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STEVE DEFOSS

BEARS & BEARETTES DEFEAT ALBANY IN DISTRICT CLASH—The Baird Bears slipped past the Albany Lions here Friday night 48-47. Jesse Aguirre netted two points in the final 4 seconds of the game to pave the way to victory. Zane Wright was high pointer with 12 points, followed by Alan Bohannon and Donny Stovall with 10 apiece.

Kerry Skinner, pictured above, drives in against an Albany defender.

The Bearettes clipped Albany 53-47 Friday. Jan Higgins led the scoring attack with 18 points. She is shown above as she jumps high over an Albany defender for the rebound. Tonya Goodman, #34, assists.

McElroy Sells Dry Good Store

BAIRD-S.L. McElroy, longtime Baird businessman, sold his dry goods store to Carroll and Evelyn Gillit of Baird last week. The Gillits took over the operation of the store last Tuesday.

Mr. McElroy opened a dry good store in a building in the block next to the Baird depot April 1, 1928. He operated his business at that location until Feb. 1, 1929 when he bought and moved into the present location of McElroy's.

He was born in Sabine County in 1887, and attended Houston Business College in 1908. After living in Sealsby, he located in Ovalo and opened a dry goods store in 1921. He married Evelyn Beatrice Moore July, 1922. All in all, Mr. McElroy has been involved in the dry goods business for 56 years.

He was one of the founders of the Callahan County Club, which later became the Baird Chamber of Commerce. He was a major force in building Baird Lake and making arrangements for the construction of Callahan County hospital and the train overpass bridge outside of town. He served on the City Council for 6 years and is a charter member of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, Shady Oaks Recreation Center and the Baird

Booster Club.

Mr. McElroy stated that he has enjoyed serving the people of Baird, Clyde and the surrounding area, and would like to extend his thanks to everyone for their loyal patronage.

The new owners, Carroll and Evelyn Gillit, are both graduates of Callahan County Schools. Mr. Gillit graduated from Baird in 1949, and his wife is a 1949 graduate of Putnam High School. The couple has lived in Baird for 10 years and have two daughters, Donna Lance of Sudan and Judy of Lubbock and one son, Dana, a sophomore at Baird High School.

Carroll is employed at Oil Well, a division of U.S. Steel, in Abilene, and has been there for 5 years. Mrs. Gillit has worked for L.C. Cash, County School Superintendent, for the past 6½ years.

The new owners are busy restocking McElroy's at the present time. They will be carrying the same lines of merchandise, but will be adding a younger line of clothes.

Longtime employees, Lyndall Andrews, Lorene Kirby and Lela Mae Higgins will continue working at the store. Lyndall has worked at McElroy's for 28 years, Lorene, 12 and Lela Mae, 20.

Newly Opened Business Burglarized In Baird

BAIRD—"Waterbed Kingdom", located in downtown Baird, was burglarized early Sunday morning. According to owner Virginia Tollett, the incident occurred sometime between 4 and 8 a.m.

Burglars gained entry by prying the back door open, and slipping inside. A number of double, queen and king size waterbed comforters, mattress pads and sheets were the only items taken from the recently opened store. The intruders apparently stripped the showroom beds during their visit. Comforters hanging on a rack were not bothered, and only one set of sets was taken from the display rack.

To enter the showroom, the burglars

had to travel thru a workshop and an office. However, nothing was bothered or removed from either room.

A macrame hanger containing a black wrought iron horseshoe was taken from the showroom. However, in their haste, the burglars dropped the hanger at the back of the store.

Mrs. Tollett hoped that fingerprints could be taken to help lead to the culprits.

Chief Deputy Ed Duncan and Constable Glen Curtis investigated the incident.

The Tolletts are offering a \$50 reward to anyone who can help lead to the arrest and conviction of the burglars.

Baird CofC Breakfast Meeting January 25

BAIRD-The Baird Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual membership meeting Thursday, Jan. 25, in the form of a breakfast.

All members are invited to come to the chamber building to eat breakfast at 6:45 a.m. January 25. A short business session will follow.

