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**News of Baird  
PEOPLE & THINGS**  
By E. M.

**IT IS ALWAYS** a little bit sad when football season is over, and of course the sadness deepens when the hometown team loses its final game as the Bears did Friday night. Ranger had a fine ball club and we wouldn't take a thing away from them, but the Bears and the fans alike were a little flat for the game. Everyone could sense that when only a handful of Quarterback Club members and boosters went on the field. It's hard to keep a team and the fans "up" for three games in a row. It's pretty hard to write a story on a game which the hometown team loses, and pretty easy when the team wins.

**IT'S BEEN A GOOD** season. The Bears won two or three games more than they were supposed to win. They had a lot of hustle and gave fans their moneys worth most of the time. We'll all be looking forward to next season when 26 of the 31 boys who completed the season will be back in Bear uniforms. Not only did the Bulldogs beat the Bears Friday night but they outcaptained us. Don't remember ever seeing as many captains on the field for the toss. There were five from Baird and seven from Ranger. Senior members of each squad served as game captains. Danny Ross has made most of the decisions this year on penalty options, and he's done a fine job. Can't remember a choice that he made which hurt the team.

**THE BEAR BAND** looked good as they went through drills they were to use in San Angelo at the marching contest Saturday. They concluded their performance with the moving diamond formation which TCU made famous. Director Max Harper paid tribute to his majorettes, the drum major, the feature twirler and to the two senior members of the band, Carol Lynn McGowen and Roberta Lawrence. The Ranger band was dressed in bluejeans, white shirts and black western ties. They received a big round of applause for their performance of a number of intricate formations . . . The Ranger band had a member dressed as a Bulldog and a clever sidlight was the Twist performed by Baird's Bear and the Ranger Bulldog . . . You will want to make plans to attend the Baird band concert at the high school auditorium November 25.

**A NUMBER OF BAIRD** hopefuls were among the thousands of Texans who hit the trail for Deer country Friday and Saturday as the annual season opened Saturday. Will try to get reports of their success. Reports are that deer are plentiful this year, but that they are smaller and thinner.

**THE FRED GOBLES** had their hands full at the game Friday night. Friday was son Gary's birthday and he had some nine or ten friends over to help him celebrate. Mama and Papa Goble took the whole bunch to the Friday night game. Imagine keeping some 10 nine and ten year olds in tow is quite a chore . . . Have had some nice compliments on the first chapter of the Belle Plaine Story which we ran in last weeks issue of the  
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**Eula PTA Sponsors  
Two Special Games**

**"Bloomer Girls Ride Again"** is the slogan adopted by the women of the Eula community as they prepare to play an "old timers" type basketball game at the Eula school gym Friday night, November 22, at 7 o'clock. The game, or games, are being sponsored by the Eula PTA, who announced that there will also be a game between the men of the community. The women south of the Eula store will make up one team and the women north of the store will form the other team which will meet them. The men will be divided the same way.

They are "outsider" affairs. People not connected with the school or the PTA are invited to play. No students will participate.

There will be no admission charges, but wash tubs will be placed at the entrances of the gym to handle free will contributions. The money derived from the games will be used in the PTA projects for the year.

**Harris Funeral  
Held Tuesday**

Funeral for Robert Jackson Harris, 65, who died at 6:30 a.m. Monday in his home after a short illness, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church. Rev. Bob Eklund, pastor, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Walter White, pastor of First Methodist Church. Burial was in Ross Cemetery under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home.

Born March 7, 1889 in Lampasas, Mr. Harris had been a resident of this area 20 years. He was a rancher employed by Jim McFarland.

He was married in Lometa Aug. 24, 1924, and was a member of the Methodist church. Survivors include his wife; two sons, Darrell of Baird and Arvid of Lamesa; three brothers, Joe of Baird, E. E. and Bill, both of Lometa; seven sisters, Mrs. Bud Conradt and Mrs. C. S. Smith, both of Lometa, Mrs. Boyd Leverett of San Saba, Mrs. Frank Day of Lampasas, Mrs. D. Conner of Waco, Mrs. D. C. Peeler of San Antonio and Mrs. Foy Taylor of Jayton and a grandson, Darrell Jr.

Palbearers were Roy Denny, Jack Gilliland, Bill Hatchett, Lloyd Hughes, Garland Rutherford, Mike Young, B. L. Kirken-doll and Denver Collins.

**Quarterback Club To  
Meet Monday Night**

The Baird Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at the high school, President Mickey Brown reported. The meeting will be held in one of the class rooms since the Baird Band will be holding their concert in the auditorium.

Plans for the annual football dinner will be made at the meeting and Coach Vernon Townsend will make his report on the Ranger game. Members who want to attend the band concert can attend the first part of the quarterback meeting and leave in time for the concert.

**BANK TO BE CLOSED**

Bob Norrell, president of the First National Bank of Baird, reported that the bank would be closed all day November 28 in observance of Thanksgiving Day, November 28 is a legal Texas holiday and banks operating in Texas are authorized to close on that day. It will be "business as usual" Friday and Saturday, November 29-30, Mr. Norrell said.

Mrs. Thomas V. Townsend, Mrs. Grover Berry, Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. Sallie Eastham were guests Nov. 19, at a program and luncheon given by the Women's Society of the Central Presbyterian Church in Abilene.

**Baird Girls Basketball Team Wins  
Two Games; Boys Lose Opener**

The Baird High School basketball team won their second game in as many starts Thursday night when they defeated a scrappy Coleman sextet 78-42 at the Baird gym.

Paula Corn led the Baird team in scoring with 44 points. She hit 19 field goals and six free throws to lead the field. Karen Bearden tallied 20 points to keep the defense honest. Karen made seven goals from the floor and

six from the free throw line. Elaine Hass made six of her team's points. Dianah Alvey was high point for Coleman with 18. Baird's guards held Coleman to two field goals and two free shots in the first quarter and held them to nine points in the second. Baird's forwards made 21 points the first period and 25 the second period to lead 46-15 at halftime.

Coach Howard sent in his second unit in the third quarter and they made only 11 points while Coleman made 13. He alternated his first and second units in the fourth quarter and they outscored Coleman 21-14. Coleman "B" team defeated Baird "B" team 31-28. Joyce Howard was high for Baird with 15 points. Nancy Williamson scored 11 for Coleman.

Tuesday night in Trent the Baird girls won a thriller from Trent by a 60-59 score with Paula Corn tossing in 36 points. The Bears lost their opener to Trent in another close one. Trent nosed out the Bears 52-49.

Max Gordon was high for Baird with 13 points. Lee Lanning and Steve Kiser scored 19 points each for Trent. Baird's team had been working out only three days, and showed promise of developing into a good unit as the season develops.

In the girls game Karen Bearden made 15 points and Elaine Hass made nine. Others playing were Sally Green, Yvonne Shelnett, Sue Howard, Betty Corn, Peggy Payne and Sharon Jeter.

In the girls "B" game Trent won 17-13. Peggy Gordon was high for Baird with five.

The Baird girls meet Trent on the Baird court Friday night.

**Box Score**

<b>BAIRD</b>				
player	fg	ft	tp	
Corn, Paula	19	6	3	44
Hass, Elaine	1	4	3	20
Bearden, Karen	7	6	5	26
Jones, Vickie	2	0	4	10
Green, Sally	1	1	0	3
Shelnett, Yvonne	0	1	1	1
Howard, Sue	0	0	2	0
Corn, Betty	0	0	4	0
Payne, Peggy	0	0	3	0
Jeter, Sharon	0	0	0	0
Corn, Dana	0	0	5	0
Totals	30	18	28	78

**COLEMAN**

player	fg	ft	tp	
Alvey, Dianah	4	10	0	18
Dietrick, Jamie	5	2	1	12
Farmer, Joyce	1	5	1	7
Templin, Bertha	1	3	3	5
McClough, G.	0	0	0	0
Brooks, Brenda	0	0	5	0
Mitchell, Frankie	0	0	5	0
Deltrick, Reba	0	0	2	0
Conway, Pat	0	0	3	0
Craine, Ellen	0	0	2	0
Totals	11	20	22	42

**Gene Jones Leaves  
S.C.S. Office Here**

Gene Jones, who joined the Soil Conservation Service in Callahan County some 13 months ago, is leaving the SCS on December 1 to begin work with the Texas State Soil Conservation Board.

Mr. Jones will be stationed at the state office in Temple and will be working with district supervisors over a large portion of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and their daughter will move to Temple about December 1.

**CORRECTION**

The correct price on Dura-Life shirts by Wings, shown in McElroy's ad in this issue is \$4.00 rather than the \$3.50 as it is shown. The advertising is carried on page three of this issue. The shirt is a wash and wear item with a guaranteed no-fray collar.

**Band To Present  
Formal Concert  
Monday Evening**

The Baird High School Band, under the direction of Max Harper, will present its first formal concert of the school year Monday, November 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The concert will be unique because marches, fight songs and novelty number used during football season will be used as the main part of the concert. A number of additional solo numbers and the presentation of awards will add to the program. Football players, the coaches and the cheer leaders will be honored guests. Parents and friends of all band members were given a special invitation to attend and everyone was assured a welcome. There will be no admission charges.

The band spent Saturday in San Angelo where they participated with some 50 other area bands in the Texas Interscholastic League marching contests. They were entered in marching and inspection and were given an II rating in both departments. Bands were rated as I, II, III, IV and V. No. I ratings were graded superior, No. II ratings were graded as excellent, No. III as good, etc.

