

Kate's Korner

By Katie Burleson

The "Side Show" at the annual MFT Halloween Carnival received praise from numerous people Saturday night as one of the most entertaining subjects. Six of Baird's well known citizens, disguised themselves as various well known characters of history and today. Added to the six citizens was the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Baird, the Rev. Carroll Green, who acted as the Carnival Barker, and a seventh grade student, Jim Wilson, who played the part of a Martian.

Before a discription of each, I would like to say what good sports I think these men were in participating and supporting their school and this community. It was certainly enjoyed by everyone that saw it and to those who missed it, the following discription will surely fall short of the real thing.

The Rev. Carroll Green, dressed in a smaller coat than usual, derby hat and sneakers, did an excellent job in the role of the carnival Barker. In the same strong voice that rings over his congregation, he also used on the carnival grounds to invite the visitors to the Side Show. It was indeed a job well done.

As you toured the inside you first found the very attractive mermaid with the green shining lower part, long hair and the tropical flower. A surprise to many to learn that it was Mike Bell.

Second showcase was the gorilla cage and you certainly couldn't tell who this was since the suit had this good sport completely covered. However the secret finally got out, it was Jon Hardwick.

It took me a while to figure out just who was playing the party of Tiny Tim, This character, dressed in a Nehru jacket, love beads and the long hair turned out to be Charles Walker.

The bearded lady was even tougher as I had to be told who this was. From the reports it was a chore for everyone, and it turned out to be Jimmy Roy Higgins.

Sitting stone cold in a picture frame in the next showcase was Whistler's Mother. The long black dress and white shawl was placed on this frame that sat in the rocking chair and did his best to keep a straight face, which was impossible. It was Bill Skinner.

The part of the baby in the crib was played by Perry Jennings. He was easy to recognize, but to be this good of a sport, you can't say enough about this character, it would be useless to try.

The Martian was played by the smallest guy in the seventh grade, Jim Wilson, son of Mrs. Doris Carlile Wilson. Jim may be rather small for his age, however this does not handicap his ability to make almost every job undertaken by him turn out well.

Area Students Attending CJC

Cisco Junior College's record fall enrollment of 975 students includes 13 from the Baird area, according to figures released by the Registrar's office at the college.

Students from Baird and surrounding area attending CJC are: Elic Bainbridge, Winnie Mae Bainbridge, Robert Barnhill, Willie Barron, Carley Carrico, James Faircloth, Gary Franke, Judy Gibbs, Allen Lovell, Robert Martin, Ivon Odum, Betty Purvis and Jim Windham.

Donna Abernathy, Jerry Barron Queen, King of Baird High

Donna Abernathy and Jerry Barron were crowned Queen and King of Baird High School Saturday night, Oct. 26, in the high school auditorium. Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Abernathy, and Barron

is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Barron.

Other favorites who have not been announced in this newspaper are: Best All Around Girl, Laura Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smith; Best All Around Boy, Ronnie Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Hughes; Headlight Queen, Roma Gamble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gamble; Headlight King is Ronnie Hughes; Band President, Robert Helton, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reese and Cathy Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barton.

Presenting the royal entertainment at the Coronation were Marla Gunn with a solo, and a trio consisting of Paula Godfrey, Rea Corr and Marian Odum, accompanied by Mrs. Melba Foy.

Mrs. Foy was featured at the piano during the assembly of the royal court. Franklyn Alexander was Master of Ceremonies.

Bro. Knezha To Speak At Baptist Church

Sunday, November 3 at 7 p.m. Bro. Peter Knezha will preach at the First Baptist Church in Baird. You are invited to attend and hear his story "Christianity or Communism."

Bro. Knezha is a Southern Baptist preacher from Jacksonville, Florida. He was born in the Free Republic of Latvia, which is now under the yoke of Soviet Russia. For many years he served in his home country as a Pastor-Evangelist, however, after his home country was invaded by Russia, he and his family were forced to flee his native land.

