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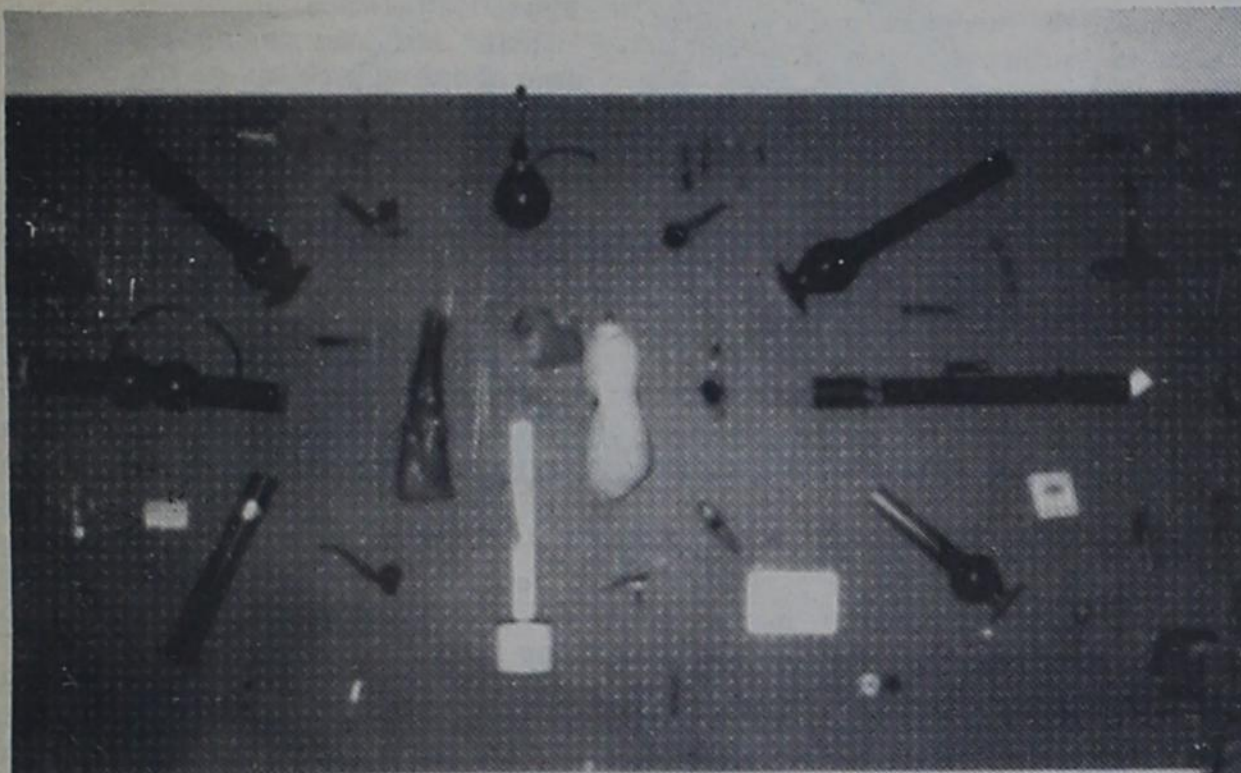
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SHERIFF'S DISPLAY—Pictured is the bulletin board created by Sheriff Bill Skinner. This bulletin board maintains confiscated drug related articles. The articles show the extent and effort that drug participants are adapting to partake in the illegal possession and use of criminal narcotics.

Drug Paraphernalia on Display at Sheriff's Office

The Callahan County Sheriff's Department has an interesting display in their office in the Courthouse. Sheriff Skinner has put on display some of the drug paraphernalia used in drug activity. The Sheriff's purpose for the display was to introduce and make familiar to the public some of the drug related articles. The expense and effort that some of the participants in drug partaking are harvesting is in every way a real problem.

The bulletin board contains basically "hash" and marijuana pipes and clips.

"Hash" or hashish is a mixture of Indian hemp plants chopped and sometimes cooked in a drug mixture and dried and then smoked like tobacco or chewed; whereas, marijuana is the dried leaves of the marijuana plant. Clips are used to suppress the end of a "joint" or marijuana cigarette, like a filter and is also used as a holding device so the cigarette will not burn the fingers of the smoker.

Some of these devices are really creative but for an illegal purpose.

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Baird Schools Enrollment Up 68 In Two Years

Enrollment has been increasing slowly at Baird Public Schools for the past four years. In 1976-77 enrollment was 289 in Kindergarten through the eighth grades and 145 in High School for a total enrollment of 434. This was an increase of 31 over the previous year. This year there are 320 students enrolled in kindergarten through the eighth grade and 151 in High School for a total of 471. This is

an increase of 37 or total increase of 68 in the past two years.

This year kindergarten has 37 students enrolled; first grade, 41 students; second grade, 30 students; third grade, 33 students; fourth grade, 37 students; fifth grade, 32 students; sixth grade, 29 students; seventh grade, 46 students; eighth grade, 35 students; 48 freshmen; 39 sophomores; 33 juniors and 31 seniors; all enrolled in the Baird Public Schools.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR—

Marcia Voigts has been chosen by the Baird Chamber of Commerce as the personality profile story for this week's issue of the Callahan County Star. "Know Your Neighbor" is an article to introduce individuals to residents of Callahan County.

Marcia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Petty of Cross Plains and is employed at the Callahan General Hospital as Head of Medical Records. She has been working at the hospital for one and a half years. She is in charge of all the medical records, updates, and the doctor's dictation.

Born on November 21, 1948, in Brownwood, Marcia was reared in Cross Plains and Baird.

Marcia's husband, Bob, is employed at the State Highway Department. They have two children, Bobby Jr., age 9 and Lori Lynn, age 7.

Marcia graduated Baird High School in 1967 as salutatorian and attended nursing school in Mineral Wells. She plans to become accredited by the American Medical Records association in April.

She is presently taking courses to prepare for the state board exam.

Marcia is a member of the First Methodist Church in Baird and is a member of the Hospital Auxillary.

Marcia likes sports, especially football.

