed socialist-capitalist system. Two wars and a depression have made our economy go a little haywire. Nevertheless, most of us believe in good old-fashioned capitalism, but the trouble is we don't want to give up some of the things that go with a great many Government benefits. This makes it necessary that we "conform" to some things we might not like to if the benefits were not there.

Most Americans believe their Constitution is a great instrument of government, particularly as it protects our liberties. Most of us think we know exactly what the Government should do, what laws the Congress should pass, and how the Supreme Court should decide. That is why we are free people. Let no one silence the citizen who wishes to air his views, as long as he keeps himself a free man. In the end, good sense usually prevails, although it sometimes takes longer than it should.

The politician: A widow asked him to guess her age. His reply was that he hesitated to do so because he did not know whether to guess her ten years younger on account of her looks, or ten years older on account of her intelligence.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland received a telephone call from their son, Franklin on Monday. He is in the Navy and has been stationed at San Francisco, Calif. but was to sail that day and be at sea for the next six months. Franklin has been in the service for four years.

Misses Margie and Dortha Hendrick will teach school this coming year in the Abilene schools.

Health Programs For Schools

Every school should have a definite school health program. Situations such as, the kind of drinking water, arrangements for the school lunch, the lighting, seating, ventilation and cleanliness of the schoolroom, and the personal practices of the teachers and children are the bases of the school health program, said Dr. Henry A. Holle, Commissioner of health.

Every school has tremendous opportunities to promote the health of its pupils and of its community. From early childhood to early manhood and womanhood, most children are enrolled in schools and are under the supervision of school staffs for a substantial part of the day for approximately half the days of the year. The conditions under which they live in school, the help which they are given in solving their health problems, the ideals of individual and community health which they are taught and the information and understanding that they acquire of themselves are factors which operate to develop attitudes and behavior conducive to healthy, happy and successful living.

Schools alone, however, cannot enable children to attain all the desirable goals of individual and community health. Considering the magnitude and multitude of the diverse and continuing efforts that must be made to satisfy the health needs of children,

it is fortunate that many people and groups, in addition to schools, are greatly interested in promoting health. Parents have a prime responsibility.

Physicians, dentists, nurses, health officers, social and welfare workers and their official organizations, such as medical, dental and nursing societies, health departments and voluntary health agencies are all rightly concerned with health activities in their communities.

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In these days of rising costs and high payments for every possible service, it is natural for

some readers to ask, "How come it's so cheap (or free)?" The answer is that you, the residents of this community, have paid in advance for this campaign to make Callahan County a healthier place in which to live.

You have made this X-ray program possible through your payment of taxes and through your generous purchases of Christmas Seals.

Funds from the sale of Christmas Seals are the sole support of one of the sponsors of the program, the Callahan County Tuberculosis Association, which conducts a year-round program of tuberculosis prevention and control. The association is contributing its knowledge and experience, as well as funds, toward the success of the county-wide campaign to find unknown cases of tuberculosis and check the spread of this costly disease.

Other finances for the program are contributed by the State Health Department, which, of course, you support through your tax payments.

You paid for your chest X-ray in advance. It takes only a few moments to get it. You wouldn't forget to collect the dividends on a financial investment. You have the right to know for sure that your lungs are healthy.

The minority in whom the chest X-ray will uncover tuberculosis will be, in a sense, reaping the highest dividends of all. For it will mean that they will be able to get right to work toward regaining complete health

before the disease has gone too far.

Every citizen owes it to himself and his community to take full advantage of this opportunity. We paid for it. Let's collect.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hass and daughter, Deborah have just returned from a 10-day vacation to Red River, New Mexico and points of scenic interest in Colo., Kan. and Okla. While in Red River, N. M. the party attended the Chuck Wagon Bar-B-Q and Indian Dances and Mr. and Mrs. Jones were awarded 6 rainbow trout as a prize for the couple there being married the longest. At Blackmountain Playhouse where there is bowling, skating and other activities, Mrs. Hass was awarded high daily score in the Women's Bowling Division two days successively.

Cecil Thompson, who has been attending school at North Texas, Denton, is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kelton and sons of Ft. Worth spent the weekend with Mr. Kelton's mother, Mrs. A. R. Kelton who returned home with them to spend the week.

Mrs. John McGowen has returned home after visiting her son, Dr. M. T. McGowen and family in Dallas and her sister, Miss Mary Louise Thaxton in Grand Prairie.

City Of Clyde Asks To Buy Water From Abilene Lakes

The City of Clyde asked the Abilene City Commission Friday morning whether Abilene would be willing to sell water to Clyde under an arrangement similar to that made by Merkel.

Mayor Cleve Young of Clyde and E. S. Yeatts, an Abilene consulting engineer, appeared before the commissioners and asked for the information.

Abilene Mayor C. E. Gatlin told them that the commission should be able to give an answer within a month or six weeks, since plans for increasing Abilene's future water supply are pending. He did not elaborate on what these plans are.

Young said that an answer within that length of time would be all right with his city.

"This is something that will require a lot of study on both sides," Young said. "With us it is still just in the discussion stage."

He reported that Clyde is showing considerable growth in population and Abilene Air Force is expected to bring still more people.

but that the current use is only a minor percentage of the amount that would be used with an adequate supply under ample pressure.

A large portion of Clyde is not now connected with the system. Yeatts reported.

"With an adequate supply, it would be difficult to estimate the probable demand," Yeatts wrote.

His letter said that the City of Clyde proposes to bring the supply from the east edge of Abilene to Clyde through a 12-inch line.

Mayor Young said there is no place anywhere near Clyde where his city could establish a lake. The cost of supplying water, even if there were plenty in the present water wells, would be beyond the capacity of Clyde as it would involve constructing a filter plant and other structures, Young explained.

Nothing was said about the amount to be charged Clyde for

water if Abilene grants the request.

Hunters Urged To Hold Fire

Maximum patrol has been ordered by the Director of Law Enforcement for the Texas Game and Fish Commission to discourage pre-season hunting.

He said he acted after indications that "some people are not aware that severe penalties are mandatory under the law for persons breaking the game laws."

The Director said wardens have reported cases of shooting deer, whitewinged doves, mourning doves and quail.

"The temptation will increase now as the legal hunting period approaches," said the Director. "And I just wanted to caution people hunting before the legal period that our men are on the alert."

The Director said he has been assured by "countless Justices of the Peace" that they will en-

thusiastically cooperate in seeing that justice is applied. Hunters caught breaking the game laws face heavy fines or jail sentences and also may lose their hunting privileges.

He went on to say that all but a small segment of the hunting population cooperate and await the legal seasons and urged the predominating majority to cooperate with their local game wardens in pin pointing the comparatively few who shoot out of season.

Several \$100 fines were meted out pre-season shooting according to the latest arrest report. Four men from one small far-west Texas town were fined for shooting quail.

"Many of the doves still are nesting," he said, "and potshooting means the loss of its young."

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fincher have moved back to Baird. They have been residing in Park View, N. M. They are former Bairdites, having moved from here about three years ago.

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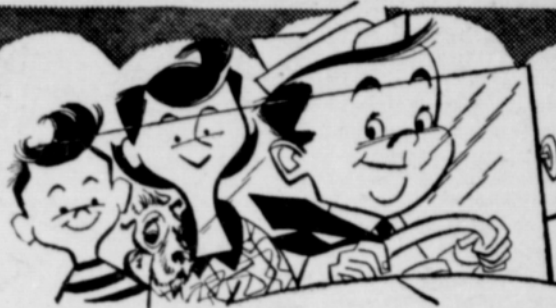
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