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# THE BAIRD STAR

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SUPPORT OUR HOME TOWN

## Over 2,000 Voters Go To Polls In Democratic Primary Election

Callahan County voters re-elected County Judge Lester Farmer of Eula and County Treasurer Hazel Reynolds of Baird Saturday.

In the race for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, incumbent W. L. Bowlus won endorsement. Run-off in the contest for county commissioner, Prec. 2, will be between Elbert Crawford and Glen Swor.

County Judge Farmer, who has held the office since 1945, defeated Lowell Boyd, Baird grocerman, by a close vote of 1,066 to 1,017.

In the county treasurer race Miss Reynolds polled 1,310 votes to 709 for George M. Barnard of Cross Plains. Miss Reynolds has been county treasurer since 1949.

Justice of the Peace Bowlus won re-election by 448 to 239 over B. H. Freeland. Bowlus is a Baird hardware merchant; Freeland is a real estate man who has served as mayor of Baird and county judge of Callahan County.

Vote in the race for county commissioner, Prec. 2, was as follows: Crawford, 109; Swor, 103; C. M. Morse, 41; and Albert Betcher Jr., 28.

Paul Brashear, running for state representative, 76th District got 1,020 votes in the County. Omar Burkett received 783 votes and Charles H. Dawson polled 164 votes in the race.

Callahan County gave Price Daniel 1,293 votes for governor. Others in the race polled as follows: Joe A. Irwin, 72; W. Lee O'Daniel, 554; and Henry B. Gonzales, 138.

Ben Ramsey received 1411 votes for lieutenant governor, with his opponent, George Nokes, getting 509.

In the Senate race, the coun-

ty gave Ralph Yarbrough 1,160 votes to 896 for William A. Blakely.

Votes in other contested races were:

Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place No. 1 — Wilmer B. Hunt, 341; Robert W. Hamilton, 1,007; J. Edwin Smith, 247.

Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place No. 4 — Joe Greenhill, 1,039; Sarah T. Hughes, 694.

Land Commissioner — L. T. Dimmitt, 238; Bill Allcorn, 1,481.

Agriculture Commissioner — John C. White, 1,268; Glenn H. Kothmann, 196; Tom Griffin, 316.

### Former Resident Dies At Merkel

Mrs. Joney Smothers, 87, resident of Abilene since 1920, died in the Starr Rest Home in Merkel last Wednesday at 6:20 p. m.

Born in McClellan County on March 28, 1871, she first married William Hasha in 1890. In 1913 she married B. P. Smothers at Clyde. The couple later moved to Potosi where he farmed for several years and then moved to Abilene. Mr. Smothers died in 1935.

She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Funeral was held at 10 a. m. in the Kiker-Warren Chapel Friday, and burial was in the Girard Cemetery near Spur.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Hardy Merrick of Willow City; one son, C. E. Hasha of Long Beach, Calif.; five brothers, Rotan Peak of Spur, Eaf of Midland, Pat of Gorman, Eric and Jack of De Leon; a twin sister, Mrs. Georgia Higginbotham of Spur; 10 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

### Ex-Clyde Resident Dies At Big Spring

Michael Berry Maxwell, 68, died Wednesday morning in a Big Spring hospital after a short illness.

He was a retired maintenance employe of Banner Creamery, and had come to Howard County in 1930 from Brown County. He then lived at Llano and Clyde before returning to Big Spring in 1951.

Mr. Maxwell married Florence Massey in 1911. She died in 1954. He was making his home with a daughter, Mrs. La Mae Dunning. He was born in San Saba County.

Also surviving are five sons, Doyle of Big Spring, Fowden of Manhattan, Kans., M. B. Jr. of Vincent, Chester of Rankin and Ewell of Abilene; two other daughters, Mrs. Warren Snyder of Midland and Mrs. Dick Coleman of Vincent; two brothers, John of Blanket and Bob of Freer; seven sisters, Mrs. F. E. Estep of Big Spring, Mrs. Sarah Trowbridge and Mrs. Marvin Hinsley of Brownwood, Mrs. Lizzie Virdell and Mrs. Lee Curry of Brady, Mrs. Marvin Suster of Wichita Falls, Mrs. A. A. Massey of Fort Worth; 15 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral was held at 10 a. m. Thursday in Nalley Pickle Funeral Chapel, followed at 4 p. m. service in the Church of Christ at Clyde. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery.

### Public Hearing

There will be a public hearing in regard to the 1958-1959 School Budget, at the High School office Thursday night, August 7th, at 8:00 P. M.

All persons interested in the school budget are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

### NOTICE!

The Outbirth and Edwards reunion will be held Sunday, August 3, at Denton Valley Park.

## Daniel N. Smith Dies Suddenly

An apparent heart attack Wednesday night took the life of Daniel Nathan Smith Jr., a fireman for the Texas & Pacific Railway. He was 42.

The unexpected death occurred at his home here. A Baird resident since 1929, Mr. Smith was born at Rockdale Dec. 8, 1915. He belonged to the Brotherhood of Firemen & Locomotive Engineers.

Survivors are the wife; two sons, Danny and Billy; one daughter, Jackie Louise Smith; his mother, Mrs. Betty Hopkins; two sisters, Mrs. Gussie Norvell and Mrs. Jewel Taylor; two brothers, T. L. Hopkins and A. J. Hopkins, all of Fort Worth, and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Friday in Wylie Funeral Home Chapel, with George Snure, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Ross Cemetery.

### E. B. Poseys Resign; To Teach in Austin

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Posey have resigned their positions in Baird Public Schools to teach in Austin Public Schools.

Posey has been high school principal here for the past four years. Mrs. Posey has taught in the elementary school for three years.

Ford said a high school principal is needed, in addition to a combination band director-class room teacher. All applications should be addressed to Ford.

The Poseys will assume their jobs in Austin in September.

### NOTICE!

The office of Callahan County Water Control & Imp. Dist. No. 1, will be closed from August 4th until August 18th. Gilbert Hinds, Pres.

### Precinct Conventions Held Saturday

Control of the Democratic Party in Callahan County remained in doubt Saturday night, although indications were pro-Yarborough forces may hold an edge in the county convention.

Dale Glasson presided over the precinct convention Saturday where Yarborough forces apparently held sway. Seventeen attended the Baird precinct meeting.

Clyde did not hold a convention but Earl Hays, chairman of the Clyde precinct, said Yarborough polled a heavy vote in that box and indications were the Clyde delegation would vote for the senator in the county convention.

At Cross Plains six delegates were elected with Jack McCarty as precinct chairman. They were uninstructed.

Putnam did not instruct its delegates.

Mrs. Esker Crawford, chairman at Denton Valley, indicated a conservative leaning in that area.

### W. L. Ray Hosts Little League Party

W. L. (Lonnie) Ray entertained his "Tigers" Wednesday night July 23, with a wiener roast in his back yard.

He was assisted by Kay Eathery and Joy Jackson. Games were played and enjoyed by all.

Present were: Wallie Harris, Byron Snyder, Mac McIntosh, Butch Smith, Tommy Bearden, Robert Lee Griggs, Charles Saunders, Kelton Jones, Larry Monroe, Raymond O'Brian, Edwin Ault and Mac Sutphen.

Guests for the party were Richard Dahms from the Braves team and Tommy Barton from the Yankees.

Four boys spent the night with Mr. Ray: Wallie Harris, Kelton Jones, Richard Dahms and Charles Saunders.

## William J. Dugan Dies Thursday

William Joseph Dugan, 87, a longtime Clyde area farmer, died Thursday at 9:40 in his home, two miles northwest of Clyde. He had been ill two years.

Mr. Dugan came to Clyde in 1885 with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Dugan. They homesteaded land northwest of Clyde, and Mr. Dugan still lived there at the time of his death.

Born in Norristown, Pa., on May 30, 1871, Mr. Dugan worked in Mexico and southern California for a while in his young manhood. Returning, he married Miss Susan Ready in Clyde in 1915. He was a Roman Catholic and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Requiem mass was celebrated Saturday at 10 a. m. in St. Joachim's Catholic Church with Rev. Edwin J. Johnson of Abilene officiating. Rosary was recited Friday at 7 p. m. in the home, where his body lay in state until the funeral. Burial was in the Catholic Cemetery, with Bailey Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are the wife; five sons, Edward M. of Westwood, Calif., Joseph P. of Abilene, Francis L. of McCamey, W. J. Jr. of Clyde; one daughter, Mrs. Chester Floyd of Tucson, Ariz.; three brothers, Hugh Sr. of Bisbee, Ariz., John of Tucson and J. L. of Clyde; 25 grandchildren.

### Pioneer Meeting

A meeting of Callahan County Pioneers will be held Friday, August 1st, at 2:30 P. M. at the Court House. This is for report of all committees and completion of plans for the Reunion at Cross Plains on August 15th.

All interested persons are asked to attend.  
B. H. Freeland, President

### Farm Bureau Queen Contest August 14

Entries are being received at the Farm Bureau office in Baird for the Annual Queen Contest and Talent Show, to be held in the Baird High School Auditorium August 14. Miss Marilyn Gilliland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilliland of Baird, was last year's winner.

Eligible for the contest are daughters and sisters of Farm Bureau members who are actively engaged in farming. Entries must be single, 16 years of age by Sept. 1, 1958, and not over 22 years of age.

The winner in the county event will compete in the district contest. The 13-district winners will compete in the state contest, and state winners in national competition. Winner of the state contest will receive an all-expense-paid trip, along with a matron escort, to the National Federation meeting. All district winners will receive a watch award.

Out-of-town judges have been selected and each county entry will receive an award.

A talent show is also being planned in connection with the Queen Contest. All talent, whether a member of the Farm Bureau or not, is invited to participate. Please contact the Farm Bureau office in Baird or Claude Rock of Eula, Talent Chairman.

### County Convention

The Callahan County Democratic Convention will be held at the courthouse in Baird at 2 P. M. Saturday, August 2nd. Everyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

### POSSE MEETING

There will be a meeting of members of the Sheriff's Posse Monday August 4th at 8:00 p.m. in the courthouse. Plans are to be discussed for the All-Colored Rodeo to be held August 22-23.

