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SWEET-N' SOUR

By A. Dill

Mid-May - the sun and tree leaves all talk of summer but the wind still remembers winter and sometimes he sings of it, but it isn't a threat anymore, just a memory - the wind is always the last reluctant convert to the season but when he finally does join forces he does it with enthusiasm.

Seven more real work days in the school term. That's right - count 'em, and then summer vacation is for real. Parents should band together and resolve that after hearing, "Gee, I" be glad when school's out," for the past six weeks, to take some drastic steps the first time some little yap lets out with "I want to do something - what's there to do 'round here?"

Very big get well quick cards to Danny Ross - friend Danny ook off like a Cape Canaveral rocket out of a swing at school and just didn't go into orbit - oh, we can laugh about it now, seeing there are no bones broken and the young fella is recuperating, but it was tragedy when it occurred Tuesday evening - so well wishes to a very game young man who is making the very best of a most unpleasant situation.

Top your list of "Don't Forgets" with this reminder to see the Senior Class play tonight in the High School Auditorium. The three act comedy, "Rest Assured" is under the direction of Mrs. Archie Nichols, Senior cosponsor, and every member of the graduating class appears in the cast. You'll like this one, and whoever heard of a person missing a Senior Class play? It's part of spring, school closing 'n all that and like reading "Little Women" or "Black Beauty", just about a required item.

Myrtle Berry had a wonderful Mother's Day Sunday and one to be remembered - Verna and Jody Crutchfield came over from Breckenridge (visited with Alice Crutchfield too, to make her Mother's Day a special one) and Mrs. Berry's other children, Sue and Aubrey Ground, Bobby and Norman of Odessa were here, plus a visit from Rev. and Mrs. Knox Waggoner and Butch of Abilene.

Let's send some extra friendly greetings to Dallas, to the Texas Children's Hospital and tell Debbie and Paul Stanley that we love them dearly and hope they'll soon be home again cause all of us here miss them so. The youngsters love cards (don't we all) so what do you say - let's send a regular shower of cards to two precious children who have had more than their share of hospitals and illness? Paul and Debbie will be so glad to hear from you.

Rodeo days have come and gone but the memory lingers on, and wasn't this year's show extra good? We thought so - parade too. China Alphin, parade master, and every one concerned seems due a vote of thanks for staging one of the best we've ever seen.

Perhaps the youngest, and certainly one of the most attractive parade entrants was tiny Gina Lee Finley, all dyked out in emerald and gold rodeo finery. She was quite a western cowgirl.

Birthday greetings to Miss Myrtle Boydston and get well wishes too - Miss Myrtle is recovering from a leg fracture and spent May 8, her birthday, in the hospital, but even that did not lower her spirit.

May 2nd was a day of remembrance for Mrs. Virgil Jones - it was her 63 wedding anniversary. The pioneer citizen took pleasure in the happy memories the day brought and in sharing them with her friends and neighbors.

One of the real beauty spots 'tween this spring is the Burks - the fenced in grounds south of the Burks home is as lovely as any park or botanical garden and what a joy it must be to this family who planned and landscaped it.

Tom and Hattie West have some lovely roses in their yard now - drop by and see them. And a very special thank you to Elizabeth and John Alexander and Franklyn for a real for sure home-baked Angel Cake, (light as a fistful of clouds) sent to help Linda celebrate her May birthday last week. Franklyn, by the way, has a brand new puppy, named Inky Dinky, and he's by way of being a grandson of our dawg so that oughta make us cousins twice removed or kiasin' kin of some kind.

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Appaloosa Show Has 60 Entries

Callahan County's first Appaloosa horse show, sponsored by the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, was held Friday afternoon at the rodeo arena. Some 60 top Appaloosas were entered.

High Spot was named grand champion over some 37 other entries. He is owned by Dr. J. V. Miller of Plainview, the winner was first named first in the class for stallion foaled 1958 or before.

Cutie Pie was named top mare of the show. She is owned by Carl Miles Appaloosa Cee Bar Horse Ranch at Clyde.

Reserve stallion honors went to Tejas Punto, owned by Jim and Jean Atkinson of Kennedy. The entry placed second in his class to High Spot.

Judge Howard Davis of Brownwood picked Wohelo, owned by G. C. Wilson of Coldwater as the reserve mare. She placed second in her class to Cutie Pie. Bill Kennard of Clyde, arena superintendent, said he was well pleased with the quality of the event. Mrs. Kennard acted as show secretary and Topper Freeman of Clyde was assistant official.

Mrs. Adria Baulch left Friday for a visit with her son and daughter in San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Bell Ray of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting John Trotter while Mrs. Baulch is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McWilliams and children of San Antonio visited their parents here the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bullock of Brownsville visited here last weekend.

Candidates Express Thanks For Support in Primary Election

To The Voters of Precinct No. 1: I wish to say "Thank You" for the splendid vote you gave me in the election last Saturday for the office of Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

I would also like to compliment my opponents, Mr. Burrus C. Miller and Mr. Clint McKinley for the nice clean campaign. I urge each voter to remember that the campaign is not over, and I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the Second Primary Election on June 14th.

Sincerely,
ROSCO R. SHELNUTT

To The People of Callahan County: I would like to thank the people of Callahan County for the splendid vote you gave me last Saturday for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector.

I would also like to thank Mrs. Katie Brown for a clean campaign. I believe I could not have had a nicer opponent.

