

# The Baird Star

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

FIFTY-FIFTH YEAR

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1942

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## OPA Cut Down On Meat Quota

Consumers are now doing without fewer porter house, tea-bone and sirloin steaks which they have enjoyed in years gone by. This is due to the meat rationing now in effect under orders issued by the OPA, reducing the quota by another 10 per cent which will go to the armed forces.

That is the edict of the Office of Price Administration under the terms of the new cut in beef allowed as for civilians to make certain the men fighting this war "have all the meat they require."

The OPA forbids slaughterers from exceeding their quotas by 10 per cent in any quarter with the privileges of chopping that amount off the quota for the following period: Those who have already exceeded the 70 per cent figure for this quarter, must stop deliveries for civilian use for the remainder of the year.

This action followed a recommendation from the War Production Board's Food Requirement Committee, which said military and lend lease authorities had been unable to obtain the required amount of meat.

Deputy Administration, Paul M. O'Leary, announced that petitions for increased quotas in areas where the population has increased would not be granted "because such increases would have to be deducted from supplies for the armed forces"

The sale of cattle, veal, lamb, mutton and pork by any slaughterer must be based on the Oct. Nov. and Dec. 1941 quota of their kill, and anyone entering business since that date must have a wholesaler's Slaughter permit issued by the OPA office in Washington.

Tom Neuman, manager of the Abilene Municipal Abitor, where most the animals have been slaughtered by wholesale dealers in this area, has been notified to furnish all slaughtering records through 1941 up to the present date.

This area is practically facing a meat famine, wholesale butchers Tom Newman, Pete Gooch and Robert Estes, have all used up their quota. Frank Ray has not used all his quota having about 20 head of cattle at this date to butcher.

Tuesday, November 24, 1942  
Washington News.

The Office of Price Administration today warned that it will prosecute anyone violating the meat restriction order of October 1, even for the unreported slaughter of a single animal. The only exceptions said OPA, are farmers who slaughter for home use. Complete records of slaughter for delivery to others of cattle, veal, lamb, mutton and pork must be kept. False statements or other violations bring fines of \$10,000, ten years in jail, or both.

## First Victory Concert

This will be the first Victory Concert to be given by the music Departments of Local Schools.

In line with requests from the State Department of Education that every high school in the state participate in what is known as Victory Concerts, the local schools announce such an entertainment for December 17 at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Admission will be one 10 cent War Stamp for students and one 25 cent War Stamp for the adults -- the patron keeping the stamp.

An unusually fine program is being arranged by Miss Hughes, director of the Band and Mrs. Foy music teacher in the grammar school.

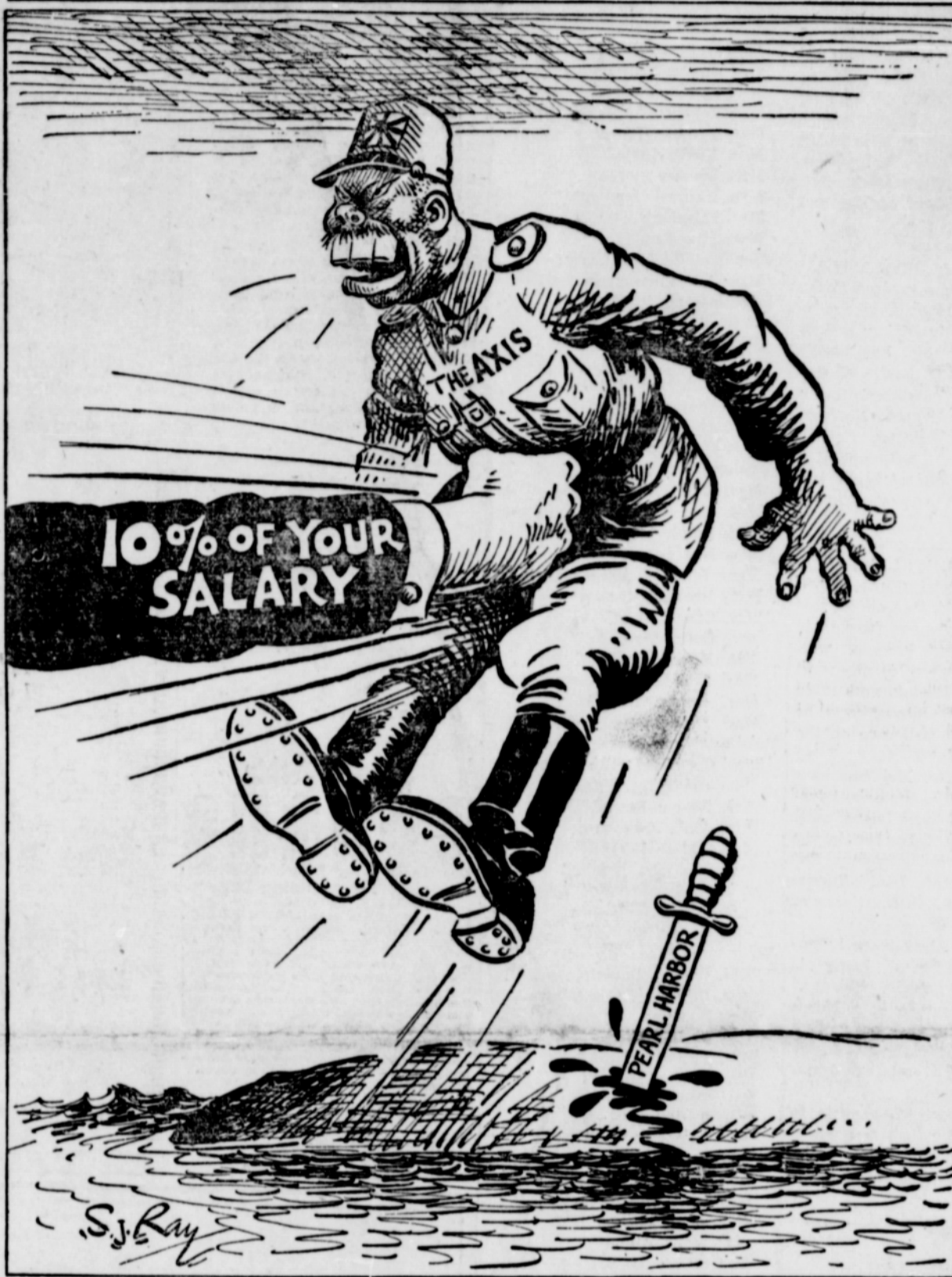
School officials are anxious that the community cooperate in this worthy enterprise by coming to the program. Similar concerts will be given from time to time during the year.

## PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE

There will be services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour. The main feature is a Bible Lesson by Miss Edmundson. All are invited.



## Remember Pearl Harbor—Every Payday



Courtesy Kansas City Star.



## Borah Brame Assumes Duties As Sheriff

Borah Brame, who was appointed by the Commissioners' Court to fill out the unexpired term of C. R. Nurdyke as Sheriff has assumed his new duties.

There will be no change in the office personnel except that in addition to being Deputy, Bill Ray will also be Jailer; he and Mrs. Ray having moved into the jail and Mrs. Nurdyke and the boys have moved into their home which has been occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ray while Sheriff and Mrs. Nurdyke occupied the living quarters in the jail.

Clarence Nurdyke left Saturday for Austin to take up his duties as a Texas Ranger. He will probably be in Austin for some weeks before being assigned.

Mr. Nurdyke served Callahan County as Sheriff for two terms and was reelected for a third term. He also served as deputy sheriff under R. L. Edwards for several years. Clarence Nurdyke will make Texas a good Ranger--and Borah Brame will make Callahan County a good Sheriff.

## Norma Frances Baulch And Lieut. Barton Married Sunday

Norma Frances Baulch, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch of Baird, became the bride of Lieut. Tom B. Barton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. of Clyde, in a single ring service read by the Rev. Sidney Cox, at the Methodist church in Clyde Sunday morning. The couple stood between tall baskets of white chrysanthemums.

Pre-nuptial music was by Mrs. J. B. Paylor of Abilene, the bridegroom's sister, who also played "He Wears a Pair of Silver Wings" during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a tan suit with brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. For something old she wore her great grandmother's wedding ring, and she carried a linen handkerchief that belonged to her mother.

Mrs. Curtis Sutphen of Baird, the bride's only attendant, was dressed in a brown suit and wore white carnations.

J. B. Paylor of Abilene was best man, and John Bailey and Austin Bouchette were ushers.

Both Lieutenant and Mrs. Barton are graduates of Clyde high school. Mrs. Barton attended John Tarleton Agricultural college, Stephenville, where she was a member of the Tejas club and the Aggetts. She served as secretary to the ration board of Callahan county until her marriage.

Lieutenant Barton is also a graduate of North Texas State Teachers college, Denton, where he was a member of the Trojan social club and the varsity tennis team. He received his wings and commission at Ellington field, Houston, in July, after training at Kelly Field, San Antonio. He is now an instructor at Randolph Field, San Antonio.

The bridegroom's parents were hosts at a reception following the wedding. The lace-laid table was decorated with flowers, and Mrs. Parker Copping of Baird served the tiered wedding cake. Coffee was poured by Mrs. Herman Phillips of Sweetwater.

The bridal couple left immediately for Seguin, where they are to live.

## GARDEN CLUB TO GIVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Old Fashioned Garden Club will give their annual Christmas Party at the home of Mrs. A. R. Kelton, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17th.

The club did not hold their regular meeting Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hughes of Belle Plain have recently bought a home in north Baird and have moved here to make their home.

