

The Putnam News

The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, August 13, 1954

Mrs. Abernathy Hostess For Party

Mrs. James Abernathy was hostess for a birthday party in honor of her niece, Connie Sue Irons, who is the daughter of Mrs. M. R. Potter. Refreshments of iced lemonade and a lovely white cake decorated with yellow was served to the following guests: Misses Evelyn and Mary Ellen Abernathy, Mary W. Wagley, Sheila and Madeline Holder, Patricia Gunn and Ice Holder, Master Billy Wagley, James Gunn, Charles Irons, and honoree, Connie Sue Irons, who was ten years old. Mrs. Potter and children are sitting here from Beaumont.

Mrs. Weed Celebrates 77th Birthday

Mrs. W. M. (Grannie) Weed celebrated her birthday, Sunday, August 8, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed. She was 77 years young. Last week the Mitchel Church checked its records and found Mrs. Weed to be its oldest member. They presented her with a leadum pot plant. She received many other useful and beautiful gifts. A beautifully decorated birthday cake with 87 candles placed it was made by Mrs. Claude King. The table was attractively set and a delicious dinner was prepared by the ladies present. Since it had been quite a while since most of the family had been together, the afternoon was joyed by visiting and taking pictures. Among the pictures taken were those of Mrs. Weed in the birthday cake, one of her and the pot plant, and a picture that all will treasure, one Mrs. Weed and her children. Those present to wish her happy returns of the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed, Hart, Mr. Ernest Weed, Mrs. Lyle Dotson, both of Van Horn, and Mrs. R. C. Speegle of Putnam. Mrs. Claude King from Abilene, Mrs. Ural Holder and Mrs. Alice, Sheila and Madeline, Mrs. Doc Weed and children, Samuel and Brenda, all of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weed and children, Lois and Norma Gay, of Baird. Three of Mrs. Weed's sons were able to attend the celebration. They were Marshall, who is living in California, and Johnnie and Lewis who are living in Ariz.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

Veda Yarbrough
If there neighbor. Another week has rolled by and here it is time to write again. First the weather - fair and - no rain in sight. So guess it means continued hot. Jim, Gerald and I went to church this morning. Will go in tonight. Gerald Carter of Cron came Friday night to find a week with us. He says left Mildred and James at me to run the peanut wagons. He is on his vacation. Mrs. Jones got in home last Sunday noon from Fort McClellan where he has been in R.O.T.C. camp for the past six weeks. I liked Army life fair. The Hired Hand and family were in last Wednesday afternoon from their vacation. They came back by way of New Orleans, Galveston and other points of interest. Haven't got to talk them very much about their trip. They said they had a wonderful trip and no bad luck in any way which was mighty nice. Jim and Gerald plan on going to Troy, Texas Tuesday morning to visit Gerald's sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matt and daughter and other relatives. They will come back Wednesday. Guess I will hold on the farm while they are here. Last Friday afternoon I visited a while with Gertrude Jones. They really have that house king good. Don't look like the new house. Bert and Gertrude leave August on their vacation. They will go to Yellowstone Park and other points in the West.

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Dovie Pruet, Aunt Dove and Mrs. Park and Dell Jones spent Friday with Donald and Bille Bowne. Dovie says those boys really know how to cook and keep house and anything that needs to be done.

We got the maize combined last week and Jim says the first day he fed some of the new maize to the old hens and they laid more eggs. Say did you know eggs were fifty cents per dozen. Wish our old hens would go to laying more. This hot weather I think they went on a vacation from the amount of eggs we got. Was about all they could do was live.

Neal and Dovie Hack moved from Moran to the Gene Green house about two weeks ago. Neal is working for Bert Jones.

Robert Isenhower and three of her cute little girls visited with me last Tuesday morning. The children had a good time playing with my two cat while Roberta and I chatted. Oh yes, they named the cats for me. One of them is gray, and they named him Tiger. The other is cold black and they named him Panther. Thanks kiddoes, that is what I call them now. Glad you named them for me. Come back to see me any time you can. The cats are always ready for a romp.

Mr. Dee Chandler, wife and little daughter came out this way Friday morning visiting and stopped by a while with us. Always glad to have you. Come again.