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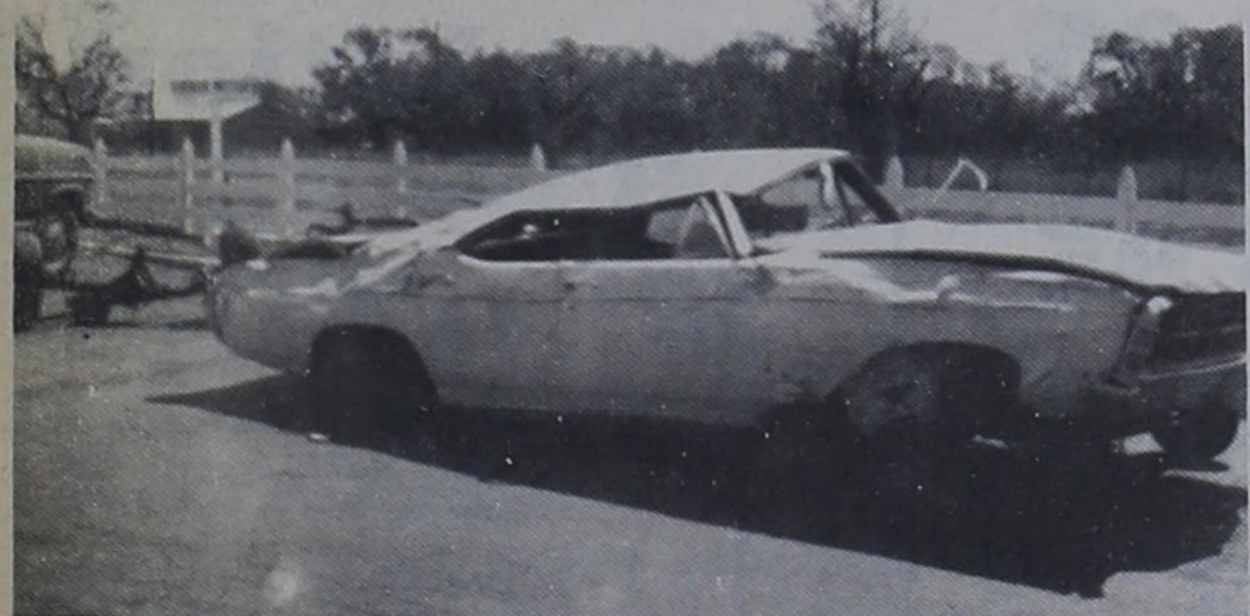
Shady Oaks Hosts Golf, Luncheon

The Shady Oaks Recreation Association will host a Florida Scramble and dinner for both men and women on October 16th, Sunday at 1:00 p.m..

Tee off will be at 1:30. Five dollars per person will include golf and dinner. Additional plates will be \$2 each.

All persons interested should register for golf and also register their guests at Shady Oaks or call in their registration.

Shady Oaks will also host a dance in the Recreation Center, Saturday night, October the 15th at 7:00 p.m..



SINGLE CAR ACCIDENT—Sunday night, eleven miles north of Baird on 283 a car driven by an unknown male and one male passenger went out of control and went through several yards of fence. The passenger was not seriously injured although the driver obtained a broken leg. The two men are responsible for replacing the fence they destroyed. David Mays, DPS officer investigated the accident.



"SORRY, CHARLIE"—A. M. Morris of 1017 Ross Drive in Baird caught this 34 pound yellow cat Tuesday morning on a trotline. The "king size supper" came from the Baird Lake and Morris says this is the second fish he has caught this size out of the lake.

Know Your Neighbor



MACIA VOIGTS

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She likes to fish and to play tennis. She also like to read, and sew and above all be with her family. She says she like being with her family best.

Her favorite music is country and western and easy listening. She like Kenny

Rogers and Waylon Jennings.

Marcia traveled quite a bit being the wife of a serviceman. She has been to several places in Texas and has lived in Tennessee, Georgia, Kentucky and tow years in Germany. She said that she would like to go to California and see Los Angeles.

Marcia likes Mexican food when she goes out to eat.

Marcia voted for former President Ford in the last presidential election and says that she is neither a democrat nor a republican but votes for the candidate she feels will do the best job.

Marcia says that "women's liberation is a good idea but the women's issues are being carried out too forcefully and that they may be sorry if they finally get their way." Marcia says that they have some good points and some bad ones but that she doesn't completely agree with their platforms for she likes it right where she's at.

When Marcia was asked to describe herself she said that she sought perfection and worries when things are left incomplete.

B&PW Club to Host Coffee

The Baird Business and Professional Women's Club in observance of National B&PW Week, October 16-22, will host a coffee on Tuesday morning October

18th, from nine to ten-thirty, at the Lone Star Gas Compasny Building. All employed women of the area are invited to attend. Mrs. Blan Odom is president of the local club.

Drug Paraphernalia—

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There is a "spoon" and a hypadermic needle on the display board. A spoon is used to heat the crystal in order to liquify them. They are then drawn into the needle and administered directed into the veins of the user. There is very little paraphernalia used by a heroin user proably due to the fact that the drug becomes addictive, therefore, expense.

Some of the statements made in affirmative to marijuana is that it is not an expensive way of entertainment. Not true, after the illegal purchase of the weed and the equipment for it's use is purchased; such as, "stash boxes", used to contain the grass in an inconspicuous manner, the papers to roll the "pott" the increasing use, the possible arrest and the consequences of it, and many dif-

ferent pipes, clips and stones to smoke "in style"; the enertainment can be quite expensive. These expenses are outlandish and can go on and on.

This display is of various pipes. One is even in the shape of a peanut and some are in the shape of bullets, pipes, domestic smoking pipes and many other forms.

All these items are confiscated material and used to make you familiar with the appearance of them.

Baird and surrounding area is not free of a drug problem, on the contrary, drugs are as plentiful in Baird as are in any other small town.

There is a drug problem in Baird and surrounding area and Sheriff Skinner would like for you to come by and view the display and realize the problem and the extent of it.

4-H Horse Project Will Organize Thursday

A 4-H Horse Project is being organized for Callahan County 4-H members. The purpose of the 4-H Horse Project is to provide educational instruction in horsemanship and horse related subjects. This group will have affiliation with other 4-H clubs in the country. Members of this group must belong to one of the other 4-H clubs in

the country.

Program covering many different aspects of horses including safety, nutrition and etc. will be held throughout the year.