## W. M. Meador New County Agent

W. M. Meador of Temple, who succeeds J. C. Shockey as County Agent is now in charge of the office; he and Mrs. Meador arriving a few days ago and at present have an apartment at Mrs. Harry Eberts. They have their furniture stored and hope to get a suitable house soon.

Mr. Meador is a graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanic College of Texas in 1839 and has had four years experience in Agricultural Experiment Station.

Mr. Meador is busy visiting the farmers and ranchers in the county getting acquainted with the people of the county who he will work with.

Mr. Shockey who resigned his position to go into the air service is now an instructor in Hicks Field Fort Worth.

## Baird Grammar School Selling War Stamps

The grammar school has begun the sale of War Stamps. This is done to encourage the youngsters to buy stamps and also to make it convenient for bus children to invest in the War Stamps. The sales totaled \$39.00 on the first two days. Mrs. Hall's room bought most of the stamps on each day.

W. W. Rose former merchant at Rowden now living at Azle Tarrant county is a new subscriber to The Star.

## People Urged To Mail Packages Early As Possible

The following release has been sent out by the postal department. The bulk of Christmas mail must be in the post office by December 1st this year, if deliveries on time are to be assured, according to S. W. Purdum, second assistant postmaster general. Mr. Purdum is responsible to Postmaster General Frank C. Walker for smooth and efficient air and railway mail service.

In 1941, about 21,000 mail cars were required between December mails, enough cars to make a train 270 miles long. This year, the extra cars needed to move holiday goods are largely being used by the armed services, and a severe shortage is in prospect.

All packages should be carefully packed and securely tied to insure safe transportation in the mail.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Holder who have lived on the Jackson lease north of Baird for the past four and one-half years, Mr. Holder pumping for Ungren and Frazier, have moved to Albany where their children will attend school. This move was made necessary by the gasoline rationing there being no bus line out that way. The Star will go to the Holder home each week to keep them in touch with old friends in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hancock of Beaumont spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Hansork's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock in Abilene and his uncle, Gloster Kink of Baird.

## Former Resident Died In California

James S. Davison, 81, retired rancher of Clovis, Fresno county, California, died Thursday, Nov. 26 in a Fresno rest home after a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Bois Funeral Home in Clovis with Rev. Ralph Dreger officiating. Interment was made in the Clovis Cemetery.

He is survived by four sons, Jay Aubrey and James Davison of Figarden and Sims Davison of Clovis and a daughter, Mrs. Emily Snow of Clovis, also seven grandsons.

Jim Davison was a former resident of Callahan county living some three miles west of Baird on the farm now owned by Mrs. H. Schwartz. His wife, who died here some twenty five years ago was Kate McCoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sim McCoy, deceased, who among the earliest settlers in Callahan county. Mr. Davison was a native of Alabama. He moved to California twenty-two years ago.

## METHODIST JUNIOR LEAGUE ELECT OFFICERS

The Methodist Church Junior League met and elected their officers. Clara Jo Hicks was our leader. Sunday Nov. 30 Madge Loper served as our leader.

Our attendance has been very good. Any student under 15 years of age is invited to attend our league each Sunday at 7 p. m. Earl Lee Hinds, Reporter.

## Christmas Lights Eliminated At Request of WPB

To those who may wonder why there is to be no colored street lighting this Christmas is because our citizens are endeavoring to cooperate with our government to conserve everything needed in an all-out war effort.

The War Production Board has requested city officials, civic clubs, chambers of commerce and citizens generally to dispense with outdoor decorative lighting this Christmas.

The WPB pointed out that Christmas lighting requires the use of critical materials, electricity and manpower.

Local Council of Defense bodies have received a similar request from Governor Coke Stevenson.

He goes further and states that business men should not go away from their stores and leave window lights burning during the holiday season. In case it was necessary to order a black-out in a hurry, someone should be in authority to turn out all show window lights.

## EASTERN STAR CHAPTER WILL MEET TUES., DEC. 8.

The Eastern Star Chapter will meet Tuesday, December 8th at 8 p. m. This will be the Annual Christmas Social Meeting and all members are requested to bring gifts suitable to be sent to the Ladies in the Eastern Star Home.

W. B. Cooper former local manager of the Community Natural Gas Company in Abilene, is a new subscriber to The Star.



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Three Months - - - - - .75



**Our Boys In The Service**

Jim Pate with the U. S. Army in Missouri, is spending a few days here with friends.

Kale Meyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Meyers of Dudley, who is a U. S. Sailor, has recently gone overseas.

Albert Magill of Fort Bliss and Lyle Magill of Brownwood, visited their mother, Mrs. Sarah Magill at Tecumseh the past week.

Horace Elliott, recently enlisted in the Naval reserve as a ship-fitter with the rating of First-Class Petty Officer.

Nola Van Gibson has had another telegram from her brother, Glynn from Baltimore, Maryland. Glynn is still "seeing the world" he says and hopes to see the home folks soon.

