

## Mrs. Homer Boatwright Dies, Resident Of County For 78 Years

Funeral services for Mrs. Homer (Annie Bertha) Boatwright, 86, were held Thursday at 4 p. m. in the First Baptist Church of Baird. Officiating was Rev. Carroll Green. Burial was in Ross Cemetery under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Boatwright passed away Tuesday at 5:30 p. m. in her home near Baird. She was born in Bell County on Sept. 2, 1880, and had been a resident of Callahan County for 78 years. She married Homer Boatwright in Baird on Oct. 21, 1902.

Survivors, besides her husband, are: two daughters, Mrs. C. T. Clay of Big Spring and Mrs. Roland Nichols of Baird; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Melton of Coleman and Miss Myrtle Gunn of Baird; two grandsons, Charles and Ray Clay.

Pallbearers were Archie Nichols, Buster Hatchett, M. L. Hughes, Frank Payne, J. O. Warren and Jerry Loper, all of Baird; I. G. Mobley and F. P.

## Booster Club Elects Officers

The first meeting for the year of the Baird Booster Club was held Monday night, August 28, at Baird High School.

Frankie Crow was elected president, and John Dillingham was re-elected secretary. Plans were made to have a meeting each Monday night at 7:30.

Membership dues are now being sold, and can be purchased from the following: Grady Davis, Vernon Townsend, Lloyd Jones or President Crow.

The dues are \$5.00 for each member and the funds from dues goes toward the purchase of films for the football games. It is also used for expenses of the All-Sports Banquet, held in the Spring.

## Mrs. Floyd, 65 Buried Wed.

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Mrs. William J. (Beulah Beatrice) Floyd, 65, in Godfrey Funeral Home Chapel. Jack Lanham, minister of Baird Church of Christ officiated, with burial in Belle Plain Cemetery, under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Floyd died at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Eastland Memorial Hospital after an illness of two weeks.

She was born May 13, 1902, and had been a resident of Baird for 30 years. She formerly lived in the Cottonwood community. She married William J. Floyd December 26, 1921. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Baird.

Survivors, besides her husband are: three sons, William D. of Abilene, Odran G. stationed with the US Air Force in Thailand, Silas R. stationed with the US Navy in the Philippines; four daughters, Mrs. Eva Dean Bloomer of Louisiana, Mrs. E. T. (Lillie) Nettles of Putnam, Mrs. W. E. (Wanda) Arnold of Winters, and Mrs. T. J. (Janice) Stockton of Baird; three brothers, Nolan and Paul Seaton, both of Blanket, and Milton S. of California; two sisters, Mrs. Veda Mae Wheat of Brownwood and Mrs. Bertha Kanady of Baird.

Mr. Ralph Dick of Wichita Falls spent the weekend visiting relatives around Baird. He visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lawrence.

Shackelford both of Putnam. Honorary pallbearers were R. D. Williams, Ben Russell, Bonnie Thompson, Roy Denney, Bob Norrell, L. C. Cash, R. W. Reynolds, Garvin Jones, John McIntyre and Bureate Ramsey.

## S. S. Harville Dies in Hospital

Sidney Sherman Harville, 75, died at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday in Callahan County Hospital after a brief illness.

Funeral will be held at 10 a. m. Friday in the Oplin Baptist Church, with Aubrey McAuley of Abilene and Rev. Doug Halverson, pastor of the Oplin Baptist Church, officiating. Masonic graveside rites will be held at Ross Cemetery at Baird. Arrangements are under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 29, 1891 in Ratcliff, Ark., he had been a resident of the Oplin area for 47 years and married the former Tina Bartley in Putnam, Jan. 11, 1911. He was a retired stock farmer and former county commissioner of Precinct No. 2. He served from 1930 to 1934.

The body will lie in state at the Oplin Baptist Church from 9 a. m. until service time, and the casket will not be opened thereafter.

He was a member of the Oplin Baptist Church and Baird Masonic Lodge No. 522, which will conduct the Masonic services.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Mrs. C. S. (Lillian) McGowan of Baird, Mrs. Flora Mae McIntyre of Big Lake, Mrs. Lawson (Velma) Armor of Dudley, Mrs. Clarence (Lucille) Breeding of Olin, and Mrs. Henry (Adilene) Settle of Big Lake; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Shelby Harville of Wylie; two brothers, Clifford Harville of Abilene and Charnel Harp of Cleveland, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Garvin Jones of Baird and Mrs. Cecil Ramsey of Fort Worth; 19 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. One son, Shelby, preceded his in death.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

## 39 Percent of Goal Reached

Savings Bond sales through July 1967 in Callahan County totaled \$15,201, according to a report received today from Mr. Howard E. Farmer Chairman of the Callahan County Savings Bonds Committee. This is 39 percent of the county's 1967 goal of \$150,000.

During the first seven months of 1967, Texans purchased \$98,079,008 in Series E and H Savings Bonds. Included in this state total was \$225,409 for the new "Freedom Shares" which were offered for the first time on May 17. Freedom Shares can be purchased only in combination with Series E Savings Bonds on a regular purchase plan through banks or payroll savings.

Nationally, during the first seven months of 1967, cash sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds totaled \$3,027 million, which is an increase of 4 percent over sales a year ago and an 11-year peak for 7 months.

### NOTICE

The First National Bank of Baird will not be open for business Monday, Sept. 4, Labor Day.

You are urged to transact your banking business accordingly.

## Do Not Call The Fire Reporting Number Unless You Are Reporting A Fire!

The fire reporting system at the Baird Fire Department has turned into an information service instead of what it was designed for in the first place, to alert the fireman the fastest way possible.

Are you one of the Baird citizens who start dialing in this number the moment the fire whistle goes off? If you are, this is what you are causing: delaying the firemen in receiving the correct location of the fire, and tying up the fire reporting system the firemen must have to learn the location of the fire.