This is a very important meeting since several board of director positions need

to be filled.

A drawing will also be held during the breakfast. A name will be selected from a pot containing all chamber members. If the person selected is present, he will receive \$75. So make plans to attend now!

If you plan to attend, please contact the Baird Chamber of Commerce at 4-1700, to let us know how much food to prepare.



CELEBRATES 97TH BIRTHDAY—Thola Hartman Mackey, a resident of Golden Holiday Care Center, celebrated her 97th birthday recently. She was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Hartman in Coleman Jan. 12, 1882. She lived in Baird in Callahan County most of her life, and was a housewife. Mrs. Mackey has one son, H.R. McCauley of Hobbs, N.M., and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Baird Junior High Makes Clean Sweep

BAIRD-Baird made a clean sweep of all four junior high basketball

Letter to Editor:

Dear Editor
Callahan County Star
Baird, Texas

Ten days before the birth date of Christ President Carter announces to the American people that he is recognizing the godless murders of atheistic Red China and severs relations with America's faithful honorable christian friends on Taiwan.

President Carter claims to be a "born again Christian". How can he justify his actions in view of the following scripture II Corinthians 6, 14-15? "Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? And what communion hath light with darkness? And what concord hath Christ with Belial? Or what part hath he that believeth with an infidel?"

Then according to the Dallas Morning News President Carter attended Plains Baptist Church Christmas Eve praying "Receive our thanks this Christmas season for the birth of thy son who came on Earth to teach and live a life which we all need to emulate."

How could a truly "born again Christian" fraternize with these atheistic rulers of main land China and then abandon and betray those helpless Christian people waiting to be delivered from their oppressors?

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games with Cross Plains Monday, January 15. The seventh grade girls blasted Cross Plains 43-9. Three players scored in double figures to lead the Baird team to victory. Missy Higgins led all scorers with 16 points. Tresa Hatcher added 13 points, and Beth Ringhoffer contributed 10 points. Baird's seventh grade boys also outscored Cross Plains 42-4. Billy Deel netted 14 points. Chris Graham and Ronnie Casey each scored 12 points. Ben Mendez rounded out the scoring with 8 points.

The Baird eighth grade girls crushed Cross Plains 36-9. Esther Mendez sank 5 field goals and 2 free shots to lead the girls with 12 points. Jill Holland scored 8 points while Tonya Shuffield and Paula Fears each contributed 4 points. Kim Austin, Lisa Perryman, Chris Silba each scored 2 points. Scott Norman's 10 points led Baird's eighth grade boys to a 26-16 win over Cross Plains. Mark Allen scored 8 points. Alan Tatum netted 6 points, and Jay Moore scored 2 points.

The eighth grade teams will play in the Anson Junior High Tournament this weekend, January 18, 19 and 20. The girls play Hawley at 3:00 Thursday. The eighth grade boys play Hawley at 4:00 Thursday. The next district game will be with Hamlin on January 22. Action will begin at 4:00 p.m. in Hamlin.

High School Girls Baird Students Beat Albany on ASU List

BAIRD-The high school varsity girls beat Albany Friday night. The final score was Baird, 53, Albany, 47. Jan Higgins was high pointer with 18 points. Jan was also the leading rebounder with 11 rebounds.

The whole team had a great desire to win this game, and everyone on the team contributed to this victory.

Vicki McWilliams

Baird Nursing Home

BAIRD — Helen MacDonald, Vida Hill, Cortez Shanks, Ella Mae James, Ila Shrader and Dorothy Key were here Tuesday for our afternoon music. Thank you ladies for a most

enjoyable program.

Carl Tyler and Lula Lunsford are in our local hospital.

Our new resident is Mrs. Pearl (Berry) Gaines. We are pleased to have her here. I know she has lots of friends here in Baird who will want to come visit her.

Adna Walker, Edna Whitt, Fred Farmer, Pearl Sharp and Elsa Green enjoyed playing dominoes with Norma West and Ila Shrader Thursday afternoon.