Harold Snyder, son of Mr. and L. E. Lewis of Tecumseh who left October 13 for Fort Ord, Calif., is reported ill in an army hospital at that place.

Milton Elliott, Aviation Cadet, has completed his primary training as a flyer at Corsicana and is now at the Waco Flying School for his basic training.

Lieutenant Jack Chatham is now an instructor in the air service at Miami Beach, Fla., Mrs. Chatham daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges of Tecumseh is wither husband.

George E. Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier, has enlisted in the U. S. Marines and is now stationed at the Marine base in San Diego, California.

Lieut. R. B. Kendrick, with a U. S. Bombing Squadron "somewhere in the Pacific" cabled his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick of Denton Valley a few days ago saying he was well.

Frank E. Johnson and Maurice Johnson, sons of Mrs. Mamie Johnson of Oplin, are in the armed forces of the United States. Frank is in Africa and Maurice in England.

Sgt. Sterling Reynolds who has been in the ground service of the Air Corps for the past two years phoned his mother Saturday from Nashville, Tennessee that he had been transferred to the Cadet Corps and would begin his flight training at Savana, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillit had a letter a few days ago from their son, Carl Gillit, machinists mate, second-class with Uncle Sam's navy "somewhere" in the Pacific saying he was ok and that he had had a most pleasant surprise a few days ago when he met Le Roy Maner, another Baird boy in the navy. The two boys spent the day together. Le Roy has a baby girl some two weeks old whom he will have to get acquainted with when he comes home.

Cliff Harris who spent several days here the past week left Saturday for the Pacific coast to join his patrol squadron. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ault while here. Cliff is a lover of dogs and when he left for the navy more than a year ago he left

his six year-old dog "Tippy" with the Aults; needles to say "Tippy" was glad to see her master again.

Pvt. William K. Lahm, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lahm former residents of Baird, now living at Ajo Arizona, has recently graduated from the radio school of the Air Forces Technical Training Command at Scott Field, Illinois. During the intensive training period at Scott Field Pvt. Lahm received instruction in radio operation and mechanics and is now qualified for duty as a member of a fighter bomber crew.

Since Scott Field, part of the vast network of the Technical Training Command schools under Maj. Gen. Walter R. Weaver, is devoted solely to radio the destination of Pvt. Lahm may be a more advanced radio school, a gunnery school, or in operational training school, where he will receive instructions as part of a bombing "team". His actual designation, however, is a military secret. Pvt. Lahm is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Corn.

**FABAIN BELL GETS CALL**

Fabian Bell, who enlisted in the Naval Reserve some weeks ago as Second Class Petty Officer in Diesel Engine operator, has been called to report at the Naval station in Dallas, Wednesday, Nov. 9 from there he will go to Norfolk, Va., for further training.

Fabian has been engine operator at the Baird Municipal Light and Power Plant for the past eighteen months.

**MR. AND MRS. MULLICAN HEAR FROM GRANDSON**

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican had a letter a few days ago from their grandson, Johnny Iverson, who was feared lost when his ship went down in the Australian area after being torpedoed. Johnny says he is ok. He was a radioman on the ship.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullican have seven grandsons in the armed forces. They are, Johnny Iverson, navy Iver and Connard Iverson in the army; J. B. Whalen, army; Bill Stinson, Marines; Paul Stinson Parachutist and Robert Stinson at Fort Bliss.

Paul Stinson has recently returned from overseas, being in England and Australia recently.

Miss Alice Iverson is a Nurse in training for Army service. She will complete her training the first of the year and expects to go into foreign service.

Gilbert Iverson, 17, expects to go into the Navy in a few weeks. The remaining grandson of the nine, is Bruce Whalen, 10 years old.

**Are Americans Well Fed?**

By Homemaking Department of Baird High School

Well nourished men, women, and children are needed to strengthen the human defenses of our democracy; yet every study made shows that Americans are far from being well fed. Selective service boards report forty percent of the young men between 21 and 35 years of age, examined have been found either physically unfit to enter military service or fit for limited service only. 150,000 more men might have been in the army last June if they had had the right food. Good diets will reduce the number and length of illness. 500,000 men were out of work last year because of illness.

Then why don't we eat the "Right" food? Some of us don't eat the right food for the following reasons: Some have a "hollow hunger" because of too little food. Others get enough food and therefore do not have hollow hunger, many have "hidden hunger". This hunger means that not all the necessary food value are present in the diet. Lack of information about what to eat may be the trouble or food prejudices and food habits may make diets deficient.

U. S. Soldiers are the best fed in the world. But what of the men behind the men behind the guns? For every fighting man, there are five to ten civilians forging the weapons and equipment of war. Of this vast labor Army, only one in every four eats the food he needs to keep fit on the job, and they are now plunged into the toughest job in industrial history—too often an unenriched bread sandwich and poor quality sweets.