Instructional shows will be held starting in the spring along with one or more 4-H Horse Shows. This will NOT be a playday activity.

The Horse Project Group

will organize on Thursday night, October 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Clyde School Cafeteria.

All prospective members are invited to attend along with their parents. Information on the club's activities will be presented at the meeting on the 13th.

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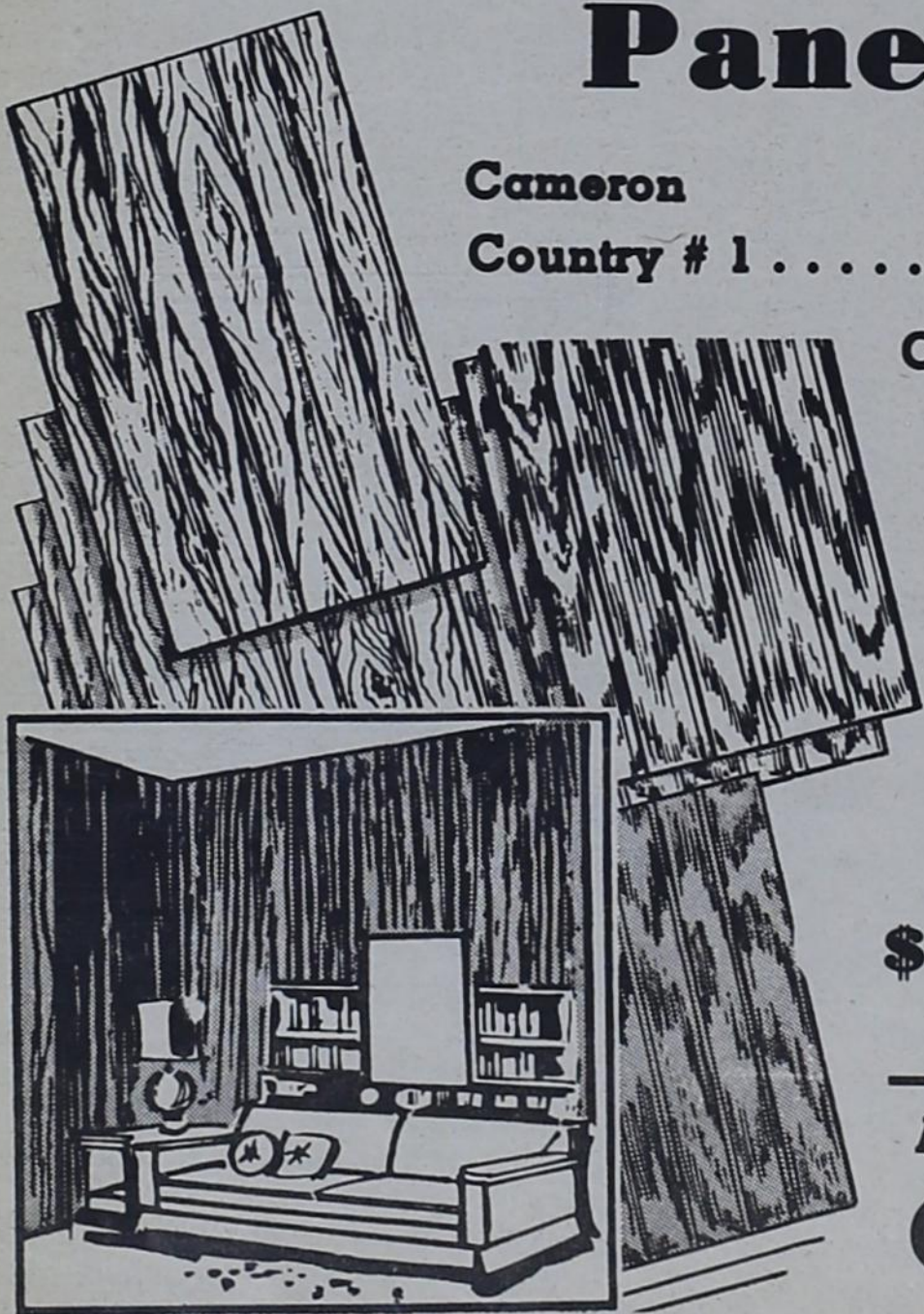
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CRIMINAL DOCKETS:

Wilbur Franklin Townsend, DWI, plea of guilty, fined \$300 and court costs. Sentenced to 30 days in jail with one year probation.

Jimmy Burton Gilmore, speeding.

Micheal Edwin Lanham, speeding.

Shirley Taylor Woodard, speeding.

Paul Wiley Fulcher, DWI plea of guilty, fined \$300 and court costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail and one year probation.

Nichelson M. Foster, DWI.

MARRIAGE LICENSES:

Rondel Delbert Gardner, Cross Plains and Barbara Gale Patton, Brawley, California.

William Keith Jones, Cross Plains and Clarrisa Elaine Gardner, Cross Plains.

William Carroll Holley, Jr., Clyde and Crystal Marie Riley, Clyde.

42ND DISTRICT COURT

Judge Don Lane presiding;

CIVIL DOCKETS:

Martha Jean Ferguson vs. Ronald M. Ferguson, divorce.

E.R. Equipment, Co., vs. Mike Pittman and Ingersoll-Rasnd Equipment Company, default in payment of debt.

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R. M. Cunningham Services Held

R.M. (Pete) Cunningham, 70, of Ozona and formerly of Callahan County veterans service officer, died about 11 p.m. Tuesday at Shannon Memorial Hospital in San Angelo after a lengthy illness. Services were at 5 p.m. Thursday at the Morgan-Hargrove Funeral Home Chapel.

The Reverend Ray Boykin, of the First United Methodist Church of San Angelo, officiated the services assisted by Reverend Delton Fisher, pastor of the Grace United Methodist Church of Abilene. Burial was at Ross Cemetery.

Born on July 19, 1907, in Putnam, he married Maude McGowen September 30, 1930, in Baird. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the United States Navy Seabees. In his early years, he was an oil field worker. From 1959 to 1966 he was in the restaurant business in McCamey.

From 1970 to 1974, he was a veterans service officer in Callahan County. In 1974, he retired and moved to Ozona.

Mr. Cunningham's parents were early Callahan County settlers. He was a Presbyterian. He was a member of the American Legion, Eugene

Bell Post where he served as post adjutant.