Mark and Ollie Burnam and Retha Gayle went to Dublin today to attend the funeral of Mr. Ray Kunkler who got killed in Putnam Friday by the train. Mr. Kunkler worked on the railroad. Several others from Putnam went to the funeral.

Ruth and Mabel Mobley came by a few minutes last Thursday and then went to see Maurine McCollum then back by to see Mrs. Dell Jones. Mrs. Park and Aunt Dove said the girls at the Jones' were getting ready to go to church at Moran. Gertrude and Bert go by and takes them to church.

Bro. Sanford Tune and the visiting preacher of Moran visited with Bert and Gertrude Jones Friday afternoon.

I visited a while Friday afternoon with the Clyde Coats family. Clyde finally got running water put to the house and got his bath fixtures all installed. Also he got a butane tank put up. They have been working on all this for a long time and now that it is all in I know they are glad.

Sorry to hear Mrs. Will Buchanan is seriously ill in a Lubbock hospital. Hope you soon get better.

Uncle Calvin and Aunt Lena Ramsey of Sudan are visiting in Putnam. I have not seen them yet but hope to while they are here. Jim saw Ben Ramsey in Cisco Saturday afternoon. He said he brought them down to visit a while.

Well folks Friday is Old Settler's Day at Cross Plains. Jim says he is going. Don't know whether I will or not but I will try to have Jim's square dance shirt all clean for him to wear

because am sure he will want to wear it so if he takes a notion to square a little he will be all fixed up.

You may not hear from me next week as I will go home with Gerald Saturday and then Mildred, James and I will leave for Salt Lake City, Utah either Sunday or Monday. So if I don't see you next week will be seen' you when I get back home. In the meantime don't work too hard and look after Little Boy Jim for me. Will you?

Putnam Personals . . .

Miss Bonice Hamrick and her brother, Ralph, went to Tyler, last week.

Pierce and Regan Shackelford, Billy Wagley and Tommy Ingram played together last week. Mrs. Grace Ray, of Baird, visited Mrs. Hershel Wagley and Stella and Billy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ramsey of Sundan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Everett over the weekend.

The members of the Baptist Training Union met at Bro. Chandler's home for a social Thursday night. It was also a going-away party for Gayle Williams. She was presented with a gift of matching necklace, ear-bobs, and bracelet. Ice cream was served to: Gayle Williams, Delores Sargent, Betty Rutherford, Nettie Lu Donaway, Vernetta Davis, Mary Isenhower, Patty Williams, Ray Green, Wayne Putman, Jammie Fry, Harold Williams and Bro. and Mrs. De Witt Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wagley and children went for a ride Saturday night.

Mrs. Claude King of Lubbock visited with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Speegle Monday. She plans to visit in Cisco before returning home.

Mmes. J. O. Taylor, E. C. Waddell, Earl Rutherford and Miss La Verne Rutherford attended the Eastern Star meeting at Eastland, Tuesday night. They stopped in Cisco, and Deputy sister Stella Lifenebe and daughter Joan accompanied them to the meeting. All reported a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle visited with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Higgins and children from Rio Grande City visited in the Ell Abernathy home Saturday night.

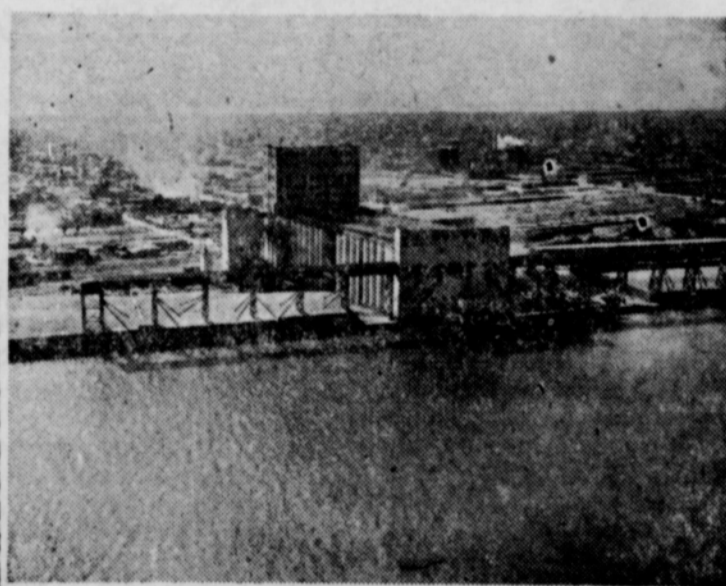
Blaine Perkins played with Warren Donaway Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bell and

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boys spent last week in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and their grandson Jimmy, of Petersburg, spent the week and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Gunn. Mrs. Pruet and Mrs. Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell and Aura Frances drove to Austin last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and boys of Abilene spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet. They were enroute to Ft. Worth to a family reunion.