## Results in Callahan County Primary Election

	Baird	Belle Plain	Cottonwood	Clyde	Cross Plains	Admiral	Putnam	Erath	Eula	Dudley	Atwell	Lanham	Oplin	Rowden	Denton	Hart	Absentee	Total	
<b>FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS:</b>																			
OMAR BURLESON	613	19	54	376	383	32	142	13	103	51	22	8	101	46	70	8	52	2093	
<b>FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 76TH DISTRICT:</b>																			
PAUL BRASHEAR	341	6	14	182	214	17	57	5	49	4	17	1	27	29	24	2	31	1020	
OMAR BURKETT	210	11	31	140	121	10	69	5	43	31	4	6	57	13	25	3	16	795	
CHARLES H. DAWSON	34		5	27	44	4	11	2	4	6		1	11	3	6	3	3	164	
<b>FOR COUNTY JUDGE:</b>																			
LOWELL BOYD	401	11	26	234	107	20	54	2	15	8	7	5	50	28	21	1	27	1017	
LESTER FARMER	204	8	28	145	271	11	84	11	85	44	14	3	51	19	48	7	23	1056	
<b>FOR COUNTY CLERK:</b>																			
MRS. CHAS. L. ROBINSON	584	19	53	378	386	31	140	3	103	52	22	8	100	47	70	8	53	2067	
<b>FOR DISTRICT CLERK:</b>																			
MRS. CORRIE DRISKILL	606	19	54	376	384	32	140	13	103	52	22	8	100	47	71	8	53	2088	
<b>FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:</b>																			
L. C. CASH	613	18	54	379	382	31	140	13	100	52	22	7	101	47	71	8	53	2091	
<b>FOR COUNTY TREASURER:</b>																			
HAZEL REYNOLDS	463	11	22	215	183	23	82	8	89	23	8	6	71	29	35	6	36	1310	
GEORGE M. BARNARD	135	7	32	149	190	9	54	4	13	25	12	2	25	14	24	2	12	709	
<b>FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2:</b>																			
ELBERT CRAWFORD										34			21	6	46		2	109	
GLEN SWOR										4			47	21	17		2	103	
C. M. MORSE										6			17	7	4		1	41	
ALBERT BETCHER, JR.										8			14	1	3		1	28	
<b>FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4:</b>																			
CLAUDE FOSTER			51		380						22						2	458	
<b>FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 1:</b>																			
B. H. FREELAND	195	7				20											17	239	
W. L. BOWLUS	414	6				11											17	448	
<b>FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 5:</b>																			
R. L. PAYNE				370				103				8					31	512	
<b>FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 8:</b>																			
OLLIE MAE FLEMING						141										7	7	155	
<b>FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN:</b>																			
TOM B. BARTON	600	19	52	389	380	32	141	13	102	52	22	8	101	47	70	8	52	3068	



### Vacation Travel Is Big Business in Texas

Vacation motor travel is big business in Texas, with nearly ten and a half million tourists spending \$531 million as they piled up four billion miles of driving during 1957.

These figures were mentioned today by J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association, as he warned Texans of the many traffic accidents that occur during summer's peak vacation months.

"Every year, more and more persons take to the open road during the summer months,"

Musick said. "And each year, more and more of them manage to get themselves injured or killed in traffic accidents while on vacation."

He attributed such accidents to many causes, but listed the principal ones as being:

(1) Excessive speed. Because many vacationers try to cover too much territory in too short a time, speed is an important factor. More than fifty percent of the drivers in rural fatal traffic accidents are traveling at excessive speeds at the time of the accident.

(2) Alcohol. People on vacation are likely to be in a holiday

mood and frequently their pursuit of a good time includes drinking. Drinking and driving motorists are involved in more than a third of all rural fatal traffic accidents.

(3) Laws. Failure to observe traffic signs and laws exacts a high annual toll. About one-fifth of the cars smashed up in rural fatal accidents are found to have disregarded warning or stop signs.

(4) Fatigue. Driving while fatigued is a foolish practice indulged in by vacationers who won't take time out to get sufficient rest. On a national basis, about one out of thirteen drivers involved in fatal traffic accidents are found to be in a physical condition that could be a contributing factor in the accident. In about two-thirds of such cases the drivers are fatigued or asleep.

"Don't turn your vacation dream into a nightmare," Musick said. "Use a few common sense rules and courtesy. Be especially conscious of your driving speed -- slow down and live!"

### Rowden Round-Up

By Mrs. B. Crow

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel last week were: Mrs. Lon Mahaw of Ackley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mahan of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Crest and family of Midland, Mrs. Ray Boen, Walter Jones, Raymond Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. B. Crow of Rowden,

and Mrs. Donald Stephens, Debora and Stephanie of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird, and Mrs. W. B. Gibbs and Debbie of Abilene visited Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond Sunday.

Rev. W. E. Newell had Sunday dinner with the Lon Duncan family.

Arthur Baker spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price.

Mr. E. E. Akin spent the week end at Plainview with his daughter.

Mrs. Donald Stephens and girls and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mrs. E. E. Akin and Mrs. Mattie Gibbs Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jim Crofford and children of Amarillo returned home after spending the past week with her father Odie Smedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. Claudell Joy and children at Cottonwood Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brown and Cynthia of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and boys.

### ADMIRAL NEWS

Ann Smith

Dinner guests in the Roy Higgins home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Ted Johnston, Cindy and Teddy.

Carol Jean Broyses of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen and is going to spend

several weeks with them.

Mrs. Nova Reinhardt and son of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smartt, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brown, and Mr. Britton Smartt all of Abilene visited Mrs. Tom Smartt and Ruebelle last week.

Visiting in the C. P. Porter home last week was their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Baldwin from Carthage, Mo. and Mrs. Porter's mother and sister, Mrs. C. E. Price and Glovia from Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harris of Dallas visited in the J. D. Cauthen home over the week end.

### Methodist Church News

The Fellowship Hall and kitchen have been entirely redecorated. The floors are covered with modern vinyl-type covering throughout. In the kitchen, the cabinets have been renovated and the walls freshly painted. Modern sinks and plumbing have been installed.

The Commission on Education met last week and decided on a project which might add interest to the night church service. The idea was to have different groups of the junior, intermediate, and young people's classes to sing for the Sunday night choir.

The MYFers seem very thrilled over the list of Japanese names they received from our missionary in Japan, Rev. McWilliams. The names were for pen-pals and all twenty were taken up in no time.

In The District Court of Callahan County, Texas, 42nd Judicial District.

No. 11,128

MRS. EARLENE CARROUTH vs JOHNNY FRED CARROUTH THE STATE OF TEXAS:

TO: Johnny Fred Carrouth

You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the City of Baird, Callahan County, Texas, on or before ten o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before ten o'clock A. M. of Monday, the 1st day of September, 1958, and answer the petition of Mrs. Earlene Carrouth, Plaintiff, in Cause No. 11,128, styled Mrs. Earlene Carrouth vs. Johnny Fred Carrouth, in which action, the said Mrs. Earlene Carrouth is the only Plaintiff, and Johnny Fred Carrouth is the only Defendant, said Petition having been filed in said Court on the 29th day of April, 1957, which said suit is as follows:

A Divorce action, showing both parties to be residents of the State of Texas, for a year, and the Plaintiff having been a resident of Callahan County six months prior to the filing hereof, Plaintiff and Defendant having been married in October of 1941, and separated in March 1957; said marriage becoming insupportable; no property being accumulated; to said union, there being four (4) children born, as follows: Rex Ralph Carrouth, age 8, a boy; a boy, Willma Jack Carrouth, age 7; a girl, Glenda Mae Carrouth, age 7; and a boy, Freddie Don Carrouth, age 5. The Plaintiff prays for custody and support in the amount of \$25.00 per month per child, and also prays for attorney's fees, and for the cost of the action.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT, At office in the City of Baird, this 16th day of July, 1958.

CORRIE DRISKILL, Mrs. Corrie Driskill, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield last week were their granddaughters, Carol and Susan, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Bob Stubblefield of Dallas.

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### IN APPRECIATION . . . . .

I wish to take this means to express my thanks and appreciation for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown me in the recent primary election and also for your splendid support.

I lost the race, but hope I did not lose your confidence and friendship.

Thanks,

Lowell Boyd

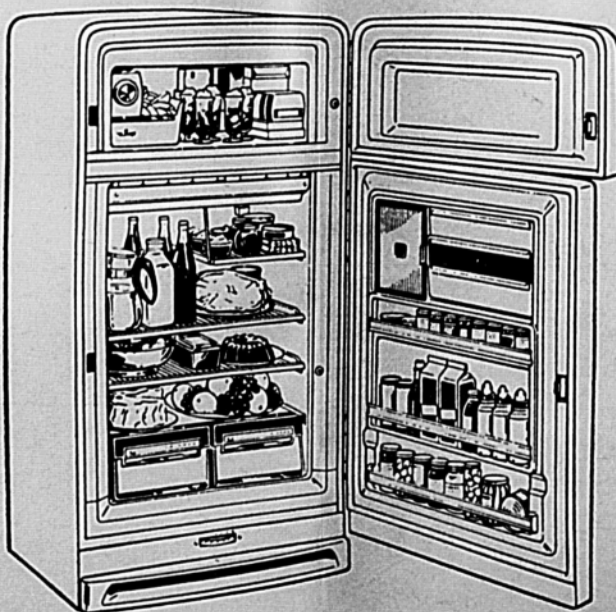
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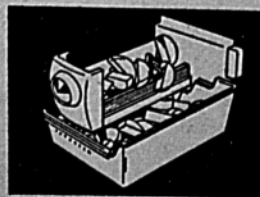
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**ASC News Letter . . .**  
Cotton Quota Penalty Set At 19.3 Cents

Farmers who grow "excess" upland cotton this year will be subject to a marketing quota penalty of 19.3 cents per pound, according to word received by the Callahan County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office. As required by law, the Department of Agriculture has set the penalty at 50

per cent of the parity price effective as of June 15. The penalty rate on extra long staple cotton is 41.6 cents per pound.