Mr. Harper and school officials were highly complimentary of the band for its showing.

W. A. Fetterly attended the Scottish Rite reunion in Dallas and the Mosiah Shrine Ceremonial in Ft. Worth last week, and reports both meetings very enjoyable.

**Clyde Fire Dept. To  
Have Turkey Shoot**

The Clyde Fire Department has announced that they will sponsor two turkey shoots, one just prior to Thanksgiving and the other just prior to Christmas.

The first shoot will be November 23 and the second on December 21. The events will be held at the Clyde fire station. Guns will be available or the contestants can bring their own. Targets will be used in the shoots rather than live birds. There will be some 30 turkeys given away.

Contestants may register for a 30-30 deer rifle which will be given away at the end of the December shoot.

**Baird Year Books  
Are Now On Sale**

Sale of the 1964 HEADLIGHT, yearbook of Baird High School, closes December 1. Cost of this book, which will retell the 1963-64 year in the Baird Public Schools, is \$4.50. The full price may be paid at this time, or a down payment of \$2.50 may be paid now, with the remaining \$2.00 to be paid when the books are delivered.

In order to purchase your copy of the 1964 HEADLIGHT, please call the High School Office and leave your name and number. One of the following staff members will contact you: Carol Lynn McGowen, Paula Corn, Vicky Finley, Elaine Hass, Roberta Lawrence, Joy Lynn Bruce, Scotty Mitchell and B. P. Stephenson.

**Stores Will Close  
On Thanksgiving**

Thursday, November 28, will be a holiday in Baird as most everyone observes Thanksgiving Day.

The bank, the court house, city offices and the Baird schools join in the observance.

School will dismiss Wednesday afternoon at the regular time and classes will resume Monday, December 2.

**CALLAHAN COUNTY RECEIVES O. K.  
ON DROUTH ASSISTANCE PLEA**

Callahan County has been approved as a drought disaster area and has been declared eligible for assistance, it was announced in a telegram received by the Baird Star from Congressman Omar Burleson Tuesday.

The telegram from Congressman Burleson was as follows: "Callahan County Today approved for livestock feed assistance and grazing and haying provisions on conservation reserve land by Department of Agriculture due to drought."

Farmers and ranchers of the county decided at a mass meeting some weeks ago to request the various departments of the agriculture department to instigate the necessary requests through the proper channels. Such requests are channelled through the ASC office, the Farm and Home Administration

and through the Texas Department of Agriculture.

On October 23, the Callahan County Commissioners Court adopted a resolution and forwarded it to Governor John B. Connally urging that he declare Callahan County a disaster area because of the extended dry weather. That resolution was as follows: "The Callahan County Commissioners Court, after reviewing extreme drought conditions in this county, passed the following resolution in regard to the above subject: BE IT RESOLVED that after due consideration and inspection of extreme drought conditions prevailing in Callahan County, the Commissioners Court does hereby request the Governor of the State of Texas to declare the county a disaster area. The resolution was signed by County

Judge Byron Richardson and Commissioners R. R. Shelnett, Alton White, Glen Swor and Duke Mitchell.

Under the program, livestock producers may purchase surplus grains at reduced prices and may graze lands which have been placed in Conservation Reserve, commonly known as the Soil Bank. The program is designed to help the producer through the winter months.

The more than three inches of rain which fell on Baird and most of Callahan County were most welcome, but came too late to be of benefit this winter. It will bring up grain which was "dusted in" and will give life to grain which has already come up, but it will not give much grazing. The rains were a boon to dry pastures and put some water in tanks which were getting dangerously low.

**Bears Conclude Football Season  
With Loss To Ranger On Friday**

As far as the Baird Bears and Bear fans were concerned football season this year ended with the Albany game on November 8 — both the team and the fans were not up to the task Friday night as a classy Ranger Bulldog eleven out-everythinged the locals 36-8.

The Ranger Bulldogs were as selfish with the ball Friday night as their canine counterpart are with a choice bone. They relinquished possession only 38 times during the contest while they had possession on more than 70 tries.

For the first time this year the Bear line sprang leaks. In the nine previous games the Bears forward wall bore the brunt of the attack on both offense and defense and stood up well. Ranger caught the team a little off on its timing and took advantage of what they found. The Bulldog defense held the Bears to three first downs during the game — one on a penalty and two on pass plays — they allowed only 47 yards on the ground while Ray Newnham and his wrecking crew were running for 179.

Newnham was one of the best backs the Baird team and fans have seen in action this year. He was tops on both offense and on defense Friday night. He accounted for 20 Ranger points and was instrumental in drives for the other two touchdowns. It was his night.

Tally Windham, Baird's top performer for the season, was used sparingly during the game and the team felt his absence. He received an injured foot in the Albany contest, and was considerably less effective than usual.

Wally Harris furnished Baird fans their only moment of joy when, with six seconds left in the first half, he carried a Ranger kick-off back for 76 yards and the Bears only touchdown. Harris took the kick at his own 24 and followed a wave of blockers to mid field where he finally broke away and went the remainder of the distance on his own. The Bears were trailing 14-0 when Harris made his 76 yard trip. Quarterback Tommy Barton passed to Thomas Robbins for the two extra points and the half ended on the 14-8.

Newnham had scored two Ranger touchdowns before Harris' run. He scored first from the five after the Bulldogs took the opening kick from their own 40 to that point with out relinquishing possession. The drive consumed slightly over five minutes of the first quarter. A pass for the extra points failed. His second tally came with 20 seconds left in the half on a six yard spurt through the middle of Baird's line. The score was set up on interception of Tally Windham's pass by Johnny McGee at the 31. Newnham carried for two points to bring the tally to 14-0.

The Bulldogs kicked to Baird following the intermission and recovered the kick on the Baird 27 after the ball eluded the Bear deep men. They drove to the one and Newnham carried over. McGee passed to Ronnie Hinds for the two extra points to bring the count to 22-8. The Bulldogs scored again a couple of minutes later when they took over on the Baird 38 when a fourth down try fell a yard short of a Baird first. They worked to the six yard line and from that point McGee hit Hinds in the Baird end zone for six points. Newnham failed in his point after attempt and the quarter ended 28-8. The final Ranger score, and the final score of the game came on a pass from McGee to Halfback Lee Aurburn from the three. Jimmy Drennan took over for two extra points to end the scoring for the game. The Bears timing was a little

off and in spite of their hustle they couldn't get going. It wasn't a matter of quitting, it was a matter of nothing working right. They played hard, hit hard and hustled as hard as they had in previous games, but a good Ranger team got there first with the most, and earned the win. Five Baird players turned in their uniforms for the last time. The five senior members of the team, all who served as captains for the contest, were Ed Ault, Mac McIntosh, Douglas Jaggars, Freddy Alexander and Danny Ross. Coaches will have 26 returning members of the squad for next season.

Statistics for the Friday night game were as follows:

<b>BAIRD</b>		<b>RANGER</b>
3	first downs	15
47	yards rushing	179
10	passes attempted	9
4 for 43	passes completed	3 for 56
0	passes intercepted by	2
4 for 34½	punt average	5 for 30
2 for 20	penalties, yards	2 for 20
2	fumbles lost	1

**Eula FFA Chapter  
Plans Turkey Shoot**

The Eula Future Farmer Turkey Shoot will be held for the public on Sunday afternoon, November 24, at 1:30 p.m. The shoot will be at W. P. Stephenson's gravel pit located one mile west and one-half mile north of Eula. The shooters will be limited to .22 caliber rifles only and ammo will be sold.

Turkeys will be frozen and ready for the oven. The chapter will also sponsor a Christmas turkey shoot at a later date.

The Eula FFA Turkey Shoot Committee is James Garner, chairman, Bob Chittum, David Foster, Larry Ash, Grant Freeman and Henry Burleson.

**Prominent Area  
Woman Dies In  
Abilene Hospital**

Susie Ethel Watts, 80, died at 6 a.m. Wednesday in St. Ann Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church in Clyde. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery under direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Watts was born Oct. 4, 1883 in Eula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ferguson. She married J. M. Watts March 4, 1900 in Eula.

After residing in Gatesville and San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Watts moved to Clyde 22 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Clyde.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Ralph of Clyde; two brothers, John Ferguson of San Diego, Calif., Bill Ferguson of Eula; three sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Berry of Baird, Mrs. Jimmy Stevenson of Plainview, Mrs. Joe Gibson of San Angelo; nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren. Three children preceded her in death. Pallbearers were Harroll Watts, Woodrow Watts, Billy Watts, Edwin Huddleston, Harold Ferguson and Hiram Cook.

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To: J. Madera, and his unknown heirs, if he be deceased; S. M. Cranfill Little, and her unknown heirs, if she be deceased; Tom Little, and his unknown heirs, if he be deceased; and T. R. Cranfill, and his unknown heirs, if he be deceased, the defendants in the hereinafter entitled and numbered cause, Greetings:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiffs' petition at or

before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 9th day of December, 1963, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the Court-house in Baird, Texas.