Mrs. Henry Boatman and children, Bill, Danny, and Larry, of Tulsa, Okla., are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard.

Clifford Smith spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith.

Harold Williams of Crosbyton visited friends in Putnam Thursday and Friday of last week.

Jo Veri Everett had lunch with Netty Lu Donaway Sunday. They enjoyed an afternoon at a movie.

Mr. E. L. Park of Knox City is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Clinton this week.

Mrs. Henry Munde and son, Jerry and Bill, are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton and Mr. E. L. Park visited Mrs. D. D. Jones and Annie Park Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards visited Mrs. D. D. Jones Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ural Holder and girls left Monday for their home in San Antonio after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed.

Mrs. Will Buchanan, who underwent surgery in Lubbock last Friday, is doing very well. She was able to walk around by Monday.

Mr. Ben Bradley of Downey, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Corn of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford and other old friends in Putnam Monday. Mr. Bradley is to attend the Old Settler's Reunion to see other old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Rutherford of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce White of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White and

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hurd and children, Howard and Charlotte, of Brownfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Shackelford Thursday and Friday of last week.

Billy Bowne is spending several days with Mrs. Dovie Pruet. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh V. Smith and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway Monday evening.

Mrs. T. L. Maynard and daughters, Mary Ann and Parsy of Andrews spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Luttrell of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Eastus of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sunderman and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman Saturday. The boys remained here with their grandparents while Eugene will attend a coaching school in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Norris Weeks and daughter, Malba, visited Mrs. Hershel Wagley last week.

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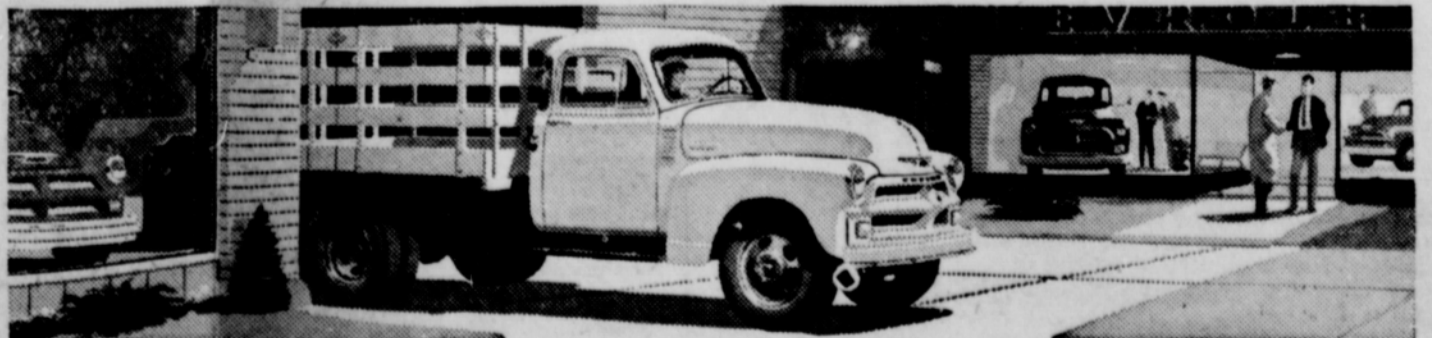
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FARM PRICES AND THE COST OF FOOD

The Committee on Agriculture has produced an impressive report showing that the severe decline in farm prices has not benefited the consumer.

As an example, in 1948 the price of wheat reached a peak of \$2.81 a bushel, and the average price of a one-pound loaf of bread was 13.8 cents. Today the farm price of wheat has dropped to about \$1.91 per bushel, yet the average price of this same loaf of bread has increased to 17 cents. Thus, while the price of wheat declined 32%, the price of bread has advanced 23%. The farm value of the wheat in a one-pound loaf of bread is 2.7 cents.