RULES AND COURTESIES OF SHADY OAKS GOLF COURSE

The golf pro at Shady Oaks, John Wright, has compiled the following rules and courtesies in order to improve your game and your golf course. Please abide by the rules and encourage others you play with to do so. It will help your game to be more enjoyable.

1. Each player must have a set of clubs.
2. Shoes must be "slick" soled or regular golf shoes. (No track, baseball, football, etc., shoes will be permitted).
3. No carts or clubs allowed on the greens. Neither is one permitted to knock balls from greens, nor in any way damage greens.
4. Safety first is a MUST. Be careful when shooting or swinging, so that no one gets hit.
5. Slow play and delay of following players WILL NOT BE TOLERATED. Keep moving or step aside.
6. No one should move, talk, or stand too close when others are hitting.
7. The player with the honor should be allowed to tee off first.
8. No player should hit until those in front are out of range; neither should he hit if any maintenance workers are in range.
9. In the interest of all, players must play without delay.
10. When searching for a lost ball, wave the following group through.
11. Damage to greens by dropping bags, flagsticks, or stepping on the hole should be avoided. Do not throw the flagstick to the ground. Lay it gently on the



BAND SWEETHEART — Pictured above is the 1968-69 Band Sweetheart for Baird School Band, Miss Ada Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Black. She is a junior student at Baird High, and also a representative of the Beta Club. Ada was presented during halftime activities of the DeLeon-Baird football game Friday night, Oct. 25. Band President Robert Helton presented Miss Black with a bouquet of red roses.

Picnic Fund Still Open

The picnic area at Shady Oaks is still receiving funds, and three have been added to the list of donors. They are: I. D. Cain, \$5.00; Mrs. Bill Denman, \$5.00 and Swofford Insurance Co., \$15.00. This brings the total number of business firms and personal donations to 27. Total amount in funds, \$365.00.

You are still invited to give to the construction of this picnic area, and the committee urges you to make your contribution as soon as possible so they may be able to complete this project. You may deposit your donation at the Peoples State Bank of Clyde, First National Bank of Baird, or to C. A. Likes or M. M. "Tut" Tabor both of Clyde.

Large Turnout Due At Polls Tuesday

BAIRD LION'S CLUB SETS PANCAKE SUPPER FOR NOV. 14

The annual Baird Lion's Club Pancake Supper will be held Thursday, November 14, in the Baird School Cafeteria. Members of the Lions Club will begin serving at 5:30 p.m. The plates of pancakes, bacon and butter will be 50 cents. Coffee and milk will also be served.

Winters "B" Defeats Baird

Baird High School B team lost its second game of the season to Winters B last Thursday, Oct. 24, here in the Bears Den.

The Winters team opened the scoring in the second period, and racked up 24 points by halftime. Their other 6 points came in the third period.

Mark Matson went over from 3 yards out in the 4th period for the Baird score.

The B team fell to the Clyde B, 26-0 in their game Thursday, Oct. 17.

Baird B will travel to Aspermont October 31 for a game with the B team Hornets.

Library Gets 5 Books For Memory Shelf

Callahan County Library has received five books honoring the late Mrs. John McGowan of Baird. These titles are: Lone Star, a History of Texas and Texans, by T. R. Fehrenback; I Dare You, an inspirational book for young and old, by William Danforth; Strange Facts About the Bible by W. Garrison; Selected Poems of Carl Sandburg edited by Rebecca West; and The Mothers of American President by D. Faber.

Other new titles recently received are: The Salzburg Connection by Helen MacInnes; The President Nobody Knew; Eisenhower, by Arthur Larson; Sam Houston a novel based on fact, by Noel Gerson; Sae Jade by Phyllis Whitney; Cattle Kings of the Staked Plains by George A. Wallis; Triumph and Tragedy the Story of the Kennedy Family; and Handbook for Flower Shows, 1967.

Also Congressman Omar Burleson has sent a number of Bulletins relating to our National Capital and the working of Congress.