Said plaintiffs' petition was filed on the 21st day of October, 1963. The file number of said suit being No. 11,551. The names of the parties in said suit are: Leonard Baum and wife, Montie Baum, Sam Plowman and wife, Fannie Baum Plowman, Leo Baum and wife, Annie Lee Baum, as plaintiffs, and the above named parties as defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: A suit brought to have a receiver appointed under Article 2320b, VACS of the State of Texas, to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease on the defendants' undivided mineral interests in the following described tracts of land in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:

S.B.L. of the Victoria Sch. Land TRACT I. Beginning on the Survey 202, and the N.B.L. of Survey 201, 15 vrs. West of their common East corner for the beginning corner of this survey; Thence North 15 vrs. W. of and parallel to the E.B.L. of Survey 202, 91 vrs. to S. E. corner of Fannie Plowman tract; Thence following the outside boundaries of a field as follows: West 710

vs. North 114 vrs. East 196 vrs. North 160 vrs. East 289 vrs. North 313.33 vrs.; Thence West 1009 vrs. across pasture to St. Md. under fence for corner; Thence North 116.67 vrs. to field fence corner; Thence West with field fence 622 vrs. to Northwest corner of this tract and the S. W. corner of the Fannie Plowman tract; Thence South 795 vrs. with old fence line to the S. W. corner of this tract, an old fence corner 19 vrs. N. of the S.B.L. of Survey 202; Thence East 371 vrs. parallel with and 19 vrs. N. of the S.B.L. of Survey 202, to an old fence post, and post line; Thence South with the W.B.L. of the 71 acre tract, at 19 vrs. cross the N.B.L. of Victoria School Land Survey 201, a total of 270 vrs. to an old corner post set for the S. W. corner of the 71 acre tract; Thence East with public road 1485 vrs. to fence corner for the S. E. corner of this tract; Thence North 1046 vrs. South and 15 vrs. West of the N. E. corner of this survey No. 202, for the N. E. and beginning corner of this tract; Thence West with an old field fence to a fence corner 378 vrs.; Thence North with fence to stake and stone md. 252 vrs.; Thence West across pasture 1494 vrs. to pipe under fence for corner; Thence South 721.03 vrs. to corner of field for corner of this tract; Thence East with field fence 622 vrs. to corner of field; Thence South with field fence 116.67 vrs. to stone md.; Thence East 1009 vrs. across field to st. md. for corner; Thence South 313.33 vrs. with W.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence West with N.B.L. of field 289 vrs. to st. md. for corner; Thence South 160 vrs. with W.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence West 196 vrs. with N.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence South with W.B.L. of field 114 vrs. to st. md. for corner; Thence East with S.B.L. of field 710 vrs. to st. md. under 15 vrs. West of the E.B.L. of Survey 202, for the S. E. corner of this tract; Thence North 1198 vrs. on old fence 15 vrs. W. of and parallel to the E.B.L. of Survey 202, to the place of beginning, and containing 295.2 acres, SAVE AND EXCEPT, a

certain tract containing 26.2 acres, more or less, presently owned by Sam Plowman, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of one certain 133.8 acres, more or less, tract owned by Leo Baum located in the Northeastern part of survey 202, Victoria Co. School Land, for the N. W. corner of this tract; Thence South 156 vrs. to a point for the S. W. corner of this tract; Thence West 950 vrs. to a point for the S. E. corner of this tract; Thence North 156 vrs. to the S. E. corner of the 133.8 acres more or less, tract owned by Leo Baum located in the Northeastern part of survey 202, Victoria Co. School Land, for the N. E. corner of this tract; Thence West 950 vrs. to place of beginning.

TRACT II. Beginning at a stake and stone mound under an old fence in a fence corner 1046 vrs. South and 15 vrs. West of the N. E. corner of this survey No. 202, for the N. E. and beginning corner of this tract; Thence West with an old field fence to a fence corner 378 vrs.; Thence North with fence to stake and stone md. 252 vrs.; Thence West across pasture 1494 vrs. to pipe under fence for corner; Thence South 721.03 vrs. to corner of field for corner of this tract; Thence East with field fence 622 vrs. to corner of field; Thence South with field fence 116.67 vrs. to stone md.; Thence East 1009 vrs. across field to st. md. for corner; Thence South 313.33 vrs. with W.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence West with N.B.L. of field 289 vrs. to st. md. for corner; Thence South 160 vrs. with W.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence West 196 vrs. with N.B.L. of field to st. md. for corner; Thence South with W.B.L. of field 114 vrs. to st. md. for corner; Thence East with S.B.L. of field 710 vrs. to st. md. under 15 vrs. West of the E.B.L. of Survey 202, for the S. E. corner of this tract; Thence North 1198 vrs. on old fence 15 vrs. W. of and parallel to the E.B.L. of Survey 202, to the place of beginning, and containing 295.2 acres, SAVE AND EXCEPT, a

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, on this 21 day of October, 1963.

Mrs. Beatrice Deal Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas

Society Hears Talk By Mrs. Minnie Hill

Mrs. Minnie Hill, economics teacher, at Cisco Junior College spoke on the topic, "Changing Economic Patterns in America" in keeping with the biennium program theme, Changing Patterns in American Culture, at the Beta Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma meeting Saturday.

In citing some of the changes in the American economic pattern, Mrs. Hill presented some facts portraying the home of colony days, plantation days, and the beginnings of the inventive days on down to our present jet age days. These changes all resulting in corresponding changes in the pattern of education are challenging, stimulating, and demanding of the teacher as to how effectively she meets the changes.

The meeting was held at the Federated Women's Club in Cisco. President, Isadore Grimes, presided for the executive meeting preceding the regular program hour, and also, for the short business session at program time. Members were served as they arrived by the hostess committee composed of Alda Nordyke, Myrtle Cash, Cleora Nichols and Isadore Grimes.

Members attending were: Ranger, Rose Deffebach, Anna McEver, Eastland, Verna Johnson, Ethel Johnston, Lols Marshall, Beulah Smith and Nettie Thornton; Cross Plains, Veda Debusk, Marie Stambaugh; Putnam, Mrs. Roland Nichols; Clyde, Alda Nordyke; Baird, Isadore Grimes; Cisco, Miriam Bledsoe, Josephine Clements, Beryl Cutting, Mayme Estes, Vivian Grantham, Minnie Hill, Alice McCanlies, Olga Fay Parker, Dee Peters, Ruby Lee Pirtle, Myrl Reed, Olive Schaefer, Ina Stamey, Lols Whitaker.

Tecumseh Topics By Lillian Crawford

(Held Over From Last Week) At last we got rain, receiving 1.1 inch Friday of last week. It will take several rains of that kind to soak the dry soil such as we have, before we can expect any run off for stock water. I believe I can speak for most everyone and say we are proud of every little bit of moisture that falls.

Quite a lot of colds or flu we might call it that, has been going around. Mrs. L. V. Harris has been making visits to the doctors office for the last 3 or 4 weeks, also Mrs. Kate Crawford and Irene are having trouble due to the flu. Hoping those shots

they are getting will soon make them well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford and Lynda visited Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Crawford and children Saturday.

They have recently bought a three bedroom home in the Rolling Hills Addition in Southwest Abilene.

I think it's a little confusing to the 3 1/2 year old daughter after moving from a trailer house to a home that has more space.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford visited the L. V. Harrises and the Ira Crawfords the past week end.

Starr Alexander of Clyde visited Lynda Crawford last night, Nov. 11th, and attended the Youth Rally at the Oplin Baptist Church.

Denver Rodeo Fans To See Collier Stock

Denver, Nov. 13 - Top broncs and bucking bulls that were in the arena during the annual Baird, Texas, rodeo last May 2-4, have been selected for the cowboy's sport's "world series" in Los Angeles.

The National Finals Rodeo commission said bucking stock owned by Ralph Collier, Austin, Texas, would be used during the eight go-round contest, Nov. 26-28, which determines 1963's world champion cowboys.

Collier's stock is part of a total 213 head, hand picked for ability to flatten cowboys, from thirty-four professional bucking strings across the United States and Canada.

Contestant qualification for the Finals is limited to the seasons top fifteen winners in each of six events, saddle and bareback bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, bull riding and team roping.

Prize money earned at the Finals is totaled with seasonal winnings for the top dollar which decides the event titlists.

Clyde Student Gets Ag Award

Weldon Lynn Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Edwards of Rt. 2, Clyde was the recipient of the 4-H Gold Star Achievement Award, at a banquet held

in the dining hall at John Tarlton College, in Stephenville, Saturday night, Nov. 2. Attorney General Waggoner Carr, was the principal speaker.

The Gold Star Award is presented once each year to one boy and girl from each county in the state for outstanding achievements and leadership by the Texas Agricultural Service. R. G. Burswell, District Extension Agent, made the award to Weldon Lynn. No girl from this county was a recipient.

Weldon Lynn is a member of the Senior class of Clyde High School, a member of the Beta Club and is on the basketball team.

Attending the banquet to witness the awards presentation, was Pat Garner of Baird, County Agricultural Agent, Bill Galusha, adult leader for Clyde 4-H chapter, Weldon Edwards, and Mrs. John Soules of Star, grandmother of Weldon Lynn.

Mrs. Hickman Hosts WSCS Circle No. 1

The WSCS Circle No. 1, of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. Ace Hickman, November 18, 1963, with Mrs. Cecil West, leader presiding. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield had charge of the program assisted by Mrs. P. E. Dungan and Mrs. West. The program was on Thanksgiving. Mrs. Tee Baulch gave a reading on Thanksgiving.

Eleven members were present, Mmes. Tee Baulch, Maybelle Cline, George Crutchfield, Dungan, W. A. Fetterly, Brice Jones, Bob Norrell, M. L. Stubblefield, Cecil West, Marvin Davis and the hostess.

The Club adjourned to meet the 16 with a Christmas Program Mrs. Brice Jones and Mrs. Marvin Davis hostesses.