A cotton shirt costing \$3.95 contains about 30 cents' worth of cotton. Cutting back the price of cotton would mean very little in the price of a shirt.

A 5-cent peanut candy bar contains about 1/2 cent's worth of peanuts and if the confectioners got their peanuts free this would not change the price of a 5-cent candy bar.

These are only examples. Out of each dollar spent by the American housewife for food produced in this country, 56 cents now goes for processing, marketing, and transportation charges. The farmer receives 44 cents. Of this 44 cents, approximately 30 cents goes to purchase tractors, trucks, plows, gasoline and other supplies required for modern farming. Thus, the farmer and his family have about 14 cents out of each consumer dollar for domestically produced food for their cost and investment.

The farmer's share of the consumer dollar has dropped in recent years and months, as farm prices have declined, while retail food prices have remained at 1952 peak levels.

It is not the fault of the retail grocer. He has to meet the high charges of processing, marketing, and transportation, and until a way is found to reduce this cost, the consumer will have little relief.

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OMAR BURLISON
Congressman
17th District

The Administration has been searching for a practical plan on which to base a law to keep subversives and disloyal persons out of defense plants. Defense plants, of course, are operated by private industry. Industry has found that they run head-long into labor laws which unintentionally protect subversives.

Both labor and industry are desirous of firing those who may be dangerous to have working in these plants. The Congressional Committee looking into the matter has not come up with a practical answer, and feel that a Commission should be set up to study the question and recommend needed legislation. Probably nothing will be done until the next Session of Congress.

DOING SOMETHING ABOUT WATER CONSERVATION

Last week on August 3rd, I introduced HR 10151 entitled, "A Bill to authorize purchase of a portion of the bonds issued by the Brazos River Authority, an agency of the State of Texas, to finance the early development by it of the water resources of the Brazos River Basin, Texas."

In a statement to the Congress I pointed out that it was not expected that the legislation could be considered in this Session. The purpose of presenting it at this time was to allow the various Departments and Agencies of the Government; and others interested, to study the proposition before the Congress convenes again in January.

This Bill is in behalf of the Brazos River Authority, which does not ask the Government for a hand-out. What it does is to offer the Government 50 million dollars' worth of bonds bearing 2 1/2% interest out of a total of 140 million dollars for the development of five dams below Possum Kingdom on the Brazos River, and for the improvement of the Possum Kingdom Dam itself.

In my statement I pointed out that this was unique in that an agency of the State of Texas—the Brazos River Authority—proposed to pay interest on money borrowed from the Federal Government and were not asking for one nickel as a gift. The agency even proposes to pay the Army Engineers for their surveys.

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Rowden Round-Up

By Theida Crow
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

(Held Over From Last Week)

The Rowden Baptist Vacation Bible School started Friday morning. There were twenty-nine girls and boys that registered.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and girls Friday night was Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Crow and Richie and Pudgy Young, all of Baird.

There have been two rigs put down in our community the last week. One on Jerry McDonald and one on Gene Mauldin. We're all hoping for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and Mrs. Warren Price visited Lester Smedley, who is in the hospital, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy and Mrs. Leila Gibbs attended the Revival at the Cross Plains Baptist Church Saturday night.

Mrs. Johnny Adair visited in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones are driving a pretty new Chevrolet.

Oplin Observations

By Mrs. Daphne Floyd
Odds and Ends Opportunity Offered in Open Order

The Methodist folks, along with some visitors enjoyed a Fellowship Hour at the Methodist Church last Thursday night, Aug. 5. A covered dish supper was shared by the pastor and family, Rev. and Mrs. James Merrill and son Eddy, Mr. and Mrs. Phil West, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, Mrs. Alice Hopkins, Mrs. Emma Poindexter and daughter, Clarice.

The Scripture Gleaners, which is the ladies class from the Baptist Church, were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clar-

ence Breeding last Wednesday night, Aug. 6. This climaxes a campaign the ladies had sponsored. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to the members and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Branch of Aspermont were business visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Windham last Thursday.

Mrs. B. Kirkindoll and Mrs. M. C. Miller visited Mrs. Clint McIntyre last Tuesday afternoon.

Friends were sorry to hear that Mrs. John Windham sustained a broken hip and lacerations in an automobile accident seven miles east of Colorado City last Friday. She was returning from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Davidson of Midland. She was accompanied by a granddaughter, Diane Davidson, who received cuts on the chin. She was reported to have lost control of the car which skidded into a ditch and overturned.