This delay could and possibly will cause a fire to get out of control in this town. The location of this fire could be at your relatives, or your best friend's home across town.

The Fire Department repeats, do not call the reporting number just to satisfy your curiosity. If you must know the location of the fire, go to the Fire Station and get this information from the blackboard in the Fire Hall.

BAIRD VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.

## Second Annual County Beef Cattle Shortcourse Begins Sept. 5

The second annual Callahan County Beef Shortcourse will be held September 5, 6 and 7, beginning at 8:00 p. m. each night in the County Courtroom, according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent.

Each meeting will be approximately 1½ hours in length. Speakers and topics for the shortcourse are: Sept. 5, Uel D. Thompson, Extension Animal Husbandman, Thompson will speak on supplemental feeding the beef cattle herd.

On Sept. 6, Garlyn O. Hoffman, Extension Range Plant and Brush Control Specialist, will speak on woody plant and prickly pear control.

The final night, Sept. 7, will feature Dr. C. M. Patterson, Extension Veterinarian. Patterson's topic will be animal health in the breeding herd.

Lackey encourages the public to attend any or all meetings.

## Former Bible Teacher Visits Baird

A former Baird Bible teacher, Miss Janet Edmonson, will be the guest of Mrs. N. M. George at 443 Girard Street, Saturday Sept. 2.

Mrs. George will host open house, starting at 3 p. m., in order that the former teacher may visit her many friends in Baird.

Mrs. George has recently moved to the Girard Street address from her ranch home, east of Baird.

# County Beef Calf Tour Successful

Over 175 people viewed the steers on the Annual Callahan County Steer Tour, held Saturday, Aug. 26, according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent.

The tour kicked off at 8:30 at the Richard Windham residence in Baird. Eight stops were made in Baird and Clyde prior to dinner, and three stops in Cross Plains, Putnam and at

# Baird Bears Open Season Sept. 8th

## CALLAHAN COUNTY SEARS SWINE SHOW TO BE HELD SEPT. 1

The Callahan County Sears Swine Show will be held September 1st, at 8 p. m., at the C. T. Straley residence in Oplin according to Jerry L. Lackey, County Agricultural Agent.

Larry Osborn, Swine Packer-Buyer for Gooch's of Abilene will be official judge.

Local 4-H'ers with 1967 Sears Gilt projects are David Isenhower of Putnam 4-H, and Darlene Armor, Kim Straley and Dicy Scott, all of Oplin 4-H.

John Straley of Oplin 4-H has the Sears Boar. This boar

and the County Champion Sears Gilt will represent Callahan County in the District Sears Show to be held in September at Abilene.

## Allen Family Hold Reunion

The 3rd Annual Reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. George W. Allen of Denton Valley, was held Sunday, Aug. 20, at Abilene Kerby Park.

Those attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen of Novice; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Green and family, Talpa; Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Kemper, Fort Worth; Mrs. Lillie Willis, Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Truett Loper and family, Anson; William D. Wilson, Camp Pendleton, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gunter and family, Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlisle and family, Junction; Mrs. Eddie Allen, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Allen and family, Novice; Joel Lovett, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wayne, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Allen, Sweetwater; Neal Allen of Lake Jackson.

Attending from Clyde were: Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Windham and family, Mrs. Will Allen, Dub and Pauline Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson, Mrs. Betty Walker and Mrs. Kate Allen.

From Abilene: Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Strange and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tarrant and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poe and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mabb, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Allen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Walthall and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Machrell and daughter, Ray Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baumgart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibbs and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stanfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odus Franklin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Allen and family, and Mrs. Jane Kramer and family.

One visitor from Abilene was Milton Crawford.

Plans were made for next year's reunion to be held the third Sunday in August, at the Abilene State Park.

## Phone Co. To Build New Office Building

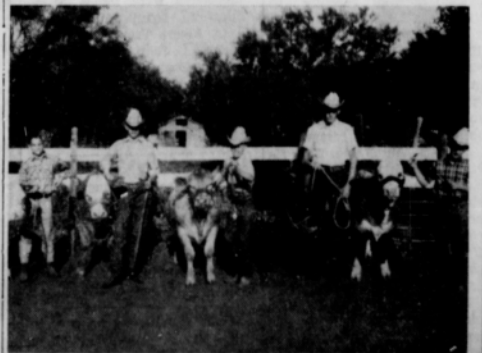
The West Texas Telephone Company has completed plans to build a new office building, at their present location in Baird.

During the construction period of the new building, the Telephone Co. business office will be located at 320 Market Street, next door to the Hardwick Insurance Agency. The business office will open Sept. 5 at the Market Street address.

The new office building should be completed within ninety days.



Left to right: Bill Windham, Tom Windham, and Jim Snyder, all of Baird 4-H.



Left to right: Bill Hatchett, Rickie Vestal, Danny Vestal, Gary Franke, and Andy Vestal, all Baird FFA.

## COURTHOUSE RECORD

Marriage licenses were issued last week in the County Clerk's office to the following:

Horace Jenkins Bailey of Abilene and Mrs. Ammie Ruth Raughton of Abilene.

Arthur Kelton Jones of Baird and Leedia Joe Green of Baird. Meredith Lynn Waggoner of Clyde and Sharon Lea Kemper of Clyde.

### New Vehicles

G. E. Davis, Ford  
Raymond Kuklenski, Ford  
D.O.T. Corp., Ford  
Frazier Ford, Ford  
Frazier Ford, Ford pickup  
Madge H. Bearden, Pontiac  
Rhodes Drilling Co., Ford pickup

## Cemetery Donations

Kendrick Cemetery Fund donations were received recently from Mrs. Bertie Whitley, \$5.00; Mrs. Ola Faye Hodges, \$5.00; and Mrs. Lillie Merrill, \$5.00.