Working men need plenty of vegetables, fruits and milk. A diet lacking in these will certainly slow up production. It can

cause serious accidents caused from nervousness, poor vision and unconscious slow downs. It can cause absences resulting from colds.

So we see that "Food" is a real weapon of war. Lets check our menus every day by our "Texas Food Standards". Are you doing your part to build a "Strong America?"

**Red Cross Roll Of Honor**

The following named ladies have worked in the surgical dressing room here, this week:

Monday-From Baird.

- Mrs. Beulah Dyer
- Mrs. Maude Hart
- Mrs. Belle Freeland
- Mrs. Kathryn Hinds
- Mrs. Stella Gilliland
- Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
- Mrs. Kathleen Lamb
- Mrs. Katie Russell
- Mrs. Geneva Flores
- Mrs. Hannah Hensley
- Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
- Mrs. Eva Lee.

From-The Woodley Lease:

- Mrs. Ila Hammons.
- From-Eula H. D. Club:
- Mrs. Elmyra Farmer
- Mrs. Madge Barnes
- Mrs. Katie Lewis
- Mrs. Roberta Stephenson
- Mrs. Oleta Edwards.

From-Bayou:

Mrs. Oma Lou McWhorter.

Tuesday-From Baird:

- Mrs. Belle Allphin
- Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
- Mrs. Pattie McBride
- Mrs. Eva Lee
- Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
- Mrs. Beatrice Brown
- Mrs. Edna Yonge
- Mrs. Grace Haley
- Mrs. Maude Hart
- Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
- Mrs. Norma Bauleh
- Mrs. Mollie Brightwell.

Tuesday Night-From Baird:

- Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
- Mrs. Goldie L. Wagner.
- Mrs. Reable Reed
- Mrs. Anna Jackson
- Mrs. Stella Gilliland
- Mrs. Miniville Mitchell
- Mrs. A. T. Brown
- Miss Marjorie Brown
- Miss Burma Warren

Wednesday-From Baird:

- Mrs. Norma Bauleh
- Mrs. Corinne T. Blackburn
- Mrs. Eva Lee
- Mrs. Maude Hart
- Mrs. Pattie McBride
- Mrs. Clarice Havens
- Mrs. Beulah Dyer
- Mrs. Kathleen Lamb
- Mrs. Dollie Fulton
- Mrs. Ellen McGowen
- Mrs. Mollie Brightwell
- Mrs. Ellen Hollingshead
- Mrs. Belle Allphin
- Mrs. Grace Haley
- Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterly
- Mrs. Bessie Gibson
- Mrs. Ila Meador
- Mrs. Amy South
- Mrs. Fay L. Alexander
- Mrs. Virginia Johnson
- Mrs. Hannah Hensley.

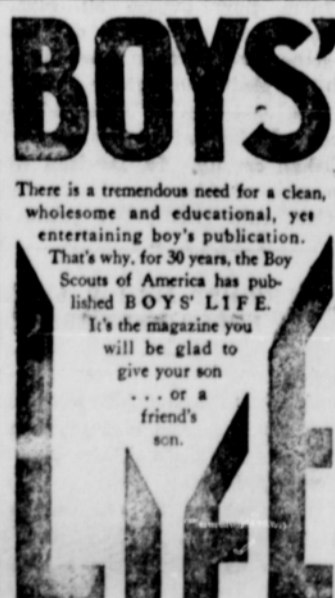
Come Monday, Dec. 7, (Anniversary of Pearl Harbor), This will be a patriotic way to celebrate that date--and please remember that more workers are sorely needed to complete this quota of surgical dressings, which must be ready for shipment January 9, 1943 and not near half the quota is completed at this time.

Let all who possibly can, work as many hours as possible that the quota may be ready to ship on time.

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**Writes New Book**



As funny as Irvin Cobb's "Speaking of Operations" or Ellis Parker Butler's "Pigs Is Pigs"—that's what reviewers are saying about Boyce House's new book, "How I Took Hollywood by Storm," a Southwest-ern best seller which is based on his observations while helping make the big moving picture, "Boom Town."

House, of Fort Worth, is known to hundreds of thousands through his Sunday radio programs and his column "I Give You Texas." "How I Took Hollywood by Storm" is pocket size, sturdily bound, sells for half a dollar, illustrated, and is just the thing for a Christmas gift for young or old and it would give a lot of chuckles to a Texas soldier off in camp somewhere, too.

Order through this newspaper.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank everyone for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the long illness and death of our loved one, H. D. Taylor. Also for the floral tokens  
Sincerely,  
Mrs. H. D. Taylor,  
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**FATS make glycerine.** And glycerine makes explosives—for our own and our allies' guns! Right now we need great quantities of glycerine. And every drop of your waste kitchen fat is wanted to help load the cannons.