Mrs. Paul Ray McIntyre and infant daughter, Patty, were visitors at the Baptist Church last Sunday. This was Patty's first personal appearance in our midst.

Belated mutual birthday greetings go out to Mrs. A. B. Byers who celebrated her 67th birthday and to Mr. G. A. Gwin of Baird who celebrated an 82nd birthday last Sunday, Aug. 8.

Remember this date, Wednesday night, Aug. 10, for there will be a "Tacky Party" at the Community Center. Prizes will be awarded to the man, woman, boy, girl, and small tot judged to be dressed the tackiest. Games are planned for recreation and everyone is cordially invited to attend. P.S. If you just can't muster up enough courage to come dressed tacky, you will be admitted, but not free, for you will be taxed a small fee.

Rev. McAuley and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byers were dinner guests of Ray and I last Sunday. We attended the Homecoming

Political Announcements

The Baird Star is authorized to publish the announcements of the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary election.

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Re-election
Joe Pierce
For Commissioner, Prec. 1:
J. A. McKee
L. S. (Scott) Bryant

and Callahan County Singing Convention at Dudley in the afternoon. Quite a few attended from Oplin, also.

We see that Buster McNeice of Big Lake is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Floyd are the owners of a pretty new green Dodge V-8. I believe their oldest grandson, Donald Wayne Floyd, is visiting them also.

The Methodist friends plan on an interior decoration job for their church this week. The ceiling will be covered and the walls matched with a paneling.

Yvonne Melton of Breckenridge is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence, this week.

Wilma Jean Vines is spending the remainder of the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dugan in Rolla, Missouri.

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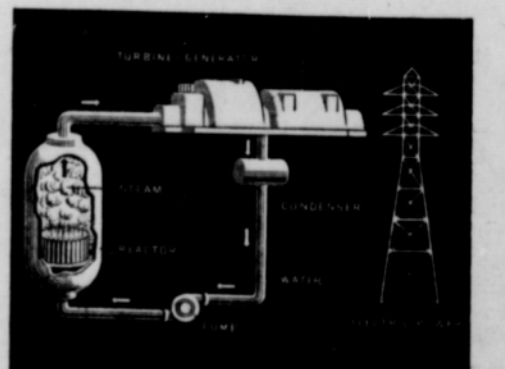
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The David Whitakers visited relatives and friends in Okla. last week.

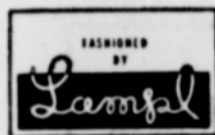
Sonny Caldwell spent the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCoy, in Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson, Jr. and children, former residents of Dothan, Ala., have recently moved to Abilene. Mrs. Wilson is the daughter of Mrs. Fred Heyser of Putnam and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer of Baird.

Mrs. Viva Peek, employee of the First National Bank, is on vacation this week.



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Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen and Carol Lynn were visiting in Dallas, Friday until Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Atwood and son Donnie, have returned to Baird after vacationing in Calif. the past two weeks.

B. B. Poe of California, visited his father, C. B. Poe, M. L. Stubblefield and Dr. Stubblefield last Thursday.

The Wendell Jones family of Sweetwater visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Jones and other relatives here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Manning and Bill, also Miss Marcell Jarrett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Molder in Amarillo last weekend. They also visited the Palo Duro Canyon.

Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral of F. E. Mitchell were: John Henry Mitchell, Medford, Ore.; Mrs. R. H. McElrath and children, Ann, Becky and Stanley, Travis A.F.B., Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson, Clinton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bellamy and children, Patrick, Mike and Beth, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scarpelli and children, Jon and Vee Vee, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell, Cottonwood; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rouse and Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Wyndell Rouse and children, William and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rouse and Belinda, Mr. P. G. Freeland and son, Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Moore and Charles Bell, Mrs. Lucille Miffleton, all of Ft. Worth; Mrs. D. F. Woodell, Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Carlyle and son, Kenney, all of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Mitchell and Joe Dell of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mitchell, Odessa; Mrs. Emma Dean Harris, Greenville; Mr. George D. Russell, Clinton, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Russell, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Russell, La Mesa, N. M.; Mr. Ed Russell and Mr. Billy Russell of

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El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tatum and Monica of Abilene; Mrs. L. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gardner, Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, Aulene.