Growers approved marketing quotas for the 1958 crops of upland and extra long staple cotton in referendums last December 10. When cotton marketing quotas are in effect, ASC Committee Chairman Tommie Harris explains, a farmer who does not comply with the cotton acreage allotment established for the kind of cotton grown on his farm is subject to a penalty on his farm marketing excess. The cotton crop from such a farm is also ineligible for price support.

Each type of cotton is treated independently, Mr. Harris points out. Upland cotton cannot be substituted for extra long staple cotton or vice versa. Conservation Reserve Signup Available Soon  
Farmers of Callahan County will have the opportunity within

a few weeks to get full information about the Conservation Reserve program of the Soil Bank for 1959 and to decide on participation, according to Tommie Harris, Chairman of the Callahan County ASC.

Chairman Harris explained that the Conservation Reserve is being opened early this year because the other part of the Soil Bank -- the Acreage Reserve program -- will not be in effect in 1959.

Under the Conservation Reserve program, farmers contract with the U. S. Department of Agriculture to reduce their acreage of harvested crops for a period of up to 10 years, and devote this acreage to conservation practices. In return for this contribution to production adjustment the Government makes an annual rental payment to the farmer based on the productivity of his land. The Government will also share in the cost of establishing the conservation practices.

Chairman Harris called attention to three major changes in the 1959 Conservation Reserve from the program in effect this year. They are:

1. A higher average level of rental payments with the individual rate depending upon the productivity, agricultural value, and rental rates for similar land in the locality.
2. A higher payment rate as an incentive for a farmer to place all eligible cropland in the Reserve.
3. A priority system for accepting contract applications which gives preference to those farmers offering land at the lowest cost per unit of productivity.

Farmers will be notified as soon as the county office is ready to receive Conservation Reserve applications, the Chairman said.

J. C. Earp, Jr.

**Cottonwood News**  
By Hazel I. Respass

(Held Over From Last Week)

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Joy and family of Kingman, Arizona, Mrs. Ronald Winchester and son Fielding of Ibet, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Joy and Claxton Joy of Odessa.

Miss Paulette Vaughn of San Angelo is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ben Bowman and Ben.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Addis and family of El Paso with Mrs. W. M. Stansbury of Cross Plains visited with friends here Monday afternoon. Mrs. Addis will be remembered as Marie Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Champion visited with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Sumner, at Hendrick Memorial hospital in Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Sumner has had recent surgery.

Mrs. W. B. Gilleland visited with Mrs. Bally at May Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Addie Harris of Ranger and Mrs. F. W. Respass of Rising Star stopped by for a short visit Monday morning in the Respass home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Kelly are back at home again after Mr. Kelly having surgery recently at Abilene.

Lloyd Thate of Carlsbad, New Mexico is visiting his grandparents, Mrs. Sam Swafford and Mr. Swafford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Werner of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Maas and girls of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gilmore and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fulton of McAllen visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Sam Swafford and grandson Floyd Thate visited her son, Buddy Thate, in Abilene last Thursday and went fishing at the lake while there.

Mrs. Hazel Coppinger of Abilene visited in the Respass home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bilyrey in Clyde and Mrs. Earlie Hurst in Putnam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sullivan of Kinta, Okla., Mrs. R. F. Arvin of Baird and Tommie Warren of Arizona visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Sublett of Jean is in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene with a broken hip. Her daughter Mrs. Fay Blackwell, postmaster at Jean, in in a wheel chair with a broken knee cap waiting on her mother. They would be glad for their friends to visit them.

Those who attended quarterly conference at the Methodist Church in Putnam Sunday were Mrs. W. B. Gilleland, W. J. Coats and Hazel I. Respass.

**Oplin Observations**  
By Daphne Floyd

Mrs. Emma Poindexter was hostess for a Stanley Party at the Community Center on Monday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Edrie Buchanan, the Stanley agent, was back with us and after the display of merchandise and placing of orders, Mrs. Poindexter served a refreshment plate of sandwiches, cup cakes and punch to everyone present. Oh yes, her daughter, Clarice, was celebrating her 12th birthday that day also, so of course, each refreshment plate carried a nice slice of her birthday cake. Many of the ladies remembered Clarice with a nice surprise gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Durham and children, Reba and Tommie Dean will soon be the proud owners of a new home for the construction on the home is rapidly going up. The new home is in the same location as the old house and may I say, "it could not happen to nicer people."

Here I am bragging about the people in my home town, but who wouldn't be proud of neighbors like Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding, who extended an invitation to some young girl from the Baptist Orphanage at Round Rock, to spend a two weeks vacation in their home. Their only request was that she be near the age of their daughter, Patricia, who is eleven. They even drove down to Round Rock and got Janice Parish and will see that she has a safe journey home, when the vacation is over. I heard a visitor at Church Sunday ask Mr. Breeding if Patricia and Janice were twins or if they were just dressed alike. Janice and Patricia were dressed alike, for being a good seamstress is one of Mrs. Breeding's most gifted talents. Mr. Breeding has been the Baptist Sunday School Superintendent for several years and Mrs. Breeding teaches a class of Beginners. We of the community feel sure that sweet little Janice has had a most wonderful vacation and learned to love and appreciate Mr. and Mrs. Breeding and Patricia as we of the community do.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and baby daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chatham left last Friday night for Carlsbad, N. M. and planned to go through the cavern while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell attended the family reunion for the late Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Looney which was held last Sunday in the guest house at the Coleman Park.

Miss Barbara Henson of Melrose, N. M., returned Monday after a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Rob Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Breeding of Abilene and relatives in Fort Worth and Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant are visiting their son and family, the Bernie Bryants, in Ft. Worth this week.

Mrs. Bates Baulch and children of Coleman are visiting this week with Mrs. Willis Baulch and Mrs. John McClendon while Bates is in Chicago on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence returned home last week end after accompanying her son, Dr. Jim Tom Lawrence and daughters of Breckenridge to Ruidosa for a weeks visit.

Mr. E. N. Lewis and Ramona visited relatives in Little Rock, Ark. last week.

Mrs. R. A. Webster is on a vacation trip to Florida with her son and family, the Bob Websters, of Lufkin.

**MY GENUINE THANKS**

Permit me to say "Thanks, Sincerely" to every citizen of Precinct 1 for the consideration given me at the polls last Saturday. I appreciate every vote cast in my behalf and hold no animosity toward those who supported my opponent.

I wish also to warmly congratulate Mr. W. L. Bow-lus upon his election.

Again I say "Thanks" to each of you. It's really great to live among you in the finest little city this side of the "Pearly Gates".

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# News Happenings In Clyde



The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, August 1, 1958

## Open-Air Revival To Be Held At Clyde

An old fashioned open-air revival will be held in Clyde Aug. 1-10. Rev. Dan Royall, pastor of the Central Baptist Church of Abilene will be preaching. Services will be each evening at 8 p.m. under the oak trees in back of the lot owned by W. L. Masseege. The public is invited.

## Baptist Church Has Music School

The Baptist Church has been engaged in a music school all of this week. There has been classes in conducting, hymn playing, christian hymnody, hymn singing, and vocal technique. Teaching in this school, under the direction of the church music director Jackson Williams are Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Siltman and Mrs. Joe Whitten of Abilene.

There has also been a children's choir every evening under the leadership of Mrs. Siltman.

The pastor of the church, De Witt Chandler, has been camp pastor at Luaders this week during Intermediate Royal Ambassador week.

## Local People Return From Canadian Trip

Margaret Burnet, Betty Odum and Kenneth Kendrick returned home this week after a trip of a month to Toronto, Canada, and other points East. While in Toronto, they attended the Youth World Conference of the Baptist churches. 8,000 youths from 63 countries attended.

They also visited Niagara Falls, New York City, Richmond, Va., and Washington, D. C.

## Girl Scouts Take Train Ride Tuesday

Mrs. Pearl Simmons, Mrs. A. G. Howe, Mrs. Johnny Simmons and Mrs. Clyde Foster took the Girl Scout Troop 6 for a train ride from Baird to Abilene Tuesday. They visited KRBC-TV and Radio Station in Abilene, also took a peek at the million dollar home southwest of Abilene. They returned to the Clyde Dairyland for refreshments.

## Laundry to Open At Clyde Soon

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watts, owners of Service Cleaners in Clyde, will open a coin-operated laundry in about two weeks across the street from their present business. Ten new washers plus driers will be used.

Location will be the remodeled building owned by Tommy Odum, formerly occupied by the Clyde Enterprise. The Watts will continue to run the cleaners.

## Clyde HD Club Meets With Mrs. Darden

The Clyde Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. R. S. Darden, Friday, July 25. A business meeting was held and plans were made for the annual club picnic to be held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Napier, Aug. 1st, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. T. C. Whilden spoke to the club about her trip to Old Mexico.

The next club meeting will be Sept. 12 in the home of Mrs. John Graham.

Refreshments of lemonade, ice cream and cake were served to Mmes. A. H. Vicars, president, Earl Hagan, Joe Reed, Jess Jennings, T. C. Whilden, Don Peters, C. S. Holden, H. G. Broadfoot, J. N. Broadfoot, R. L. Napier, Hoyt Rogers, Ruby Monroe, Earl Gargus, John Graham, and the hostess, Mrs. Holden.

## T.E.L. Class Holds Family Night

Members of the TEL Sunday School Class of the Clyde Baptist Church held their annual "Family Night" social Monday at 8 p.m. at the Church.

Ice cream and cake was served to Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Green, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hannaford and granddaughter, Pat Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McCarley and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Burch, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Pierce, Mrs. Ernest Ham, Mrs. DeWitt Chandler and children and Miss Evelyn Hollis.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Moody L. Coffman of Abilene are the parents of a baby girl, Sharon Kay, who was born Saturday, July 26, at 4 p.m. at Hendricks Hospital weighing 5 lbs. 11 ozs. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Echols of Clyde. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coffman of Abilene.

## SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ashcraft of Clyde are the parents of a son born at Hendricks Memorial Hospital Monday at 10:47 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foster, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Powers, Mr. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Konczak and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Poe and daughter, Harold Watts, B. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brannan and Dolores and Mrs. Dyer motored to Cisco to attend the Indian and Clyde Hyliners game Tuesday night. The Indians didn't show up, so the game was forfeited to the Hyliners. Some of the group went to Albany to see the game there between Albany and Cisco Panthers.