Delia Young and Myrtle Gunn were high winners in Bingo Friday. Others playing and winning were Jack Tatum, Eliska Gilliland, Fred Farmer, Elsa Green, Pearl Sharp and Edda Saddler.

Merlyn Jones taught our Sunday school class Sunday morning. We have all missed Helen Brown playing the piano for our singing since she has been ill.

The First Baptist Church members were in charge of our Sunday afternoon church service.

Baird Man's Father Dies

ABILENE — David W. Parkhill, 54, of Abilene, was found dead about 8:15 a.m. Monday by his wife at home. Services were at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday.

The Rev. Wilson Estes, pastor of Bethel Temple Church, officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park.

Born Oct. 21, 1924, in Crowell, he moved to Abilene from Slaton in 1957. He owned and operated a service station until 1959 when he was employed by Reliable Insurance. He was associated with Southwestern General Insurance from 1969 until 1976, when he became a real estate salesman with Regal Realty.

Survivors include his wife, Roberta; three sons, Bobby of Hurst, David of Baird and Lynn of Bay City; three brothers, Odell of Arizona, Cecil of Canyon and Paul of Slaton; three sisters, Jane of Hereford, Vannie of Hobbs, N.M., and Mug of Corpus Christi; and four grandsons.

BAIRD-Two Baird area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at the university.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Sheila Ann Smauley, an accounting major, and Lindy Ann Williams, a medical technology major.

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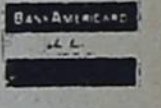
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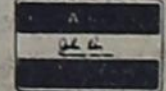
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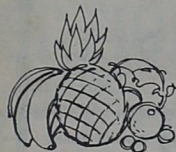
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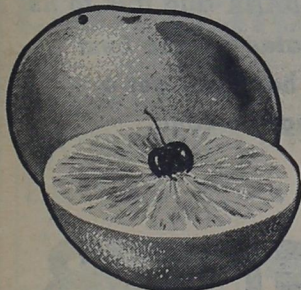


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Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN—"Another One Coming", could be the title of a popular song these days - but it's really only a reminder that another cold spell is on the way.

January has been filled with icy northerners that have kept the temperatures below freezing more days than not.

Wednesday's norther did supply some needed moisture for this area which was appreciated.

There's not even time to get a family washing

out on the line these days. Last Friday warmed up with some wonderful sunshine.

"Another One Coming" hit with icy cold winds Sat. which sent thermometers down below 20 degrees that day and even lower on Sunday. We can be thankful that most of our people are well. Colds made the rounds after the Christmas holidays but most are doing fine now.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason attended the Taylor County Livestock show in Abilene Friday and Saturday. They were there with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Leverts and son Shannon who was showing his pigs.

Mrs. Tommie Harris visited her mother, Mrs. Ivon Odom, in Cross Plains Friday morning.

Mrs. Warren Price reported their only visitors last week were Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde.

Mrs. Opal Steele of

Clyde accompanied the Tony Steele family to Desdemona where they visited in the Lee Jernigan home.

Mrs. James Reynolds visited with Mrs. Leila Gibbs Saturday afternoon. Other visitors during the week were Mrs. Tony Steele and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom were in Clyde Saturday afternoon visiting in the Charles Palmer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of Lubbock spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price attended the funeral of Henry McDonald in Baird last Tuesday.

Christine Bower of Abilene spent Sunday with Mrs. Ray Boen.

Garden Club Meets January 9

BAIRD-The Baird Garden Club met January 9 in the home of Mrs. B.O. Brame, with Mrs. B.H. Freeland as co-hostess.

16 members enjoyed delicious refreshments at the beginning of the meeting. Mrs. Brame displayed a Gizzard plant for the flower of the month.

The subject of the discussion was: Conservation-Trees. The history of Arbor Day was given by Isadore Grimes. Mrs. R.D. Williams told of the "Blessing of Trees & "Trees" by Joyce Kilmer was read by Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Arbor Day in Texas is the 3rd Friday in January. All Garden Clubs encourage the planting of trees, the date this year is Jan. 19. The Baird Garden Club plans to plant a tree in Bell Park at a later date.