When I take this office Jan. 1, 1961, I pledge myself to carry on in a manner that will be pleasing to the people of the County.

Again I want to say "Thank You."

Sincerely,
ALBERT C. LOVELL

To The Voters and All Callahan County Citizens: Although I was unsuccessful in my attempt to be elected to the Office of Tax Assessor-Collector of Callahan County in the Primary Election held last Saturday, I would like at this time to take the opportunity to express my sincere appreciation for the fine vote and support which you gave me.

It has afforded me a wonderful opportunity to meet with the fine people of our County, and I will always treasure the friendships gained in making the campaign.

I am sure the man you chose for the Office will make us a fine Official, which we are entitled to.

With Kindest Wishes and my Personal Regards to each and everyone, I remain,

Sincerely,
MRS. KATIE BROWN

I wish to express my deepest feelings of appreciation to the voters of Callahan County for the splendid vote that was cast for me in the Democratic pri-

1960 Schedule For Baird Little League

Following is the schedule for Baird Little League. Playing dates will be changed on May 26, probably to May 27, due to High School Graduation exercises. At this time, it is undecided whether to play on July 4 or not. This will be determined at a later date.

- May 16—Yankees vs Tigers; Giants vs Braves
- May 19—Tigers vs Braves; Yankees vs Giants
- May 23—Yankees vs Tigers; Yankees vs Braves
- May 27—Braves vs Giants; Tigers vs Yankees
- May 30—Braves vs Tigers; Giants vs Yankees
- June 2—Tigers vs Giants; Braves vs Yankees
- June 6—Yankees vs Tigers; Yankees vs Braves
- June 9—Tigers vs Braves; Yankees vs Giants
- June 13—Giants vs Tigers; Yankees vs Braves
- June 16—Yankees vs Tigers; Braves vs Giants
- June 20—Braves vs Tigers; Giants vs Yankees
- June 23—Tigers vs Giants; Braves vs Yankees
- June 27—Tigers vs Yankees; Giants vs Braves
- June 30—Tigers vs Braves; Yankees vs Giants
- July 4—Giants vs Tigers; Yankees vs Braves
- July 7—Tigers vs Yankees; Braves vs Giants
- July 11—Braves vs Tigers; Giants vs Yankees
- July 14—Tigers vs Giants; Braves vs Yankees

Mrs. Lonnie Lawrence and son, Terrell Steven, of San Antonio are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lawrence and family, while Lonnie is attending school in Chicago for six weeks.

Rodeo Draws 12,000 Visitors

Approximately 12,000 people turned out to view the 1960 edition of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse 14th annual rodeo, held at Baird last week end.

This year's show, produced by Baird's Bobby Estes, was well received and the directors are well pleased with the outcome.

Listed below are winners of each of the three performances:

- Thursday Night**
Bareback Bronc Riding — Billy Weeks of Abilene.
Calf Roping — Jack Newton, Abilene.
Saddle Bronc Riding — Bill Barton, Clyde.
Steer Wrestling — J. D. McKenna, Tulsa, Okla.
Bull Riding — Sherman Richardson, Houston.
Barrel Racing — Miss Betty Fry of Abilene.
- Friday Night**
Bareback Bronc Riding — Billy Weeks
Calf Roping — Rex Beck
Saddle Bronc Riding — L. E. Weeks
Steer Wrestling — J. D. McKenna
Bull Riding — Ira Akers
Barrel Racing — Florence Youre.
- Saturday Night**
Bareback Bronc Riding — Billy Weeks
Calf Roping — Jack Newton
Saddle Bronc Riding — J. D. McKenna
Bull Riding — No winner.
Barrel Racing — Betty Fry
Billy Weeks of Abilene was named Champion Cowboy and top money winner.
Show champions were:
Bareback Bronc Riding — Billy Weeks, Abilene.
Calf Roping — Jack Newton, Abilene.
Saddle Bronc Riding — Billy Weeks, Abilene.
Steer Wrestling — J. D. McKenna, Tulsa, Okla.
Bull Riding — Ira Akers, Baird.
Barrel Racing — Miss Betty Fry, Abilene.
Calf Scramble boys who managed to catch calves were:
FIRST NIGHT:
Tommy Brooks, Moran
Russell Atwood, Tuscola
Lloyd Williams, Trent
Jimmy Wright, Eastland
Tommy Hughes, Baird
SECOND NIGHT:
Sam Odom, Cross Plains
Douglas Jaggars, Baird
Jerry Dyer, Clyde
Scotty Scott, Clyde
Tommy Higgins, Baird
THIRD NIGHT:
J. T. Walls, Clyde
Craig Buchanan, Putnam
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TB Ass'n. Ends Year's Work

Callahan County Tuberculosis Association held its final meeting of the year on April 21, in the home of Mrs. W. P. Brightwell. This association was organized March 5, 1947, at a meeting held in the courthouse. Most of those present at this first meeting are still active in the association.

Mrs. Brightwell presided at the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Ed Hampton, president. Plans for the coming year's work were discussed. These include another tuberculin testing program for the schools of the county. The association is fortunate in having the services of Mrs. Lynn Ault of Baird, and Mrs. Hildreth Bayles of Cross Plains, who conduct the tuberculin tests. The association hoped to have an x-ray survey in the county sometime this year. The State Health Department conducts these, and may not be able to come to this county since they are so much in demand in other parts of the state.