Mrs. Tom Arledge spent the week end at Moran with her son, Fred and family.

Audrey Manning, of Globe, Ariz., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meadows Sunday.

Mrs. John Robbins and Johnny McClusky and Jean Robbins of Odessa, returned Friday from a vacation trip to Albuquerque, N. M. They visited Mrs. Abernathy there and joined Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hodges at Farmington for a trip through Colorado and Utah.

Mrs. Harry Steen has been in Houston for the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Yohner, who is in a hospital there.

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## Sunshine Circle In Baulch Home

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Fourteen members and one visitor answered roll call with scripture. Mrs. Stoker brought the devotional which finished our study in Romans.

The hostess served refreshment plates to a guest, Mrs. Sam Trotter and the following members.

Mmes. O. E. Battles, Hilton Edwards, Ross Farmer, Lester Farmer, Ella Farrar, M. L. Logan, Pat Logan, N. A. Trotter, M. E. Miller, Tee Baulch, Tom Stoker, M. Russell, Miss Gerlie Harris.

## Mrs. Tabor Hosts Armstrong Circle

The Armstrong Circle of the WSCS met Monday evening, July 28th, at the home of Mrs. Clark Tabor.

Mrs. Frank Bailey presided over the business meeting.

Everyone brought covered dishes and secret pal gifts were exchanged.

The hostess gift was presented to Mrs. Otis Conlee. Mrs. Bob Pyeatt and Patsy Bouchette, visitors for the evening were welcomed by the following members: Mmes. Lee Crouch, Frank Bailey, Bud Smith, J. C. Snow, Dan South, Wesley Rutherford, Grady Barr, Joe South, Doyle Hopper, Otis Conlee, Tex Cloud, Harold Holden, Reg Collier, Bill Baker, Bill Shelton, Seth Holden and hostess, Mrs. Clark Tabor.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holden Tuesday were Mrs. L. P. Cozzens and Mrs. Vera Giles of Abilene, Mrs. Ed Killen of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Collins and Cecile and Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Crawford visited in Lubbock over the week end with the Bob Lemons family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarel Hurst attended funeral services Tuesday for Mrs. Evelyn Pruet, who died suddenly at her home in Amarillo. She was buried at Canyon Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Springfield of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Baker Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Joiner, Carol Lynn and Mary Elaine, and G. A. Joiner, all of Tye, visited Monday with Mrs. W. T. Bell.

Mrs. Ollie Burrow, who has been visiting her son, Tommy in Farmington, N. M., was accompanied home Friday by her daughter, Mrs. Bailey Yarbrough and family of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Holden and children spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mayfield in Abilene.

Visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford last week was Ray King of Abilene. Pat Barnes of Abilene, is spending the summer with the Hannafords.

Mrs. Jim Tate visited last week in Midland in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hollis Shanks and family.

Recent guests of Mrs. Belle Rolater and Mrs. Margaret Wadsworth were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ross and grandson Bobby of Albuquerque, W. M. Clegghorn of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clegghorn of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Lee are visiting the C. B. Collins this week.

Mrs. M. Y. Anderson, Mrs. Doc Kennedy and daughter, Marty of Abilene, visited Mrs. M. C. Lofton, Mrs. J. L. Tabor and other friends Friday.

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Mrs. Errol Haley, Big Spring  
Mrs. Clyde Hendrix, Clyde  
Mrs. J. F. Berry, Clyde  
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Mrs. Iru Jackson, Clyde  
Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Baird  
Mrs. Jess Jennings, Clyde  
Mrs. Josie E. Shanks, Merkel  
Mrs. Ella Farrar, Baird  
Iva Paulk Pearson, San Benito  
W. L. Masseege, Clyde  
Mrs. Oscar Stiffler, Baird  
Davis Harrell, Baird  
Mrs. R. L. Freeman, Midland

## Baptist Circle Meets With Mrs. Baulch

Mrs. Jim Baulch was hostess Tuesday for the Afternoon Circle of the Baptist Church. Mrs. O. V. Bigham brought the study "God's Wealth and Ours." Devotional was taken from the book of Ephesians, 1st chapter.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Hannaford, Britton, Warren, Rogers, Byrd, Reid, Carothers, LaFoy, Bigham, Baulch, Misses Susie and Ruby Barr, and Evelyn Hollis. Visitors were Mrs. C. E. South, Minnie May, Georgia Marie and June LaFoy.

Mrs. Georgia Jones of Sweetwater returned home Monday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lofton.

Jimmy Bills of Paris is visiting this week with Mrs. Ollie Burrow.

Miss Gloria Forester and Miss Charlene Johnson, both of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Forester.

Little Miss Laurie Plemons of Jackboro is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Plemons.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Rogers of Goodwell, Okla., visited Monday with Rev. and Mrs. Lee Crouch and family.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Echols were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallis, Barbara and Freda who flew from Anchorage, Alaska. Mr. and Mrs. Wallis will fly back Saturday while Barbara and Freda will remain for the summer.

Mrs. Jimmy Dugan of McCamey visited recently with Mrs. J. H. Bailey.

John, Jerry and Jane Bigham, of Amarillo, recently spent ten days visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Bigham.

Mrs. T. H. Dix returned home Saturday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gordon and Evelyn in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goble and children, visited his mother, Mrs. C. P. Goble at Coleman.

## Children's Photographs . . .



Top row, left to right: William Canada, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Canada; Doris Ann Shelnut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Shelnut; Tommy Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox. Second row: Cheryl Ann McIntosh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale McIntosh; Dusty David Young, son of Mrs. Gwen Young; Larry David Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tod Newton. Third row: Kenneth Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox; Carol and Elvey Yarbrough, children of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Yarbrough. Fourth row: David Lee Strickland, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Strickland; Jon Lane Spaulding, son of Mrs. Claire Spaulding; Ava Joyce Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood.

## Bailey Circle Meets In Johnson Home

Mrs. Bailey Johnson was hostess for the Bailey Circle Monday at 8 p.m. Mrs. Ted Walls presided in absence of circle chairman, Mrs. Harry Steen.

Devotional was brought by Mrs. Homer Kennard. A brief business session was held and Mrs. John Berry gave an explanation of circle goals.

Closing was with a prayer. Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Ted Walls, P. L. Poole, John Bryant, Homer Kennard, John Berry, A. C. Forester, John Weathers, Ollie Burrows, and one guest Mrs. Mary Yarbrough of Denver City and the hostess.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy this week are Mrs. McElroy's sister, Mrs. John I. Turpin and Mr. Turpin of Denver, Colo.

Recent visitors in the O. V. Bigham home were Mrs. J. F. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merritt, all of Merkel.

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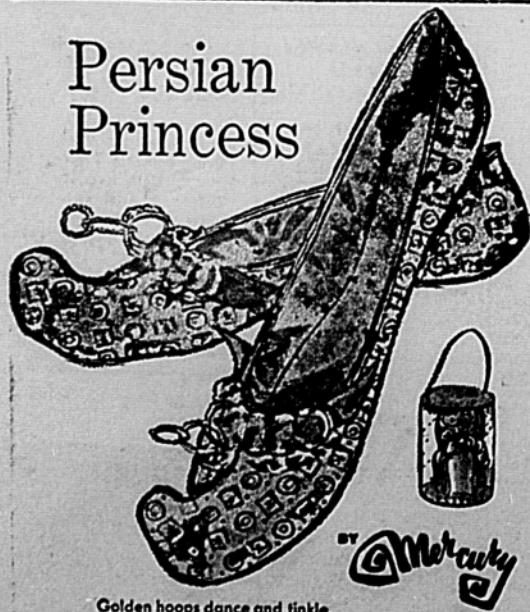
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## Voters - Attention

In this issue of the Star there appears the full text of five of the Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at the upcoming General Election (Nov. 4). So that you may be fully informed we urge that you read each proposed measure in its entirety, and study all of them carefully before you go to the polls to cast your vote.

A brief digest of the nine different amendments follows:

**NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 1)** - Provides for annual sessions of the legislature, changing the compensation, per diem and travel expenses of the members of the legislature and authorizing temporary residence of the Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House in the Capitol Building.

**NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR 6)** - Authorizes each county to establish, after approval by its voters, a retirement, disability and death compensation fund covering the elective officers of the county or precinct, as well as the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct.

**NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 30)** - Provides that vacancies in the office of County Judge and Justices of the Peace shall be filled by the Commissioners Court only until the next General Election.

**NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (HJR 31)** - Provides that any District, County, or Precinct official serving a four-year term must resign before announcing for a different office if there remains unserved more than one (1) year of the term for which he is elected.

**NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 48)** - Provides that a Home Rule City may provide by Charter Provision, and a City operating under the general laws may provide by majority vote, for a longer term of office than two (2) years for its officers, either elective or appointive, or both not to exceed four years.

**NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (HJR 17)** - Provides for pension to retired Texas Rangers who are ineligible to participate in the Employees Retirement System of Texas, and their widows.

**NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR 4)** - Authorizes the Legislature to make appropriations and establish procedure for advertising the historical, natural, agricultural, industrial, educational, recreational and other resources of Texas.

**NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR 36)** - Gives the Legislature the power to authorize vendor payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct public assistance to and on behalf of needy recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of funds from the Federal Government for the purpose of paying such assistance.

**NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 3)** - Authorizes the Legislature to create a Hospital District coextensive with the incorporated limits to the City of Amarillo, Texas and a county wide Hospital District in Wichita County, Texas, and Hospital Districts in Jefferson County, Texas.

Mrs. W. J. Bowler and son, Steve Sword of Tyler, visited in the home of Dr. R. L. Griggs and family several days last week.

Miss Estelle Freeland left last Thursday on her return trip to Nigeria, West Africa. She is visiting in Richmond, Va., this week and will leave New York Aug. 2 by plane for Brussels, Belgium. Frank Freeland, of Paris, France, will meet her in Brussels and they will visit the World's Fair. They will return to Paris for a visit before Estelle continues her trip to Africa.

