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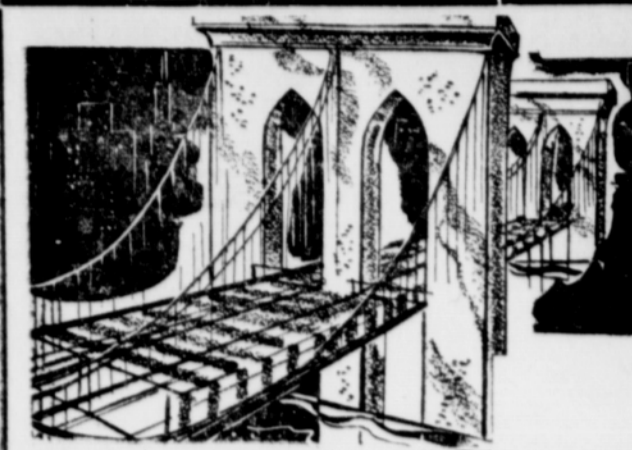
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Local Woman Urges Wider Use For Texas Anthem

Commemorating the 120th anniversary of the historic fight of a valiant band of Texans besieged at the Alamo, and attempting to foster patriotism and pride in Texas heritage, a statewide committee is encouraging greater use of the state anthem, "Texas, Our Texas".
 In Callahan County, Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, outstanding Texas Federated Club woman, is asking schools, civic groups and gatherings of every nature to join in frequent singing of the song.
 It is pointed out that "Texas, Our Texas" was chosen as the official state song by the legislature after a statewide contest, instituted by Governor Pat M. Neff, brought more than 1,000 entries. Words were written by Gladys Yeakum Wright and William J. Marsh, with the latter providing the music.
 Sam Driskill of Dallas is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Corrie Driskill.

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Missionary Society Met Monday

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met at the church Monday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. James Asbury, president, presiding.
 After the singing of two hymns Mrs. Virgil Hughes read the scripture lesson, using 1st Psalm. She also led the group in prayer.
 Mrs. Asbury gave a beautiful message on the book of Philimon and closed the meeting with prayer.
 A social hour followed with Mrs. R. L. Elliott and Mrs. Asbury serving refreshments to Mrs. Harry Berry, T. D. Boyd, E. C. Fulton, H. G. Markley, Joe McGowan, Virgil Hughes, V. F. Jones, George Jones and little Misses Shyri and Linda Alexander.

Eula Items
 Dorothy Ann Crook

The Eula boys basketball team will play the Arkansas Travelers March 7 at 7:30 at the Eula gym. This famous girls basketball team will challenge our boys and they will play boys rules.
 Texas Educational Week starts March 5. The teachers and students of Eula school cordially invite the parents and friends to visit in the class rooms and watch the children at work and at play.
 Miss Betty Diller, teacher of Home Economics at Eula, is taking four girls to the Area Future Homemakers of America meeting at Stephenville on Saturday March 3. The girls are Mary Beth Reynolds, president of the Eula FHA, Sandra Tarrant, Alice Marie Oates and Mary Grace Britton. The girls will leave early Saturday morning in order to attend the all-day meeting and will return to Eula late that afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Eck Farrar have a new baby daughter, Debra Lynn. She was born February 23, at 3:30 at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.
 Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hughes have a new baby daughter, Molly Jean. She was born February 19 at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Molly Jean is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards.
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McKee have a new baby daughter, Jan Marie. She was born February 13 at Houston.

MRS. JOHN BERRY ASKS WOMEN AND GIRLS TO BUY SAVINGS BONDS

"Be smart, be thrifty; buy United States savings bonds," says Mrs. John Berry, chairman of bond sales among women's and girls' groups for Callahan County. "Buy bonds now for a brighter tomorrow."

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avery of Detroit, Mich., are visiting relatives and friends in Baird and Abilene this week. Douglas is stationed with D Battery 99th AAA Battalion in Detroit. He will receive his discharge in 10 months.

Mrs. Gwin Honored On 80th Birthday

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. G. A. Gwin Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Millhorn. The dinner was enjoyed by all who attended.
 Mrs. Gwin was celebrating her 80th birthday, her birthday being on February 29.
 Attending from Clyde were: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Millhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Millhorn and Clarence Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warren, From Novice: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Patsy and Larry, From Lawn: Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Smith and Steve; from Coleman: Mr. and Mrs. Euell Gwin; from Kermit: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watson and Wanda and from Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warren.
 From Abilene were Betty Mae Millhorn, Wilma Millhorn, Joe Ross Millhorn, Mrs. Leola Peavy, Leo Johnson, Debby and David, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin and Sylvia, Mrs. John Sublett, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gwin and Carol Robinson.