Mrs. Dee Young presided for a business meeting. Officers elected for the year 1979-80 are as follows: Mrs. Young, President; Mrs. Ivey, 1st Vice President; Mrs. I.E. Warren, 2nd Vice President; Mrs. H.A. Hunt, Secretary; Mrs. H.W. McKennon, Treasurer; Miss Grimes, Reporter.

The next Garden Club meeting will be at the Presbyterian Annex with Mrs. McKennon and Mrs. A.A. Manion as hostesses on Feb. 6, 1979.

FFA Chapter Has Guests Jan. 15

BAIRD - The regular meeting of the Baird FFA Chapter was held Monday night January 15, 1978.

This meeting was very special for the members of the chapter. The Callahan County Sheriff's Department consisting of Sheriff Bill Skinner and deputies Ed Duncan, Jess Henley, Terry Adtison and constable Glen Curtis were present at the meeting. Highway patrolman Sparky Dean was also present. Each gave specific explanation of how their job corresponded with the highway patrol and the city of Clyde, Baird and Cross Plains police department. They also explained what their specific job was and the job training they went through.

The FFA Chapter en-

joyed their comments very much and would like to give their thanks and appreciation to all of the members of the Sheriff's department and highway patrolman Sparky Dean.

High school superintendent Bill Gunn and principal Gerald Jennings also attended the meeting.

After the meeting, char-


coal broiled hamburgers were served to 26 FFA members, the guests and Ag teacher Dick Vestal. Davy Vestal, Reporter



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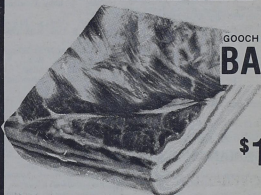
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HOSPITAL NOTES

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Kate Allen
Della Baucom
Donna Barnett
Leona Harris
Robert Swinson
Annie Burton
Jackie Mendez
Rachael Saiz
Martha Jones
Anna Hamilton
Alfy Northcutt
Elmer Beeman
Thelma LaFoy

The following persons were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Annie Murray
Carol White
Maggie Allman
Odessa Ground
Annie Wood

Brenda Brown
Maggie Ault
Elizabeth Rodriguez
Ron Young
Ruby Landrum
Neal Inman
Maxine Ray
Ron Garrett
John Bowlus
Nell Mobley
Kelly Nigar & baby girl

County Towns Receive Checks

AUSTIN—State Comptroller Bob Bullock said the January allocation of the local option one percent sales tax to Texas cities will exceed 18.1 million.

County towns receiving checks included: Clyde, \$1,193.40 and Cross Plains, \$1,735.12.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Judge Mack Kniffen presiding:

CRIMINAL DOCKET:
Roger Glenn Porter, DWI

Gary T. Beggs, speeding
Carl Ray Reynolds, speeding

Enrique Caballero, speeding
Bill Walters, theft of property by check

Alan Holland Teed, speeding
Lin Trenton Barker, speeding

Harry Paul Volantz, speeding

MARRIAGE LICENSES:
Donald Wayne Black, Clyde, & Ruby Charlene Black, Clyde

Harry McCoy Bracy, Clyde, & Lillie Ruth Williams, Baird

CRIMINAL MINUTES:
Melinda B. Watts, illegal parking, \$10 fine

Thomas L. Schroeder, illegal parking, \$36
Monica D. Vivial, illegal parking, \$25 fine

Charles K. Johnson, illegal parking, \$56 fine
Eugene Stephen Pitts, illegal parking, \$36 fine

Landra B. Wilson, illegal parking, \$25 fine
Donnie Wood Young, illegal parking, \$32 fine

James Kellett Graham, illegal parking, \$50 fine
Ricardo Ricky Zamorz, DWI, motion to revoke probation.

James Monroe Long, DWI, \$57 cc., \$300 fine, 30 days in jail, 12 mos. probation.