Kin of Putnam Man Dies

Funeral for Jess Wilbanks, 63, independent oil operator and longtime resident of Big Spring who died Monday in Phoenix, Ariz., will be held Thursday at 10 a. m. in the First Christian Church in Big Spring.

Rev. John Black, pastor, will officiate, assisted by Rev. Donald Hungerford, pastor of St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Burial will be in Trinity Memorial Park under direction of River Funeral Home.

Mr. Wilbanks had suffered a ruptured ulcer while in Phoenix on business, and had entered a hospital there two weeks ago. Complications followed, then he suffered a heart attack last week end.

Survivors are his wife; his mother, Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks Sr. of Cleburne; three brothers, Grady of Big Spring, Ray of Putnam and L. E. Jr. of Cleburne; and a sister, Mrs. Dolly Martuff of Broussard, La.

HOSPITAL NOTES . . .

The following are patients in Callahan County Hospital:
Dr. R. L. Griggs
John S. Trotter
Mrs. Millard Ray
Mrs. J. W. Carouth
Mrs. Frank Rodriguez
Spike Blakely
Raymond Corn
Danny Ross
Recent discharges:
Mrs. Clarence Taylor
G. T. Dunn
Mrs. John Morrison
B. F. Lee

Senior Play Tonight At Auditorium

Don McBride will be Master of Ceremonies for the presentation of the Senior play, Friday May 13, 7:30 p. m. in the High School Auditorium.

"Rest Assured," a hilarious 3-act comedy, will be presented by an all star cast -- the Seniors. It is a rollicking comedy from beginning to end.

Wayne Boyd, Tommy Stephenson and Glenn Rockey will entertain between acts of the play.

Don't forget to see the Senior play tonight, Friday. Prices are 25c and 50c.

Former Resident Dies in Abilene

Mrs. Joe Leonard Bryant, 67, former longtime resident of Callahan County, died at 1:15 a. m. Wednesday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene following a long illness. She had been hospitalized since Sunday.

Born Carvie Emma Peek in Tennessee on July 11, 1892, Mrs. Bryant moved to Callahan County at the age of six and lived here most of her life. She married J. L. Bryant on Jan. 8, 1911. They moved to Abilene in 1943, and resided at 1218 No. 12th St.

She was a member of the First Methodist Church in Abilene, and was affiliated with the Woodmen of the World.

Funeral was held at 4 p. m. Thursday at the Wylie Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Hubert Thompson of Abilene officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. L. J. Sutton of San Angelo and Mrs. Bill Stupar of Pueblo, Colo.; two sons Leslie of Baird and Milton of Abilene; two brothers, C. M. Peek of Baird and Charlie C. Peek of Corpus Christi; two sisters, Mrs. John Bryant of Clyde and Mrs. A. E. Ellis of Houston, and six grandchildren.

Rev. Sudderth Is Graduation Speaker

Rev. Melvin Sudderth, pastor of the Dudley Methodist Church will deliver the graduation address for the Eula Elementary School in the school auditorium, Thursday, May 19.

The exercises begin at 8:00 p. m. The program includes professional and recessional by Ramona Stephenson; invocation by Charles Zachry; salutatory by Dianne Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Black of Route 1, Clyde; class history by Sharon Isenburg; class prophecy by Pamela Farrar; valedictory by Patty Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jones of Route 1, Clyde.

The elementary school will graduate 9 boys and 12 girls.

An Open Letter to Voters of the Baird Independent School Dist.

An Open Letter to the Voters of the Baird Independent School District:

This letter is being published for the purpose of informing the voters of Baird Independent School District of the conditions that presently prevail regarding the financial condition of our district.

First off, we would like to compliment the patrons of this school district on the splendid cooperation that you have always given the school board in the administration of our school, and to assure you that we will always strive to conduct the type school program that will be most beneficial to the children of this district.

As you already know, we have a very nice school plant and we feel that every person in the school district takes a great deal of pride in the school and are most anxious that the school program continues to improve.

The financial condition of our

Callahan County Votes 2,713

Callahan County voters backed Rep. Omar Burleson to 1,580 votes in his race to return to Congress from the 17th Congressional District. R. M. Wagstaff received 693, and Roy Skaggs, 361.

Floyd Bradshaw nipped Tom Freighton in the race for 22nd Dist. State Senate by a vote of 1,198 to 1,069. Paul Brashear topped two opponents in his bid for reelection as 76th Dist. Rep. receiving 1,070 votes, Scott Bailey, 784 and Don Kincaid 684.

In the races for county offices, Sheriff Homer Price defeated Alex B. Shocklee 1,917 to 690. Albert C. Lovell of Cross Plains defeated Mrs. Katie Brown of Clyde for Tax Assessor Collector 1,410 to 1,276.

In the race for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Roscoe Shelnuutt received 583 votes, Burrus C. Miller of Fula, 525, and Clint McKinlev, 318.

G. A. White of Putnam unseated incumbent I. G. Mobley for Commissioner Precinct No. 3, by a vote of 183 to 132.

A. E. Dyer Jr. of Baird, defeated Jack McCarty of Cross Plains for County Democratic Chairman, 1,671 to 731.

Callahan voting in state races included:
Governor — Cox 1,495; Daniel 1,168.
U. S. Governor — Yarborough, 1,064; Ramsey, 1,465.

Attorney General — Wilson, 1,329; Looney, 126; Carr, 1,076.
Chief Justice of Supreme Court — Hughes, 1,214; Calvert, 1,214.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals — McDonald, 1,058; Davidson, 723; Bowmer, 510.
Comptroller of Public Accounts — Calvert, 1,690; Ramsey, 685.