HOSPITAL

The following were listed as medical patients in Callahan County Hospital Tuesday:

Ed Andrews, Baird
Mrs. Alma Norrell, Baird
Mrs. Louie Williams, Putnam
Mrs. Adella Rocky, Baird
Mrs. Annie Jones, Clyde

Dismissals

Mrs. Lucy Manning, Baird
Mrs. J. A. Little, Clyde
Mrs. Adra Cook, Clyde
Mrs. Ruby Lee Clark, Clyde
Mrs. Eula Mae Denny, Baird
Mrs. Arthur Baker, Baird
Mrs. Effie Ryals, Clyde
Mrs. Minnie Cawley, Clyde
Hazel Byrd, Baird
Curtis Wyatt, Cross Plains
Mrs. Bonnie Kimbler, Clyde
George Foster, Cross Plains
Mrs. Annie Betcher, Jal. N.M.
Otto Betcher, Jal. N.M.
Mrs. Jewell Archer, Cross Plains
Mrs. Lorene Gillitt, Baird

The public is invited to come and eat supper with the Lion's in one of their two sponsored projects of the year. The Broom Sale is also their annual project. These funds are used for the betterment of children who may be in need of extra help and you will want to support this local organization in this worth while project.

R. C. Speegle Buried Sunday

Raymond C. Speegle, 74, a resident of Putnam for the past 15 years, died at 5:45 a.m. Saturday at Hickman Nursing Home in Cisco, after a long illness. He was a retired stock farmer.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Methodist Church of Putnam, with the Rev. J. W. O'Neal, Kokomo Baptist minister, officiating. Burial was in the Scranton Cemetery, with Rust Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Speegle was born July 30, 1894 in the Mitchell Community southwest of Cisco. He was married to Miss Nettie Weed there on Feb. 27, 1916. He was a long-time Baptist.

Survivors are his wife of Putnam; one son, W. D. of Fort Stockton; five daughters, Mrs. Vernon Donaway of Putnam, Mrs. H. E. Donaway of Odessa, Mrs. R. A. Coats of Odessa, Mrs. A. A. Mosley of Virginia Beach, Va., and Mrs. L. A. Sublett of Abilene; two brothers, A. G. of Fresno, Calif., and Johnny of Cisco; three sisters, Mrs. Velma Lasater of Colorado City, Mrs. Nine King of Lubbock and Mrs. J. M. Bostick of Odessa; 24 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Cubs Lose To Merkel 8-0

Baird Jr. High Cubs lost to Merkel 8-0 in a game played here Tuesday, to complete their district play. Their record is two wins, 3 losses and 1 tie game, despite having rolled up 122 points to their opponents 68 in season play.

The lone score of the game came early in the first quarter, with the remainder of the game turning into a defensive battle, neither being able to get another score.

The Cubs will now take on the Central Catholic team, from Abilene in two non-district games, both to be played here, on Tuesday, Nov. 5 and Tuesday Nov. 12.

Carnival Booths Gross \$681.00

The MFT Halloween Carnival was termed a success Saturday night, as various booths brought in a total of \$681.00.

MFT officers would like to express their thanks and appreciation to Baird merchants, and to all who helped in any way in supporting this project.

Voting polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. for the November 5 General Election. The registered voters of the Baird area will cast their ballots at the American Legion Hall.

Curtis Supten will be the presiding judge, assisted by Jon E. Hardwick. Election clerks will be Mrs. Ray D. Black, Mrs. Curtis Supten, Mrs. Jon E. Hardwick, Mrs. Mabel Dean Elliott, Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Tommy Holland, Mrs. Helen Macdonald and Mrs. Joe Harris.

A report on the absentee voting from the office of the County Clerk late Wednesday afternoon shows that 75 absentee votes had been cast, and approximately 150 are expected before the deadline.