Cottonwood News
 Hazel I. Respass

Mr. W. J. Evans of Clovis, New Mexico, visited with friends here Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood and daughter, Sharron, of Mineral Wells, visited Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Newberry and family last week.
 News came last week of the sudden death of Mrs. Jeff Davis of Stamford, age 30. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McCowen and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson attended the funeral Feb. 22. Mrs. Davis was the daughter of the late Jim Robinson.
 Mrs. F. W. Respass of Rising Star, and Miss Dixie Respass of Midland, visited here last Saturday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Roberts of Baird are staying a few days in the Edd Strahan home. Mrs. Roberts is recuperating from the flu.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hale of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swofford last Sunday.
 Mrs. Herman Heine gave a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Don Ballinger Monday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer were in Abilene last Saturday shopping and business.

PUTNAM CAGER ONE OF DISTRICT'S HIGH SCORERS

George Lee Ramsey of Putnam was one of the district high scorers during the basketball season just ended. The 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Ramsey will graduate this year and is expected to be in demand as a college prospect.
 In one game this year the prolific Putnam cager tallied 37 points. Until this year he had been a guard, however, the shift to the forward court served to quicken his scoring total. He was chosen on the all-district basketball team this year. He received honorable mention for the team at a guard slot last year.

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98 Attend Masons Event In Baird Last Wednesday

Truett Walton, vice-president of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, was principal speaker for the annual George Washington celebration of Baird Masons and their families, held in the recently innovated lodge hall on Market Street in Baird Wednesday night of last week. Olaf G. South, former Baird school superintendent, served as master of ceremonies.
 Music for the occasion was provided by Mrs. V. E. Hill and the LaCour children.
 At the conclusion of the formal program, refreshments were served to 98 people in the banquet room of the lodge building.

Auxiliary Plans Rummage Sale

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a rummage sale Saturday, May 5, at the Legion Hut. Any items anyone has to donate, the Auxiliary would be pleased to have. Nothing is too large or too small, and white elephant will sell.
 Mrs. Randall Jackson, president of the Auxiliary, is asking you to clean out your basement and attic and donate any unwanted items.
 The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held Monday, March 12 at 6:30 in the hut. Anyone eligible for membership is invited and all members are urged to attend this March 12 meeting.

Rowden Round-Up
 Thelda Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kline and Martha, of Fort Worth, spent the week end with Mrs. Jess Gibbs and Raymond.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lovell visited Mr. and Mrs. Cowan on the Owen ranch Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Crow had Saturday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Crow and Richie. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary in Coleman, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Junior Grider of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. John Adair Tuesday night.
 Mrs. John Adair visited Mrs. Odie Smedley Thursday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs one day last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Baird Wednesday night.
 Rev. and Mrs. Dan Applin and Ruth had Sunday dinner with the Lon Duncan family.

Girl Scout Banquet Held At Cafetorium

Thursday night, Feb. 23, 115 Girl Scouts, Brownies and their guests gathered in the Cafetorium for the second annual Father-Daughter banquet. The occasion is an affair when Girl Scouts of all part of the world observe Thinking Day, the birthday of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell, founders of the Girl Scout movement.

The tables were decorated in an international scouting theme with each table representing a different country. The decorations and place cards were made by Senior Troop No. 5 under the leadership of Mrs. Morgan Stokes and Mrs. Eddie Konczak.

The invocation was the Girl Scouts singing grace "Mealtime Is Here." Billie Ruth Walls of Troop 5 welcomed all the fathers and guests. Mrs. Carroll McGowan, mistress of ceremonies, introduced Frank Gardiner, who is finance chairman for the Heart of Texas area. He gave the response to the welcome. Mrs. McGowan introduced officers of the local Girl Scout Community Association: Mrs. S. L. McElroy, vice president; Mrs. A. A. Manion, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Frank Gardiner, organization chairman; Mrs. Morgan Stokes, training chairman; Mrs. J. D. Drennan, program chairman; and Mrs. L. L. Blackburn nominating chairman. This was followed by the introduction of her guest by each Brownie or Girl Scout.

The three Brownie troops said the Brownie Promise and sang the Brownie song. Brownie Troop 7, under direction of Mrs. Wilburn Carrico and Mrs. W. C. Gordon, did three-finger play. Brownie Troop No. 4, under leadership of Mrs. Raymond Corn and Mrs. Bill Henry presented a singing game.

The Brownie story was given as a puppet show by Brownie Troop 8, under direction of Mrs. D. A. Abernathy.

The Girl Scout Promise was given by 3 Girl Scout Troops. Troop 2, under direction of Mrs. McGowan and Mrs. Lloyd Jones gave the Girl Scout Laws and sang "Peace of the River." Troop 1, under leadership of Mrs. Drennan and Mrs. Gardiner gave a skit "A Place For Patsy."