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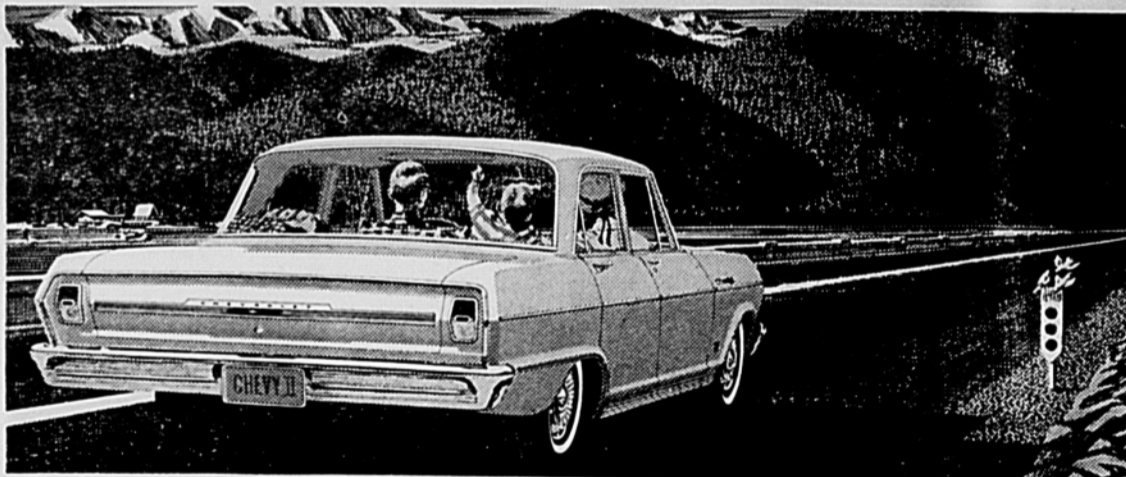
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By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbors. Oh, I have good news to tell. We had a real good rain last night, which was Monday, I just now went out to look at the rain gauge, it had three

inches and is still raining. The ground is so soft and full of water I like to have bogged down. Water is standing all over the field, rained slow, hope we get a lot more.  
John McIntyre started striping cotton again Monday, but did not get through as we had a little shower about noon. My

this grain is coming to the front now.

Burette and Johnny May Ramsey spent the week end at Brady visiting Mrs. Ella Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burnam, think they spent Saturday night with the Burnams.

Bill, Retha and Nevin Brown of Abilene spent the week end with Grandpa and Ma Burnam. I tell you little Nevin is growing so fast and is the sweetest little fellow, so pleasant and good you just want to love him so hard. He is a very lucky little boy to have such sweet dad and mom.

Gayle Burnam was home over the week end driving her first car which she got last week. We are proud for her, it is a red and white Chevrolet.

We are sorry our neighbor, Joe Hurley, had the misfortune to lose his thumb, it has been giving him quite a bit of trouble, he was working with the pulling machine when the accident happened.

We are sorry Mr. Grady Pruet is in the hospital in Abilene with pneumonia, I think he may get to come home in a day or so.

D. A. Yarbrough visited in Baird Sunday with his sister, Onie Abernathy. He is doing pretty good, still able to drive his car.

I visited a while last Friday morning with mother Williams, good to see her doing so good and looking so well. I always enjoy talking with her.

I spent the day Friday with Mrs. Mary Ramsey. Mrs. Laura Jobe of Big Spring was there too, was good to see her and I am glad to say both of them are doing pretty good. Mrs. Jobe went to Eastland Sunday to spend a few days visiting there.

John McIntyre attended a funeral Friday of some relatives in Odessa.

Roma McIntyre visited a while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. McIntyre in Clyde. Guess I better get this mailed. So be good and hope to see you next week.

**Deer Hunters Bag  
Three Bucks & Doe**

A group of Baird and Abilene deer hunters bagged three bucks and a doe on a hunting trip on opening day in the Menard area.

The group was composed of L. T. Mauldin and Gene Mauldin of Rt. 2, Baird, and Roland Mauldin and John McClain, Glen Kirk and David Kirk of Abilene. Gene Mauldin, Roland Mauldin and John McClean each bagged bucks and Glen Kirk brought down a doe. Gene Mauldin bagged another buck in the southeast part of Callahan County Tuesday.

**Mrs. C. B. Snyder Is  
Delphian Club Host**

The Delphian Study Club met Tuesday, November 12, at 3:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr.

Mrs. Blain Odom, president, presided for the meeting.

Mrs. James Snyder gave the invocation, and Mrs. James Asbury led the pledge to the flag. A contribution of \$5.00 was made to CARE for Guatemala.

Mrs. James Asbury introduced the program: "Key to American Affairs."

Mrs. J. L. Ault, County Health Nurse, was guest speaker. She spoke on Building Health in the Community.

Members brought gifts to be sent to the State Hospital at Big Spring.

Refreshments were passed to Mrs. J. L. Ault, guest, and members, Mmes. Tee Baulch, James Asbury, W. P. Brightwell, L. C. Cash, H. D. Driskill, A. E. Dyer, Sr., Buster Hatchett, Briece Jones, Albert Lovell, S. L. McElroy, M. C. McGowen, Bob Norrell, Blain Odom, James Snyder, M. L. Stubblefield, Frank Windham, Sterling Odom and the hostess.

**T&P Friendship Club  
Holds Annual Dinner**

The T&P Friendship Club met at Bibbs Cafe for their annual Thanksgiving dinner on November 11. The turkey and dressing and all the extra traditional foods was bounteous and delicious. After eating they went with Mrs. Ben Ross for an evening of 74 and canasta.

Members present were: President and Mrs. Grady Davis; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly; Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Alphin; Jack Egan of Fort Worth; Mrs. Maybelle Cline; Mrs. Juanita Danielsen; Mrs. Jack Stephens; Mrs. Hubert Ross, Danny Ross, Kity Ross and Randy Kidd of Lampasas.

The December meeting will be with Mrs. Hubert Ross on December 12.

**Eula PTA Sponsors  
Two Special Games**

"Bloomer Girls Ride Again" is the slogan adopted by the women of the Eula Community as they prepare to play an "old timers" type basketball game at the Eula school gym Friday night, November 22, at 7 o'clock.

The game, or games, are being sponsored by the Eula PTA, who announced that there will also be a game between the men of the community. The women south of the Eula store will make up one team and the women north of the store will form the other team which will meet them. The men will be divided the same way.

They are "outsider" affairs. People not connected with the school or the PTA are invited to play. No students will participate.

There will be no admission charges, but wash tubs will be placed at the entrances of the gym to handle free will contributions. The money derived from the games will be used in the PTA projects for the year.

Mrs. Annette Towler of Richmond, Ky., visited here last week with Mrs. Bessie Henry and T. Towler and family. Visiting them Saturday, was an aunt, Mrs. Lillian Warren of Westover.

**QUICKER  
LESSONS IN GRAMMAR  
By Lloyd D. Huff  
DRIVE SLOW!**

Perhaps I shall make enemies when I say that this really makes better sense than Drive Slowly. When you say, "Cut the grass short," you don't mean cut the grass in a short manner, but you mean cut the grass in such a manner that it is short grass when you are through. Likewise when you say "Drive (your car) slow," you want to emphasize the important idea: that it must be a slow car as it moves down the road. Driving slowly puts emphasis on the actual act of driving; this would imply that one is supposed to depress the clutch or brake carefully and after due deliberation, shift and steer slowly, and lean cautiously on the horn. No, the speed of the driving is not the significant thing — but the speed of the car is! If you remember your diagraming, "short" and "slow" are adjectives (adjunct adjectives) acting as objective complements to "grass" and "car". Besides — think how many thousands of gallons of paint the State of Texas saves by not painting "ly" on street signs! Until next time, "Drive Slow!"

If you have questions to ask or information to add, please write Lloyd D. Huff at McMurry College or in care of this newspaper.

**Oplin Observations  
By Daphne Floyd**

It was just too good to believe to hear rain falling about midnight Monday night. After rain fell until day break, the rain gauge showed better than two inches had fallen.

The quilting ladies enjoyed a pre-Thanksgiving dinner along with their quilting party last Thursday at the Community Center. Mrs. A. O. Clare and Mrs. M. C. Miller had quilts in the frames.

Mrs. Ruby McBee of Weatherford is visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman O'Shields are the parents of a baby boy, born last Friday, Nov. 15. The baby has been named Kenneth Randal. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Bessie O'Shields of Lawn and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breeding of Oplin. The couple have two other sons, James and Richard.

Bro. Dwigginns from H-SU accompanied Bro. McAuley to Oplin last Sunday and filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Shields and daughters, Virginia and Kathy of Abilene were visiting with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman O'Shields and family Sunday afternoon. They also stopped for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd.

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**Two From Baird Are  
In Houston School**

Two students from Baird have enrolled at the University of Houston for the 1963 fall term. One of the newest of the state supported institutions of higher learning, the University enrolled 17,430 students for the current term.

The University of Houston began as a junior college in 1927 and was elevated to a four-year status in 1934. It operated as a private university until September 1963, when it became a part of the Texas state system.

President of the University is Dr. Phillip G. Hoffman.

Students from Baird attending the University are: Gay L. Newcomb and Marshall Newcomb.

**KEVIN WAYNE SMITH**

Kevin Wayne Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith was born at 2:24 p.m. Saturday at Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. He weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces. Mrs. Smith and Kevin were reported as doing well. They were brought to their home in Baird Tuesday. He has two brothers, Gary and Jeffrey. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bryant and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Smith, all of Baird.