Donations to the Kendrick Cemetery Fund can be given or sent to Mrs. Annie Mae Crawford in Clyde.

## FORMER COUNTY EMPLOYEE VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Evans of Clovis, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farmer and other friends in the County recently.

Mr. Evans will be remembered as a former Callahan County Tax Assessor-Collector.

The Baird Bears have finished two weeks of football practice and Coach Veston Townsend reports high spirits and much improvement.

The Bears are expected, by an early prediction, to finish fourth on the 10A slate at the end of district play. The determination of this team and the spirit of the fans together "we expect to change even this," Townsend said.

The Bears first game of the season is Sept. 8, when they will host the Santa Anna Mountaineers.

The Bears backfield stands strong with fullback Franklyn Alexander, halfback Donnie Rowe and quarterback Tommy Townsend. Billy Collins, Travis Higgins and William Higgins are back this season after being absent from the playing field one year, however lettering in 1965.

The Bears pack weight at the tackle positions with Donald Barron, 190; Eddie Curtis, 220; Jerry Barron, 185; Jimmie Smith, 215. James Collins, 150 and Mike Sadler, 185, are lettermen at center. Bun Barry, 140, and John Lambert, 155, are in guard positions.

The team has three experienced ends in Chris West, 150; Allen Lovell, 135; and Bryan Lee Reese, 160.

Following is the 1967 Bear schedule:

- Sept. 8 — Santa Anna at Baird
- Sept. 15 — Baird at Merkel
- Sept. 22 — Eastland at Baird
- Sept. 29 — Cross Plains at Baird
- Oct. 6 — Eden at Baird
- Oct. 13 — Baird at De Leon
- Oct. 20 — Baird at Dublin
- Oct. 27 — Ranger at Baird
- Nov. 3 — Albany at Baird
- Nov. 10 — Baird at Early

## School Enrolls 393 Monday

The school doors on Baird campus swung open Monday morning, August 28, to enroll 393 students, in grades 1 through 12.

Baird High School enrollment totaled 126, while the Elementary and Junior High towered over with 267.

One teacher has been added to the staff, Mrs. Christine Ready. She will teach one of the two first grades. Two replacements on the teaching staff are Mrs. Kaye Shutter and Lewis Burleson.

## Paula Godfrey Doing Fine After Skin Grafts

Miss Paula Godfrey is recovering nicely after undergoing skin grafts in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene August 21.

The grafts became necessary after five weeks of convalescing at her home in Baird, after an accident in which she was driving a golf cart, east of town. She swerved to avoid a bump in the road, causing the three-wheeled cart to overturn on its side, pinning her leg underneath. She received severe abrasions to her ankle and shin.

Two other youths were riding with Paula at the time of the accident, on July 18. Allen Towler and her brother, Lynn Godfrey were uninjured.

Paula was unable to start to school August 28, but plans to resume her studies at Baird High School soon, where she is a sophomore student.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Godfrey.





AUSTIN — Texas Department of Public Safety has issued a grim warning that 45 people will die in state traffic accidents during the Labor Day weekend.

DPS will make an all-out effort to curb wrecks and to stop reckless and illegal driving on the highways, says Col. Homer Garrison Jr., veteran director of the law enforcement agency.

Approximately 150 uniformed officers from other services will supplement the regular highway patrol force for the long holiday period - Friday, September 1 through Monday, September 4.

In addition a coordinated effort involving several state agencies and private organizations will be directed toward holding down the fatality and injury list.

Texas Safety Association will conduct a public information program stressing the need for courtesy and caution on the road and urging drivers to remain alert. TSA Vice-President W. F. Leonard will coordinate efforts of 12,000 Junior Chamber of Commerce members operating 200 rest stops which will serve free coffee to tired drivers.

DPS will carry on its educational program via newspapers, radio and television and will distribute maps showing highway construction sites.

A fleet of 35 to 40 cars to assist stranded motorists over the state will be operated by Texas Council of Safety Supervisors and Texas Motor Transportation Association. Purpose of the "holiday road patrol" is to relieve highway patrolmen for enforcement work.

"There is always the possibility that the estimate of 45 deaths for this period can be

proved too high, but only if all drivers put forth every effort toward avoiding traffic accidents," Col. Garrison said.

Meanwhile, DPS has announced radar sets will be placed in every patrol district over the state to aid in enforcing highway speed laws. Sets capable of accurate reading on vehicles at distances up to 1,500 feet will be carried in patrol cars.

Speeding figured in 41 per cent of last year's fatal accidents and 29 per cent of non-fatal accidents.

**SMITH IS RUNNING** — Lt. Gov. Preston Smith broke open the 1968 political season by telling reporters he will run for governor next year regardless of whether Gov. John Connally plans to try for a fourth term.

"I want to make it clear once and for all that I am running," Smith said. "I have absolutely no idea what Governor Connally will do, and it doesn't make one iota of difference."

However, the Lieutenant Governor insisted that he would not make a formal announcement of his candidacy, complete with definition of issues, until Connally returns around Labor Day from his African Safari.

House Speaker Ben Barnes has indicated he will run for lieutenant governor if Connally seeks a fourth term.

Former Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr also expressed some interest in the lieutenant governor's race. But he emphasized that he had not made a definite decision.

Another prospective candidate for lieutenant governor is State Sen. Murray Watson of Waco.

**APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED** — Lieutenant Governor Smith has named these committees:

Poverty Study — Sens. Joe J. Bernal of San Antonio, chairman; Bruce Reagan of Corpus

Christi, vice-chairman; James S. Bates of Edinburg; Joe Christie of El Paso; and A. R. Schwartz of Galveston.

Oyster and Shellfish — Sens. Schwartz of Jack Hightower of Vernon.

Lane Use and Environmental Control — Sens. Criss Cole of Houston, Charles Herrings of Austin and George Parkhouse of Dallas (who died shortly after appointment).