Roger Glenn Porter, DWI, \$57 cc., \$300 fine, 30 days in jail, 12 mos. probation.

Arthur Dowison Kelly, DWI, \$57 cc., \$300 fine, 30 days in jail, 12 mos. probation.

Clyde Sisco, carrying a prohibited weapon, \$200 fine plus \$55 cc.

Patrick Kuntz, illegal parking, \$25.50

Cameron Hartson, illegal parking, \$28.00 fine
Wesley Wayne Odell, illegal parking, \$30 fine

Gary T. Beggs, illegal parking, \$10 fine
Dan D. Dillingham, illegal parking, \$10 fine

Carl Ray Reynolds, illegal parking, \$36 fine
Joe Poe, illegal parking, \$25 fine.

William Robert Johnson, illegal parking, \$25 fine.
Chester Lee Tyra, Jr., illegal parking, \$25 fine.

Jerry Lynn Covey, failure to appear, \$57 cc, \$38 fine.

Burran W. Wrinkle, speeding, \$34 fine plus \$57 cc.

Thomas L. Schroeder, motion to set aside the complaint

Charles E. Wilson, Jr., DWI, \$350 fine.
Jeffrey Ellig, illegal parking, \$25 fine.

John Harkin O'Neal, Jr., illegal parking, \$25 fine.
42ND DISTRICT COURT

Judge Don Lane presiding:

CIVIL DOCKET:
Grabiell Rodriguez & Starr Annette Rodriguez, divorce

Debra Sue Havner & Michael Wesley Havner, divorce

Powers Well Service Inc. vs. Seago Oil Co., unpaid account.

Sandra Joyce Perrault & James William Perrault, divorce

TAX ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

NEW VEHICLES:
Veta Alexander, Coleman, 79 Pont. 4 dr.

Musselman Pet. & Land Co., Austin, 79 Chev. Blazer.

Marion P. Rice, Abilene, 79 Chev. Sub.

SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY
Enchiladas, pinto beans, greens, pickles, bread, fruit cobbler & milk.

TUESDAY
Turkey noodles, green beans, pickles, creamed potatoes, hot rolls, jelly, applesauce & milk.

WEDNESDAY
Beef-a-roni, green peas, tossed salad, bread, jello; & milk.

THURSDAY
Pizza, mixed vegetables, salad, fruit plums & milk.

FRIDAY
Hamburgers, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, baked beans, chips, ice cream & milk.

BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY
Cereal, milk, fruit.

TUESDAY
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William Caton Dies Tuesday

CLYDE—William B. Caton, 72, of Clyde died at 4 a.m. Tuesday at a Clyde nursing home. Services are pending.

Born Nov. 4, 1906, in Seville, Tenn., he was a farmer in Hamby for most of his life. He married Lillie Box in Abilene in 1936. He attended school in Potosi.

Mrs. Caton died in 1965. Survivors include four sons, Thomas and Bryan, both of Rt. 1, Abilene, Richard of Tyler and Forest of Lubbock; a daughter Jane Watts of Odessa; a sister, Olive Cook of Denver, Colo.; two brothers, Jack and Vilmer, both of Arkansas; and six grandchildren.

January Brings Ice & Cold to Eula

EULA-January has certainly been a bad month. Lots of ice and cold weather, lots of pipes frozen up, but no one was hurt in this community. Several got in the ditch. Sure been hard on livestock grazing covered with ice. Farmers and ranchers are having to feed hay and cubes. Cattle are sure high. Not unusual for cattle to bring \$500.00 to \$600.00 a pair. I think if we are going to have very many vegetables, we better get ground prepared for a garden.

Mr. F.A. Strickling is home from the hospital after spending a few days with an ear infection.

Sorry to lose a good friend, Mr. Marion Jolly, last week. Our sympathy goes to his berieved ones.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Farmer for New Years were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solio and Kory and Mrs. Marcos, Mr. and Mrs. Donny Gotchen of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kennedy of Amarillo, Sandra and Kris Gohl of San Anith, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Winford Gardner and family of Eula.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson visited Mrs. Pidge Miller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lov-ing of Abilene visited Mrs.