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# NEWS OF MORAN

MORAN LUNCHEON CLUB

Mrs. E. O. Kinnison and her group served a delicious roast beef and fried chicken lunch to 70 members and guests of the Moran Luncheon Club, last Wednesday, Nov. 13.

Guests were Mrs. Wm. H. Wallace of Arlington, Mrs. J. A. Foster, Sr., of Fort Worth, Mrs. Dick Lauderdale and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Laird of Cisco and Mrs. R. S. Swain of Albany.

Judge Ike Chism gave a wonderful tribute to Floyd C. Pool, Al Anderson, S. E. Hittson, Harry Schaeffer and A. E. McNeely of Cisco brought a very entertaining program.

Next week, Nov. 27, the luncheon club will not be served, but on Dec. 4, Mrs. Maggie Ruth Bills and her group will serve. A good program will be given.

STORES TO CLOSE

The business houses will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 28, observing Thanksgiving Day.

SCHOOL MENU

- Monday
  - Italian Spaghetti
  - Buttered Corn
  - Fried Okra
  - Combination Salad
  - Hot biscuits & butter
  - Milk
  - Peach Cobbler
- Tuesday
  - Turkey & dressing
  - Mashed potatoes
  - Green Beans
  - Waldorf Salad
  - Hot rolls & butter
  - Milk
  - Prune cake
- Wednesday
  - Seasoned pintos
  - Macaroni & tomatoes
  - Spinach
  - Combination Salad
  - Hot corn bread & butter
  - Milk
  - Orange jello & dream whip

BASKETBALL GAME

The first basketball game will be Tuesday night, Nov. 26, in the Moran Gym. The Moran teams will play Lueders. Everyone is urged to come and support the Moran team.

Mrs. Doc Griffith and daughter of Breckenridge visited with Mrs. Oliver Allen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller, Jr., and family visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller, Sr., in Breckenridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Elliott spent the week end in Midland with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Burton spent the week end in Dallas with their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Taggart, and family.

Mrs. C. C. Ballard spent a few days last week in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Spurlock, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith of Jacksboro spent Friday night and Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Luke Huskey.

Mrs. Ray Blackstock is receiving treatment in the Eastland Hospital.

Mrs. Virgie Garrett of Sterling City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Randolph, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Odell of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Midkiff, last week end.

Mrs. Frank Midkiff, Mrs. Ross Odell and Mrs. Eugene Mitchell and daughters visited in Cisco and Breckenridge last Monday.

Mrs. Moody Nunn and children of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mrs. Jim Lacy of Snyder visited Henry Grisham, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudman, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Parker of Big Spring visited with his sister, Mrs. Lucion Brooks, and Mr. Brooks Sunday night.

Mrs. Cole Jackson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnny Bullard, and family in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bernadine Chalk and daughter, Lee Anna, of Rising Star, were Friday night dinner guests of Mrs. Floyd Bills and sons.

Mrs. Aleta Pinnell of Sweetwater visited in Moran Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Elliott attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Howard, in Lipan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Boyd of Odessa spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Harper, and family, and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brewster of Albany visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pinnell, and other relatives in Moran Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raymond of Abilene visited with their parents, E. M. Raymond and Sam Parrish, and other relatives in Moran Sunday.

Mrs. Nora H. Lee of Ft. Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Leftwich.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Lilly of Abilene spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Don Ellis, and family.

Jack Pettus of Midland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dary Edwards.

PEOPLE AND THINGS . . . (Continued from Page 1)

Star. The authoress, Jean Williams of Lubbock, has done a good job of research and of presenting the facts. Other chapters will be carried from time to time.

SOMEONE SENT US a copy of the Baird Star dated November 18, 1963. There was no name to indicate who sent it, but we appreciate it. W. E. Gilliland was editor and publisher. The front page was filled with ads. B. L. Boydston was advertising King Quality shoes for men at \$3.50 and \$4.50. W. S. James was president of the Baird First National Bank, "one of the largest and oldest banks in the west." C. S. Broyles was advertising a 1/4 reduction on double buggy harness. E. C. Fulton advertised shaves and stylish hair cuts, and even then, advertised shampooing and hair dyeing. The Baird postmaster ran a list of letters which were unclaimed at the post office. There was another bank in Baird, the Home National Bank. T. E. Powell was its president. Listed among the churches were two Presbyterian groups, the Baptist Church, the Methodist Church and the Episcopal Church. Among the advertisers were three dry goods stores, four grocery stores, two banks, two hardware stores, one saloon, four drugstores, three physicians, a hotel, a meat market, two barbershops, two dentists, a wagon yard and a coal yard. One interesting thing was the rates charged by the Baird Electric Light Plant. On a yearly contract one could use one light for \$1.00 per month; two lights for \$1.50 per month and 25 cents per month for each additional light. There was little or no local news.

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## Testing Begins At High School

Each year the Baird Public Schools participate in a testing program set up by the local school and the Texas Education Agency. Grades seven, nine, ten and eleven take tests that are required. Grades one, three and five take tests that are suggested by the Agency.

Most of the testing of these grades is done in the first three months of school. Those required must be given between October 15 and December 15. The entire testing consists of achievement tests, aptitude tests, and mental ability tests.

Interpretation of the tests results is very important. To rely on any one test as a definite measurement in its field would be a grave error. Guidance is based upon several test results, plus all of the grades given by the teacher, and other pertinent information which might be obtained from parents or other ways. Test results give an estimate which may be valuable in determining how the parents and teachers may get each child to do the best possible work which he is capable of doing. Test results give a very good idea of the strong points as well as the weak ones of each individual. A child found weak in arithmetic may get more help in that subject, it was pointed out.

Vocational guidance may be better carried on when a complete record is available to teachers and counselors. The student who wants to go to college is assisted with necessary information which is becoming more essential each year. The student who desires to go to work has access to a store house of information on procedure for employment and places where his particular work may be found.

Callahan County now has two counselors working on a full time basis. Mr. Wayne Berryman of Clyde was recently employed. B. C. Goodwin has worked since 1959.

In comparison with other counties and other schools, Callahan County's guidance program is considered very good. Parents are always invited and welcome to visit with the counselors and go over any phase of their children's school work.

Both counselors work through County Supt. L. C. Cash's office. Their schedule may be found in his office or in Supt. L. B. Howard's office.

## Mrs. Willie Williams Honored On Birthday

Honoring Mrs. Willie Williams, Sunday, Nov. 17, a birthday party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams. Present besides her husband to enjoy the cake, ice cream and coffee were five of her children and 15 grandchildren as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Blakney and daughter, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Coy Williams and sons of Potosi; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and sons of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams and children of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams and children.

## Chatham Infant Is Buried November 14

Graveside rites were held in the Baby Land Cemetery at 2:30 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 14, for Leslie Ann, day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Chatham.

Survivors besides the parents, are grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chatham, Baird; and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cupp, Tucumcari, N. M.

Mr. Chatham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodson and Mary Lynn attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Ray Broadfoot and son, Timmy, returned to their home in Amarillo last week, after spending 10 days vacationing here with relatives. Hal Ray is with Humble Oil Co., in Amarillo.

**MONUMENTS**

WEATHERFORD MONUMENTS  
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## Baird High School Bear Tales

A worthwhile and comprehensive First Aid Course is being conducted at Baird High School each Wednesday during seventh period, from 2:43 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. We are fortunate to have Martha Graves, the Director of Home and Family Life Education at Cisco Junior College, as our instructor. Due to the time element involved, only the major points of First Aid are taken up.

The course is open to all adults interested in it and to the students who have a study hall last period. Parents of young children are especially encouraged to take the course because the administration of proper treatment in case of accident in the home can sometimes be a determining factor in lifesaving. Anyone interested in learning more about the course may contact Miss Jones, the Home Economics teacher at Baird High, or they are welcome to attend one of the Wednesday afternoon classes.

From observing the higher spirits and sighs of relief, it is evident, that for most students in BHS, six weeks tests are over. All the last minute cramming (that no "well-prepared" student is supposed to do) and the burning of "midnight oil" can be put behind them. Report cards will not be given out until after Thanksgiving vacation, thus giving some a welcome reprieve from parental chastisement, making for a more enjoyable holiday.

Everyone can be proud of the performance of our Band at the San Angelo Band Contest. We made a very good showing despite the fact that one of our trusty drum sticks was held together with a stick and some tape during competition. To any observant bystander, it was a quieter and much tireder bus load of band students returning Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock than upon departure at 7 a.m.

Once again the Freshman girls managed to survive their harrowing initiation administered by the gleeful upper classmen. Although they had to attend school the next day looking like a bunch of way out natives, they all took it good naturedly, and everyone had a good laugh at their expense.

A band concert in honor of the Cheerleaders and football team is to be given Nov. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the BHS auditorium. The program will consist of numbers by both the band and stage band. For those of you who enjoyed "Shout-Shout" and many of the other fine pieces our band played during the football games, an enjoyable evening is in store for those of you attending the concert.

To the disappointment of many local Bear fans, the '63-'64 football season has come to a close. The Bears have had one of their most successful seasons, and the fine support shown by the Baird citizens was really appreciated. Although Big Red has gone into hibernation, both girls' and boys' basketball is in full swing. Due to the excellent performance of both teams in the past they deserve close observation. If as much backing is shown toward basketball as was shown during football season both teams can't help but win every game.