The ballots are made up a little different this year, and should speed up the casting of votes. If a voter chooses to cast a straight ticket, he or she may only mark an X in the box at the left of either party. For example, if you choose the Democratic Party, you mark an X in the box at the left of the Democratic Party. This means that you cast your vote for each candidate appearing in the column under the name Democratic Party.

If you choose to vote a split ticket, you do not mark an X beside either of the parties appearing on the ballot. You will then mark an X in the box beside the candidate you choose to vote for in any of the three columns.

The Vice Presidential candidate appearing under the American Party box and running mate of George C. Wallace, is S. Marvin Griffin. If you choose to vote on this party, your vote will count for Curtis Lemay, candidate selected by Gov. Wallace. Curtis Lemay was selected by Gov. Wallace, but after a posted date, had not been certified by the Attorney General's office. S. Marvin Griffin was certified by the office of the Attorney General, therefore his name appears on the ballot. If you mark through the name of Griffin, and write Curtis Lemay, your ballot will then be marked void. If you choose to write-in a candidate, please use the write-in space at the right of your ballot.

The proposed constitutional amendments will appear at the bottom of your ballot, and you are to mark an X in the box, either for or against, each of the fourteen amendments.

SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY
Fried chicken, gravy, buttered rice, green beans, salad, butter, bread, milk, brownies.

TUESDAY
Spaghetti and meat balls, buttered corn, blackeye peas, pickles, hot rolls, butter, milk, jelly.

WEDNESDAY
Meat loaf with cheese, creamed potatoes, English peas, carrot strips, hot rolls, butter, milk and honey.

THURSDAY
Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, pork and beans, potato chips, buns, milk, ice cream.

FRIDAY
Turkey and noodles, buttered potatoes, buttered spinach, tossed salad, bread, butter, milk, peanut butter cookies.

COUNTY RECORDS

The following new vehicles were registered recently:

Lee Brown, Chevrolet pickup
L. T. Harris, Ford
B.P.E. Leasing, Inc., Pontiac
Arthur Pursley, Chevrolet pickup
Janet T. Wilde, Chevrolet.

UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

Hi neighbor! Weather here is like summer and dry as dry. John McIntyre has defoliated part of the cotton here on my place, and some where he lives. The cotton on the Park place really looks good, it is better than here at my place. It will be ready to strip next week. As bad as we need rain, I hope we get the cotton out that is defoliated before it rains a lot.

We are very sorry to say Mr. Raymond Speegle passed away early Saturday morning. He had been sick so long. Our deepest sympathy to his family.

Mike, Stella and Rusty Hughes of Rankin spent Thursday night and until Saturday noon with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey. They all visited with me Friday evening a while.

Ollie Burnam spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Gayle Isenhower and family in Baird. She also visited one afternoon this week in Cisco with Lula Isenhower, Lucille Kelley and Fay Wood. We are glad Ollie is feeling pretty good now. Mrs. Grady Pruet is visiting in Odessa a few days.

Johnny May Ramsey went fishing a while last Wednesday afternoon. Think she had pretty good luck.

We went to the basketball games at Putnam Thursday night. Putnam boys beat Eula and Eula girls beat the Olden girls on Putnam court. Really enjoyed seeing all them play.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardis Yarbrough of Seri Vista, Ariz., visited with me a while Thursday morning. So glad to see them. Ola is able to walk but very slow. They moved from Abilene about the first of May or thereabouts. Ardis said they had heard no more from his brother W. P., whose plane went down in Viet

Nam nearly two years ago. While here Ardis and Ola visited D. A. Yarbrough, Dick and Annie Yarbrough and Onie Abernathy in Baird. They visited her mother and sister in Cross Plains.

Ollie Burnam just now called me, saying she would go to Midland tomorrow, Sunday, to stay with Mary Everett, who has been in the hospital about ten days. Jack Everett called Ollie, saying they would take Mary home sometime Sunday.

Burette Ramsey has out one bale of cotton. Some Latin-American women who live out here on Dr. Royce Pruet's place, pulled the cotton last week. Been pretty this week but they did not pull any cotton - maybe they will next week.