Commissioner of Public Accounts — Sadler, 1,088; Allcorn, 1,488.

A complete score of county boxes will be published in next week's Star.

Guests of Mrs. W. Y. Cleveland for Mother's Day were her four daughters, Mrs. Pearl Lee of Dickens, Mrs. Joe Box of Abilene, Mrs. Alfred Newman of Ft. Worth and Mrs. E. T. McBride of Baird. Joe Box and Sharon Key Newman were also visitors.

Mrs. Jim Lawrence and Mrs. Donald Melton of Breckenridge accompanied Mrs. Yvonne Gilbert and children home to Forest, Miss., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Ault and daughter, of Jal. N. M., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peck Ault.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR PLAY
"REST ASSURED"
FRIDAY, MAY 13th - 7:30 P. M.
Admission 25c & 50c



Tommy Cook Wins State Honors

Tommy Cook of Clyde was among students who took top honors in literary contests Friday at Austin. Cook won in the Class A Poetry Reading. Clyde's tennis contenders, who were picked as favorites to win the state championship, went down in defeat before stronger teams. Robert Darden was singles runner-up in the finals. Others from Clyde going to state meet were Tom Kniffen and John Paylor in boys doubles, Beth Cook in girls singles, Eula Fay Ham and Dorothy Darden in girls doubles.

Seventh Graders Have Picnic

The seventh grade of Clyde school had their annual class picnic May 3. The classes were carried to Abilene in cars. The group skated from 2:30 to 4:30 at the Plaza. Bob South and Linda Cloud received a free pass for winning the cup game. The group enjoyed a wiener roast at Cobb Park, then went to the VFW Bowling lanes and bowled from 6:30 to 8:30. They were a tired bunch of boys and girls but report a very enjoyable time. We are sorry to report Linda Cloud broke her wrist while skating.

Morning Circle Meets at Church

The Baptist WMU Morning Circle met at the church for Bible study and to roll bandages. Mrs. W. M. Reynolds, chairman, was in charge of the meeting. Opening prayer was by Mrs. Ben Parker. Mrs. J. M. Patton led in Bible study on the 13th chapter of First Corinthians. The 12 members present rolled bandages for missionary Miss Leatha Fuller of Nigeria, Africa. Two new members present were Mrs. Tidwell and Mrs. Green. Miss Evelyn Hollis and Mrs. Peggy Myers also had the Sunbeams with 12 present. Mr. and Mrs. Ford Wagner, Ronnie and Ginger of Sweetwater, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Young Saturday. Mrs. Young accompanied them home and attended church in Sweetwater, where she saw many old friends.

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THANK YOU VERY MUCH

I am very grateful for the support given me in last Saturday's election. Your continued backing will be appreciated in the June 4th runoff voting. Your vote and support will be regarded by me as a mandate to work hard for good government and to continue my efforts to represent all of the people. I hope to see you in person before election day to tell you how grateful I am for your help and encouragement.

PAUL BRASHEAR
Candidate for Re-election
STATE REPRESENTATIVE

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Enterprise Club In Dodson Home

The Enterprise Homemakers Club met in the home of Mrs. Cecil Dodson Thursday, with Mrs. Don Boles as co-hostess. Mrs. Dodson, president, presided. Mrs. John Estes presented a very interesting program on Flower Arranging, with actual flower arrangements made. Mrs. Dodson presented the 5 members of the club who are over 70 years of age, with a beautiful white corsage she had made of plastic. A springtime refreshment plate was served to one visitor, Mrs. E. H. Bonline, one child, Johnny Powers, and the following members: Mmes. Ray Young, Paul Shanks, A. B. Foster, Sam Sherrill, Ralph Hansen, W. W. Henry, Ed Parks, John Estes, Don Boles, Arnel Powers and Mrs. Dodson.

Pearl Berry Circle . . .

The Pearl Berry Circle of the WSCS met at the church Monday, with Mrs. Jesse Tarrant, presiding. The meeting opened with the Lord's prayer, and the singing of two songs. Mrs. J. H. Lusk taught the Bible study from St. Luke, chapters 22, 23 & 24, with each member taking part. Mrs. John Berry brought the 24th chapter. Nine members and two visitors were present. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen in Cisco over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis and family of Odessa visited her brother and family, the Howard Hagars Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fleming and boys visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fleming in Cisco, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Yarbrough visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burnam and other relatives in Stamford, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hansford and Sharon visited her mother, Mrs. Tom Smith at Haskell Sunday. Mrs. John Sullivan of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Arthur Halliburton and grandson, Johnny Halliburton of Honey Grove, spent Thursday and Friday with the J. T. Welch family. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Ray Broadfoot and Timothy Ray of Midland spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Broadfoot. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bland of Merkel visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gray Saturday.

SPECIAL NOTICE
Saturday, May 14th, at 10:30 a. m., the Associational G.A. will meet at Clyde Baptist Church. There will be a missionary speaker and everyone is invited.

Afternoon Circle Meets at Church

Afternoon Circle of Clyde Baptist Church met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Albert Driggers for Bible Study. Topic of the study was Follow Me. Miss Evelyn Hollis brought the lesson. Mrs. Earl Millorn brought the devotional from the 6th chapter of Matthew. Present were Mmes. Hannaford, Tyson, Jolly, Sallie Reid, Baulch, Millorn, Johnson, Warren, Weathers, Driggers and Misses Ella Tyler, Susie Barr and Evelyn Hollis.