Survivors include his wife; a son, James of Ozona; three daughters, Mrs. Tom Mitchell and Mrs. Guyman Henry, both of Ozona, and Mrs. Jon Hardwick of Baird; four sisters, Shirley Lamb of Fort Worth, Mrs. Charles Reynolds of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Carlie Keller of Ohio and Ida Harper of Grove, Oklahoma; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and six brothers, Garland, Bud, Charlie, Frank, R.B. and Claude.

Members of the American Legion Eugene Bell Post served as pallbearers. They were: W.V. Stephenson, Homer McIntosh, Wilburn Young, J.W. Loper, Steve Warren and James Eubanks.

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Alpha Sigma Chi is one of the six men's social clubs on the McMurry campus.

McMurry is an independent four year liberal arts college in Abilene, Texas. Established in 1923, McMurry is owned by the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Conferences of the United Methodist Church.

Bates is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bates of Baird.

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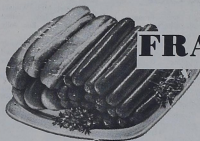
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Eula Man on Missionary Trip to Chili

By Mrs. Olney

Mr. Benny Ayers accompanied Reverend and Mrs. Tommy Iarner Pastor of the Baptist Church of Lawn and one from Eastland and an interpreter of El Paso left on a ten day missionary trip to Chili. They left on the 4th and flew to Chili. They called back and said the president of Chili and over six hundred others met the plane. They were so happy to have missionaries to visit there. We only wish that people of

surrounding communities were as anxious for the Gospel as they seem to be.

Reverend Wallace Clay was at the Big Spring Hospital for hip surgery of Joe Peay Friday morning he reports the surgery seemed to be successful and Joe was doing as well as could be expected.

Joe Bentley entered West Texas Medical Friday evening with chest pains tests will be run to determine the cause.

Mr. B.E. Burton and Mrs. Benny Ayers attend-

ed the funeral of an uncle Floyd Burton at Coleman last Friday.

It looks like Frank Carpenter took the prize this year for truck farming. He made an extra fine fruit crop, 18 bushels of sweet potatoes off of 6 short rows and 5 or 6 bushels of peanuts, lots of corn and pop-corn and plenty of everything else that he planted. He uses plenty of water and lots of work but really fills his pantry.

Mrs. Lillian Rister and her mother Claudine Sellers spent the weekend with her sister Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gibson of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Reo Jolly Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hart of Midland visited her father Mr. E.P. Miller weekend.

Lora Massengale of Lewisville and attending HSU visited the Reo Jolly family this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Stephenson had a birth-

day supper honoring their son, Kyle, on his 18th birthday this Wednesday night his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Stephenson and Brandon of Abilene and Lorna Cope of Eula attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stoker of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brock Wednesday.

Garden Club Yard-of-Month

The Baird Garden Club's Yard-of-the-Month plaque has been placed at the home of Mrs. Lillie McKennon, 635 West 7th Street in Baird for the month of October.

This small yard has color furnished by a profusion of bedding plants marigolds, mums, petunias and geraniums. A late blooming crepe of myrtle also is attractive; hanging baskets and potted plants add green to the overall picture; and two large mesquite trees shade the smooth lawn.

Garden Club Hosted by Grimes

The Baird Garden Club met on October 4th in the home of Miss Isador Grimes with Alda Nordyke as co-hostess. The Lord's Prayer was used as the invocation, and fourteen members answered roll call by naming a new variety of lily.

Mrs. A.A. Manion presided for the business session. The Plaque Committee reported that the Yard-of-the-Month plaque had been placed at the home Mrs. Lillie McKennon, and that no further award would be made until March 1, 1978.

Plans were discussed for the District VIII convention of Texas Garden Clubs to be held in Breckenridge on March 16th when the Baird Club will be co-hostess with the four other clubs.

The Cemetery Committee reported that the crepe myrtle shrubs which were planted at Ross Cemetery are being cared for successfully.

For the afternoon program "Color in Our Gar-

den" Mrs. I.E. Warren discussed "Plant Peonies", and Mrs. Frank Cunningham spoke on "Let's Grow Daylilies." Miss Nordyke showed an unusual arrangement of the box-glove, ageratum and fern all from her own garden.

The next meeting will be November 1st in the Presbyterian Church Annex, with Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. Bill Seelig as hostesses. Members are asked to bring gifts to be sent to residents of Abilene State School for Christmas.

Baird Study Club Attends Workshop

Four members of federated Study Clubs of Baird attended the State Workshop and board meeting, TFWC held at San Angelo October the 7th and 8th. They were: Mrs. W.P. Brightwell, Mrs. A.E. Dyer, Sr., Mrs. Tom Windham, Jr., and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Harrison Hosts Eula Circle

by Mrs. Olney

The Sunshine Circle met in the home of Mrs. Edith Harrison Wednesday the 28th. The club song "Blest be the Tie" was led by Mrs. Plidge Miller. The motto and the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison.

There was no new business.

The roll was called and answered with a memory verse. Minutes were read and approved. Devotional "God's Mercy is Everlast-

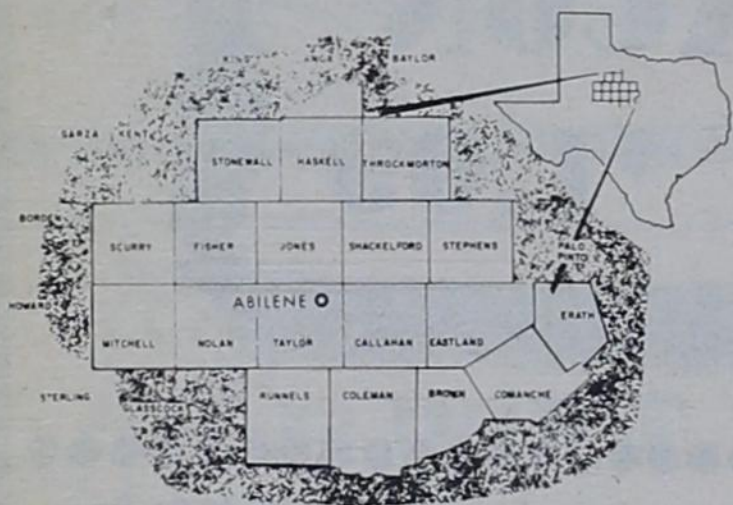
ing" was brought by Ivadell Farmer.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Modena Wade on October 12th with Mrs. Vivian Witte bringing the devotional. Mrs. Harrison showed the quilt to the group she also did the Bible quiz. Mrs. Wade won the Bible quiz.