**WHAT TO DO.** Save all kinds of waste fat—bacon grease, drippings, used vegetable shortening. Strain them into a clean, wide-mouthed can. Please don't use paper or glass. Keep in a cool, dark place so they won't turn rancid.

**TAKE TO YOUR MEAT DEALER** when you've collected a pound or more. Take them early in the week, if you can. The meat dealer is cooperating patriotically. He'll pay you for the fats and get them started toward the war industries. Remember, this is a war job—a fighting, shooting war job—that only you women can do.



This advertisement has been paid for by the Glycerine and Associated Industries and approved by the Conservation Division of the WAR PRODUCTION BOARD

The Women's Home Demonstration Clubs of Callahan County are sponsoring this campaign. All fats must be left at Brashear's Red and White Grocery Store in Baird—where it will be kept in storage until it is picked up.



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**PERSONALS**

Mrs. Dolph Hodges of Tecumseh was in Baird last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Odom, Roy Kendrick of Denton, were in Baird Monday.

Mrs. E. L. Hunter, Amarillo and Mrs. J. A. Echols, Fort Worth, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Alex Shocklee, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scott, Sr., of Denton Valley, who have been ill for some months, are still confined to their beds.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson and Mrs. Mamie Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allen and Mrs. John Jordan of Oplin were in Baird Monday.

Mrs. Blanton Scott and baby boy are visiting Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Barton at Denton Valley.

Quinn Wilson who has been in an Abilene hospital is recovering and is now at his home at Tecumseh.

Mrs. Earl Haley and daughter, Errolene of Big Spring and Bertha Joyce and Alex Ogrisby of Odessa spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. W. G. Bowlus and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett have returned from a ten-day hunt on the Nunn Ranch south of Kent. Mr. Bennett bringing home an eight point buck and Mrs. Bennett a five-point buck.

Oran Baines living on the Bayou reports getting eleven big rattlesnakes from one hole in the rocks near his home recently. All of the snakes were over three feet long.

Miss Agnes Eastham of Houston, Mrs. B.G. Johnson and children, Bobbie and Basil of Walters, Ok., spent Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. O. E. Eastham. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin of Fort Worth were also week end guests of Mrs. Eastham.

Mrs. J. F. Carpenter, Sr., of Childress and Mrs. Clyde Dunn of Wingate, visited their sister, Mrs. A. L. Allman the first of the week going to Abilene Wednesday to meet Mrs. Dunn's son, Lieut. Roy Dunn, who flew from Aberdeen, Md., who will spend a ten-day furlough with his wife and baby and his parents at Wingate.

**Dates For Registration of 18 Year Old's**

The registration of male citizens of the United States and other male persons, who shall have attained the eighteenth anniversary of the day of their birth during the periods indicated below, shall take place in the United States and the Territories of Alaska and Hawaii, and in Puerto Rico, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. on the days hereinafter designated for their registration as follows:

(a) Those who were born on or after July 1, 1924, but not after August 31, 1924, shall be registered on any day during the week commencing Friday, December 11, 1942 and ending Thursday December 17, 1942.

(b) Those who were born on or after September 1, 1924, but not after October 31, 1924, shall be registered on any day during the week commencing Friday, December 18, 1942, and ending December 24, 1942.

(c) Those who were born on or after November 1, 1924, but not after December 31, 1924, shall be registered on any day during the period commencing Saturday, December 26, 1942, and ending Thursday, December 31, 1942.

(d) During the continuance of the present war, those who were born on or after January 1, 1925, shall be registered on the day they attain the eighteenth anniversary of the day of their birth; provided, that if such anniversary falls on a Sunday or legal holiday, their registration shall take place on the day following that is not a Sunday or a legal holiday.

The following people have been designated to have charge of Registration in the places named:

1. Cross Plains, Mr. Foster Bond
2. Putnam, Miss Eva Moore
3. Clyde, Mr. M. H. Perkins
4. Oplin, Mr. Claude Morse
5. Baird, Judge B. H. Freeland.

**Former Baird Student Honored**

JO ANN BAKER SANTA ANNA FOOTBALL QUEEN.

Jo Ann Baker, a former Baird High School student, was presented as queen of the football team Friday night at the Santa Anna and Brady game.

Dressed in a black silk poplin dress trimmed in black velvet with gold yellow velvet bow in her hair to carry out the school colors, she was met on the sideline by the captain and co-captain, who escorted her to the center of the field where she kicked off to Brady.

After the kick off she was escorted back to the side line and presented a huge bouquet of gold chrysanthemums. She will be further honored at the annual football banquet to be held soon. The Santa Anna-Brady game netted the largest gate receipts ever taken in at a game in Santa Anna.

Jo Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie E. Baker, former teachers in the Bayou School.



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**FUTURE HOMEMAKERS WILL HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Baird Chapter of the Future Homemaking Club met Tuesday, December 1st. After the meeting was called to order by the president there was a discussion on a Christmas party. It was decided to hold the party December 15 in the home of Elaine Russell. Then the meeting was turned over to the program committee.