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## SWEET 'N' SOUR

By A. Dill

Here it is the first day of August - that means thirty-one more golden days of vacation, thirty-one more days to swim and do all the things folks do in the good old summertime.

Speaking of swimming - Tuesday must have been family day at our municipal pool, or least it looked that way, for between the hours of four and eight here are some of the folks we saw: from Spokane, Wash. was J. D. and Bess Gorman and children Lynda and Jay and also their cousins, the Canada children from Midway; Mr. and Mrs. Irving Pruitt were there with their youngsters, Tommy Sue and Lynda; so were Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Lynch and family, all of them enjoying the escape from the hot July sun. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glasson and the girls came in for a dip and watched the little ones practice the swim strokes they learned at school last week. Mrs. Jack White was there with her family, giving the encouragement to her young swimmers in that certain way that only mom knows how; another family group included Marian Windham and her family, Ruth Dyer Elliott and pretty little Elizabeth, and Gayle and her lovely children making like mermaids. Dorothy Carrico came with daughter Carlie, and special guests the Ferguson children from Cisco. The Fergusons, you know, are Janice Ivey Ferguson's youngsters, and their grandmother, Mrs. Lee Ivey was there to help with the family fun. Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and Kay were two enthusiastic water sport fans Tuesday, and so was Mrs. Dan Smith and her family and Mrs. Joseph Fiedler and the girls, Joy Lynn and Barbara Bruce. Mr. A. D. Spence and pretty little daughter, Sharon of Clyde was there, and also from Clyde came Mrs. S. S. McMurry and attractive young Teena. Mrs. Thomas Spears of Clyde, who is just about the nicest person you've ever met, was there with her family and some "borrowed" youngsters, numbering about 10 in all. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dugan and family were down from Clyde for a swim. Mrs. Neal and her children spent a happy time at the pool too. Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams and girls were there, and so were the Strickland boys and mother, Ruth. Mary Black and Joan Walton and their families made Tuesday their day, too, and if you think only the baby girls liked the water you should have seen the other gals take to it - learning new swim strokes and doing all the good too. See what we mean by "family day" at the pool? Family fun not only knits that particular unit together more closely, but a community that plays together becomes a better place to live.

Oh yes, Tuesday was a very special day for Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cash because their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill B. David and their lovely daughters, Vickie and Lisa of Fort Worth came for a visit and a swim at the pool was part of their day's activity.

Among the visitors in our community this week is Mary Halbrook, daughter of Ava and Jack Halbrook of Fort Worth. Mary is visiting her grandparents, the Edmund Webbs. The Webbs have other visitors too, Lynda Gorman of Spokane, Wash. and Shirley Ann Webb of Abilene, all of them are grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Webb.

The L. C. Cash's have special guests all this week. Mrs. J. H. Day, Mrs. Cash's sister from Abilene, was here for a visit and with her came young James Day and Debbie Day, grandchildren from Atlanta, Ga. James and Debbie are the children of Mr. and Mrs. James Day.

Nancy Gardiner has been hostess this week to a most welcome house guest - Judy Morgan of Abilene.

Bernice and Paul Max Varner and children, Marianne, Paula and Raleigh Max, are here from Jal, N. M., to visit family and friends.

Home from SMU for a few short weeks before the fall term begins is Mary Ross, looking prettier than ever and just reminding us of how we'll miss that bright smile when September comes.

Some very special news comes to us this week from the Lois Hagan family of Route 1 - Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Corcoran of Ft. Worth now boast of a baby daughter, born July 5th in a Fort Worth hospital. The baby has been named Mary Ann and tips the scales at four pounds, twelve ounces. Mrs. Corcoran is the former Lois Theresa Hagan and tiny Mary Ann is the first grandbaby for Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hagan and also first for her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Sophia Corcoran of Big Spring. Mary Ann's mother is a graduate nurse of St. Paul's of Dallas and her daddy is a TP railway employe.

Randall, Betty and young Randall C. Jackson Jr., are home again this week after an ever-so-nice visit in Fort Worth.

It's vacation time for Iva McIntosh and that lady is enjoying a well-earned one in New Mexico.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield have had special guests - grandchildren Carol and Suzan of Dallas have been here. They were joined Thursday by their parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and all of them attended the Stubblefield family reunion in Cisco Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop and baby Julia of Dallas (Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield's daughter and family) also attended the reunion.

Great news dept. - Mrs. Pat Patterson is home after undergoing surgery in an Abilene hospital, and all the news is good concerning how she feels and a complete recovery. Mrs. Patterson's mother, Mrs. S. L. Gray of Amarillo, is here for a visit and to see that the young lady follow orders on getting well quick. Also visiting is Mr. and Mrs. Pat's pretty little niece, Sammy Borellie of Amarillo, and with family and friends to wish her the best, how can that Patterson girl keep from being up 'n about in no time at all?

August is going to bring some birthdays to just a lot of nice folks and we want to wish them all a lot of happiness. Randy Sisson will be four years old on August 15, and Mike Smalley is going to be seven on the 16th. Glenda Beth Gilbreath Poe will celebrate August 4th and Link Lawrence is going to have cake with all the trimmings on August 4th. Maurine Williams, bless her dear heart, will have an August birthday on the 18, and Terrell Williams (bless him, too) celebrates on the 28. One of our favorite little guys, Jim Dyer Windham will be nine on the 13 and we sure want to send a big happy birthday wish his way.

All months are glad, but sometimes they are a little sad and the sad part of this one is that we'll be saying goodbye to some dear friends and excellent school people, the E. B. Posey family. Mr. Posey has been our high school principal, teacher, and band instructor, and under his direction we've seen our band grow into a worthwhile student organization and one we are justly proud of. Mrs. Posey (our dearly loved Beth) has taught language arts in the elementary school and has built a special place in the hearts of her young students. We will miss the Poseys and all they have done for our school system and we join their many friends in wishing them happiness in their new positions with the schools in Austin.

Saturday was very much of a red letter day for the young people of Callahan County for it was graduation time for Learn to Swim classes held by the Red Cross Chapter at the municipal pool. We are extremely proud of a class of twelve who won their Instructors Assistant and Water Safety Aid badges which means they are qualified to assist with Learn to Swim classes and aid with the instruction in water safety schools. Tests were exacting, work was grueling, for the standard set by Red Cross is high. One requirement is that each student have his Senior Life Saving badge, so the following are Instructors Aids and also Senior Life Guards: Alvis Dill, John Bullock, Jimmy Barnes, Sonny Caldwell, Ronnie Ault, Paul Jones, Patty Pollard, Andy Konczak, James Black, Harry Odum, Wanda Simmons, and Richard Journean. Winning the Senior Life Saving badges were Joy Jackson, Kay Eatherly, Linda Drennan. Junior Life Savers now include Kity Ross, Lula Mae Walker, Jimmy Ault, Char-

lene Shelton, Lynn Payne, Jimmy Odum, Jackie Conlee, Leon Abernathy, Charles Poe, Frank Windham, Jackie Poe, Paula Corn and Pat Musselman. These courses in Senior, Junior and Water Safety Instructor's Aids were taught by Captain C. M. Schmidt, of the U.S.M.C., given to be one of the finest instructors in the United States.

Other classes included Beginners, Intermediates and Swimmers. Students who passed these tests were Barbara Zababal, Benny Brame, Peggy Payne, Barbara Snyder, Edwina Reese, David Warren, Joy Lynn Bruce, Betty Corn, Dana Corn, Mike Nixon, James Conley, Sue Anne Swinson, Pat Poe, Terry Lee Byrnlm, Bill Baker, Helma La Cour, Jackie Smith, Jimmy Alexander, Dyer Windham, Eddie Curtis, Marianne Swenson, Ann Glasson, Frances Murphy, Donna Abernathy, Linda Wallace, John K. Lamb, Jr., Tommy Konczak, Bobby Black, Ervin Bates, Pat McKennon, Edwin Ault, Lois Weed, Doug Rowan, Darlene Musselman, Sandra Hughes, Richard Journeay, Pat Patterson, John Wayne Wingo, Linda Jean Wingo, Katie Marie Fuqua, Weldon Edwards, George Lopez, Larry Conlee, Charlie Correll, Susan Young, Dolores Batley, Lanelle Pettit and Charles Saunders. Instructors for these courses were Sgt. Samuel Pinnell, U.S.M.C., and W. J. Boney of Abilene.

**Eula Items**  
By Sandra Beard

Kenny, Donald and Paul Coffman are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Welch this week.

The Eula Chapter of Future Farmers will have its next regular meeting on August 18th with a work day following on August 19th from 8:00 A. M. until 12:00 noon. The chapter's vice-president, Adrian Huddleston, was recently awarded the highest state award of Lone Star Farmer at the State F.F.A. convention. This is the eighth boy from the Eula Chapter to win the award since the chapter became eligible in 1953. Commenting on the degree, Huddleston stated that he was going to try for the American Farmer Degree which will call for two more years of outstanding work in the Future Farmers.

The Farm Bureau of Callahan County is sponsoring a Talent Find Contest and a Queens Contest on August 14th. Anyone desiring further information should contact Mrs. Rufus Miller or Mr. Claude Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beard and family visited friends in Haskell last Friday and Saturday.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to everyone for their kind words of sympathy during our recent bereavement. Also for the food and beautiful flowers.  
Mrs. W. J. Dugan, Sr. and family

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## Encampments To Be Held at Lueders

Three camps at Lueders Baptist Encampment grounds in rapid succession will complete the camp season for the summer.

The primary Sunbeam camp for youngsters 6, 7, and 8 years old, will be held on August 1 and will have as its theme "Exploring God's Wonders." The Brotherhood camp will open at 3 p.m. on August 4 and continue through night service with a barbecue meal at 5:45 p.m.

The youth camp will begin August 5 at 1 p.m. and continue through lunch on August 8. This camp will be for young people 16 years of age and above. Field trips, treasure hunts by age groups, nature study, mission study, swimming and recreation will be packed into the day at camp for the Sunbeams.

Mrs. R. E. Lee of Houston is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Farris Bennett and Mr. Bennett, and her brother, Clyde White and Mrs. White.