Lovely refreshments were served to Ivadell Farmer, Minnie Loving, Pidge Miller, Winnie Favor, Modena Wade, and Vivian Witte the hostess.

Cards were signed and sent to the sick.

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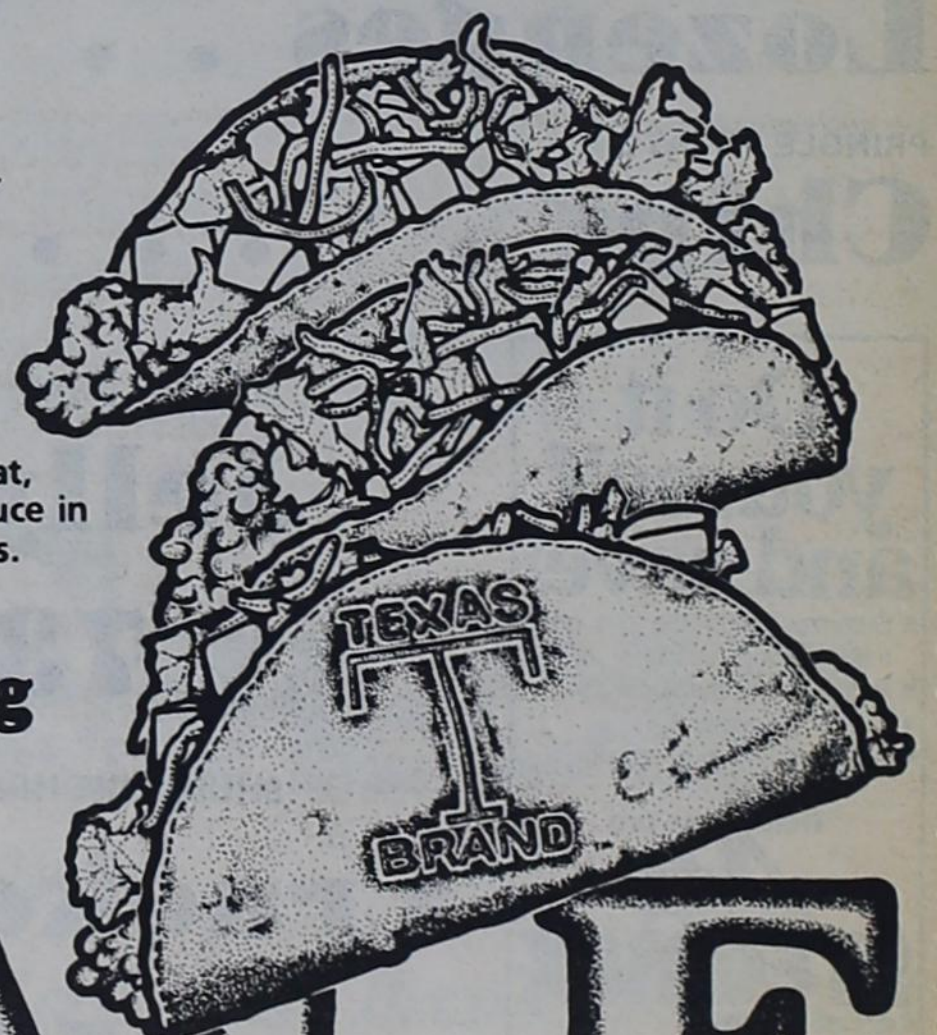
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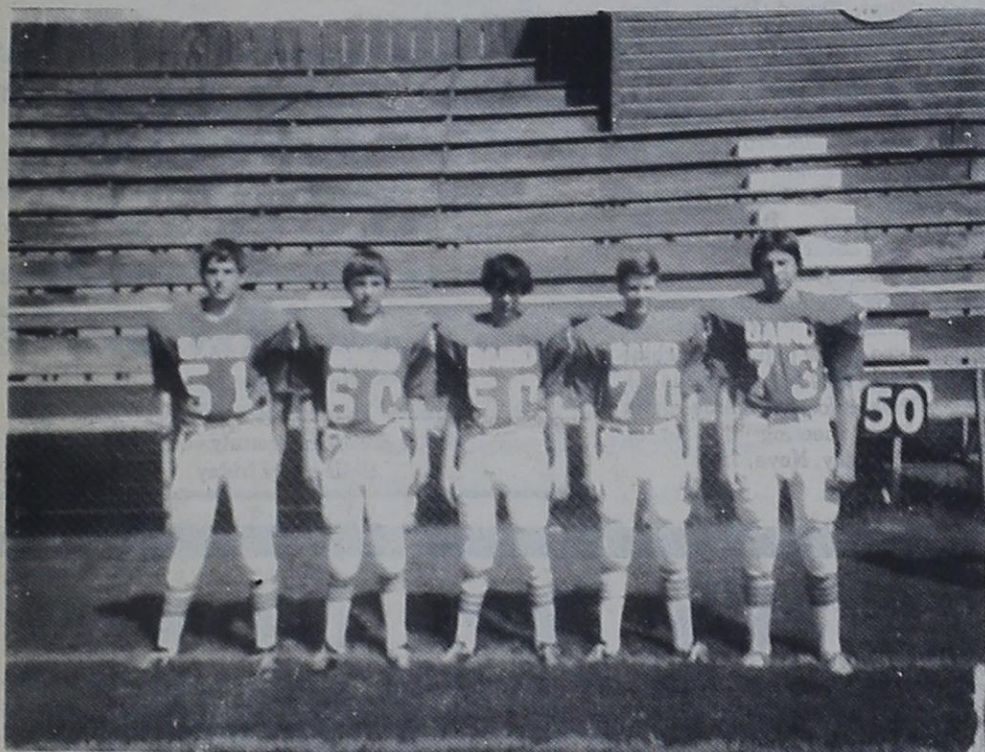
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Albany Lions

October 14

HERE

7:30 p.m.