Attractive Homes at Low Cost. Leader of program, Raynelle Miller From Rags to Rugs.

Mary Lou Settle. Cutrains at Low Cost.

Annie Lee Davis. How to Win the Sate Club Pin.

Mrs. Galloway. Sub Deb Article, Sally Gay Corn

After the program the meeting was adjourned.

Raynelle Miller, Reporter.

**CLARANCE BOATWRIGHT'S TO LIVE IN BAIRD**

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boatwright and sons, Fred and Bill have come to Baird to make their home, having bought the Hargis home in West Baird. They have made their home in Pampa for the past several years, where Mr. Boatwright held a position with the Phillips Petroleum Company, which he resigned to go in the service of the Ferry Command at Love Field.

Mr. Boatwright is the son of Mrs. John Boatwright of Baird, where he spent his boyhood and is no stranger here. The boys Fred, 12, and Bill 8, entered Baird school Monday. Fred is in the 8th grade and Bill in the 3rd grade.

Mr. Boatwright took up flying some six years ago as a hobby, and has flown his own plane for the past six years.

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 TOM WINDHAM,  
 Oplin, Texas.

**CHURCH FEDERATED SOCIETIES MEETS**

The Federation of Church Societies met at the Presbyterian Church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The meeting opened with the following program:

Assembly singing "America".  
 Invocation, Mrs. Lee Estes.  
 Responsive Reading led by Mrs. O. E. Eastham.  
 Scripture Lesson, Mrs. V.F. Jones Solo, Mrs. N. M. George, Accompanied by Mrs. V.E.Hill.

A Playett, "Christianity on Trial" was presented by Mrs. Lee Ivey, serving as judge; Mrs. R. L. Alexander, as prosecuting attorney; Mrs. E. C. Fulton as defense attorney; Mrs. Clayton Reed, Mrs. J. C. Lee and Mrs. John Bowlus as witnesses for Christianity.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. George. A social hour followed.

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News From County Agent's Office . . .

W. M. MEADOR, County Agent

SELECT YOUR TURKEY HENS NOW

This is the time to select your turkey hens for next year flocks. Often times the cull hens are kept for breeding stock and the best hens sold on the market, but this is a costly practice. A good hen should have a broad breast, the more width the better. The breast should be straight and set well forward. The breast should be as near parallel to the line of the back as possible. No birds having crooked breasts or low vitality should be saved for breeding.

Early maturing birds free themselves from pen feathers earlier than late maturing birds. Therefore, select for hens free from pen feathers and you will be selecting earlier maturing birds. This type of hen will breed for market earlier and on less feed than will the late maturing bird. Hens should be well fleshed over the entire body.

The male bird is half of the flock, so the same care should be taken in selecting toms as was taken in selecting hens.

FARMERS AND RANCHMEN MEET IN ABILENE DEC. 10

All Farmers and Ranchmen interested in controlling cattle grubbs are urged to attend the Demonstration given by A. L. Smith, Extension Specialist in Animal Husbandry, and Parker D. Hanna, District Extension Agent. The Demonstration will be held in Abilene at 2 p. m. December 10. Consult your local County Agent for place of Demonstration in Abilene, or see the County Agent in Abilene.

This is one of three such demonstrations to be held in adjoining counties according to information received by W. M. Meador, local county agent.

DEMAND FOR EGGS IS INCERASING

The old saying that "you have to breed eggs into a hen and then feed them out of her" is still true. So if you have been feeding your flock and they do not produce, the non producers should be removed by culling.

The daily demand for more eggs is increasing, so to supply this demand means we will have to remove the boarders and replace them with young hens that will produce. Take a look into your chicken house and find the hens that are not laying. Good layers means profitable production.

O. B. Jarrett's Entertain

A birthday and Thanksgiving dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jarrett, Sunday, November 29. Each family sharing in the preparation of the dinner.

The Birthday honorees were, Mrs. Melvin Puls of Appleton, Wis., and Mrs. Sam Black of Fort Worth.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jarrett, Bob Swinson and family of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black and family of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Finto of Ranger; Mrs. Melvin Puls of Appleton, Wis.; Mrs. Virgil Hamilton and daughter of Greenville, Mrs. Jack Swenson, Baird.

Those who were unable to attend were:

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jarrett, of Big Spring; Mr. Melvin Puls of Appleton, Wis.; Sgt. Virgil Hamilton of Major Field, Greenville, Texas and Pvt. Eugene Swinson who is in with the U. S. Army overseas.

Government Appeals To Women To Train For Nurses

Because there is a critical shortage of graduate nurses to serve, not only in the armed forces, but in civilian hospitals to replace those gone into the army and navy, the government is appealing to women and girls, 17 to 30 years of age, to enter training in accredited schools of nursing.