Visitors Saturday with the Roy Gilbreaths were his mother, Mrs. C. M. Gilbreath, of Brownwood and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Seate and son of Ft. Worth. They were enroute home after visiting relatives in California. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreath visited Mrs. Gilbreath's mother, Mrs. Ernest Penn in Mercury Sunday and Mrs. Penn returned home with them for a visit this week.

Mrs. E. J. Barton and Mrs. Esker Crawford of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hooten of Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. Estes McIntosh of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIntosh of Odessa, the first of the week.

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**To The Citizens of Callahan County:**  
I wish to express my thanks and appreciation for your vote for County Clerk in the Primary Election Saturday.  
Although, I did not have an opponent, I am deeply grateful for your vote.  
Sincerely,  
Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson



# NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Brown the past week were: Mrs. Minnie Gay of Leesville, La., Mrs. Jane Simmous of Fineville, La., and Mrs. Anne Kay of Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser had as guests last week their grandchildren, Freddie Jean and Randy Wilson of Waco.

Mrs. Pete King of Ft. Worth came Wednesday and visited her son, Mrs. Laura Jobe, and friends until Mr. King and son, Edward, came Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Nolan, daughter Jo Ann and granddaughter of Andrews visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and son, Darrel, left Friday for San Diego, Calif. They will visit Mr. Eubank's sister, Mrs. Lena Houston, and other relatives in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Fields were guests of Vena Shackelford Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Lena Kelly of Ft. Worth was a guest of Mrs. Shackelford Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Hulon Smith left Thursday for Tishmingo, Okla. She will attend a family reunion at Sulphur, Okla. Saturday.

Dr. R. D. Brown and family

of San Antonio are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. A. Shully of Rising Star.

Mrs. Wayland Smith and baby of Midland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent.

Dr. Royce Pruet of Abilene was a visitor with G. S. Pruet and family Saturday.

Aura Francis Waddell was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddell.

Glenn Payne and son, Phillip, of Thomas, Okla., Mrs. Otis Tatom of Okeene, Okla. were week end guests of their mother, Mrs. Mae Payne. Mrs. Tatom is spending a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kreticos of Dallas stopped by to see the Mobley sisters Saturday. They had been vacationing in Colorado and New Mexico.

Mrs. Zulus Mehaffey was a visitor with her sisters, the Mobleys, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet, Craig and Jeri were guests of the Homer Pruets Sunday.

Mrs. Norman Dale Lowry and daughter of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Jobe of Jal, N. M. are the parents of a baby boy born July 25. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wink of Levelland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman went to Cisco Saturday to visit with Jim Hill who is ill in Graham Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowne of Grand Prairie and Billy Bowne of Brownwood were week end visitors with W. H. Bowne.

Susan Kay Davis of Abilene is visiting Charlene Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Brown and family of Hobbs, N. M. spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Isenhower, Jane, Elizabeth Ann, and Billy of Baytown were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reese of Bakersfield spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reese.

Smith Harris was a Thursday visitor with the W. A. Everetts.

Mrs. Brady Leveridge of Breckenridge was a Monday visitor with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls and daughter, Evelyn, of Seymour were Thursday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Wesley Rutherford was a Monday visitor with his parents, the Earl Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford and daughter, Laverne, went to Fort Hood Sunday to visit with their son Clint, who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Cernon were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hash in Breckenridge Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mitt Cook spent most of the week in Abilene visiting her children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet, their daughters, Mmes. Ralph Mitchell, Henry Mundt, Earline Clark, John D. Isenhower and Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet, attended the funeral Tuesday of Mrs. Joe Ellison Pruet who died suddenly at her home in Canyon Sunday.

Mrs. Lee White and son, Carl, spent the week end in Madill, Okla. visiting Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Paragean.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Park Clinton of Wichita Falls July 24 a daughter. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton. Mr. Clinton is in Wichita Falls. Also born to Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzick of Midland last week a daughter. Mrs. Wadzick was the former Ellen Williams.

would be real good if we could get a rain.

Rabbits, Rabbits everywhere you look. I never did see as many rabbits. Late Tuesday afternoon, two men and a little boy came out and hunted about two hours and got fifty some odd. They came back another afternoon and in about the same length of time killed fifty some odd again. That kinda thinned them out around here for the time being.

Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones of Moran visited a while Monday afternoon with Jim and me. So glad to have them. It was a pleasant surprise. The Jones just returned Sunday from their vacation. Don't know just all the places they went. They did go to New Orleans. La. Mrs. Jones said they really enjoyed New Orleans very much.

Ollie and Gayle Burnam and several of the youngsters of Putnam and Miss Rodna Lamb, Miss Carlen Deal and Wayne Blankenship and Jerry Henson of Abilene went to the lake at Cisco Tuesday afternoon for a picnic supper. They also went skating. They reported a good time.

We were very sorry to hear this morning of the passing of Mrs. Frank Thames of Cisco. She passed away about four o'clock Monday morning in her home with a heart attack. She was a very sweet person. She was Mrs. Melvin Payne's mother. Our sympathy goes to all her family. Funeral was Tuesday at Cisco at 3 o'clock.

Be good and I'll be seeing you next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett have returned home after a vacation trip to Colorado.

### Eula Items

By Sandra Beard

(Held Over From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Riley and son, Randy, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Welch over the week end.

Mrs. George Crook, Karen, and Dorothy are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. P. H. Crook, in Dallas this week.

Don Tarrant has returned to his base in New York after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tarrant, on a three week furlough.

Mrs. Jewel Smith of Colorado City made a short visit with the Cynthia Farmers last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Trotter are enjoying their children who are here on vacation visits. Ethel Trotter of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Trotter and family of California are here now.

On July 16-19 at Sam Houston State College in Huntsville, the High School Girls Basketball Coaches Association held its annual coaching school and clinic. Rose Farmer, Eula coach, has served this organization as president for the past year. She presided over the activities there this summer. Also attending the four day conference was Dolores Black, who had been selected to play in the All-Star game on Friday night, along with 35 other girls from all sections of the state. Dolores was a good representative from this area, conducting herself ably on the court (contributing to the North win, 52-50) and ladylike at all times. Each girl who had been selected on the All-Star Team was presented individually immediately preceding the game and was awarded an engraved medal.

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### Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor! The weather is still hot and dry here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and son, Edwin, of Fort Worth had Sunday dinner with Dick and Annie Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Elland of Stanton spent the first part of the week with the Dick Yarbroughs. Jim and I visited with them a while Monday evening. Glad to see Guy doing so good. He still has to rest a lot.

John and Roma McIntyre left Monday morning to visit in Vernon a few days with Gerald and Mildred Carter. We just heard from James Carter who is in Germany saying they would go to the port of embarkation on August the fourth to come back to the States. He will come back by ship so it won't be long now until he will be back home.

Burette and Johnny Mae Ramsey visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harris over Moran way.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Moran visited Saturday evening with the Burette Ramseys. The Ellises were driving a new Chevrolet. Always glad to see our neighbors get a new car. It gives me new hope that some day I might get one.

Clayton Burnam and James McCoy of Stanton visited with Jim and I a while Saturday afternoon. We were so glad to see them and have them visit with us. Wish they could have stayed longer but they said they already had in order for supper with Mark and Ollie Burnam and had better go there. They spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mark. Sorry you boys didn't have any luck fishing. Clayton and James brought Mrs. Bertha Burnam to Baird to visit a while with her sister, Mrs. Jim Alphin and husband. I am sorry Mr. Jim that you are not feeling well these days. Hope you soon get OK.

I visited a while Monday afternoon with Mrs. Jim C. Jones and also the Mobley girls. Stopped in a few minutes Friday afternoon to see Mrs. Euna Lovelady, Mrs. May Payne, Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Mrs. Laura Jobe. Glad to see Mrs. Carrie King a few minutes Friday afternoon. Mrs. Carrie you look so good and it was good to see you.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford came out to the Mark Burnams Monday morning. While there they were given the okra if they would cut it and of course they were glad to do that. The Okra

**To The People Of Callahan County:**

I wish to express my deepest feelings of appreciation to the voters of the entire county for the splendid vote that was cast for me last Saturday for re-election to the office of County Treasurer. I accept it as a vote of confidence and shall do my very best to merit that confidence during the time I hold this important office. Your continued good will and cooperation will be of greatest value to me.

With sincere thanks, I remain

Very truly yours,

Hazel Reynolds



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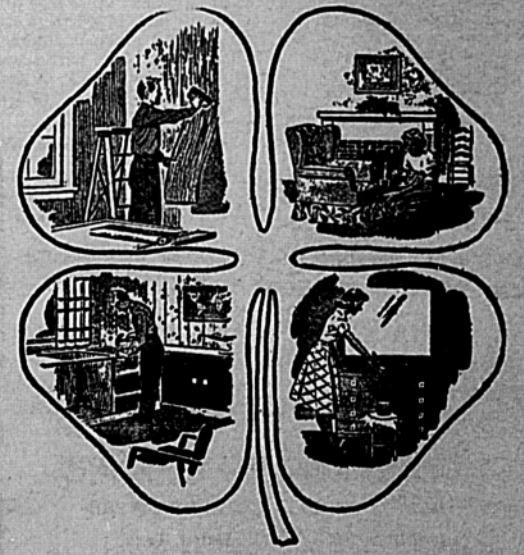
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## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958. HJR #31—Number Four on the Ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.**

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 31** proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas to provide that all county officials for whom four-year terms of office were authorized in 1954 must resign such office prior to assuming for a different office when more than one (1) year remains unexpired of the term for which they were elected, and providing for the filling of vacancies in the manner now provided by law.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. Section 65 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas is hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

**SECTION 65. OFFICERS SERVING TERMS OF OFFICE.**—The following officers elected at the General Election in November, 1954, and thereafter shall serve for the full term provided in this Constitution:

(1) District Clerks; (2) County Clerks; (3) County Judges; (4) Judges of County Courts at Law; County Criminal Courts; County Probate Courts and County Domestic Relations Courts; (5) County Treasurers; (6) Criminal District Attorneys; (7) County Surveyors; (8) Commissioners of Health and Animals; (9) County Commissioners for Precincts Two and Four; (10) Justices of the Peace.