**Westmoreland Portrait** — Sens. Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo and Bill Patman of Galveston.

House Speaker Barnes named to the Texas Legislative Council Reps. Ralph Wayne of Plainview, James Slider of Naples, Grant Jones of Abilene, Gene Hendryx of Alpine, Menton Murray of Harlingen, George Hinson of Mineola, Paul Floyd of Houston, Tommy Shannon of Fort Worth Don Cavness of Austin and R. H. Cory of Victoria.

**ELECTION LAW CHANGES TOLD** — Secretary of State John Hill has provided Texas election officials details of all changes in state election laws enacted by the 60th Legislature. Major changes include:

Voters may mark ballots with "x" or check marks rather than scratching names of candidates they oppose.

Counties may use electronic voting machines on approval of the secretary of state.

Those who have not yet met state voting residence requirements may vote for president and vice-president.

Those who have moved from county to county within six months before an election can vote for statewide officials.

Some city election dates will be changed from the first Tuesday in April to the first Saturday in April.

Election officials will get a pay raise from \$1 to \$1.25 an hour.

Voters in bond elections will be required to sign affidavits they own property and to identify the property.

White-in ballots will be outlawed in primaries except for party offices, like county chairman.

Only opposed candidates will have to file campaign expense statements.

Voters again must register between October 1 and January 31. All voters must sign up (including citizens over 60 in cities of less than 10,000 population).

**COOPER DAM** — Texas Water Development Board is moving to end a squabble delaying the \$24,000,000 Cooper Dam development on the Sulphur River near Texarkana.

Argument has been over a federal requirement that 63,000 acre feet of water annually be discharged from Lake Texarkana below the proposed dam. This to curb pollution in Red River.

TWDB has proposed that Cooper Reservoir provide about half the pollution control water, with reductions permitted if water quality improves.

**FREE TUITION EXPANDED** — Under a new law in effect this fall, tuition and fees in state junior and senior colleges and universities will be available to 5,000 to 10,000 young Texans from families with incomes of \$4,800 a year or less.

Students must have finished in the upper 25 per cent of their high school classes or score in the top 20 per cent on a standardized admission exam; must be under 25 years of age; and must have lived in the state at least 12 months before registration date. Only freshman students are eligible this year.

**ATTY. GENERAL SPEAKS** — A school district may spend local maintenance tax money to pay lunch room overhead cost, Atty. Gen. Chawford Martin has held. He also ruled that:

A municipal gas corporation created as a non-profit corporation to serve a municipality would not be exempt from city, state county and school district property taxes under the constitution.

A new law setting fee schedules for county clerks is constitutional.

**SHORT SNORTS**  
Special elections will be held November 11 to select successors to the late Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas and the late Rep. Ira Kohler of Houston; also Rep. Otha Birkner of Bay City who resigned to become a Matagorda County Commissioner; Rep. Maurice Pipkin of Brownsville, now director of the new State Judicial Qualifications Commission and Rep. Lee Duggan of Houston, new Judge of Harris County Criminal Court No. 1.

Texas retail sales dropped three per cent in July compared to a nationwide drop of five per cent, according to UT's Bureau of Business Research.

After a hearing before State Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar, Lake Worth school board was directed to reinstate Supt. Grady Vaughn or to pay up some \$28,000 on a two-year contract.

Texas Highway Department has asked contractors to submit bids August 29-30 on some 42 highway improvement projects estimated to cost \$27,000,000.

According to the State Health Department, Texas leads the nation in diseases preventable by immunizations, polio and measles but only about 5 per cent of the nation's population lives in Texas.

Sen. D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur is calling an organizational meeting of the Interim Committee on College Faculty Compensation for 2 p. m. September 1.

**James D. Worcester Becomes Citizen**

James Doyle Worcester, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holmes of Clyde, became an American citizen recently in Wilmington, Delaware, completing his dual citizenship.

Jimmy was born on the Philippine Island of Luzon, making him a Philippine citizen, and was a tentative American citizen, being born of American parents on a military reservation of the U.S. Air Force. The finalization of his American citizenship was required to be completed on American soil, thus necessitating the Wilmington ceremony.

Upon reaching age 21, Jimmy must choose one of his citizenships and relinquish the other. He has a while to make that decision since his birthday celebration in June included a cake with two very bright candies.

**Hospital Notes . . .**

The following were listed as receiving medical care in the Callahan County Hospital Tuesday:

- Mr. Carver, Abilene
- Mrs. R. R. Blackstock, Moran
- John Foster, Baird
- Mrs. J. D. Kelly, Abilene
- Miss Susie Barr, Clyde
- Mrs. Irene O'Haver, Clyde
- Mrs. Roxie Seymour, Clyde
- Miss Ora Clinton, Baird
- Charles Lauw, Clyde
- Mrs. Ora Sadler, Baird
- Bill Parks, Baird
- Mrs. W. L. Bryan, Cross Plains
- Mrs. Louie Williams, Putnam
- Mrs. Joe (Ellen) McGowen, Baird
- Mrs. J. E. Alexander, Baird
- Mrs. Jack Harris, Baird
- Sidney Harville, Ovalo
- Preston McIntosh, Baird
- William Lonnie Gilbreath
- R. L. Alexander, Baird
- Lewis H. Bright, Clyde
- L. H. Welch, Clyde
- Mrs. E. L. Underwood, Cross Plains

**Dismissals**

- Recently dismissed from hospital care were:
- Mrs. A. G. Waggoner
- Lester Smedley
- Mrs. Molly Brandon
- Mrs. Irene Mackey
- E. K. Coppinger
- Mrs. Edward Joe Sellers and baby
- John Foster
- J. H. Osborn
- Mrs. J. H. Osborn
- J. W. Tunnell
- Mrs. Lena B. Stephenson

**Miss Sue Robertson Honored At Tea**

Miss Sue Robertson, bride-elect of Wally Harris, was honored with a tea Saturday, August 19, hosted by Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs. Ray Black and Mrs. Charles Reeves. The tea was held in the home of Mrs. Ray Black.