Minnie Loving Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Black visited Rev. and Mrs. David Black and little daughter of Miami where David is pastor of United Methodist there.

Mrs. Vivian Witte and little daughter visited Mrs. Cynthia and Rose Farmer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Miller and David of Houston visited Mrs. M.E. Miller as he was moving from Houston to Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peay visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Peay of Ft. Worth, the past week.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Downing to our community. They have bought the Winford Gardner house near Eula Store and moved in during the past few days. Ronnie was hurt several months ago and is unable to work.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Casey and family, who is pastor of Baptist Church of Forgan, Okla. visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Milliorn and family during the holidays.

Spencer Farmer hasn't been feeling very good and will be having some

tests run this week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reo Jolly for lunch Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dick and Dedie of Abilene, Maud Hanniford of South Carolina and her daughter of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Edwards and Mrs. Hazel Cole of Eula.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Rister visited his mother, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Cannon of Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Loyd of Tulsa, Okla. visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wright and family the past week.

Mrs. M.E. Miller was a dinner guest of Mrs. Cynthia and Rose Farmer Sunday.

Clyde Man's Sister Dies

ABILENE-Martha Ann Petty, 86, of Abilene, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Hendrick Medical Center. Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday.

The Rev. H.B. Terry, officiated. Burial was in Fort Chadbourne Cemetery near Bronte.

Born April 20, 1892, in Goldthwaite, she grew up and attended school there. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Alldredge. She married Pearl Petty July 6, 1913, in Robert Lee. They lived at Fort Chadbourne, where Mr. Petty was a farmer. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

She had lived with her Sister, Mrs. Doc Anderson,

and her niece, Dr. Kay Anderson, of Abilene since Sept. 6, 1978, due to ill health.

Mr. Petty died July 30, 1970.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Anderson of Abilene and Ruth Adair of Lamesa; three brothers, Cayce Alldredge of Clyde and Benton and Roy Alldredge, both of Goldthwaite; and several nieces and nephews, including Dr. Kay Anderson of Abilene.



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John Oliver Succumbs Mon.

CROSS PLAINS — John Frank Oliver, 75, of Big Spring died early Monday morning in Paul Bennett Hospital in Big Spring after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

Audy Moore, minister of North Main Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born Feb. 27, 1903, in Cross Plains, he had lived in Big Spring for the past 30 years and formerly lived at Baird. He was a retired railroad engineer, having worked for the T&P Railroad Co. for more than 40 years.

Survivors include four half sisters, Beulah Matley of Needles, Calif., Lela Taylor and Margaret Leech, both of San Pablo, Calif., and Idelia Haigin of Temple, Ariz.; a half brother, W.H. Oliver Jr. of Riff, Okla.; his step-mother, Mrs. W.H. Oliver Sr. of Temple, Ariz.; five foster daughters, Bea Kirkeny of Fresno, Calif., Linda Sarinana of Big Spring, Aggie Padillo, Nancy Coker and Belinda Settles, all of Amarillo; a foster son, Manuel Saso Jr. of Big Spring; 15 foster grandchildren; a foster great-grandchild; four aunts and an uncle.

Clyde Man's Sister Dies

ABILENE-Olga Quattlebaum, 83, of Abilene died at 3:30 p.m. Monday in Care Inn after a lengthy illness. Services are pending.

Born July 27, 1895, in Content, she married Roy Quattlebaum Nov. 25, 1920 in Abilene. She had lived here most of her life and was a housewife. She was a member of Capps Baptist Church.

Mr. Quattlebaum preceded her in death.

Survivors include two daughters, Doris Quattlebaum and Jean L. Mallon both of Rt. 3, Abilene; a son, Bill of Lubbock; a sister, Ona Parker of Abilene; a brother, Ben Parker of Clyde; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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PUTNAM-Old Man Winter still holds his grip on the Putnam community. The thermometer plunged to 8 degrees this morning. We are thankful for the sunshine! We missed the ice and snow that hit many places yesterday.