To help in training nurses to meet the war need, Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene will enroll a special class in February. Stella McCallough, Superintendent of Nurses, has announced. She encourages women 17 to 30 years old

to write to her and, where possible to see her at the hospital in Abilene. A high school diploma is required for entry into the school of nursing.

Members of the February class will have the good fortune to enter training in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital's new \$135,000 wing built largely with Federal Works Agency funds because the War Department classed this hospital as vitally necessary to the war effort. The new wing greatly enlarges the hospital for the second time within a few years. The hospital now in one of the largest and most completely equipped in the southwest. The new wing will house completely new quarters for the school of nursing. There is modern home for student nurses adjacent to the hospital, built only two years ago.

All women and girls interested in the nursing profession and the splendid opportunities for service to the nation for the duration and a well-paying profession afterwards are urged to write to Miss McCullough.

Managers Victory Fund

R. E. Harding and Wm. P. Smallwood, Co-chairman of the Victory Fund Committee, Fort Worth Region, announce the appointment of Clarence R. Hendricks as Regional Manager for the fifty-nine county area of West Texas which has been set aside as the Fort Worth Region. These fifty-nine counties are Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Montague, Knox, Archer, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Jack, Wise, Borden, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Stephens, Palo Pinto, Tarrant, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Erath, Hood, Johnson, Somervill, Ector, Midland, Glascock, Sterling, Coke, Rynnells, Coleman, Brown, Comanche, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, Concho, McCulloch, San Saba, Mills, Hamilton, Lampasas, Crockett, Schleicher, Sutton and Menard.

Mr. Hendricks has opened an office at 702 First National Bank Building, Fort Worth. He comes to this post after long experience in the banking and investment business, having been granted a leave of absence as Vice-President of W. N. Edwards and Company, Fort Worth, dealer in investment securities. Prior to his association with this latter firm he was with the First National Bank of Fort Worth.

The Red Cross Was There!

American Red Cross sweaters, kit bags, and comfort supplies, prepared by Red Cross volunteers in widely-separated section of this country, were distributed in the midst of battle to the survivors of the United States cruisers, Astoria, Vincennes, and Quincy whose sinkings in the Solomon Islands were recently announced.

The supplies were carried into the area by Red Cross Field Director Alfred S. Campbell and two assistants, who witnessed the battle from one of the transports the Japanese sought to sink.

The survivors and wounded were given clothes and kit bags containing cigarettes, soap, razors, tooth brushes, playing cards and other comfort articles as they lay on the decks and gangways

of one of the transports following the battle.

"They were incredulous at first that Red Cross supplies could be distributed so fast," Campbell said "let me tell you, it helped their morale. It was concrete evidence that the folks at home had not forgotten them, and it gave them a feeling that they were being backed up by their country."

"One sailor remarked unbelievably that he didn't see how the folks at home could have learned of the battle so quickly."

Many of the men were without clothes following the naval action, and two Red Cross men collected surplus clothing from other ships for the survivors while the third landed with the Marines and stayed with their wounded during the action.

In a letter to Campbell, Captain William G. Creeman of the U. S. S. Astoria wrote: "In behalf of the surviving officers and men of the U. S. S. Astoria, I wish to express to you our deepest appreciation of the assistance rendered by you and by the American Red Cross to our personnel at a time when all were practically destitute of the essentials for health and comfort."

FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Sunday, December 6th, will mark the beginning of the fifth year of work for the Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Baird. On that occasion, the Pastor A. A. Davis, will preach an anniversary sermon. You are cordially invited to attend this service.

On the part of his membership, appreciation is expressed for the constructive and enduring work he has done in Baird; also an additional word of appreciation for his family. Concerning his ministry in Baird, he has emphasized strongly the Bible Doctrines on Salvation, Baptism, Church Membership, Christian Stewardship, etc., and has built a Church which is well grounded in the Doctrine of the New Testament.

Our wishes are that the coming year will be one of continued spiritual prosperity and happiness in Baird.

Sheet Metal Workers Needed

Sheet metal workers take another spotlight in the war program with the cry for more skilled men "To Keep Em Flying" at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Wages for this civilian employment with the Navy is \$9.12 a day.

Recruiting began today throughout Texas and Louisiana to find men with the minimum qualifications of two years experience in sheet metal trades or the equivalent in training, or four years experience as body and fender man in an auto repair shop, Paul H. Figg, regional director, 10th U. S. Civil Service Region announced.

"We must find these men immediately," Mr. Figg said, "Determine their eligibility by civil service standards and have them on the job in 10 days."

Written civil service examination will not be required. Applicants will be rated on the basis of experience or training.

Men with the prerequisite experience and not already engaged in war work of equal skill should file an application today with the local civil service secretary at any first or second class post office or with the reg-

ional director, Tenth Civil Service Region, Customhouse, New Orleans, La.

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