M.Y.F. NEWS . . .
Some of the Clyde MYF members met with the Baird group Sunday afternoon. We all had worship and fellowship together and enjoyed a wonderful time. Because of a mix-up, the sub-district MYF meeting will be held in Baird at 2:30 p. m. We are really looking forward to hosting this event, and we hope Baird will be well represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Q. F. Arnold at Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fox at Olden. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bureson of Richland Springs visited her mother, Mrs. C. L. Tyson over the week end. Also visiting Mrs. Tyson was her son, Raymond, of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Osborn and girls spent Sunday with her parents of Merkel. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thornton and baby, Mrs. Earnest Watts visited Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Bud Smith of Abilene.

Dr. and Mrs. Marshall Jolly and girls of Midland spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jewel Swamy, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Jolly. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Weaver of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pyles and children of Big Spring visited the A. L. Harbins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Houston and boys spent the week end in Ballinger visiting her mother, Mrs. Dolly Bollier. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook, of Dallas, visited her mother, Mrs. Lena Melton, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and son Larry of Levelland visited her sister, Mrs. Lena Melton and his mother, Mrs. H. E. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stewart of Clarendon and Ricky and Clay Cherry of Hadley, visited Mrs. J. L. Daniel Sunday. Mrs. E. L. Hock and children spent Friday and Saturday with her brother and family in Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Yarbrough and children of Plains visited her mother, Mrs. Ollie Burrow over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fleming of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleming and children spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Kate Shelton. Mrs. H. K. Ray is in Waco at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Buford Harris, who suffered a heart attack. Elco Ray and family spent Sunday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clements visited Misses Ruby and Susie Barr and Mrs. C. F. Reid Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre of Moran visited his mother, Mrs. Clint McIntyre Sunday. Mrs. Randall McNiece and boys of Abilene, also visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wily and children of Walnut Springs spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Riley. They all had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Burnett Sunday.

Honor Students Named at Eula

Darlene Tenburg with a four-year average of 95.31, is valedictorian of the Eula High School Graduating class. Salutatorian is Virginia Edwards with an average of 94.56. Jay Hogue, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hogue of Route 1, Clyde, was the highest ranking boy. Miss Isenburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Isenburg of Route 2, Abilene was class reporter this year, most popular girl the past two years, annual queen, FHA member for four years and Secretary this year. FFA Sweetheart this year, and a member of the basketball team for three years and an all-district forward this year, first place winner in UIL district typewriting, a member of the National Honor Society and winner of the 1959 bookkeeping merit award.

The salutatorian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards of Route 1, Clyde, was a member of the annual staff, member of the basketball team for three years, winner of the 1957 and 1959 Vocational Homemaking merit award and recipient of the Betty Crocker Homemaker award this year, a member of the National Honor Society, and voted "most likely to succeed" by her classmates.

Eula Baccalaureate services will be held at 8:00 p. m., Sunday, May 15th, in the Eula school auditorium. Mr. Stanley Shipp, Church of Christ minister from Sweetwater will deliver the sermon. Dr. William O. Beazley, of Hardin - Simmons University, will give the commencement address. Commencement exercises will be held at 8:00 p. m., May 20.

Other members of the graduating class are Jane Caton, Norma Poe, Elaine Riley, Myrtle Johnson, Johnny Downing, Nelda Downing, Byron Miller, Glen Loper and Jack Ball. Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Steele of Abilene were recent guests of her grandmother, Mrs. C. F. Reid.

Mrs. L. A. Reese of Big Spring is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. W. Earl and friends Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farr Jr. and children of Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. John V. Merrell and children of Midland spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Howard.

Doyle Courington spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Courington. He and his mother visited his brother, Delmer and family in Abilene Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Click and children of Abilene visited her mother Mrs. Callie Gabbert on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jolly had their daughters and children Sunday, Mrs. Mary Bowman and children of Abilene, Mrs. Mary Beck and Susie of Baird. Mrs. R. W. Powell was notified of the death of a niece in Brownwood Tuesday of last week. While the family was gathered for the funeral Wednesday, a call came that her brother-in-law had died suddenly of a heart attack in Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Powell went to Plainview Friday for the funeral. They visited in Lamesa before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyer had his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dyer of Anson over the week end. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Heald and Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heald, all of Anson and Mrs. Irene Adamson of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wily and children of Walnut Springs spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Riley. They all had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Burnett Sunday.

J. M. Simmons Retires From T & P

Railroader J. M. (Mack) Simmons brought to a close 50 years with the Texas & Pacific Railroad Saturday, when he rolled the Texas Eagle No. 2 into Big Spring. A number of fellow employes and families and a host of friends were on hand at the station to greet him on his final trip. Simmons retired officially Sunday although his last trip was made the day before. He started his railroading as a coal heaver at Baird on Nov. 10, 1909. "I was working on a ranch in Callahan County when the railroad bug hit me," Simmons recalled. "I walked 32 miles for that coal heaver job—with my suitcase on my back and \$7 in my pocket."

Simmons was promoted from coal heaver to locomotive fireman working out of Big Spring in 1915, and 12 years later was made engineer. That was on Dec. 12, 1927, and he held the post in the cab until Saturday. Simmons was born in Waxahachie on July 21, 1891, moving with his family to Clyde four years later. The trip was made in a covered wagon and "I can remember it as if it were yesterday," he said.