Mrs. R. A. Webster was a visitor in Dallas last week.

Mrs. W. E. Melton of Coleman spent the weekend with her sisters, Misses Lorena and Myrtle Gunn.

The Olaf Souths of Sweetwater were visiting here last Friday.

Mrs. Mary Guyton of Putnam attended the funeral services for Mr. Felix Mitchell last Friday.

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THE FALSE ... AND THE TRUE

ON CIO-PAC
THE FALSE: Yarborough claims that he is not the captive candidate of the CIO or the extreme left wing Political Action Committee.
THE TRUE: Yet all of their headquarters display Yarborough posters and literature. Their organizers are working for him day and night. They voted solidly for him. What has he promised them?

LAND DEAL
THE FALSE: Yarborough says it was not "right" for Allan Shivers, eight years ago, before he was even Lt. Governor, to make a profit of \$32.00 an acre on a land option sale in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. He indicates that it is a sin to make a profit the Texas and American Way.
THE TRUE: No one but Yarborough has ever questioned the ethics of the eight-year-old transaction. If making that profit wasn't "right," then it is wrong for a man to make a profit on the sale of a cow and a calf or a bale of cotton. But that's the Texas and the American Way—and the Allan Shivers way.

DUVAL DEAL
THE FALSE: Yarborough hit a high peak in the ridiculous when he claimed that Gov. Shivers had made a deal with George Parr, the much-headlined Duke of Duval, to drop the charges against the political boss if the Parr Machine would cast its block vote for Shivers.
THE TRUE: Actually, the Parr Machine cast its 3,016 votes solid for Yarborough, Ex-Judge Laughlin, Sheriff Parr and the other candidates of the Duke of Duval. The Freedom Party, arch enemy of the Parr Machine, cast its 1,368 votes for Gov. Shivers. What did Yarborough promise Parr?

TIDELANDS
THE FALSE: Yarborough claims that he is a "good" Democrat, always following the Party line (even if it means betraying his State and trying to deprive the school children of Texas of \$32,000,000 or more annual income from the Tidelands.)

THE TRUE: Actually, Yarborough didn't even attend his Precinct convention in 1952 for fear that he might have to take an open stand against his State and its children which could be used against him later. "Good" democrats stand four square for what they believe in—and for the rights of their State.

NEGRO VOTE
THE FALSE: Yarborough claims that he made no reckless promises, such as a quick end to racial segregation, immediate delivery of fat pension checks and other impossible benefits, in return for the backing of the NAACP and the colored vote.
THE TRUE: Yet, the records show that every "colored" precinct went for Yarborough with overwhelming majorities of 10 to 1 to 20 to 1 in return for the misguided people being promised "Pie in the Sky."

MEN WHO KNOW HIM BEST
THE FALSE: Yarborough has stated that a man should be judged by the opinion of his neighbors and by the respect, affection and support which they offer him, and that the affection of his neighbors proves his qualifications for the Governorship.
THE TRUE: Yet Yarborough's home box, Precinct 229 in Travis County, voted: Shivers—893; Yarborough—367. On the other hand, Gov. Shivers' home box, Precinct 49 in Port Arthur, voted: Shivers—789; Yarborough—366, and the little box nearest Shivers' farm in Woodville voted 33 to 3 for the local boy. Results speak louder than words.

OUT-OF-STATE CONTROL
THE FALSE: Yarborough claims that he will be elected Gov. of Texas by the votes of "good," old-line Texas Democrats with no help from the money and influence of northern and eastern extreme left wing elements.
THE TRUE: But planes and trains entering Texas are carrying notorious goons and thugs who go straight to Yarborough headquarters to contribute their "good," "democratic," "Texas" talents to the "cause."

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PLAZA THEATRE

SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY

Eldon Vines attended a birthday supper given in his honor last Thursday evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clarence Price. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price, Mrs. Mart Poindexter and Teddy Ray, Henry Vines, Mrs. Eldon Vines, Deborah Ann and Bessie, Clarence Price and Tony. They reported plenty of home-made ice cream and cake.

Hubert Ross and Mr. Bob Warren went to Pampa Sunday to return Bobby Ross to his home here. Bobby had accompanied Mrs. Dwight Mayes to her home in Pampa after visiting here in the Hubert Ross home.