FRESHMEN—Pictured are five Freshmen Baird Bears that attribute their skills in a winning effort. They are: 51, Alan Christopher; 60, Dana Gillit; 50, Lucky Walker; 70, Alan Bohanan and 73, Ricky Fleming.



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4-H Elected Officers Sept. 19

by Mrs. N.V. Gibbs

A few rain clouds passed over this area this weekend but very little moisture was noted. It takes only a spark from a lighted match to start grass fires along the roads and highways, so extreme caution should be exercised by all. Fire started from some cause just south of Don Harris house near the highway Sunday. Neighbors came to the rescue before the Cross Plains fire Department could get there. It was put out before it reached lots and barns.

Workers at the Community Center Saturday continued painting the building outside and the men worked on the windows and finished installing the flooring. We are proud of this work and appreciate all the workers. The next workday will be this Saturday afternoon. The second coat of paint is ready to be applied.

This writer was soliciting funds for the United Fund Monday morning and visiting with the neighbors. The drive is not complete but we express thanks for each donation. Mrs. Reynolds will complete the drive this Tuesday.

day.

Mrs. Carolyn Burns and son, Tim, of Potosi visited Mrs. Gene Mauldin last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Boen spent Sunday with her sister, Christine Bower in Abilene. They had the pleasure of eating out at Wyatt's cafeteria.

Julie Dye went home with Laurie McKinnon from church in Baird Sunday morning. Mrs. Pat McKinnon and Laurie returned her home in the afternoon.

Mrs. Geneva Beightsd of Lorraine spent part of last week with Mrs. Leila Gibbs. The two ladies were in Cross Plains Thursday visiting in the Walter Rose home.

Mrs. Tony Steele and children and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs visited in the Leila Gibbs home last Thursday afternoon.

Janis Clark of Cross Plains spent Friday night with Janet Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited the Vergil Smedley family which included Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smedley of Arlington and the Bill Coats family of Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price also visited Mrs. Mae Belle Cauthin in the

Baird hospital on Sunday afternoon.

Company in the James Reynolds home last week were his mother, Mrs. Alyene Reynolds of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Farmer of Malakoff, Texas. The Farmers also visited family and friends in the Hamlin area.

Mr. and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs and granddaughter Tonya Steele were dinner guests in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains Sunday. Their other guests were the Bruce Rose family of Fort Worth.

Those visiting in the Don Harrell home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry and the Don Kinbrough family of Abilene. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell attended

the old Times Roping contest in Stamford. This event was to benefit the Rehab Center in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason visited in the Tommie Dye home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrel

attended the Cooper-Odessa High football game in Abilene Friday night and went to an after game party in the Bud Arrot home in Abilene.

Sterling Odom was in the Snyder area Saturday and visited the Ralph Trevey family.

Booster Club Projects Start

The Baird Booster Club met Tuesday night in the Ag building for its regular meeting. Mr. Stovall called the meeting to order. Beverly Lackey read the minutes and gave a treasury report.

The club voted to sell chances on an all weather wind-breaker. The jacket

will be given away at our last home game.

The red caps with Baird Bears printed on them that the club had voted to sell had arrived and were given to several members to sell.

The film of the last game was shown. Coach Williams gave a brief statement concerning the Friday night game.

There is something for everyone in these meetings. Come and back the Baird Bears.

On September 19th the Baird 4-H held a meeting in the courtroom of the Callahan County Courthouse. During this meeting we elected officers. They are: Sidney Grant, president. Sidney is an eighth grader at Baird. Also another eighth grader at Baird, Brenda Wright as vice-President. Secretary is Marcie Monsey, she is a sophomore at Baird High School. Treasurer is Julie Barton who is a freshman at Baird High School. Tommy Faircloth was elected reporter and he is a Baird High School senior. Councilmember is Sammi Harris and she is an eighth grader at Baird School.

We also made plans for the year and decided to meet on the second Tuesday of each month. We would encourage each of you in school to come join us and have a lot of fun.

Baird FFA Induction, Freshmen Greenhands

by Steven Defosses

Monday at 7:30 p.m. the Baird FFA Chapter held a formal induction of the Freshmen Greenhands. Those being accepted were Bobby Almanzar, Alan Bohanan, Alan Christopher, Joe Clark, Roger Cummings, Jeff

Day, David Fuqua, Dana Gillit, Eddie Graham, Sam Hargrove, Darryl Harris, Steve Johnson, Billy Kelley, Daren Lackey, Mike McCormick, Kelly McLaughlin, Gary McMillan, Billy Plunk, Shannon Thomas, Davy Vestal, and Luckey Walker.

Then we had a discussion over buying a new popcorn machine. We voted to use a new popcorn machine on a trial basis, for the Albany, football game. Our next meeting will be on Monday, Nov. 7th.

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| RESOURCES | | LIABILITIES | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Loans | \$ 5,282,705.58 | Capital | \$ 100,000.00 |
| U. S. Government Obligations | \$ 3,824,438.79 | Surplus | \$ 200,000.00 |
| Other Investment Bonds | \$ 1,731,560.20 | Undivided Profits | \$ 202,991.56 |
| Municipal Bonds and Warrants | 2,174,563.66 | Reserve for Taxes | \$ 156,688.72 |
| Stock in Federal Reserve Bank | \$ 9,000.00 | Reserve for, Contingencies, Bond Premiums, Improvements, etc. | \$ 367,708.88 |
| Federal Funds Sold | \$ 300,000.00 | Reserve for Losses Depreciation, etc. | \$ 528,056.58 |
| Bank House and Furniture and Fixtures | \$ 48,671.56 | Reserve for Loan Losses | 77,179.85 |
| Other Assets | \$ 5,558.67 | Other Liabilities | \$ 371,680.39 |
| Cash and Due from Banks | \$1,429,376.17 | Deposits | \$12,801,568.65 |
| TOTAL | \$14,805,874.63 | TOTAL | \$14,805,874.63 |

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E.A. Connel was reared in Callahan County living in Clyde. He was employed by the Peoples State Bank in Clyde for several years as Assistant Vice-President.

Mr. Barnhill, a native of Baird, Texas, having served with the First National Bank in Baird for 12 years, moved to Breckenridge where he was employed in the First National Bank of Breckenridge for three and a half years as Vice President and Cashier.