Miss Robertson, attired in a tulle dress of red knit, was introduced to the guests by Mrs. Joe Harris, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Mrs. J. T. Loper of Baird and Mrs. Leon Freeman of Midland presided at the tea table, where the appointments were milk glass and silver. The table centerpiece was a floral arrangement of blue and white chrysanthemums, the bride-elect's chosen colors.

Mrs. Charles Reeves presided at the bride's book, and Mrs. Ray Black said good-byes.

Also assisting with the tea were Janet Freeman of Midland, Kitty Pierson of Austin and Ada, Charlene and Eva Black of Baird.

After the wedding the couple will continue their studies at Southwestern State College, Weatherford, Okla.

**Mary Corn Honored With Bridal Tea**

Miss Mary Lynn Corn was honored with a bridal tea Friday August 25. Miss Corn and Mac McIntosh will be married Saturday evening, Sept. 2. Receiving guests with Miss Corn were her mother, Mrs. Raymond Corn, and Mrs. Preston McIntosh, mother of the prospective bridegroom. Mrs. Janis Bell was at the registry.

The refreshment table was laid with blue net and centered with an arrangement of blue flowers flanked with blue candies. The appointments were of crystal. Serving at the table were Dana Corn, Rea Corn and Cindy White.

Hostesses were Meses. D. J. Anderson, Lynn Ault, Jack White, Albert Trowbridge, Ruth Strickland, John Towler, Bruce Bell, Roy Bryant, Gilmer Hughes, W. A. Robbins, Jack Lanham, Fred Goble, Roy Gilbreath, W. C. Gordon, Melba Walls and Lester Jaggars.

Jenice and Terry Price have returned from a vacation to Six Glags and to Galveston.

Kent Ivey has returned to his home in Big Spring after visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey in Baird.

If the anchor chain scrapes your boat's gunwale, slip a length of bicycle inner tube over it.



MRS PHILIP LANGLAIS . . . former Wanda Shelnuft

**Wanda Sue Shelnuft and Philip Lewis Langlais Exchange Vows**

After exchanging wedding vows August 4, in the chapel at Fort Devens, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Philip Langlais are at home at 10 Eden Glen in Leominster, Mass.

Mrs. Langlais is the former Wanda Sue Shelnuft, daughter of Mrs. Rosco Shelnuft and the late Mr. Shelnuft of Clyde. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvio Langlais of Bath, Maine.

The base chaplain officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride's wedding gown was of white organza with chapel train. Lace and jewel-studded stones trimmed the bodice, skirt and train. A cluster of stone-trimmed peau de sole petals held her veil of illusion. She carried a colonial bouquet of blue and white carnations.

Dolores Fullen, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Her gown was of blue crepe.

Armand Langlais, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Baird High School, where she was named valedictorian of her class. She graduated from Hardin-Simmons University with a B. S. degree in Physical Educa-

tion, and was studying for her Masters degree at ACC. She taught at Baird, Sonora and Clyde High School, and will be teaching in Fitchburg, Mass., this fall.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Bath High School, Bath, Maine, and has a B. S. degree in Physical Education from Presque Teachers College in Maine. He was Physical Education teacher and coach in Topsham, Maine, before entering the Army. He is presently stationed at Fort Devens, Mass.

Following a reception, the couple left on a short wedding trip to Lake Winnepesaukee, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Mathis and son of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mrs. Onie Abernathy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ault attended funeral services in Abilene Monday for Mrs. D. P. Russey.

Mrs. Van Loven and son of Craig Colo., spent the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. C. A. Abernathy and other relatives.

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65 Chev. ½-Ton Pickup Clean	\$1195
60 Chevy Impala 4 Dr. Sedan, Clean	\$495
64 Chev. ½-Ton Pickup, Clean, (Green Color)	\$1095
64 Chev. ½-Ton Pickup, Clean, (Red Color)	\$995
55 ½-ton Chevy Pickup, with 64 engine. Good	\$395
63 Chev. ½-Ton Pickup, Radio & Heater, Clean	\$995
64 Std. El Cameo V-8, Air	\$1295
57 Pontiac, loaded	\$295
Elgin Boat, 40 HP Merc., Trailer	\$395

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# News Items From The Putnam Community

Putnam school began Monday with an assembly in the auditorium. Quite a few parents were present. Putnam has gained 23 students, of which we are very thankful.

Teachers are: 1st and 2nd grades, Mrs. Roland Nichols; 3rd and 4th, Mrs. Buford Haley; 5th and 6th, Mrs. John McIntyre; 7th and 8th, Jimmie Justice. High school teachers are Supt. R. W. Reynolds, Jerol Price, John Sellers and Mrs. James Paul Shanks.

We are proud that Farrell Glenn Tharp has completed his year in Viet Nam and is now discharged from the Army. He is the son of Mrs. Jewel Shirley.

Saturday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley were Mr. and

Mrs. C. R. Hill of Troy. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and sons of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ogle and Emma Hill of Rising Star, J. R. Hill of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shirley and family of Sweetwater, Mrs. Robert McKinney of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Smith and family of Grand Prairie spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith. Clifford Smith of Dallas was a Tuesday visitor with his parents, the H. O. Smiths.

Mrs. Pearl (Park) Peterson of Boise, Idaho, and daughter Mrs. Wanda Allison and son of Sacramento, Calif., spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet. They were enroute to Jackson, Miss., to

spend a few days with her son Dick Peterson and family. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Walker in Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brooks and the Chesley Pruet in El Dorado, Ark., on their way to Jackson.