Miss Rhea Whitehorn has returned home after spending a week in Brownwood with her sister, Mrs. Holt and family.

Nancy and Marshall Newcomb of Dallas spent two weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Molly Brightwell. They also enjoyed ice cream and cake one evening while here at the ranch with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price. Tony Price returned to Dallas with Marshall and Nancy for a four-day visit.

Charlyse D. and Rosa Lee Holt of Brownwood and Sonny Whitehorn of Abilene spent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Whitehorn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Misenheimer and daughter, Judy, of Jasper are visiting with old friends here this week. They are former residents of Baird and have many friends here.

Visitors in the Grady Whitehorn home on Tuesday were two of his sisters, Mrs. Sherril Williams, her son, Jimmy of Amherst, Mrs. Beulah Martin of New Gulf, and also two nieces, Mrs. Elmora Williams of Port Lavaca and Miss Nina Ruth Gossette of San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Whitehorn of Cross Plains were also present.

W. B. Bradley of Los Angeles, Calif. is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. H. Corn, Mr. Corn and other relatives here. Mr. Bradley will also attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Farmer and children returned to Corpus Christi Tuesday after visiting their parents, Mrs. Rosa Ryan and Judge and Mrs. Lester Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks of Dalhart are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Jay Ashlock and family, this week.

H. D. Hart of Ft. Worth spent last Sunday with his brother, Fred Hart and Mrs. Hart.

Mrs. W. H. Todd and sons, Davy and Bill of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy last Sunday.

Miss Dolly Wilson of Ft. Worth visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson last weekend.

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor

Icebox Fruit Dessert

1 1/2 cups Pet Evaporated Milk
6-oz. can frozen lemonade concentrate, thawed
1/2 cup sugar
1-lb. can fruit cocktail, drained
20 large, thin chocolate cookies

Put milk into ice cube tray of refrigerator. Chill until ice crystals begin to form around the edges. Put cold milk into a cold 3-quart bowl. Whip with cold rotary beater by hand, or with electric beater at high speed, until stiff. Add lemonade concentrate and continue beating until well mixed. Gradually beat in the sugar. Fold in fruit cocktail. Arrange fruit mixture in two 1-qt. ice trays in 3 layers with 2 layers of cookies. Have fruit mixture on bottom and top. Freeze, without stirring, in refrigerator at cold-est temperature, until firm. Makes 2 qts.

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SUGAR PEAS, 2 No. 303 cans .. 25c

CAMPBELL'S
TOMATO SOUP, 3 cans 29c

NABISCO
RITZ CRACKERS, 1 lb. box 29c

Garden-Fresh
VEGETABLES

FIRM CRISP
LETTUCE, 2 heads 25c

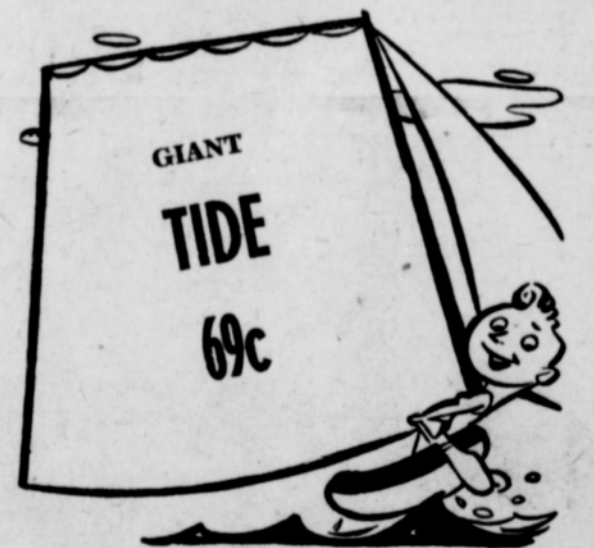
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BEANS, lb. 19c

RED RIPE
TOMATOES, lb. 19c

WHITE
ONIONS, lb. 07c

ICE COLD
WATERMELONS, lb. 02c

MIRACLE WHIP
Salad Dressing, pint jar .. 29c



PET MILK
2 tall cans
27c

LIPTON'S
TEA
1/4 lb. pkg.
33c

FRESH GROUND
HAMBURGER
pound
39c

CHUCK OR ROUND
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