He attended Cisco Junior College and Simmons University and graduated from Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist, and has taken several American Bankers Institute courses.



ROBERT M. BARNHILL

Robert and his wife, Marjorie, are Methodists and have always been involved in community affairs as well as their church work. In Baird and Breckenridge Robert was active in their Lion's Clubs, United Fund Drives, Odd Fellows, Elks and others.

Marjorie has been employed by the Brady Independent School District to teach 8th grade Language Arts.

The Barnhills stated that they are looking forward to serving the people of Brady and getting acquainted with everyone.

Cancer Society Receives Memorial Gifts

The Callahan County-American Cancer Society has received memorial gifts recently from:

Mrs. G.O. McCorstin, H.W. Martin, F.R. Hogan, Mrs. Jennye Blakely, Frank Taylor, H.D. Toland, Willie Mae Moore, Houston Coneley, Homer C. Lovell and Sister Landrum.

This was reported by the Memorial Chairman for the Callahan County-American Cancer Society, Helen Brown, Box 926, Baird, Texas.

Double Services Held for Hood Matthews

Junus Robert Hood, 57, of Clyde died about 3:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Callahan General Hospital after a one-day illness. Double services for Hood and his stepfather, Raymond Lee Matthews, 70, who died Monday, were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in Bailey Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Riley Fugitt officiated the services. Burial was at Cedar Gap Cemetery in Taylor County.

Born on September 21, 1920, in Abilene Mr. Hood was the son of Robert Newton and Cora Mae Swinson Hood. He had lived in Abilene area most of his life and worked for J.H. Starin and Sons Construction Company for the last 10 years. He was a veteran of World War II. Mr. Hood was a member of the First Baptist Church of Clyde.

Survivors include his mother, Cora Mae Matthews of Clyde; a brother, Richard Lee Matthews of Clyde; several uncles and aunts; and several nieces and nephews.

Putnam Schedules Musical October 14

by Mrs. R.B. Taylor

The monthly musical will be at the Putnam School Building on Friday October 14th. The Study Club members will serve sandwiches, pie and drinks in the library. All musicians are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre visited Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Carter at Vernon Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey attended the Eubanks reunion at Lytle Shores in Abilene last Sunday.

Visiting the Ramseys this week were Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Collinsworth of Jacksboro. Willie Jeter of Fort Worth and Reverend and Mrs. Bill Brook of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Saunderman of Fort Worth visited Mrs. E.E. Sunderman Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Houston and Mrs. Ada Mobley of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. D.G. Mobley Saturday.

Mrs. Vernon Donoway went to Temple Monday with her son Hubert of Odessa who will enter Scott and White Hospital there.

In an effort to conserve energy the residents of Putnam are going to walk slower.

Visiting Mrs. Donoway this week were Vernon Sublett of Barnhart. Danny Ray Donoway of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Donoway of Brownwood also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Munzey

have bought the Burnett Ramsey place in South Putnam. They are making extensive improvements on it. Welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Munzy!!!

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kunze of Fort Worth stopped by Mrs. Taylor's Wednesday on their way to the Mountains of New Mexico to join the Ross Finleys of Farrington hunting elk.

Mr. Homer Pruett has returned from Abilene after spending a week with Mrs. Royce pruett.

Because of the water shortage, one Putnam resident decided to try sand his water pik. Sand blasted teeth are just as pearly white as the water cleaned.

Visiting the John Isenhoweres this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fiore and Family of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Butch Petty and children of Eastland and James Isenhower and children of Coleman.

The Women's Study Club met Monday at the Community Center at noon. A salad luncheon was served to 114 members and two guests were present. Mrs. Dudley of Abilene showed slides on America the Beautiful.

Mrs. Susie Smith and Mrs. Myers of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Munzy and Mrs. R.B. Taylor on Sunday afternoon.

Ray Green reports that the opening of the sewer system had to be postponed on account of the lack of water!!!

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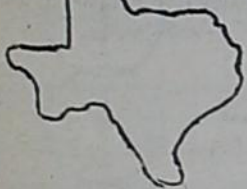
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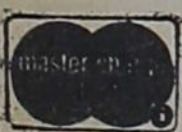
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Christian service is an end in itself—not a means to an end. Any other outlook will distort one's view. The real need is hidden from this person since what is perceived is twisted by his own unhealthy ego-needs.

As Jesus, we should go about wanting to do something. Our ego-needs are healthily met from deep wells of personal worth which flow from within us. And the larger agenda in our lives calls for kingdom service. Perhaps this is the meaning of the scripture, "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man" (Luke 2:52). The larger task was the end, and He was the means to accomplish it!

—Paul M. Stevens

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|-----|-----------------|------|-----|
| 10 | Randy Wade | SE | 130 |
| 11 | Mike Cotter | QB | 170 |
| 14 | Rob Shack | HB | 153 |
| 21 | Ronnie Kitchens | QB | 155 |
| 22 | Billy Holson | TE | 170 |
| 23 | Rusty Parsons | SE | 170 |
| 25 | Mike Halbert | SE | 135 |
| 30 | Jonny Jone | FB | 193 |
| 36 | Kirk Holson | FB | 175 |
| 44 | Gary Gossett | HB | 153 |
| 50 | Sonny Davis | G | 168 |
| 54 | Mark Viertel | T | 210 |
| 60 | Gregg Gossett | C | 145 |
| 65 | Leroy Massey | G | 196 |
| 66 | Bill Pittman | G | 183 |
| 70 | Brently Irvin | T | 178 |
| 75 | Clyde Prince | C | 230 |
| 77 | Wesley Shelton | T | 180 |
| 85 | Nat Fox | TE | 160 |
| 87 | Gary Estep | TE | 155 |
| 88 | Monty Pierson | TE | 165 |

HEAD COACH: Mike Wheeler; ASSISTANTS:
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HOSPITAL NOTES

The following persons
were admitted to the Calla-
han General Hospital
last week:

- J.R. Hood
- Odessa Ground
- Melvira Wren
- MayBelle Kaufin
- Clifton Hord
- Susan Mays
- Tommy Pate
- Robert Davis
- Judy Geye
- Janita Tomilson
- Pedro Rodriguez
- Jeraldean Fielder

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

- Darrell Canada
- Martha Baker
- Velma Walker
- Francis Knighten
- Melvin Jennings
- Weldon Gary

- Elena Roberts
- Jane Cook
- Jimmy Linton
- Paul Barker

**Ruby Copeland
Died Oct. 4th**

Ruby Copeland, 69,
of Cross Plains died at
1:30 p.m. Tuesday in
Hendrick Medical Center
after a lengthy illness.
Services will be at 2 p.m.
Services were at 2:00 p.m.
Thursday at Higgin botham
Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial took place at the
Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born on September 20,
1908, in Cross Plains,
she lived in Cross Plains
for 24 years, moving from
Mission, Texas. She mar-
ried James C. Copeland
in 1926 in Eastland. She
was a baptist.