Burette and Johnny May Ramsey visited a while Saturday evening with Mrs. Speegle in Putnam, also visited a while with Mr. Loenard Alvey.

Guess I better get to bed so I can get up in the morning and go to Sunday School and Church. Hope to see you in church.

LOCAL WINNERS

Local winners in the Mr. President Coin Game, as announced by A. V. Curtis Shell Station, are: Alvis Dill, David Canada, Jackie Winters, Bill Hattchett, Jerry Lackey, Jerry Barron, Ronnie Abernathy, Nell Goble, B. L. Russell, Harold Hambrick, Rex Baulch, Tod Newton, Mrs. Hugh Dickson, C. D. Strange, W. A. Robbins and Linda Cason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Roundtree of Snyder have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane.

Classified Ads Pay

J. R. Karrs Have Sunday Guests

Dinner guests in the J. R. Karr home Sunday included: Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hobson and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Eason, from Garner; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hobson, Jessie Ray Ehlman, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Miller, Janice and Joe, Baird; Mrs. O. C. Davis, a daughter of the Karrs, from Arkansas City, Kansas.

Mrs. Davis surprised her parents by coming Friday to take them out to dinner Saturday, the occasion being their 49th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Karr and Mrs. Davis went to San Angelo Monday to visit friends and relatives. Mrs. Karr's brother, J. H. Hobson, has been ill for some time and was back in the hospital for medication and check-up last Friday. Mrs. Dan Karr is in Shannon Hospital and in a serious condition.

Mrs. Davis went back to Kansas Tuesday after spending a few days with her parents.

Eula Resident's Mother Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Chata Rice Brock, 88, were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Cross Plains. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery, under direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Brock, a resident of Cross Plains for 47 years, died at her home at 6:30 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 27th. She was born Feb. 7, 1880 in Athens, Tenn. and was a member of the Cross Plains Methodist Church. She had been in ill health for a number of years.

She married William Alfred Brock on May 24, 1896 in Athens, Tenn.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Ralph of Eula; one daughter, Mrs. S. R. Respass of Cross Plains; five grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

TECUMSEH TOPICS

By Lillian Crawford

News -- well its about as scarce around here as the rattlesnakes have been this year. I don't think there has been one seen or killed on this place this year. Usually we see or kill six or eight in a years time, and not a one. Makes one wonder what happened to our unfriendly friends.

Mrs. Jim Shaw (Virginia) came up from Burnett Friday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris. While here she visited Ira and Lillian Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod and Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan.

Virginia left soon after the noon meal to go home. She works in the new hospital that is under construction yet at this time. She said the hospital had, in the past, been small with only two doctors there, but when finished there would be six additional doctors.

Linda Crawford, from Howard Payne College and Terry Martinaz from TWC, visited her mother and dad this past weekend. Lynda has majored in Elementary Education, so she was to get in full swing of student teaching today.

Jean Booth was sick Sunday with high fever, so she visited her doctor today, and brought home medicine to help relieve her of the sinus cold and fever. Late today she was feeling better, but the doctor said no school for her Tuesday.

Cecil Eager Pledged To Social Club

Cecil Eager, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Eager of Clyde, has pledged SubT-16 social club at Abilene Christian College.

A 1966 graduate of Clyde High School, Eager is a sophomore math major and a member of the basketball team.

To be eligible for social club membership at Abilene Christian, a student must have 30 semester hours, have attended ACC for at least one semester and have a 2.0 grade point average out of a possible 4.0.

FHA Hosts Initiation

The informal initiation for the Baird Chapter of Future Homemakers of America, was held Monday night, Oct. 28, at 6:30 p. m. at the high school. Nine girls were initiated into the Chapter. They were: Elizabeth Elliott, Cindy West, Nancy Hunt, Minnie Rutherford, Cinda Rhott, Katie Floyd, Lydia Cerda, Sue Ann Weatherly and Beverly Cason.