While in Big Spring, he met Lucy Emma O'Brien, an Alabama girl, and the two slipped away one day in 1924 to Coahoma where they were married. The Simmons have two sons, Richard of Oklahoma City, and Melvin of Boston, Mass. There is also a daughter by a previous marriage, Mrs. Dorothy Watson living in South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons plan to move to Clyde about the middle of May. They have just recently completed a new home there, with an orchard of fruit trees. "I'll really go to work now," he said, and with 45 pecan trees, lots of peaches, grapes, etc., no one can argue the point.

Mr. and Mrs. Matson Young and children of Azle came Sunday to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Young. They returned home Tuesday. Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth was honored on Mother's Day in the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. Crow of Rowden. All eight of her children were present. A basket lunch was served to 46 visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hays were Mrs. Alma Lamb of Abilene, her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Lamb of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hays of Clyde.

Arthur Byrd spent the week end with his brother, E. J. Byrd in Killeen. Mrs. Lula Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Mitt Cook of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Baulch and Mr. Baulch Sunday. A. R. Gray of Dumas and Leonard Gray of Kermit visited their sister, Mrs. Tom South and Mr. South this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Morrow went to Gatesville Tuesday to return his mother to her home in Cisco. Mrs. Morrow Sr. was called to Gatesville due to the illness of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIntosh left Sunday for Wichita Falls to visit her sister, Mrs. G. G. Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hock had their children home for Mothers Day: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Read and granddaughter, Cecil Malcolm, all of Electra; Mrs. Melvin Thorn and Randy of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith and children of Admiral; Mrs. A. L. Hock and son of Moran; Mrs. Lee Hock and children of Putnam; E. L. and family of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Driggers visited Mrs. James Faircloth in Abilene Sunday. They also visited his mother and brother in Trent Sunday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to express our deep gratitude to our friends for every kindness shown us in our recent sorrow in the passing of our loved ones, T. J. Hollingshead and Ocle Courtney. For the telephone calls, cards, visits, food and flowers we are deeply grateful. May God richly bless each one of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Callaway and Dan
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Callaway and Daughters
The Hollingshead Family

Oplin Observations

Mrs. Tom Poindexter received word last Thursday of the passing of her sister, Mrs. Avis Upp of Premont. Mrs. Upp was the former Avis Grantham and was born and raised at Oplin. She had been ill the past year with cancer and was bedfast the past several months. Mrs. Tommie Johnson also received word Sunday night that her sister, Mrs. Eula Townsend had died suddenly. Mrs. Townsend lived in California but burial was to be at Portales, N. M. Mrs. Tommie Windham and daughter, Paula left Tuesday morning to attend the funeral. You of the community will know who I am speaking of better if I say that Mrs. Townsend was Marlettas blind sister.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller had a full house Sunday, eighteen guests to be exact. They were surprised with a visit from two of Mr. Millers brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and Jim Miller all of Fredrick, Okla. Other guests were Doyle and Patty Mize of Sweetwater, a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller and children of Abilene and a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Irby and children of Clyde. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McWhorter and son, Hal of Fort Worth were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Morse and Lurline and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorter.

Will Johnson was on the sick list last week end entered the hospital at Abilene for a few days. He was dismissed from the hospital last Saturday and at the present time is feeling some better. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher visited last Sunday in Sweetwater with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frymire and children, Kenneth and Brenda.

Fishermen Don't Catch Enough Fish

Research has shown fisheries biologists that to maintain desirable fish populations, each year's crop of fish must be harvested either by fishermen or by some other means. Billy D. Cooper, aquatic biologist for the Game and Fish Commission makes this statement in very educational article, "Fish or Fishermen," in the April issue of "Texas Game and Fish".

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Rowden Round-Up
By Mrs. B. Crow

and Mrs. W. E. Nowell Mrs. Lella Gibbs had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Le Gibbs and Judy. and Mrs. Sterling Odom family attended the little ball games at Cross Saturday night. and Mrs. Ode Berry of had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Blan Odom, Mike and Mrs. Patterson of visited her parents, Mr. Mrs. E. E. Akin Sunday. and Mrs. Warren Price Lester Smedley of Big

Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson at Oplin Sunday. Mrs. Ray Boen visited Mrs. B. Crow Monday she also visited Mrs. J. A. Sikes. Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen and Mrs. Annys Miller the past week were, Less Walker, Mrs. Lee Ivie, Mrs. Ace Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes, Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Raymond Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Von-cille Gibbs and Judy and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Starnes of Odessa, Mrs. Miller returned home with her daughter and husband after spending two weeks with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gibbs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gibbs and Cristy enjoyed a fish fry at the home of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brown and girls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and attended the Rodeo. Mr. and Mrs. Joy of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purvis and children of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Claudell Joy and children visited the Oran Baines family Sunday. Mrs. Bob Merriman and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilks of Cross Plains spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Adair, Eddie Compton of Fort Worth visited the Adairs the past week. Mrs. George Scott and Miss Gladys Riggs of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Sanders of Abilene visited Mrs. Lella Gibbs Friday. Bro. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Sunday, the Wylies are now living on the Smedley place. Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. John Adair visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow was host to a Mothers Day dinner at their home Sunday with 46 in attendance, those present were Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cutbirth, Dennis and Brenda, Nancy Spitzer and Pat Barnes of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Griffin, Lellago and Don, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hodges and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth Jr., Berry and Terry of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Janice, Randy and Roger of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fry, Judy and David, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs, Gary and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Junior King and Ray and Mrs. Sue Williams of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crow and Richle of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stephens, Debra and Stephanie of Snyder and the host Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Putnam visited Mr. Black and Vee last Thursday afternoon. Roy and Alton Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Baird Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black, Barbara and Loy Don visited Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Willcoxon at Sabanno Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Foster of El Paso visited with his parents Elder and Mrs. David Foster from Monday until Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster in Cross Plains Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Bob and Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Foster of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Frazier of DeLeon visited Elder and Mrs. David Foster Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions over the week end and Edgar's mother went home with them to spend the week. There were several from our community attending the rodeo at Baird last week. Dayton Sessions, Roy Neil Tatom, David Foster and Clyde Lovelady held the primary election in our community Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross Cut Sunday night.