The program closed with the singing of "Girl Scouts Together" followed by the entire group making the wishing circle and singing "Taps."

First Baptist Church

The Callahan Associational Brotherhood is meeting with the First Baptist Church March 6th, at 7:30 p. m. Dr. William O. Beazley of Hardin-Simmons University will be the guest speaker. The Brotherhood Chorus of Baird will present selected music. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.
 A cordial invitation is extended to all men of the community to attend.

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Cub Scout Annual Banquet Held Friday Night

Annual Blue and Gold banquet of the Baird Cub Scouts was held Friday night in the basement of the Methodist Church, in celebration of the 46th birthday of the Scouting movement.

Cubmaster Bill Walls, master of ceremonies, gave a brief history of cub scouting. The Scout movement was founded in England by Sir Robert Baden-Powell in 1908 and was brought to America by W. D. Boyce, who helped incorporate the Boy Scouts of America on February 8, 1910.

Mrs. Frank Windham was presented a certificate and a gift of crystal from the scouts in appreciation of service rendered in scout work in Baird the past few years.

Mr. Robert Adams, Scout executive of Coleman, presented to Vance Stephenson, committee chairman, the fifth charter for Pack 24. Adams announced that a training course for persons interested in Scouting work will be held in Baird on Thursday nights, March 8, 15 and 22. A committee from Coleman will conduct the course.

A number of awards were presented by Cubmaster Walls. Mack Sutphen received his Bobcat badge, and Lee Abernathy received his Webelos Badge. Wolf badges were presented to Jerry Dalton, Raymond O'Brian, Richie Crow, Richard Windham, Billy Seelig, Danny Steakley, Maxie Don Gordon, Thomas Robbins, Brent Hughes and Kelton Jones. Having completed achievements for Bear badges were Robert Martin and Scotty Mitchell. Arrow points were given to Jerry Dalton, Raymond O'Brian, Wallie Sorrells, Tommy Barton and Arnold Carroll for having done elective work.

Gold pins were presented to the following Den Mothers: Mrs. Vance Stephenson, Mrs. C. S. McGowan, Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs. Gilmer Hughes, Mrs. R. D. Dalton, Mrs. W. C. Gordon, Mrs. V. L. Robbins, Mrs. Will Seelig and Mrs. Frank Windham.

Miniature scout badges were awarded committeemen Vance Stephenson, Dan Steakley, John Bowius, Sterling Abernathy, Curtis Sutphen, Frankie Crow, Tom Barton and Hubert Ross.

Service pins for one year or more of work completed in Cub Scouts were presented to Gary Abernathy, Donny Atwood, Jimmy Drennan, Ben Preston Ste-

phenson, Lynn Gleghorn, Scotty Mitchell, Lee Abernathy, Johnny Bowius, Arnold Carroll and Danny Ross.

A beautifully decorated, three-tiered birthday cake, baked by Mrs. Gilmer Hughes, was served to the approximately 100 persons present.

Special guests recognized were Cubmaster and Mrs. Mervin Eager of Clyds, and Assistant Scoutmaster Fred Thompson of Baird.

Clyde Student on McMurtry Honor Roll

Gloria Forester, student at McMurtry College, was on the honor roll for the fall semester, according to Jerome Vannov, registrar. The honor roll is made up of the upper 10 percent of all regular students. Grade averages of the 65 students who made the honor roll ranged from 91 to 95.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Avery and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Avery and family of Dallas; Mrs. Doris Seals, Brenda Kay and Mikey, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Avery Jr., of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Parks, Stevie and Bob, were visitors in the G. C. Avery home last Sunday.

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Awards Given Pep Leaders

Awards were presented Tuesday morning in assembly to the cheerleaders and basketball girls of Baird High School.

Mrs. Frankie Crow, pep club sponsor, presented sweaters to Mary Brown, senior and head cheerleader, who holds the honor of having been chosen to lead the yells at Baird high the past four years, Beth Welch, senior, cheerleader for two years, Jackie Stanley, junior, and Nancy Bryant, sophomore, cheerleader for one year.

Receiving sweaters for having lettered two years in basketball were Captains Ramona Cummings and Ethlyn Tabor, seniors, Toby Barton and Dorothy Schaffrina, juniors. Receiving letters for the first time were sophomores Janette McPherson and Janis Abernathy, all-district guard. Bettye Smith, who lettered her first year, received a silver basketball since she had received a Band sweater earlier in the year. Mary Brown also lettered in basketball, but no student is allowed to receive more than one letter during a school year.

The basketball awards were

also made by Mrs. Crow, girls' coach.

Marvin C. Weed, Jr., who has been stationed at San Diego Naval Base, has recently been named to attend radar school and receive special training. Marvin is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed. He entered the service January 17.

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