Mrs. Roy Lee Williams of Houston and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert of San Antonio left for their home Tuesday after spending several weeks with their mother, Mrs. S. M. Eubank and at the bedside of their father, who passed away Friday.

Mrs. Tex Herring of Stanton is visiting with Mrs. E. C. Waddell, Mrs. I. G. Mobley and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tarrant of Midland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford. Mrs. Rutherford and Laverne were Sunday evening visitors with Mrs. John Gilbert in Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Logan and son, Lannie of Knox City, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton. Mrs. Logan

is Mrs. Clinton's sister. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Moore of Cisco and Eva Moore returned home from a two weeks vacation in Las Palos, Compton and Bakersfield, Calif. They visited two aunts, Mrs. Minne Clifford and Mrs. Edna Lawrence. They also saw the Grand Canyon.

Bill Everett and son Bill Jr. of Irving visited his mother, Mrs. W. A. Everett and with Mrs. Fred Cook Sunday. Mike, the other son, returned home with them after spending a week with his grandmothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl White and family of Grand Prairie spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Lee White.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. W. A. Everett were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCormack and daughters of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ross Everett and family

of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis of Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Isenhower of Cisco were Friday visitors with Mrs. W. A. Ramsey. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and son Roger, attended the reunion of Mrs. Reynolds's family at the Christian Youth Center in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and family of Abilene were Thursday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price and daughters, Tana and Sheri, returned Thursday from a vacation in New Orleans. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Bendano and family.

Mrs. H. A. Pruet and Mrs. Warlick Jones of Moran spent Friday in Eastland visiting Mr. and Mrs. Granville Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dona-

way took their grandsons to their home in Midland Sunday. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Donaway.

## PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

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

Section 1. That Section 9, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty-five Cents (35¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy a tax rate in excess of Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund purposes; provided further that at the time the Commissioners Court meets to levy the annual tax rate for each county it shall levy whatever tax rate may be needed for the four (4) constitutional purposes; namely, general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations and so long as the total of the foregoing tax levies does not exceed Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year. Once the Court has levied the annual tax rate, the same shall remain in force and effect during that taxable year; and the Legislature may also author-

ize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided that a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed Fifteen Cents (15¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. Any county may put all tax money collected by the county into one general fund, without regard to the purpose or source of each tax. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This Section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other Section or Sections of this Constitution."

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 November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment allowing counties to put all county taxes into one general fund."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment allowing counties to put all county taxes into one general fund."

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## Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mrs. W. A. Everett of Putnam visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Monday evening.

Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco and Mrs. Loice Price of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd of Cross Cut and Mrs. Louis Richardson, Dana and Jill of Cross Plains, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom Sunday.

Mrs. Steve Ludlow and children of De Soto visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions over the weekend. Mrs. D. A. Abernathy, Lee and Ruby visited with them Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowen and children visited Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Ellis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black, Barbara and Loy Don, visited with relatives in Fort Worth Monday night and went to Six Flags Tuesday night. They returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillars of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday.

The children of our community started back to school the 28th of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl White and family of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Don Rutledge and family of Goldsmith visited in the home of Mrs. Irene Walker during the weekend.

Mrs. Leon Chelf of Fort Worth spent the weekend here visiting in the home of Mrs. Lillie Swafford.

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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Carrel Green, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:55 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Albert Cooper, Pastor

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
MYF ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice Wed. 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Leo Turner, Pastor

Sunday:  
Bible School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

**SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION**  
Joe L. Galan

Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

"HE THAT HATH EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR" — MATT. 13:9  
"WHO HATH EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR" — MATT. 13:43  
"HE THAT HATH EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR" — MARK 4:9  
"IF ANY MAN HAVE EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR" — MARK 4:28  
"IF ANY MAN HAVE EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR" — MARK 7:16  
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NOTICE OF BUDGET  
The Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School District will conduct a public hearing on the budget for the 1967-68 school year.

Anyone interested in said hearing is hereby notified that this hearing will be held at the Baird Public School at 7:30 p.m. September 5, 1967.  
This done by order of the Board of Trustees of the Baird Independent School District.  
Enil Ringhoffer Jr.  
Secretary. 35-1-c

## NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 8 p. m. on September 11, 1967 at the County Courthouse at Baird, Callahan County, Texas, for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Callahan County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

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Mrs. Weldon Gary visited her mother, Mrs. L. A. Luttrell in Cross Plains one day last week. Tim and Jim Gary of Weatherford are still here with their grandparents, the Garys.

Mrs. Elveda Sikes and Ernest Sikes of Abilene were visitors with Mrs. Lella Gibbs Saturday.

Visitors in the Jimmy West home during the week were: Mr. and Mrs. Donnie West and family of Pasadena, Mrs. Hattie West, Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Vonellie Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge.

Judy Gibbs spent Tuesday night with Brenda Hill of Scran-ton.

While in Abilene Wednesday, Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mrs. Roland Mauldin and boys, also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox, Cheri, Sissy and Jackey Mauldin. Mr. and Mrs. John Adair were supper guests in their son's home, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair of Ranger. Bobby Adair returned with them to spend a few days.

Visitors of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the week and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Wells and daughter of Mt. Vernon, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Buren Burks and family, Mrs. Andrew Shaquila and daughter and son, Dub Gibbs and Owen Smedley, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smedley of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Mrs. John Adair visited Mrs. B. Crow in Baird Saturday morning. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Wilks in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cauten in Admiral Friday night.

Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell accompanied her mother, Mrs. Duke McIntosh of Baird, to Odessa to visit Mr. and Mrs. Estes McIntosh.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Lillie Lawrence and Mrs. Fannie Henderson in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains last Tuesday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Arvin Thornton, Mrs. Jimmy West and Cindy, and Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin accompanied a group of young people from the First Baptist Church of Baird, on a picnic to Lake Cisco Saturday.