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much news, but do want to let the people know that the cemetery at Denton Valley was mowed with the lawn mowers last week for the first time this year. It's in good shape now, the fence and gates were repaired last year. Oran Connell, Morten Whitley and his daughter, Dean were the ones that pushed the lawn mowers. Just across the road I also noticed another yard being mowed, also the trees were trimmed, the brush and briars were cut and

burned, so the Baptist Church yard looks nice and clean. I don't know who may have helped, but I saw Leroy Crawford working one day, then when it was ready for the mowing, I noticed Leroy and someone I didn't know were walking the mowers around over the yard. I believe they deserve a Thank you for a deed well done. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford and Lynda visited in the home of Dale Crawford Saturday afternoon, then with Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Crawford and baby Dana.

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Atwell News
By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bentley of Putnam attended the Primitive Baptist Church Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins. Mr. Noel Black and son Granvel of Clyde visited Mr. S. A. Black Thursday. Mrs. Jim Hewes and Mrs. Dwight Black were shopping in Abilene last Wednesday. Mrs. Roy Tatom visited with Mrs. C. E. Foster in Cross Plains last Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Edd Crawford of Cisco attended the Primitive Baptist Church Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom attended the Missionary Baptist Church in Cross Plains Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom. Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rouse of

Eula Items
By Eileen Bentley

The students on the high school honor roll for the fifth six weeks were: Seniors - Darlene Isenburg, Virginia Edwards, Myrtle Johnson and Norma Poe. Juniors - Charles Ivey and Ramona Stephenson. Sophomores - Eileen Bentley. Freshmen - Ronny Esman. Mr. Beard, Honor Society sponsor, 13 Honor Society members and 8 guests attended the sunrise breakfast on May 6. The last PTA meeting of the year was held on May 9. The new officers were installed by Mrs. Claude Rock. The new officers are: President, Joe Bentley; Vice-President, Mrs. G. M. Beard; Secretary, Mrs. A. B. Cribbs; Treasurer, Price Stephenson. After the installation Mr. B. C. Goodwin spoke on the school guidance program. "Open House" was held afterwards and the parents were invited to visit all the classrooms. The girls in the Home Economics II Class took a field trip to Abilene with their teacher, Mrs. Paul Corley to see different kinds of furniture and houses. It was thoroughly enjoyed by

CHURCH SERVICE SCHEDULES

BAIRD METHODIST CHURCH
Cecil Ottinger, Minister
SUNDAY
Church School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
MYF Groups 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Choir Practice 7:30 p. m.

BAIRD CHURCH OF CHRIST
Otta Johnson, Minister
SUNDAY
Bible School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service 10:45 a. m.
Young People's Meeting 6:15 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
TUESDAY
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a. m.
WEDNESDAY
Bible Study 7:30 p. m.

BAIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Frank Waggoner, Pastor
SUNDAY
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a. m.

EULA METHODIST CHURCH
SUNDAY
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
MYF 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

BAIRD FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Davis Harrell, Pastor
SUNDAY
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY
Brotherhood 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal 8:15 p. m.

EULA BAPTIST CHURCH
SUNDAY
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
BTU 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.

CLYDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
A. L. Harbin, Minister
SUNDAY
Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
TUESDAY
Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 a. m.
WEDNESDAY
Mid-Week Service 7:00 p. m.
Young People's Class 7:00 p. m.

CLYDE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. John W. Price, Pastor
SUNDAY
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Junior and Youth Fellowships 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

CLYDE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Harold Watson, Pastor
SUNDAY
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Officers & Teachers 7:00 p. m.
Hour of Power 7:45 p. m.
Choir Practice 8:20 p. m.
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Ruby Elizabeth Ienhower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ienhower, has been named valedictorian of the class of 1960 at Putnam High School. Miss Ienhower has an average of 96.95.

Salutatorian is Lynn Tatom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom with an average of 87.17. Barbara Jean Archer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Archer, is the third ranking student, with an average of 86.58. Other members of the class are Roy (Butch) Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Petty, Jimmie Hartley Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hartley of Buffalo and Henry Mendez, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Mendez.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday morning, May 15, at the school auditorium, with Ralph Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Paul Faulkner, minister of the Church of Christ.

Commencement exercises will be held Thursday night, May 19, at 8 p. m. R. M. (Bob) Wagstaff, well known lawyer of Abilene, will give the address.

On Friday afternoon, May 20, members of the Junior and Senior classes will leave for a four day trip to San Antonio and Corpus Christi. Traveling by school bus, the group will be accompanied by Supt. R. W. Reynolds, Mrs. W. L. Ivey, and Mrs. John Petty.