This was the first official meeting of the Chapter. The officers have met several times to discuss activities of the Chapter for the year.

Chapter officers are: Ruby Abernathy, President; Lana Coley, Vice President; Marian Odom, Secretary; Rea Corn, Treasurer; Roma Gamble, Song Leader; Barbara McPherson, Pianist and Cindy White, Parliamentarian.

Date for the formal initiation into the FHA Chapter will be announced in the very near future.



I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something; And because I cannot do everything I will not refuse to do the something that I can do.

—Edward Everett Hale

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APPLICATIONS FOR DPS PATROLMEN NOW IN PROGRESS

Patrolman Harold Hambrick announced today that the Texas Department of Public Safety is making a special effort to obtain qualified young men for the position of Patrolmen with the Department.

Patrolman Hambrick said "All men between the ages of 20 and 25 who are of sound physical condition, have at least a high school education or equivalent, have vision of not less than 20/40 and have high moral standards should contact him or any member of the Texas Department of Public Safety immediately."

There are four branches of service for which men are directly recruited -- Driver License, License and Weight, Highway Patrol and Motor Vehicle Inspection. Trainees are assigned to the service for which they are best suited.

Upon graduation from the 18 week training program at the modern DPS Law Enforcement Academy in Austin, the trainee is commissioned into one of these services. At the Academy, he will receive a salary of \$500 a month while in training. He will be taught such subjects as Texas Highway Law, accident investigation, first aid, professional driving, care and use of firearms, and many other subjects.

Benefits afforded patrolmen

include: two weeks annual vacation; 12 or more holidays each year; 12 days sick leave each year, modern retirement privileges and travel expense. DPS patrolmen are furnished all uniforms and equipment necessary for performance of their duties.

Patrolman Hambrick urged interested young men to get their application today and take the examination before all vacancies are filled.

GAME NIGHT NOVEMBER 1, AT SHADY OAKS

The members of Shady Oaks Recreation Assn. Inc. are invited to attend a game night to be held at the club Saturday, November 9, beginning at 7 p.m. Numerous games including Bingo will be played during the evening.

All members are urged to attend.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Price are the parents of a daughter, born Friday, October 25, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The baby weighed six pounds, 15 ounces, and has been named Mary Noel.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Bell, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Price, all of Baird.

Mrs. Don Davis Hosts Beta Sigma Phi

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met in the home of Mrs. Don Davis Thursday night, Oct. 24. President, Doris Harris, called the meeting to order and fourteen members answered roll call.

Two programs were combined for the night's agenda. For Barbara Skinner's program on Speech, Mrs. Archie Nichols gave the speech she delivered in April at San Antonio to welcome the Inter-American Conference of the National Federation of Women's Clubs. She recited the speech in the sorority in Spanish, then in English.

Nancy Young's program was on Poetry. She gave a very interesting talk on the subject, then Will Higgins, a student at Baird High School, gave a beautiful poem entitled My Last Duchess, by Robert Browning.

Nettie Herring served refreshments to Mmes. Mike Bell, Don Davis, Bess Driskill, Stanley Harris, Tommy Holland, James Isenhower, Perry Jennings, Kenneth Robbins, James Paul Shanks, Bill Skinner, Mike Young and Frank Windham Sr. Also Miss Dee Thompson and one pledge, Mrs. Jerry Broom.

Holiday Nursing Home Visitors

Visiting Miss Jeffie Lambert in Golden Holiday Nursing Home during the week were Mrs. Paul Shanks, Miss Jennie Harris, Mrs. Frenchie Miller, Mrs. Sallie Eastham, Mrs. J. Y. Loper and Mrs. J. R. Karr.

Visiting Mrs. Euna Lovelady were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Park of Donna, Maurine Eastus and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Eastus of Abilene.

Visiting Emma Conlee were Margaret Abernathy, Kenneth and Kathy of Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Jewel Wilson, Mike and Larry of San Antonio, Mrs. Eunice Butts of San Antonio and Mrs. Myrtle Brown of Odessa.