We are sorry to report that two of our citizens are in Abilene hospitals, following surgery. Mrs. George Weeks entered West Texas Medical Center last week and underwent surgery. At last report, she is doing nicely.

Mrs. Burette (Jonnie Mae) Ramsey entered Hendrick Hospital Friday and underwent emergency surgery. She is in serious condition.

The bad weather has kept most everyone at home all week, therefore news is scarce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett of Breckenridge spent

the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ollie Burnam. Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower and children of Coleman were also weekend visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Carter of Vernon spent the weekend with her mother

and sister, Mrs. Veda Yarbrough and Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre.

Mrs. Ruie Sunderman came home last week after a 3 weeks visit with Dr. and Mrs. Frank Sunderman of Sinton. She came to Ft. Worth and visited with

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sunderman before coming home.

Mrs. Stella Hughes of Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Collinsworth of Jacksboro are here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey. They are staying at Abilene most of

the time with Johnnie Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Keesler of Abilene visited the John Pettys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Weatherford visited his mother, Mrs. R.B. Taylor Sunday. We went to Abilene for lunch.

The musical at the school house was well attended despite the cold. We appreciate all the musicians coming.

Mrs. R.B. Taylor spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Fred Heyser at Baird.

Registration at CJC Extended

CISCO—Registration at Cisco Junior College and all of its off-campus extension locations will be extended through January 26, Registrar Olin Odom has reminded all area residents.

Although classes will begin Monday, January 15, there will be no problem at all in registering anytime between now and January 26.

Students should, however, register as soon as possible so that they will miss a

minimum of class time.

Students may register at the main campus at Cisco, at the Clyde Educational Center, or at the Community College Center of Abilene at anytime during regular office hours of 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Also, students may register for classes in any of the locations at any of the three offices - Cisco, Clyde or Abilene.

More information may be obtained by contacting Odom at Cisco Junior College, at 817-442-2567.

Paul Stevens Graduates

CLYDE-Navy Fire Control Technician Third Class Paul D. Stevens, son of James A. and Mary L. Stevens of Rt. 3, Clyde, was graduated from Fire Control Technician School.

During the 23-week course at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., he received instruction on the electronic weapons systems installed aboard current U.S. warships. He studied the operating principles and procedures of radar, digital computers and related shipboard equipment used to control the firing of guns, missiles and torpedoes.

A 1977 graduate of Clyde High School, he joined the Navy in January 1978.

Baird Cemetery Assn. Donations

BAIRD-Contributions to the Baird Cemetery Association Inc. endowment fund for October, November and December 1978 amounted to \$1,023.50 by the following:

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Thank you to those who have contributed and to those who have not, may we urge you to be concerned about the maintenance of Ross Cemetery and its Annex by making your contribution soon.

Baird M.F.T. To Meet Jan. 25

BAIRD - The Baird M.F.T. will meet at 7 p.m. January 25 in the school cafeteria.

Mrs. Vestal will present the program which will consist of a safety film of posters drawn by her class in cooperation with the Department of Public Safety.

If sufficient interest is shown at the meeting, a drug awareness program will be initiated for adults.

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Jan. 26	Roscoe	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
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Baird Basketball Dates Re-Scheduled

BAIRD-Inclimate weather has led to many cancellations in connection with Baird basketball engagements.

The Baird Junior High tournament has been tentatively re-scheduled for February 8, 9 and 10. The tourney was originally slated for January 11, 12 & 13. The Junior High District Basketball

Tournament that was scheduled for Feb. 8, 9 and 10 has been moved to Feb. 15, 16 and 17.

In varsity action, the original Jan. 5 encounter between Baird and Hamlin will be played this Thursday, Jan. 18, in Baird, beginning at 6:30 p.m. There will be no "B" team games.