**Notwithstanding other provisions of this Constitution,** the following officers elected at the General Election in November, 1954, shall serve only for terms of two (2) years: (a) Sheriffs; (b) Assessors; (c) Collectors of Taxes; (d) District Attorneys; (e) County Attorneys; (f) Public Weighers; (g) County Commissioners for Precincts One and Three; (h) Constables. At subsequent elections, such officers shall be elected for the full term provided in this Constitution.

**In any district, county or precinct where any of the aforementioned officers elect at an election in which two (2) or more persons hold such office, with the result that candidates file for "Place No. 1," "Place No. 2," etc., the officers**

elect at the General Election in November, 1954, shall serve for a term of two (2) years if the designation of their office is an even number, and for a term of four (4) years if the designation of their office is an odd number. Thereafter, all such officers shall be elected for the terms provided in this Constitution.

"Provided, however, if any of the officers named herein shall announce their candidacy, or shall in fact become a candidate, in any General, Special or Primary Election, for any office of profit or trust under the laws of this State or the United States other than the office then held, at any time when the unexpired term of the office then held shall exceed one (1) year, such announcement or such candidacy shall constitute an automatic resignation of the office then held, and the vacancy thereby created shall be filled pursuant to law in the same manner as other vacancies for such offices are filled."

**Sec. 2.** The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment provided that any District, County, or Precinct official serving a four-year term must resign before announcing candidacy for a new office which remains unexpired more than one (1) year of the term for which he was elected."

**AGAINST** the Constitutional Amendment providing that any District, County, or Precinct official serving a four-year term must resign before announcing candidacy for a different office if there remains unexpired more than one (1) year of the term for which he was elected."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the voters of this State have approved said Amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

**Section 2.** The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election herein provided for and shall cause the proposed Amendment to be published in the manner required by law and shall cause said election to be held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958. SJR #4—Number Two on the Ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.**

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4** proposing an Amendment to Subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas authorizing each county to provide retirement, disability and death benefits for appointive officers and employees of the county, precinct, or other political or elective officers and for employees of the county, precinct or other political or elective officers and for the purposes of the proposed amendment to the voters qualified to vote therein, and providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

(b) Each county shall have the right to provide for a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct, or for the appointive and elective officers and for the employees of the county or precinct, provided same shall be published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in said county once each week for three consecutive weeks; provided that the amount contributed by the county to such fund shall be not less than the amount paid for the same purpose and shall be shared at such rates as shall be provided in the act; provided that one-half per centum (1/2%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county.

**All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this state, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is**

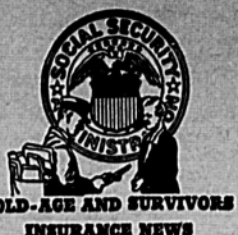
guaranteed by the United States, provided that the principal and interest on such bonds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount contributed to the fund by the county, and shall be used by the county to provide for the retirement, disability and death benefits provided for in this act, and shall be used by the county to provide for the retirement, disability and death benefits provided for in this act, and shall be used by the county to provide for the retirement, disability and death benefits provided for in this act.

**Section 2.** The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election in November, 1958, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the amendment of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution, to authorize each county to establish, after approval by its voters, a retirement, disability and death compensation fund covering the elective officers of the county or precinct, as well as the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct."

**AGAINST** the amendment of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution, to authorize each county to establish, after approval by its voters, a retirement, disability and death compensation fund covering the elective officers of the county or precinct, as well as the appointive officers and employees of the county or precinct."

**Section 3.** The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice of said proposed amendment and of said election published as required by the Constitution of Texas and laws of this State.



## OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE NEWS

### NOW'S A GOOD TIME TO CHECK UP ON YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY MONEY

Workers and self-employed people are encouraged to check their social security accounts at least once every three years according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager at Abilene.

This may be done easily with a pre-printed and addressed postal card furnished free of charge by all social security offices. Just insert your own name, social security number, date of birth and mailing address before signing, stamping, and mailing the card to the central accounting office in Baltimore, Maryland.

Tuley pointed out that each person should make sure his account is correct because the amount of future benefits to him or his survivors is based on the wages or self-employment income posted to his social security account. If an error or an employer's failure to report wages is discovered within three years, quick corrective action can be taken. After three years, it is more difficult and sometimes impossible to correct an account because of the statute of limitations and other factors.

The Social Security Administration maintains approximately 125 million separate individual accounts and has an index of nearly 5 million employers. Most of the huge job of posting all the accounts is done by advanced automation techniques. The

postings of these accounts are almost fool-proof, Tuley stated, but sometimes an employer fails to report some wages or reports them under an incorrect social security number. Also, self-employed people occasionally report their income under an incorrect number or even without a number. Any of these might cause an error in an account.

Since so much depends on your account being correct, you should keep a record of your income each year and check your account regularly to make sure it is correct. The handy card for doing this may be secured by writing the Social Security office, Abilene, Texas.

## Tecumseh Topics By Lillian Crawford

Well things have been happening around here lately. Mrs. Bertha Whitley was bitten by a rattlesnake Friday morning when she reached up on a high shelf in the storm cellar to get a jar. She was rushed to a doctor and has been getting along as well as could be expected.

Nearer home than that, another accident took place Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Betcher and children were visiting the Eibert Crawford family when their little girl was bitten about the face by a Collie dog. The child was rushed to a doctor and 16 stitches were needed to close the wounds.

Mrs. C. W. Barnard visited Mrs. Eibert Crawford Monday and spent the day.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. James McNeil and Deborah. The main purpose was to get their family back together again since Patricia and Stevie had been visiting up this way for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Crawford spent the night Sunday with his parents, on their way back to Cisco after visiting in Lubbock.

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## Atwell News By Mrs. Roy Tatom

The Midway Baptist revival closed Sunday with seven new additions to the church and they all were baptized Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Smith and children visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Sunday.

Mrs. Joy Brown and daughter of Jal. N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pope and boys spent last week on their ranch in Brewster County.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady spent Thursday night and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mills in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom, Beverly and Kim, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Cross Plains Saturday evening.

Mrs. Nancy Junes of Cross Plains spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Foster.

Miss Lynette Hutchins is spending this week with her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Blend Steward of Blanco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble and children of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and Miss Shirley Sessions of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and children, Baird, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griggs and daughter of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sessions Sunday.

Miss Betty Jo Tally of Garland visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bentley and Joe Roy of Putnam, Mr. Joe Bentley and children of Eula visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins Sunday evening.

Visitors at Church Friday night were Mrs. John Stoneburg, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griggs and daughter of Abilene, Mrs. Joy Brown and daughter of Jal, N. M., Bennie and Connie Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear and Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan, Macky and Cheri of Cisco, Joe Roy Bentley of Putnam, Miss Betty Jo Tally of Garland, Edgar Sessions of Midland. There were other visitors during the week and Sunday.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hart of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hart and boys, Donnie and Jackie of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ringhofer Jr. and children spent last week at College Station where Mr. Ringhofer attended a State Fireman's School.

Pfc. Rondal B. Price of Fort Lewis, Washington arrived last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Price.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gordon and children visited relatives in Seminole last week end.

## The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, August 8, 1958

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958. HJR #30—Number Eight on the Ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.**

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30** proposing an Amendment to Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide for the Legislature the power to provide for the payment of medical care for indigent persons who are blind, aged, dependent or disabled as provided in Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas; providing for direct or vendor payments for medical care on behalf of such recipients as provided in Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Government of the United States for such payments; providing for the payment of such medical care shall be in addition to the direct assistance to such recipients from the Federal Government; and providing for the payment of such medical care shall be in addition to the direct assistance to such recipients, and shall be in such amounts as provided by the Legislature; provided, however, that the amount of such direct payments for such purposes shall never exceed the amount paid out of Federal funds for such purposes.

**Section 1.** The Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Federal Government of the United States, such financial aid on behalf of the needy, aged, blind, and dependent persons as such Government may offer, inconsistent with restrictions hereon in any Federal law.

**Section 2.** The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution giving the Legislature the power to authorize vendor payments for medical care in addition to the amount paid in the form of direct payments to such recipients of Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled; providing for the acceptance of financial aid from the Federal Government of the United States for such payments; providing that the amount paid out of State funds shall never exceed the amount paid out of Federal funds; and providing that the amount paid out of State funds for such purposes shall never exceed the amount so expended out of Federal funds."

**Section 3.** The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall cause the proposed amendment and laws of the State of Texas to be published as required by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas.

be in such amounts as provided by the Legislature; provided, however, that the amount of such direct payments for such purposes shall never exceed the amount paid out of Federal funds for such purposes.

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**Section 3.** The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall cause the proposed amendment and laws of the State of Texas to be published as required by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958. HJR #1—Number One on the Ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.**

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1** proposing an Amendment to Section 24 and 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to provide for the Legislature the power to change the terms of office of the members of the Legislature; authorizing temporary residence of the Legislature in the Capitol; providing for the election of members of the Legislature; providing for the payment of expenses of members of the Legislature; providing for the payment of expenses of members of the Legislature; providing for the payment of expenses of members of the Legislature.

**Section 1.** That Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read hereafter as follows:

**Section 24.** The Legislature shall meet each year, under the condition and limitation hereinafter set forth, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, and at other times when convened by the Governor.

**Section 25.** The Legislature shall meet each year, under the condition and limitation hereinafter set forth, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, and at other times when convened by the Governor.

**Section 2.** That Section 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read hereafter as follows:

**Section 25.** The Legislature shall meet each year, under the condition and limitation hereinafter set forth, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, and at other times when convened by the Governor.

**Section 26.** The Legislature shall meet each year, under the condition and limitation hereinafter set forth, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January, and at other times when convened by the Governor.

## To The Citizens Of Callahan County:

I am most grateful for the opportunity to continue to serve the people of Callahan County as County Judge.

I want all my friends and supporters who worked in my behalf to know they have my heartfelt gratitude, and that I have no ill feelings to those who did not vote for me, and I want to thank everyone for the many courtesies shown me in the campaign.