Guests in the George Blakley home Sunday and during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakley, Sharon Rose White and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blakley, all of Baird; Jessie Bower and Mrs. Gene Mauldin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price were in Stamford Saturday morning to visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coe.

Clifford Taylor and friend of Abilene spent a few days fishing at Sterling Odom's place. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor, former residents of this community and at one time owned the Sterling Odom place.

Bill Lawrence made a trip to Cisco Sunday with other men from Cross Plains.

Mrs. Larmer Henry visited in the James Reynolds home Wednesday. Other visitors were Mr. Frank Payne of Baird, John Campbell and Arland Barton of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom were visitors with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tvevey in Snyder, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris of College Station visited in the Tommie Harris home over the weekend.

## OPLIN OBSERVATIONS

DAPHNE FLOYD

My apologies for being absent last week, but do you know at the time I couldn't have cared less -- you see, I was sick with this virus ailment, the kind that everytime you raise your head you start vomiting. At the present, I am "complaining of feeling better."

Week before last, Ray and I spent the weekend in Fort Worth visiting his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers and sons, Dale Wayne and Donnie Ray's sister, Mrs. Ruth Rogers of Abilene accompanied us on the visit. Bill is her

youngest son. It seems like old times having Mr. and Mrs. Melton Poindexter of Casa Grande, Ariz., visiting in the community with relatives and friends the past two weeks.

Mr. Sidney Harville entered the hospital at Baird last Saturday after suffering a heart attack. Sunday reports were favorable as he was resting well enough, but he would likely be in the hospital several days before they would know just how much damage had been done to his heart from the attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Fieber) Pierce are the proud parents of a baby, born last Wednesday, August 23. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce of Oplin. I heard that as soon as the news was known, Grandma Pierce caught the bus for Amarillo.

Then on Monday of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding were anxious to get to Post to see their new granddaughter, who arrived last Saturday August 26. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox. Grandma Breeding planned to extend her visit for the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell had their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Campbell of Baird and their granddaughter, Lynda Strange and baby son, Richard of Abilene, as Sunday dinner guests. Then in the afternoon his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Campbell of Brownwood and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Euclid Owen of Coleman were visitors.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. S. P. Sprouse last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sprouse and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Sprouse of Monahans Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cargile and baby of Abilene, Mrs. Carl White and children, and Billy Cargile, all of Irving, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hendricks of Abilene.



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## PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT

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

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section in Article III to be known as Section 52e, reading as follows:

"Section 52e. Each county in the State of Texas is hereby authorized to pay all medical expenses, all doctor bills and all hospital bills for Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November

11, 1967, at which time the ballot shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing each county in this state to pay the medical bills, doctor bills and hospital bills for all Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing each county in this state to pay the medical bills, doctor bills and hospital bills for all Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed."

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT

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

Section 1. That Section 23, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 23. The Accounting Officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust, or profit, under this State, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard or Air National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Air National Guard Reserve, the Air Force Reserve, and the Organized Reserve of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps. It is further provided, until September 1, 1969, and thereafter only if authorized by the Legislature by general law, that the restrictions and limitations as the Legislature may prescribe, that a non-elective State officer or employee may hold other non-elective offices or positions of honor, trust, or profit under this State or the United States, if the other offices or positions are of benefit to the State of Texas or are required by State or federal law, and there is no conflict of interest with the original office or position; prohibiting elected officers under this state or the United States from holding any other office or position under this state or the United States until September 1, 1969, and thereafter only if authorized by the Legislature by general law, that the restrictions and limitations as the Legislature may prescribe, that a non-elective State officer or employee may hold other non-elective offices or positions of honor, trust, or profit under this State or the United States, if the other offices or positions are of benefit to the State of Texas or are required by State or federal law, and there is no conflict of interest with the original office or position; 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# TECUMSEH TOPICS

Lillian Crawford

Everyone welcomed the rain showers again last week. Within the past two weeks, we've had here in the Tecumseh area from 2 to 3 inches, possibly more or less in places, as the showers just hit here and there.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Booth, David and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Farmer drove to the park at San Antonio Saturday to see something different from jack-rabbits and rattlesnakes. The report was they enjoyed the day, but were very tired on their arrival home about 11 p. m.

Lynda Crawford is home on a short vacation from Howard Payne College. She registers for the fall semester Sept. 11.

Vacation days are not over yet for some, for there is another week yet when many more will be traveling here and there. Then it will be back to work and back to school. Some schools are having classes this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crawford and son Ellie of Irving, made a trip to New Mexico, Arizona, Brownfield and back to Abilene, and out Tecumseh way last weekend.

A cook out was planned for Saturday night by the lakeside, where aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, brothers, sisters, mamas and daddies, in-laws and out-laws had a nice visit with one another. I guess

I'll just name Aunt Kate Crawford, not as an outlaw, but an honored guest, since she is 83 years young and enjoys getting out as do others much younger than she is.

## County Students Enrolled at CJC

Students from Callahan County who have completed registration procedures at Cisco Junior College are:

Kenneth D. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rogers, Clyde; Arvin H. Thornton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton, Star Rt. 2, Baird; Gerald Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Conley, Baird; Pat Sadler, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sadler, Baird; Lloyd Ray Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughes, Baird; Robert Jack Sims, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sims, Baird; and Francis Louise Murphy, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Murphy, of Baird.

A record enrollment of 1100 students is expected at Cisco Jr. College for the 1967-68 year, according to President Leland Willis. Fifteen new instructors have been added to the staff to take care of the increased enrollment.

Registration will continue through September 15. If you are interested in registering for the fall term, you should contact Dean Ralph Gleen or Registrar Carroll Scott at the college.