Visiting Will Burleson were Al Burleson of Abilene, Gene Ross and Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Big Spring, and Mrs. H. L. Moats of Luther.

Viola Clay of Big Spring, Mrs. N. M. George and Mrs. E. T. Green visited Myrtle Gunn.

Mrs. Bob Swinson visited Mrs. McBride.

Visiting Nina Jones were Trula Winter of Abilene and Mrs. R. R. Jordan.

Mrs. Dick Vestal and Davy visited Mrs. H. C. Eckelberger.

Mrs. N. M. George, Mrs. E. T. Green and Sam Holloway visited Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. Claudine Brown of Andrews visited Olen Williams.

Visiting Mrs. Lola Earnest were Lattice R. Lodes and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhodes, all of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hinkler and girls of Big Lake visited W. J. Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Allman of Albany visited Maggie Allman.

Other visitors in the home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. May Jr. of Abilene, Mrs. D. D. Westfall, Mrs. Vernon Walker, Wayland Dowden, Mrs. George P. Foster, Mrs. F. L. Hock, and Mrs. P. L. Poole, all of Clyde; Mrs. C. Stark Oee of Killeen; Mrs. J. Orris Moore of Abilene; Mrs. V. E. Hill, Mrs. Bill Work and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, all of Baird.

Beta Sigma Phi Hosts Preferential Tea

A Preferential Tea was held Sunday in the home of Mrs. Paul Shanks, honoring the new pledges of Beta Sigma Phi.

The ritual ceremony was read to three pledges by Mrs. Shanks. She was assisted by Mmes. Don Davis, Ray Black, Tommy Holland, and Perry Jennings. The pledges were Mrs. Jon Tate, Mrs. Jerry Broom and Mrs. Bill Denman.

The social hour was enjoyed by Mmes. Bill Skinner, James Herring, James Isenhower, Kenneth Robbins, Don Davis, James Paul Shanks, Tommy Holland, Ray Black, Perry Jennings, Bess Driskill, Bill Denman, Jon Tate, Jerry Broom and Miss Dee Thompson. One guest, Mrs. Jerry Mathews of Eastland, was also present.

ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Dry weather is still with us and no prospect for rain is in sight. Cool nights and hot days are causing foliage on trees to begin changing colors. Tommie Harris and Sterling Odom, the only cotton farmers in the community, won't have to defoliate their cotton crops this year. Bolls of white cotton are open from top to bottom of stalks. Yields should be good from these fields.

Have you decided on the man you need to vote for a week from Tuesday? One man out of the three will be our next president of the United States and we sincerely hope the right one will be elected.

Those visiting Mrs. Leila Gibbs Sunday were Mrs. Frances Gilliland and Mrs. Stella Davidson of Cottonwood, and on Monday, Mrs. Geneva Beights of Loraine arrived to spend the week.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Warren Price Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foster of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrol Sunday afternoon.

Terrol Harris was honored on his third birthday Monday, with a family party. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky, Mrs. Duke McIntosh and Lonnie and Mrs. David McIntosh and children, all of Baird, and Mrs. Ivon Odom of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge were in Abilene one day last week visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Taylor, and with Mrs. Howard Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence made a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

Mrs. Jimmy West attended the Coronation and Halloween Carnival with Mrs. James Isenhower, in Baird Saturday night.

Mrs. James Reynolds visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Moore Jr. and baby in Baird Saturday.

Hobson and Ernest Sikes and Truitt Hollingshead of Abilene were out Thursday afternoon to hunt doves with N. V. Gibbs. The birds must have seen them coming and got away.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird were the only visitors of Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the past week.

Jerry McDonald was a visitor in the J. C. Childers home Sunday.

Nieces of Mrs. Bill Lawrence were guests in her home Friday night. They were Mrs. Bill Dudley and children of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ross and children of Abilene.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge during the week were her aunts, Mrs. Stella Johnson of Abilene and Mrs. Lorene Uzzell of California. Other visitors were Gordon Hass and brother of Baird.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and boys Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Harris of College Station, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrol.