Members of the eighth grade graduating class are Diane Wagley, Guy Archer, Dorris Lee Donaway, Charles Iyie, Farrel Tharp and Edward Walters.

STUDY CLUB

The final meeting of the club year was held in the home of Mrs. L. A. Williams Monday afternoon. The topic of study was "World Changing Idea." Roll call was "International News Makers" Mrs. R. W. Taylor spoke on "Internationalism."

Fourteen members were present and one guest, Mrs. Gerald Carter of Vernon.

Our annual luncheon will be held at the Thunderbird Lodge May 23rd.

PERSONALS

The Callahan County Singing Convention will be held at the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Sunday May 15.

Mrs. Gerald Carter of Vernon took her mother, Veda Yarbrough to Temple for a check-up Monday.

Mrs. E. C. Waddell spent the week end with her daughter Aura Francis in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell of San Antonio are visiting friends and relatives in Putnam.

Mrs. Laura Jobe, Mrs. Minnie Crosby and Mrs. Fred Gholson of Eastland visited relatives and friends in Putnam Sunday.

Mrs. Buford Allen and son David of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Nell Moore of Cisco visited their mother Mrs. L. B. Moore and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Smith of Okeene, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Carol Smith and children of Grand Prairie spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Payne and sons of Thomas, Okla., spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Mae Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Franks of Guymon, Okla., Mr. Guy Slick of Amarillo, Mr. Loyd Shelton and son, Clarendon were business visitors with George Biggestaff.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Spraws and David Jobe of Fort Worth were Sunday guests of Mrs. Will Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green and sons of Colorado City were week end guests of their parents, the I. G. Mobeys and John D. Ienhowers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent were Sunday visitors in Abilene with their daughter, Mrs. Troy Stewart and family.

Mrs. Mollie Brandon of Clyde spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Richardson Mrs. Sarah Winterhour of Dallas were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fleming visited his mother, Mrs. Lula

Fleming in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Spraws are visiting in West Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon spent Sunday in Clyde visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brandon and in Baird with Mrs. W. E. Gillett.

Elmer McIntosh has returned home after two weeks fishing in Rock Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hays of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook of Cross Plains visited relatives in Putnam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey of Cisco visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and sons of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe Sunday.

Those spending Sunday with Mrs. Louie Williams were Mr. and Mrs. Nat Williams of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Williams of Moran, Mrs. Darrel Wright and baby of Abilene and Gayle Williams of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce of Snyder were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laddie Pierce Sunday.

Mrs. John Fisher visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Maxwell in Baird during the week end.

Dr. Royce Pruet and family of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and daughter of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boyd of Breckenridge were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Jameson in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and daughter of Sweetwater were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharpe and daughter of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry.

Hall Green a student at Texas A & M spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Moble.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and family of Clyde.

Billy Bowne a student of Texas University spent Sunday with his parents, Hodge Bowne.

Mrs. Rule Massey returned to her home in Flora, Ill. Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ienhower and sons spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allyn and family of Tulsa.

New comers born last week were a son to Mr. and Mrs. Timmer Fry born at Hendricks Memorial hospital May 6th, weighed 4 lbs. and 15 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fry are paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Bent are maternal grandparents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rutherford of Albany, Georgia, May 9, a son, named Rex weighed 7 lb. 8 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowne of Dallas, May 4, a daughter named Gayla Marie weighed 4 lbs. and 8 ozs. Grandparents are the W. H. Bownes.

Meta Reynolds of Texas Christian College was home for the week end.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Mothers Day were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon White and family Mr. and Mrs. Royce White and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl White all of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Varner and family of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and son of Cross Plains were Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

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other farmers had already planted feed and it is up.

Last Tuesday Miss Elvie Jordan and Mrs. S. A. Bruce of Jones, Okla., came by to see us, Mrs. Bruce left Putnam in 1900. We would have liked a longer visit with them, they aim to come back for a visit Wednesday, but the weather was looking bad so they decided they had better go back. They visited with Mrs. Mabel Bearden in Baird as Mrs. Bruce knew Mrs. Bearden when they were girls. I hope you girls get home safe. Mark and Ollie Burnam attended Singing at Scranton last Thursday evening.

Roma and I went over to Moran last Tuesday afternoon to wash and saw Mrs. Olen Elliott and met her sister from Vernon, we saw several other ladies, so glad to see them.

John and Roma McIntyre had Mothers Day breakfast with us this morning and went to Johns mother in Clyde for dinner and on to visit some friends in Abilene this afternoon.

D. A. Abernathy is in Baird today with his sister Mrs. Onie Abernathy. Sorry she is not feeling so well. We hope you soon get better Onie.

I go back tomorrow which is Monday to Temple for a check-up.

Several out this way attended the Rodeo in Baird the past week end.

Mary and Jack Everett and girl of Abilene spent Mothers Day with Mary and Ollie Burnam.

Guess I better get busy so be good and will see you next week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howard, Joyce and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jefferies, Johnny Rodriguez, Steve Green, Tensil Scott, Jud Gilliland, Tabor Bearden and Ronnie Ault visited the state track meet at Austin last Saturday.



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ADMIRAL NEWS

By Ann Smith

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrell and family of Seminole visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith and children spent Sunday afternoon with her sisters and parents at Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brumley returned to Hobbs, N. M., Monday after a visit with their daughter Mrs. B. H. Walls and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howard and children Bobbie, Sue and Joyce attended the family reunion of Mrs. Howard Sunday at Roscoe.



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