## Classified Ads Pay

# FARM RECREATION PROJECTS INCREASE FARM INCOME

Farmers in Callahan County may be able to develop income-producing recreational projects with Farmers Home Administration supervised credit, according to Mr. John H. Curry, local county supervisor for the federal agency.

Mr. Curry said approximately 1,100 farmers and rural groups have borrowed some \$65 million to develop rural recreation projects during the past five years.

"Nearly all the farmers who have developed recreation projects with Farmers Home Administration loans showed some profit in 1966," he said. "These farm recreation projects are a supplementary enterprise to the farm business yet they showed an average net profit of \$1,387. Those who have been in business three years or more showed an average profit of \$2,143."

"Farmers who have a natural recreation area on their farms that they can develop and exploit should analyze their situation thoroughly. If the project is feasible financing may be arranged through my office," Mr. Curry said.

Among the more successful projects that have been financed with Farmers Home Administration loans, according to Mr. Curry, are golf courses, swimming pools, marianas, hunting projects, camping and picnic areas, vacation farms and fishing facilities. Youth camps seem to be the most profitable. They showed an average profit of \$2,670 in 1966.

Farmers Home Administration uses its farm operating and farm ownership loan program to finance recreation loans. Farmers can obtain a maximum of \$35,000 for operating expenses, including the operating cost of farm-based recreation enterprises and \$60,000 for a real estate program, including development of land and buildings for recreation purposes.

These loans carry a 5 percent interest rate on the unpaid principal. The repayment period of loans secured by real estate may not exceed 40 years, while that secured by chattels has a 7 year limitation. Such credit is only extended to those who cannot obtain it through normal lending channels at reasonable rates and terms.

Developing a community's recreational potential is big business.

## Fair Sweetheart Nominee For

Pattie Horner, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Horner is Clyde's Nominee for the West Texas Fair Sweetheart.

Pattie is a junior, was class favorite in the seventh grade, secretary of the 4-H Clubs in 1965-67 school year.

She is very active in all sports, and likes horses. Her 4-H project is horses and she has won many honors in 4-H, but doesn't compete in the interscholastic league competition because she participates in cash-paying rodeos.

Pattie has helped serve at the FFA Banquets and has been very active in livestock shows, which is one of the reasons the club chose Pattie to represent their chapter.

## BROTHER HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Felix Mitchell received word this week that her brother, George Russel, of Yaleta, had undergone surgery for the amputation of one leg. He is reported to be recovering nicely.

Mr. Russell is well known in Callahan County.

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my thanks to the Baird Hospital, the doctors and nurses, and the ministers for their services and prayers. Special thanks to our friends and relatives who sent cards and visited with my husband, S. M. Eubanks, while he was in the hospital. My heart is full of love for all the kindnesses shown us during the loss of our loved one. Mrs. S. M. Eubanks and Family.

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# UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

BY VEDA YARBROUGH

Hi neighbor! How's the mud over at your house? It is kinda on the fly out this way. Maybe it will settle some day.

Visiting with Mark and Ollie Burnam a while Sunday afternoon were Clayton and Flossie Burnam of Lake Leon.

Steven Dale Isenhower of Baird spent Saturday night with Grandpa Mark and Grandma Ollie Burnam. Think James and Gayle Isenhower came Sunday.

Mrs. Aura Weddell of Putnam had dinner Sunday with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey.

Visiting with me Sunday afternoon were Burette Ramsey, Virgil Brown, Roma McIntyre and Betty Mobley. Was glad to see all of them.

Betty Mobley and Mabel Carico had dinner with me one day last week. They brought peas and corn bread, and with what I fixed we had a good

dinner. I like to do this when I go over to their house. I take food and we enjoy eating together.

Dr. Royce Pruet and wife visited with Mrs. Grady Pruet Sunday.

Well, today is the first day of Putnam's school, and I had to miss. Been kinda on the puny side the past week so I didn't get to go.

Pearl Park Peterson of Boise, Idaho, was by the old Park farm house last Wednesday. She and her daughter and son spent Wednesday night with Dovie and Homer Pruet. They were on their way to Jackson,

Miss., to visit her son Dickie and family. Wish they could have visited out here a while. I did not get to see them, only talked to her on the phone a few minutes. She said she would be back in three years to Aunt Dove Gunn's 100th birthday. I hope she gets to come and

hope Aunt Dove has several more birthdays.

Visiting Wednesday with the Burette Ramseys were John and Ann Douglas of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Collinsworth of Regina of Jacksboro. John is in service at Fort Carson, Colo.

Buster McNeese of Abilene visited John and Roma McIntyre one afternoon last week and had supper with them.

Guess I better say bye for now, so be good and I hope to see you next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Burleson and family were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Preston Jr. Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie McWilliams and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny J. Walker of Midkiff spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams. Bobby Walker returned home with his parents after spending a week here with the McWilliams.

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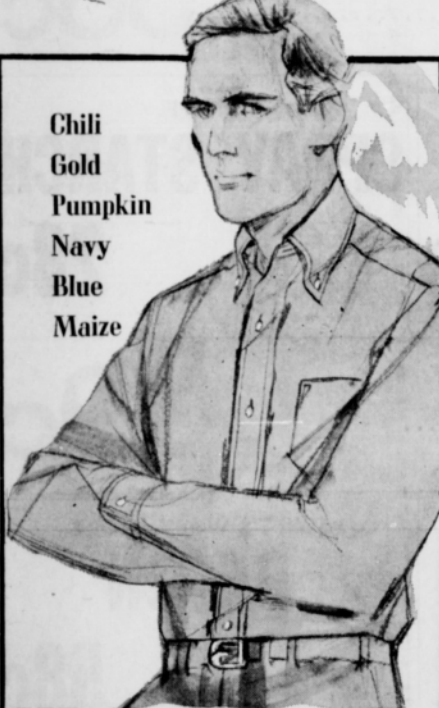
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