**WEDNESDAY CLUB TO HAVE XMAS BAZAAR**

The Wednesday Club will sponsor a Bazaar Dec. 7, beginning at 9 a.m., in the old A&P building, next door to the Boydston Hardware store in Baird. The members will have for sale, Gifts for Christmas, pies, cakes, sandwiches, and coffee. They ask everyone to come by and eat with them.

## Tarrant To Head Farm Bureau Again Next Year

In a called meeting, for the election of officers of the Board of Directors of the Callahan County Farm Bureau, Hilton Tarrant was re-elected President, Sterling Odom, First Vice President, Wendell Smith, Second Vice President and F. E. Shelnett, Secretary-Treasurer.

Lowell Johnson of Oplin was appointed to the Board to fill the unexpired term of a member who resigned. Other new members of the Board, elected at the annual Convention are: Forrest Franke, Baird; W. J. Hannaford, Clyde; and Weldon Isenhower, Moran.

The regular meetings of the Board are held on the Third Thursday Night of each month. Visitors are welcome.

## Bear Band News

By Mary Jo Thompson

Last Friday night was our last half-time show for the year. We tried not to get our uniforms soiled so everyone was very cautious for the following day was marching contest at San Angelo Junior College in San Angelo. Game by game the band progressed, but by last Saturday the band did its best.

Saturday morning at seven o'clock the band was ready to leave the band hall. We went by way of Coleman. We arrived in San Angelo in time for the majorettes to change and warm up before their twirling contest. It was the first time for any Baird High majorettes to go to contest in years. Everyone was real proud of Lynda Pruitt, Marsha Stanley and Carley Carrico. Inspection of the band followed the majorettes. The Bear Band received a very good rating or a 2 in inspection. Baird marched in the Class A division which, we were the third to the last before lunch. The lines were straight, the formations and playing was real good. A 2 or a very good rating was earned by our marching Bears.

Monday night is our concert. It starts at 7:30. We are dedicating it to the football team and cheerleaders. We hope to see each and everyone of you there. We think you will enjoy it.

## Ford Sets Record In Sale Of Trucks

DEARBORN, MICH. — With seven week remaining in 1963, Ford Division this week surpassed its previous truck sales record for an entire year.

Lee A. Iacocca, Ford Motor Company vice president and Ford Division general manager, said truck sales through Nov. 13, of this year totaled 342,925 units, exceeding by 230 the previous full year record of 342,695 units sold in 1962.

"Ford truck sales this year are 16 per cent ahead of last year, which we considered an excellent sales year," Mr. Iacocca said. "We think it is particularly significant that we have exceeded last year's total truck sales seven weeks before the end of the year."

He attributed the record to a generally healthy national economy, a broadened line of trucks ranging from light compact models to extra heavy duty models, and an aggressive sales job by Ford's dealer organization. Ford now accounts for more than 30 per cent of total industry truck sales.

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## State President Of T.F.W.C. Speaks At Federation Tea Here On Monday Night

Mrs. A. T. Carleton of Houston, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs was guest speaker Monday evening at the annual Federation Day Tea hosted by the four federated study clubs of Baird, in the Presbyterian Church.

Receiving guests with Mrs. Carleton were Meses. W. P. Brightwell, Blan Odom, Beatrice Deal and Bruce Williams. Also in the receiving line were Mrs. R. W. Herren of Haskell, president of Mesquite District, TFWC, Mrs. Lynn Williams of Moran, second vice president, and Mrs. R. C. Liles of Weinert, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Jack Corn and Mrs. Glen Elliott registered guests and Mrs. James Asbury played organ music as the group assembled.

Following the invocation by Mrs. Tee Baulch, Mrs. Randall Jackson welcomed guests. Mrs. Lynn Williams gave the response. Mrs. Ed Cotton sang two songs, "Que Sera Sera" and "Wanting You" with Mrs. C. M. Peck as accompanist.

Introduced by Mrs. Brightwell, Mrs. Carleton spoke on "This I Believe". She discussed the departments and projects of the state and national organizations emphasizing the importance of libraries and the need of training more students in library science.

She commended Texas clubs for entering the Community Improvement Program, and also explained the Care Literacy Project and the Latin-American Scholarships awarded each year by the TFWC to two students.

Mrs. Thomas V. Townsend and Mrs. Frank Windham served at

the tea table laid with a cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of bronze and yellow chrysanthemums in a brass container. Candle holders and other appointments of the table were in burnished copper and silver.

Guests were registered from Albany, Moran, Putnam, Houston, Haskell, Welnert and Baird. Mrs. Carleton was the house guest of Mrs. A. E. Dyer, Sr. Preceding the tea, a dinner honoring the state president and the officers of the Mesquite District was hosted in the Dyer home by the presidents and year book chairmen of the four local clubs.

Those attending were Mrs. A. T. Carleton, Houston; Mrs. R. W. Herren, Haskell; Mrs. Raymond C. Liles, Welnert; Meses. Morris Snyder, Lynn Williams, Oscar Wise, Moran; Meses. Joe Oyerton, A. W. Reynolds, Nina Srether, Albany; Meses. Homer Pruet, R. B. Taylor, Ray Wilbanks, W. A. Feeley, R. L. Clinton, O. H. Mobley, Putnam; Meses. Ray Black, Tee Baulch, Albert Lovell, A. E. Dyer, Sr., E. Ringhoffer, Jr., Clyde White, J. C. Earp, Charles Reeves, W. A. Fetterly, Bob Norrell, Ace Hickman, Randall C. Jackson, W. A. Robbins, S. N. Dunlap, Jr., Frank Windham, Veronon Townsend, Sterling Odom, Stanley Harris, L. B. Lewis, Jack Sims, W. M. Carrico, J. L. Ault, Ellis Warren, H. D. Driskill, B. L. Boydston, Casto Peck, Irvin Corn, Glenn Elliott, Jack Corn, W. P. Brightwell, A. E. Dyer, Jr., Ed Cotton, Isadore Grimes, Felix Mitchell and George Crutchfield all of Baird.

## Wednesday Club Has Nov. 13 Meeting

The Wednesday Club met in the home of Mrs. N. M. George, Nov. 13. Roll call was answered by 13 members and one guest, Mrs. Cora Nell Gee of Killean.

This being "American Education Week," the topic of the program was "School and College Education." B. L. Russell, Jr. Plans were given by Mrs. Invocation was given by Mrs. made for a Bazaar to be held Dec. 7, starting at 9 a.m., in the building next to Boydston Hardware.

The club voted to send a box of gifts to the State Hospital in Big Spring. Gifts are to be taken to the next regular meeting.

Miss Isadore Grimes topic was "What of the Schools of 500?" Mrs. L. B. Lewis gave a talk on "The Case for Excellence in Higher Education." Mrs. B. L. Russell told of "Well Loved Books of Children."

Mrs. George served a refreshment plate to guest, Mrs. Gee, and members: Meses. Homer McIntosh, E. J. Hill, R. C. Jackson, A. E. Dyer, Ace Hickman, W. A. Fetterly, L. B. Lewis, Miss Isadore Grimes and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wilcox and children of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitaker.



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Plans may be secured from the Architect, Paul T. Lindberg, 2218 Sayles Blvd., Abilene, Texas, for a deposit of \$25.00, said deposit to be returned if plans are returned in good condition within ten days after the bid date.

The Wylie Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.

The wage scale adopted by the Board of Trustees, Wylie Independent School District, is substantially that of the Abilene area and may be seen in the office of the Architect.

Wylie Independent School District  
Signed: Roy Monahan  
President of the Board of Trustees. 45-3-c

### SEBE MONROES ENJOY MANY WEEK END GUESTS

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sebe Monroe of Rt. 1, Lawn, were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monroe, Clovis, N.M.; Mrs. Necla Cotaras, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher, Oplin; Mrs. Floyd Summerour, Baird; Mrs. Walter Johnson, Novice, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford and children, Carolyn Kay and Randy, Lawn, and Chris Adkins, Tuscola.

### The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, November 22, 1963

Members of the Baird Garden Club who attended the District VIII Convention of Texas Garden Clubs at Del Rio for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Earl Bowers and her brother, Norris Park Lee Ivey, Clyde White, Ben Ross, Frank Cunningham and Dick Young. Mrs. Cunningham remained in Del Rio for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Earl Bowers and her brother, Norris Park Lee Ivey, Clyde White, Ben Ross, and families.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 4 room house, corner lot. Ph. 4-1245, Baird. 31-tf-c

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FOR SALE: Residence for sale, located at 240 Vine Street. Will sell at F.H.A. approval, plus closing costs. Phone 4-1016, or 4-1200. 42-tf-c

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FOR SALE: 4 bedroom house, east front, 3 lots, across street from school cafeteria, Baird. Call or write Ruby Young, 1442 N. 10, Abilene, Tex. OR 2-4940. 47-3-p

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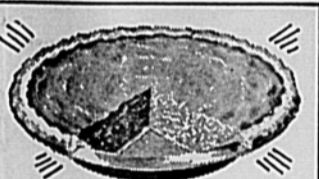
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# NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

**FIRST & SECOND GRADES**  
The elementary school children are to give the Christmas Program for the Community Club, so we are planning our program.

Gary and John Edwards visited their grandmother Jones in Elmdale Sunday.

Tana and Sheri Price went to Abilene shopping with their mother and grandmother.

Mick Nigar visited his grandmother Bennett in Cross Plains Saturday.

Tim Ferguson went in the bus Friday to visit Larry and Kenneth Chapman. He told our class that his father had bought a new calf.

John Ferguson visited our class early Monday morning.

Larry Chapman had his cousins, the Rickers, from Abilene as visitors.