Mr. Copeland preceded
her in death.

Survivors include a
sister, Glyndora Dawkins
of Fort Worth; a niece,
Virginia Whitehead
of Austin; two nephews,
Donald and Richard
Whitehead both of Austin;
and three great nephews
and a great niece.

A brother, Oliver Wolfe,
also preceded her in
death.

Baird Bears Slate Outstanding Record On Five Games

The Baird Bears have had a winning streak so far this year, losing only one of five games played this season. This is an impressive and outstanding record. The scoring rundown has shown that when Baird Bears win they really win!!

| | | | |
|-------|----|--------------|---|
| Baird | 0 | Merkel | 6 |
| | 8 | Santa Anna | 0 |
| | 41 | Cross Plains | 7 |
| | 14 | Bangs | 0 |
| | 21 | Roby | 0 |

Individual rushing statistics:

| | | | |
|---------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
| Dennis Baxter | 461 yards | 98 carries | 4.7 average |
| Donny Stovall | 171 yards | 59 carries | 4.7 average |
| Chris Vestal | 163 yards | 70 carries | 2.9 average |
| Will Morgan | 55 yards | 16 carries | 2.3 average |
| Gary Smith | 20 yards | 1 carry | 3.4 average |
| | | | 20.0 average |

Individual passing Statistics:

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|---------------|-------------|----------------|-----------|
| Jim Sadler | 30 attempts | 13 completions | 164 yards |
| Gary Smith | 20 attempts | 6 completions | 128 yards |
| Mo Gonzales | 6 attempts | 2 completions | 18 yards |
| Donny Stovall | 2 attempts | 1 completion | 9 yards |
| Chris Vestal | 63 attempts | 23 completions | 322 yards |

Punting:

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|---------------|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| Donny Stovall | 677 yards | 20 attempts | 34 yard average |
| Jim Sadler | 68 yards | 2 attempts | 34 yards average |

Scoring leaders after 5 games:

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|---------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Chris Vestal | 5 TD | 30 points |
| Dennis Baxter | 4 TD 4 extra points | 28 points |
| Donny Stovall | 2 extra points | 2 points |
| Jim Sadler | 1 TD | 6 points |
| Gary Smith | 1 Reversed Fumble | 6 points |
| Larron Walker | 1 Reversed Fumble | 6 points |
| Jesse Mendez | 4 extra points | 4 points |

For five games the Bear defense has given up an average of 48.4 yards rushing per game.

For five games the Bear defense has given up an average of 51.6 yards passing per game.

Through five games the Bears are averaging 174 yards rushing per game and 71 yards passing per game.

The Baird Bears will meet Albany in their first district game of the season this Friday night. The Bears will prove that they can out roar the Lions and will need roaring support of the Baird Bear supporters roaring in the stands!

1977 Baird Bears

| No. | Name | Position | Wt. |
|-----|-------------------|----------|-----|
| 11 | Chris Vestal | B | 150 |
| 12 | Donny Stovall | B | 155 |
| 16 | Hector Aguirre | F | 145 |
| 21 | Gary Smith | F | 170 |
| 22 | Dennis Baxter | B | 170 |
| 38 | Will Morgan | B | 150 |
| 33 | Rodney Ivy | SE | 150 |
| 40 | Jim Sadler | TE | 195 |
| 44 | Mo Gonzales | SE | 153 |
| 50 | Steve Defosses | T | 192 |
| 51 | Frankie Rodriguez | C | 201 |
| 52 | Larron Walker | T | 180 |
| 60 | Kerry Skinner | G | 180 |
| 62 | Zane Wright | G | 171 |
| 65 | Donny Casey | T | 220 |
| 68 | Jesse Mendez | G | 143 |
| 72 | Kent Stennett | G | 155 |
| 75 | Tommy Faircloth | T | 185 |
| 83 | Fabian Mendez | TE | 160 |

Coaches: Head, Gary Williams, Dave Edmiston, Quinn Conley and Max Gordon.

Administration: Superintendent: Bill Gunn, High School Principal: Gerald Jennings, Junior High Principal: Weldon Moore.

Band Director: Deb South.

Managers: Charles Hart, David Fuqua, John Hanson, Greg Jones.

Cheerleaders: Head, Cristi Holland, Brenda Brooker, Lydia George, Sarah Bouldin, Carla Deel, Amber McLaughlin.

Drum Major: Sheila Smauley.

Twirlers: Cathy Dyer, Martha Strickland, Connie Eubanks.

The Bear: Lydia Hardwick.

Colors: Red and White.

Salad Supper Planned by Farm Bureau

The Callahan-Shackelford County Farm Bureau members to get together and adopt Farm Bureau policies, elect county directors, and enjoy good Farm Bureau folks and a good meal.

All this will take place at our County Annual Meeting, to be held October

15th at 7:00 p.m. at the Baird School Cafeteria. The meal will begin at 7:00 p.m.. There will be a salad supper this year and those attending are asked to bring a salad or dessert. All Farm Bureau members and their families are invited to attend.

West Texas I.O.O.F., Rebekah to Meet

The West Texas I.O.O.F. and Rebekah Association of District I will hold their Semi-Annual meeting October 15th with President Allen Hatchett of Abilene presiding. It will be at the community Building 600 South First Street in Haskell as Haskell being the host Lodge.

Stanley Furrh will give the welcome address with Clara Hines of Rule to give the response. Every member is urged to attend as the election of officers are to be held during the business session.

Members will be attending from Baird, Abilene, Rule, Rotan, Haskell and guest from surrounding lodges.

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