Harlow Rites Held Monday

CROSS PLAINS-Victoria Thorn Harlow, 88, longtime resident of Cross Plains and Abilene, died at 11 a.m. in the Shady Oak Lodge in Abilene after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Bill Reed, First United Methodist pastor, officiated. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born Nov. 23, 1890, in Boonesville, Miss., she moved to Abilene from Cross Plains 22 years ago. She married Willie Franklin Harlow Jan. 3, 1909. She was a member of the Methodist Church. Her husband, a son and a daughter preceded her in death.

Survivors include three daughters, Marie Freeman, Kathey Hamilton and Billie Harlow, all of Abilene; two sisters, Mrs. Flem

Johnson of Cross Plains and Mrs. Jessie Westerman of Brownwood; a brother, Marvin Thorn of Putnam; and five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Screening Clinic In Clyde Jan. 29

CLYDE-The Texas Department of Health, Region 4 will hold a Screening Clinic at the Lions Club Bldg., Clyde, Texas on January 29, 1979. Clinic hours are from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Screening services offered will be for:

1. Diabetes
2. High Blood Pressure
3. Anemia
4. Immunization (Immunization Records Required)
5. Urinalysis
6. Height & Weight

If further follow-up examinations are needed, the individual will be referred to his private physician or other appropriate resources. Counseling and educational services are available.

The public is invited to attend and there will be no charge for these services.

A nursing clinic will be held every other month at the same time and location.



The word "cheerful" is said to come from the Latin cara, meaning "face."

Clyde FFA Stock Show January 27

CLYDE-The Clyde FFA Stock Show has been scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 27, at the school farm building. All types of livestock judging except poultry will begin at 9:30 a.m.

All swine must be tested for pseudo-

rabies and the Clyde Veterinary Clinic will be doing the testing free at the farm building at 9:30 a.m. Jan. 18. There will be pens available for those who wish to bring their swine in and leave them overnight for the testing.

Shady Oaks Meeting Thursday

COUNTY-The Shady Oaks annual membership meeting will be held this Thursday, January 18, at 7:30 p.m.

at the center. All members are urged to attend.

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COUNTY Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 Baird Sr. Citizens	3 Baird Sr. Citizens Shady Oaks Ladies luncheon Lions Club-6 p.m. Water District Board Meeting	4 Putnam Sr. Citizens Baird Fire Dept. Anson J.V. Tourney	5 Mother's Day Out-1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Anson J.V. Tourney Baird Varsity vs. Hamlin, Here 6 p.m.	6 Anson J.V. Tourney
7 ATTEND CHURCH	8 Co. Commissioners Corinne Blackburn Club	9 Baird vs. Hawley, there 4 p.m. Baird Sr. Citizens City Council-6 p.m. Special Clyde CJC Educational Center Registration 9-4 6-8	10 Baird Sr. Citizens Eula Sunshine Circle-Witte home Special Clyde CJC Educational Center Registration 9-4 6-8	11 Putnam Sr. Citizens Baird Jr. High Tourney	12 Mother's Day Out-1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Baird vs. Albany, here 4 p.m. Baird Junior High Tourney	13 Baird Junior High Tourney
14 ATTEND CHURCH	15	16 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird vs. Breck., there, 5 p.m.	17 Baird Sr. Citizens Lions Club-6 p.m.	18 Putnam Sr. Citizens B&PW Club	19 Mother's Day Out 1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Baird vs. Jim Ned, here, 4 p.m.	20
21 ATTEND CHURCH	22	23 Baird Sr. Citizens City Council-6 p.m. Baird vs. Rotan, there, 4 p.m.	24 Baird Sr. Citizens	25 Baird CofC Quarterly Breakfast 6:45 a.m. Putnam Sr. Citizens	26 Mother's Day Out, 1st Baptist Church, 9:30-3 Baird vs. Roscoe, here, 4 p.m.	27
28 ATTEND CHURCH	29	30 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird vs. Hamlin, there 4 p.m.	31 Baird Sr. Citizens	FOR AMBULANCE CALL 893-5754 or 854-1310. IF NO ANSWER, CALL 893-5785 - Clyde Police Dept. or 854-1444 - Sheriff's Dept. - Baird		

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