And as ever before if I may be of any help or assist you in any way please feel free to call upon me.

Again thanking you

Sincerely,

Lester Farmer

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## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958. SJR #3—Number Nine on the Ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 1958.**

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3** proposing an Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide for the creation of a Hospital District in Callahan County, Texas; authorizing the County of Potter to render financial aid to and participate in the operation of such Hospital District; authorizing the Commissioners Court of Callahan County to assess and levy taxes on property outside the incorporated limits of such city; further authorizing the City of Amarillo, Texas, to participate in the operation of such Hospital District; authorizing the City of Amarillo, Texas, to participate in the operation of such Hospital District; authorizing the City of Amarillo, Texas, to participate in the operation of such Hospital District.

**Section 1.** That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended to read hereafter as follows:

**Section 1.** The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of two hospital districts, one to be coextensive with and have the same boundaries as the incorporated City of Amarillo, as such boundaries now exist or may hereafter be lawfully extended, and the other to be coextensive with Wichita County.

**Section 2.** If such district or districts are created, they may be authorized to levy a tax not to exceed Seventy-five Cents (\$0.75) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation of taxable property within the district; provided, however, no tax may be levied until approved by a majority vote of the participating resident qualified property taxpaying voters of the district, and the maximum rate of tax may be changed at subsequent elections so long as obligations are not impaired, and not to exceed the maximum limit of Seventy-five Cents (\$0.75) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation, and no election shall be required by subsequent change in the boundaries of the City of Amarillo.

**Section 3.** If such tax is authorized, no political subdivision or individual, not having the same boundaries as the district may levy a tax for medical or hospital care for individuals, nor shall they maintain or erect hospital facilities, but the district shall be authorized to assume all such responsibilities and shall assume all of the liabilities and obligations (including bonds and warrants) of such subdivisions or municipalities or both.

**Section 4.** The maximum tax rate submitted shall be sufficient to discharge all obligations, liabilities, and responsibilities, and to maintain and operate the hospital system, and to acquire, repair and renovate improvements, and initially equipping the same, and such bonds shall be payable from said Seventy-five Cents (\$0.75) tax. The Legislature shall provide for transfer of title to properties to the district.

**Section 5.** The Legislature may by law permit the County of Potter (in which the City of Amarillo is partially located) to render financial aid to this district by paying a part of the expense of operating and maintaining the system and paying a part of the debts of the district (whether assumed or created by the district) and may authorize the levy of a tax not to exceed Ten Cents (\$0.10) per One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation, in addition to other taxes permitted by this Constitution) upon all property within the county to be levied by the City of Amarillo at the time such levy is made for such purpose. If such tax is authorized, the responsibility, obligations, and liabilities of the county in the manner and to the extent above provided for political subdivisions having boundaries coextensive with the district and the county shall not thereafter levy taxes (other than levies provided for hospital purposes) for providing hospital care for needy individuals of the county.

**Section 6.** The Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a hospital district within Jefferson County, the boundaries of which shall include only those comprising the Jefferson County Drainage District No. 1 and the Fort Arthur Independent School District, as such boundaries exist, and may authorize the levy of a tax not to exceed Ten Cents (\$0.10) per One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) valuation of property therein for the purpose of paying the principal and interest on bonds for the construction and initial equipping of a hospital system, and with the power to levy tax on property within the boundaries of the City of Amarillo.

**Section 7.** The creation of such hospital district shall not be final until approved by an election by a majority of the resident qualified property taxpaying voters at said election who have duly received notice by mail or otherwise of the time, place and purpose for taxation upon the set roll of voters of said district.

such bonds be issued or such tax levied until so approved by such voters. The district shall not have the power to levy any tax for maintenance or operation of the hospital or facilities, but shall contract with other political subdivisions or individuals or corporations for such purposes.

**Section 8.** The Legislature may be authorized to finally create, no other hospital district may be created until the Legislature has provided for its boundaries, but the Legislature may by law authorize the creation of a hospital district in any county in the remainder of Jefferson County, having the powers and duties and with the limitations of the Hospital District of Callahan County.

**Section 9.** That the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.



### Former Resident Is Fire Inspector

Fire Prevention is a full time job for P. H. King of Moore Air Base in Mission. King, son of Mrs. G. M. King of Baird, was one of the first Valley residents to be put on CEA payroll. He joined the company Sept. 7, 1954. King, whose title is Fire Prevention Inspector, continues a round of routine inspections of all buildings on the base, plus spot checks for hazardous areas. He is also responsible for the maintenance of some 700 fire extinguishers placed at strategic points over the base.

"We have been fortunate in making a good fire record since Moore AB was reactivated," he said, "since we have had very few minor fires and no major ones."

A resident of Mission since 1948, King went to the Valley from Dallas where he was employed at Lockheed Aircraft during and after World War II. He and his wife, Helen, are active members of the Church of Christ, and he is a member of the Mission-McAllen Moose Lodge.

### Sale of Savings Bonds Increase This Year

"Savings Bond sales for the first half of 1958 totaled \$120,694.00," Howard Farmer, Chairman of Callahan County's bond committee reported today. "Our county has now reached 57.7% of its 1958 goal of \$209,000.00. June sales were \$48,938.00."

Sales in Texas for the first six months of 1958 were \$88,580,546 which was 3.4% greater than the same period in 1957.

"Every American who buys Savings Bonds is providing for his own future, adding to the strength of his country, both militarily and economically," stated Mr. Farmer.

### Baird Youth Center Will Be Open Friday

Baird Youth Center will be open Friday night, August 1st for the 6th, 7th and 8th grade age group. The building will be open at 8 p. m. and hosts and hostesses for the evening will be Mr. and Mrs. Vance Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Black and J. D. Drennan.

Refreshments of sandwiches and punch will be served.

### Polio Center Needs Help To Survive

In the next 60 to 90 days, Texas' famous physical rehabilitation center, the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, must either make the grade financially or close its doors to handicapped Texas citizens. Approximately 4,500 patients have received comprehensive treatment since the center opened in 1941.

Faced with a deficit of \$100,000 as the result of a dramatic shift from polio care to the treatment of numerous other handicapping injuries and diseases, the Foundation's statewide board of directors was called into emergency session Sunday. While polio care has been extensively financed by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, few funds are available for patients suffering brain damage, spinal cord injury, strokes, and such diseases as cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy, and multiple sclerosis.

The new program of the National Foundation will not provide patient care help for patients other than polio in the immediate future, spokesmen from the Foundation told the Warm Springs board.

No child whose condition could be helped by the non-profit center has ever been turned away

for lack of funds, and the welfare program has been extended to adults.

"It is our fervent hope that the Foundation's many friends when apprised of this need for additional funds, will come to the aid of this truly outstanding work," R. I. Payne of Dallas, president, said.

Stringent economies in the center's operation, special efforts to raise funds for immediate needs, an emergency public information and fund-raising program were ordered by the Board.

The name of the 110-bed center, Texas' only complete medical facility for the rehabilitation of the severely handicapped, was officially changed to the Texas Rehabilitation Center of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation.

Visitors last week end with Mrs. John McGowen were Dr. and Mrs. J. Henry McGowen and Mrs. J. R. Traylor of Abilene, Mrs. Lucille Harris of Houston. Other visitors during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Mon D. Thaxton and Marjean of Little Rock and Newport, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Thaxton of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Crow of Sallisaw, Okla., Dr. and Mrs. Thaxton McGowen and family of Waco.

### Lee Ann Brown Is Party Honoree

I had a party and I'm six years old, And now I feel I'm too big to scold.

It was at my house, my name is Lee Ann, About four o'clock was when it all began.

I had all my friends, and gifts galore, and wait till I tell you, there's lots more.

We had ice cream and a cookie or so, and Spud came, too, he's my dog, you know.

I was so happy I could hardly breathe, even though I just lost my two front teeth.

And of every sweet, tiny guest, I think that I must be most blest.

Cause I can't think of a nicer fix, Than to live in Baird, and be just SIX!

I'd like you to know of our good times, But Mommie can't think of any more rhymes.

So just to show you what you missed, Take a look at this long list.

All these children came around, to help celebrate with Lee Ann Brown:

Cathy Barton, Karen Barton, Eva Black, Charlene Black, Ada Black, Scotty Kniffen, Stevie Kniffen, Larry Newton, Elizabeth Elliot, Belinda Weems, Patty Lou Weems, Debra Parsons, Wilda Parsons, Terri Alexander, Jan

Alexander, Bobby Warren, Jon Spaulding, David Strickland, Sharon Young, Suzie Young, Mike Young, Mary Ann Bell, Cindy Warren, Mariann Odum, Gary Goble, Julie Beth Goble, Debby Hass, Nancy Deal, Katy Walls, Cary Walton, Gwen Walls, Kathy Reeves, Rhonda Walton.

### Clayton Joy Weds Odessa Girl

Clayton Joy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Joy of Baird, and Miss Renee Dawn McKinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McKinley of Odessa, were married Saturday, July 19, in the Trinity Baptist Church of Odessa. Rev. J. Paul Miller officiated.

The bride attended Ector High School and is employed as a dental assistant to Dr. H. D. Holland. Her husband is a graduate of Baird High School and is employed with Stovall Electric Company of Odessa.

Mrs. Ben Louis Russell and Randy of Clovis, N. M., spent the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr. and while here they went to Dallas to see Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hampton and children.

R. F. Mayfield is at home after being discharged from the local hospital Sunday.

Visiting the S. E. Webbs during the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Webb and children of Marfa, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holbrook and children of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gorman and children of Spokane, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb and children of Alamogordo, N. M., Shirley, Sandra and Donnie Earl Webb of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb and son of Jal, N. M., Mrs. Martie Batley and children of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Selan Canada and family of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Faircloth and family of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McClure of Eula, Charlie Webb of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fox and children of El Paso, Richard Johnson of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Dick Griffin and children and Raymond Morgan of Clyde.



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MISSION WHOLE GREEN BEANS, 2 No. 303 cans 29c

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OLEO, Kimbell's, 2 lbs. 39c

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Pinto Beans, 4 lbs. 39c

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