Jerry Foster went fishing with his grandfather and caught eight fish.

Cindy Feely had her grand-

mother Phillips from Arlington visit over the week end.

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. R. L. Clinton with members from Cisco and Baird Garden Clubs attended a meeting Thursday at Del Rio of the 8th District. While there she saw Mrs. Earl Bowers, the former Edith Park of Putnam. Coming home they went through the Sonora Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey of Cottonwood and Mrs. Naomi Heyser left Sunday for Rock Port where they will spend a few weeks.

G. S. Pruet is a patient in Hendricks Hospital. He entered Wednesday.

R. B. Taylor celebrated his birthday Sunday. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Clint Blakely of Eula; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son of Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor and daughters of Snyder and

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater.

Those having Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley were: Lester Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Evans of Ft. Worth, Betty, Ruth and Mabel Mobley, Mabel returned home with them where she will spend a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Muntz and son of Abilene were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickle of Jal, N. M., spent the week end with his daughter, Mrs. G. S. Pruet, also Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell was a Saturday guest of Mrs. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Burge of Abilene were Friday visitors with her grandmothers, Mrs. Louie Williams and Mrs. J. C. Clements.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank attended an Art Guild at Sweetwater Saturday with Mrs. C. B. Pruet of Ranger.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown and family spent the week end with their mothers, Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. Shultz, of Rising Star.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank spent Fri-

day in Baird visiting Mrs. Pearl Ebert.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee Ramsey and daughter, Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Cooper of El Paso spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway and Jack Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle of Gorman spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Donaway and family.

Jake Hinds of Columbus, Ohio, Harry Hinds of Marietta, Ohio are visiting their sister, Mrs. E. E. Sunderman and husband.

Earl Sunderman was a Saturday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McCarver of Cisco were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. W. S. Jobe.

Mrs. Sam Jobe of Big Spring is visiting friends. She is presently visiting Mrs. Minnie Crosby near Eastland.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett during the week and week end were: Mrs. Clarence McCormack and daughters of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Moran. A. E. Ellis returned home with Mr. and

Mrs. Webster for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton of Sweetwater spent the week end with her parent, Mr. Tom Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hargrove of Cross Plains spent Tuesday with Mrs. Earlie Hurst.

Mrs. B. E. Rutherford and daughter, Laverne visited Mrs. John Gilbert. Charnel Hightower and daughter in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook of Abilene were Wednesday visitors with relatives in Putnam.

Gene Cook spent most of last week with his son, Valentine, and family in Plainview, he returned home Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Reese was taken to the Graham Hospital in Cisco Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Jobe visited her daughter, Mrs. Troy Caraway, and family in Abilene.

Craig and Jerilyn Pruet of Clyde spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet.

Mmes. R. L. Clinton, R. B. Taylor, W. A. Feeley, Owen Mobley, Ray Wilbanks and H. A. Pruet attended a Federation Tea at Baird Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Weeks of

Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Weeks of Baird were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Weeks.

**Rowden News**  
By Mrs. B. Crow

Mrs. Sam Hollaway is spending some time in Wilberton, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hollaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin last week.

Mrs. Lella Gibbs, Mrs. Voncille Gibbs, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Warren Price attended the quilting at the Annex of the Presbyterian Church Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs, Roger and Gary of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Gary and boys of Abilene spent the week end with parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary.

Those that visited Mrs. Lella Gibbs recently were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Helme and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swofford of Cottonwood, Mrs. Lillie Swofford and Mrs. Sonny Burleson of Baird and Mrs. Elveda and Ernest Sikes of Abilene.

Eddie Compton of Fort Worth is staying at the Owen Ranch while Mr. and Mrs. John Adair is at Houston where John had surgery, our wish is for them to be home soon and for him to be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Outlaw of Merkel spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Dale, Roger and Gary Gibbs of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Price Friday night.

Thirty ladies and one child were present for the all day quilting at the community center Wednesday, three quilts were finished, one each for Mrs. J. D. Cauthen, Mrs. Hop Summers and Ethel Eastham.

Rev. Bob Eklund was a visitor in the B. Crow home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy

visited relatives at Clyde Saturday.

Mike Odom of A&M spent the week end with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom and Marlan.

Weldon Gary attended funeral services for a cousin, Claude Edwards at Stanton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Gibbs and family of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond.

Mrs. Mary Joe Beasley of Abilene visited with Hancell Sanders Saturday.

Mrs. Lillie Swofford and Mrs. Sonny Burleson visited Mrs. Voncille Gibbs Thursday.

Mrs. Coffey of Cottonwood visited Mrs. Mattie Gibbs Wednesday.

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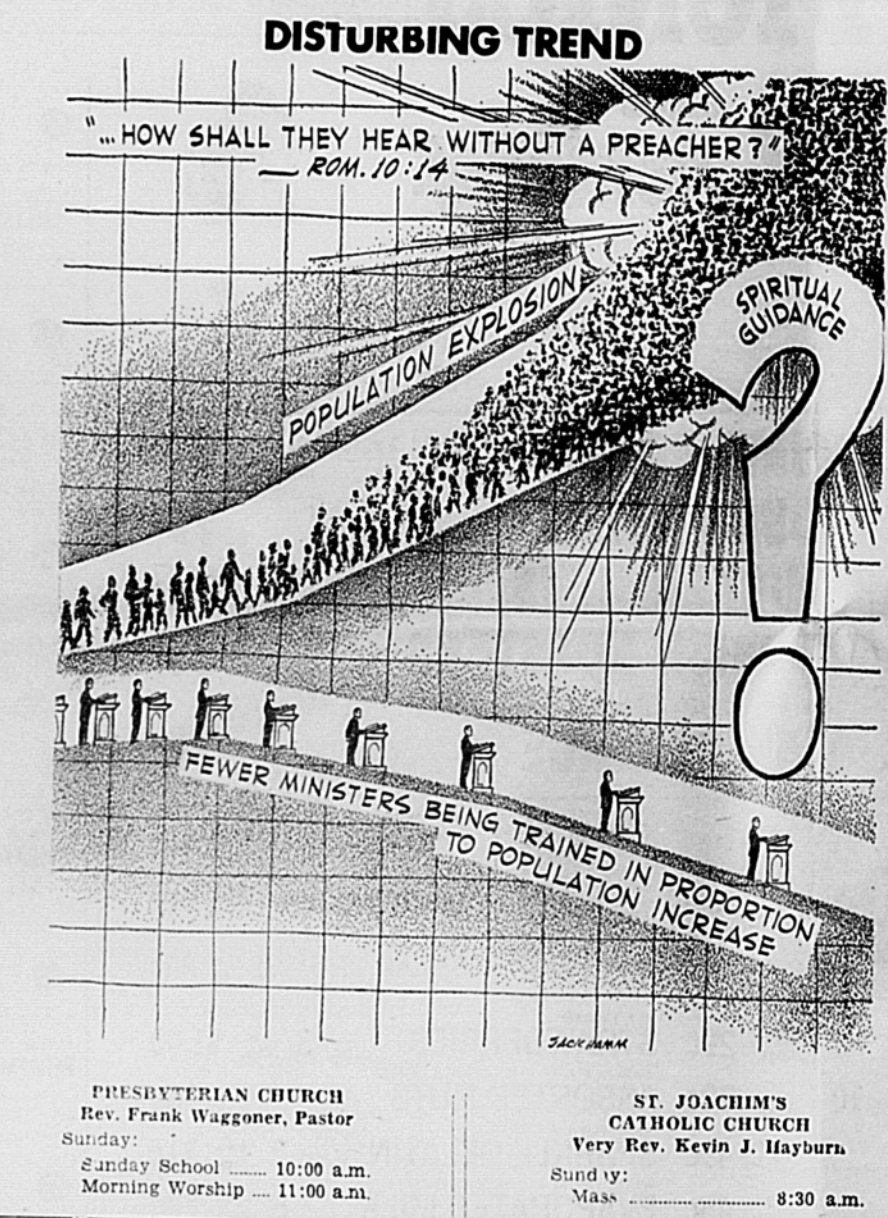
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Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
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Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.  
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Ladies Class ..... 9:30 a.m.
- Wednesday:  
Mid-Week Service ..... 7:00 p.m.
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- Sunday:  
Bible School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.
- Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.
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- Sunday:  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
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- Wednesday:  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Worship Service ..... 7:30 p.m.
- Wednesday:  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 11 a.m.  
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Worship Service ..... 7 p.m.
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# The Belle Plaine Story

By Jean Williams

## CHAPTER II

Men with an urge to promote progress anywhere, will always look for a good spot as did Charles Taylor and Charles Houston when they opened the first store in the county catering to the needs of the Hart's and some of their cowboys who had bought land and settled fanwise from the ranch.

On the other hand, H. H. Tucker was interested in a wider trade. The business brought by the drovers, buffalo hunters and freighters beginning to come up the trail brought him visions of quick expansion from the picket shack with its wagon covers for a roof to something on a grander scale.

He began to dream of "Callahan City" as he called the place, rising all around him, with his store becoming the hub of the community.

Several miles to the west of the trail, more in the center of the county, a picket log building with a dirt floor, a stove in the center of the room, banked by bunks along the wall owned by John and Nathan Rice would become Callahan county's first hotel.

This was not only the first hotel in the county but one of the first buildings constructed in what would soon become the county seat, Belle Plaine.

A short distance from the hotel, S. E. Cheatham opened the first saloon in another log structure that boasted none of the refinements of the notorious "flats" at Fort Griffith. His whiskey was dispensed in tin mugs and drawn from fauceted

wooden kegs that lay on wooden scaffolds along one of the sides of the room.

His patrons were more interested in the "red eye" than the atmosphere, the lack of a bar, gambling tables or pretty girls didn't make them a mite less thirsty. Any small dispute that occurred was simply settled by Cheatham opening the hide covered door and evicting everybody in the place and letting them cool off outside. Whiskey had to be freighted in, each drop worth its weight in gold, while thirst would always bring his customers back.

Thus as the new year of 1877 started, Callahan county had one store on one side of the trail, a hotel and saloon on the other. Shortly after the year began A. J. Shaw of Shaw's Ranch and Nelson M. Smith of Callahan City received their appointments as the first two postmasters of the county on the same day in February.

Although Smith sold stamps and cancelled mail at Callahan City, he built his store and a half log home on the other side of the trail not far from the saloon.

Reverend T. J. Austin moved his family from the Bayou to a two room log building with a tent attached which would serve as a shop.

He was gunsmith and carriage maker for six of the seven days of the week, Sundays he gave thanks to the Lord joined by a congregation of settlers who sat on split logs under the open sky outside his house.

Jasper McCoy remained as sole resident at the log house on the Bayou, while John put up a rustic structure of pickets for his family about three quarters of a mile north and east of the saloon. Clabe established a home south of the saloon but went into partnership with his cousin Jasper McCoy when they opened a mercantile store in a wooden building which would offer competition to H. H. Tucker and C. L. Terry who had opened another such store a short time before in Callahan City.

From Denton County, also came J. B. Cutbirth and his older brother Sam. They moved to Lampasas county in '74, but were more impressed each year with the lands of Callahan as they brought their herds up the trail.

J. B. joined the Merchant "clan" when he went back to Pilot Point and married John Merchant's sister-in-law, Alice Skinner early that spring before making his move to the county in 1877. His bride became mistress of a log ranch house on the land he selected just north of the Bayou at Hubbard Timbers in the north west part of the county.

Sam Cutbirth felt once more at home when the cook stove he'd bought for forty dollars gold, out of profits from his first trail ride years before, was installed in the log house which would soon be overflowing with his family. Probably a good thing too, that he had decided to settle more in the center of the county near the south prong of the Bayou, since Jasper McCoy would not have to ride so far when he came courting

Sam's daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

The Cutbirth's mother, Mrs. Mary Wagner Cutbirth McFarlin, also arrived in Callahan about this time. She was accompanied by her sons, Jim, Wash and Price McFarlan and their sister who had married Dee Campbell. They settled at Burnt Ranch while J. P. Brightwell and John Gilliland also settled in the vicinity.

Zeb Porter and his friend, C. R. Shapard, a young doctor were living east of Callahan City on a ranch light on stock but bountiful with the hunting dogs which they both loved. Seldom did Doc Shapard go out to tend the sick without his Winchester and the dogs going along.

Jack Eastham, R. J. Harris, R. C. Dawkins, John Smartt and J. D. Mitchell, whose wife had the geographical name, Tennessee, were populating the country around Tucker's store.

Doctor John Windham's sons had built a house for him near their place at Tecumseh. The county was blessed by having this kindly man and wife settle within its bounds. No one in need was ever turned from their door. When they left Brown county, "Mammy" Caroline and her pickanny" John Clements came along to take up their duties for Mars John and Miss Fannie. Mammy was a good nurse and many a night she sat up taking care of some sick cow-

boy who'd come to the doctor's door.

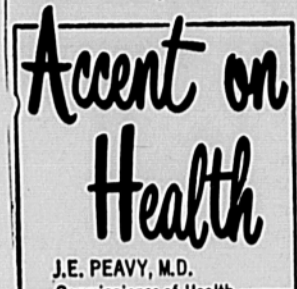
Cliff Hill, his brother Tom and their sister Kate, settled near Sam Cutbirth's place. Cliff would go courting Ida Cutbirth while Kate would say "yes" to Mose Franklin who had also come from Denton county. Their brother Tom, a few years later would become the first town marshal of Abilene in Taylor county.

Frank Collins, Ed and Brown Seay all members of Maltby's Frontier Ranger Battalion were among numerous others who came to make Callahan County their home.

No longer was the county a wilderness, its virgin soil branded now by the ruts of ox-carts and hoofs of cattle coming up the trail. Its trees were becoming logs instead of nature's umbrella for the land, the bleaching bones of the buffalo were the only evidence of the herds which had roamed its bounds a short time ago. Colonization was fast bringing civilization to the once unpopulated land.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monroe of Clovis, N. M., have been visiting their sisters, Mmes. Sebe Monroe, Laura Johnson, Albert Betcher and Bessie Summerour and their families.

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In the final analysis, no dentifrice provides a panacea for the continuing problem of tooth decay. A product may be developed one day by researchers which will have a built-in biological or therapeutic action. Even then, the teeth must be brushed frequently and well to cleanse them.

Timing is the essence in combatting tooth decay. Dentists emphasize that teeth should be brushed after each meal and each snack.

The secret of proper tooth-brushing, they point out, is thoroughly cleaning teeth as often as you get them dirty. Watch what you're doing in the mirror; don't rely completely on "feel". And when you're through brushing, store the toothbrush in a light airy place so that bristles

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## Altar Society Has Meeting On Nov. 12

St. Joachim's Altar Society met Nov. 12, at the home of Mrs. Dick Vestal in Baird. There was a very interesting discussion on the Ecumenical Council led by Father Le Nir.

The next meeting will be Dec. 10 at the home of Mrs. J. H. Morrow in Baird at which time there will be a Christmas program and a gift exchange.

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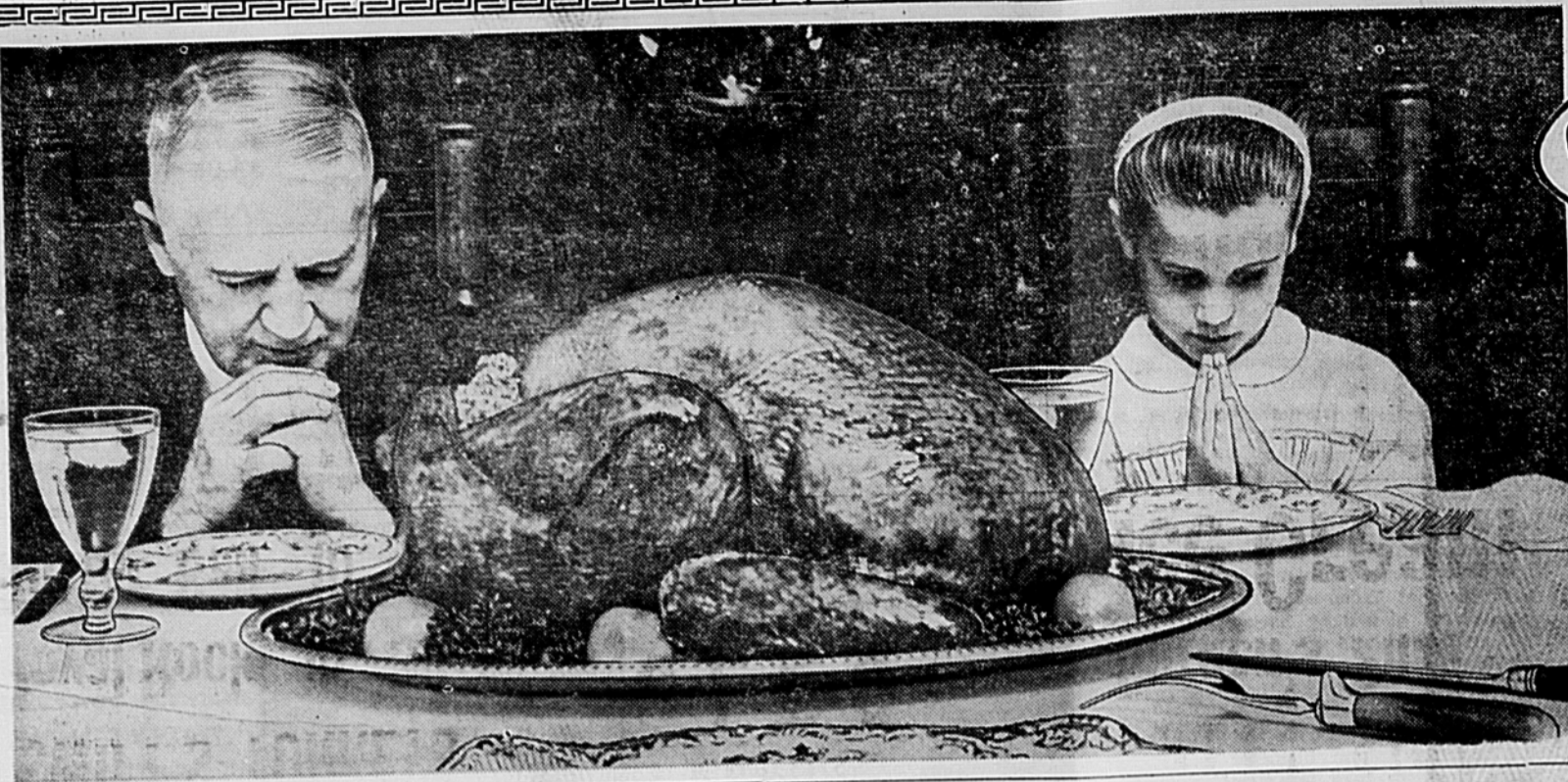
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