Mrs. Effie Holloway and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris

visited Mrs. Dave Ingram of Cross Plains in the new Medical Center Hospital in Abilene last week. They also visited the family of Deel Edington while there. Mr. Edington could not have visitors at the time.

Those visiting in the James Reynolds home during the week and Sunday were Mrs. Larmer Henry of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell and Henry McDonald of Baird, and Joe Smith of Admirel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen visited Mr. and Mrs. George Blakeley one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin were in San Angelo the first of last week where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons. They also visited Rev. and Mrs. Bob Eklund, who pastors a church there now. He is a former pastor of Baird Baptist Church.

Company in the Jimmy West home the past week included Mrs. C. W. Price and Mr. and Mrs. James Isenhower and children of Baird, and Raymond Gibbs.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs were in Cisco Friday to see Judy Gibbs at the college.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Black and family of Commerce visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black Saturday and Sunday night, and with other relatives Sunday.

Mrs. George Hutchins, Mrs. Robert Brashear and Dana Bains visited Mrs. Roy Tatom Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith and two granddaughters of Fort Worth visited relatives here over the weekend.

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

Kim Tatom attended a Training Union Halloween party last Thursday evening.

Loy Don Black and Miss Joyce Smith were married Saturday, at 4 p. m. in the First Central Baptist Church in Coleman.

Loy Don's relatives who attended the wedding were: his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and sister Barbara. Others were Mrs. Ethel Hewes, Mrs. Vee Maher, Mrs. Eura Griffith, Mrs. Roma Lee McKinley and Mrs. Wanda McKinley. Loy Don is employed in Wichita Falls and they will make their home there. We wish them lots of happiness.

Nathan Foster and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster at Wilson Wednesday through Friday.

Visiting Mrs. Melba Walls and George over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis and family of Memphis, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis and Leslie of Odessa. Leslie recently returned after serving 11 months on an aircraft carrier near Saigon. He will report to San Diego for his next assignment.

Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd were hosts for Cottage Prayer Meeting at their home Wednesday night of last week. The Baptist pastor brought the devotional, followed with singing and prayers. A short fellowship followed, and refreshments were served to Rev. and Mrs. Jerry McCormack and children, Becky, Lance and Garry, Mrs. Ida Nobles and Virginia Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Haskew, Mr. and Mrs. Red Tyson and son, Tommie Norman of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding, Mrs. Tom Windham Jr., and Freida Straley.

Grandads are nice -- at least Jimmy Windham thinks so, for Jimmy spent Sunday night in Abilene with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McWhorter, and his Grandad took him to Lawn early Monday morning to school.

Mrs. Tom Windham Jr. left last Thursday for Carlsbad, N. M., where she spent the weekend visiting with her nieces, Mrs. Mildred Pate, Mrs. Inda Rae Redden and other relatives.

I have come to the conclusion that grandsons are something extra special. For example here a few weeks back, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher Jr. were lucky to have an oil well brought in on their place in the Dudley Community. Now from that, you heard nothing what-so-ever from the Betchers -- but Monday of this week, Albert Betcher was handing out cigars going and coming because their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Betcher are the proud parents of a baby boy, born last Friday, Oct. 25. The baby weighed in at 6 pounds, eight ounces, and has been named Michael Carroll. Something else that went along with the information that the new grandson was red-headed -- so I guess there will always be a Red Betcher. Congratulations to the Betchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steakley from down Louisiana way, were visiting the past weekend with his niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Windham.

Louise Collins of Dallas has been a recent visitor in the homes of her sister, Mrs. Maude Cunningham and her brother, C. S. McGowen.

Hass Family Home For Weekend

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hass were their children and grandchildren: Janis, W. O. Troy, Melissa and Melinda McWhorter of Irving; Vernon, Elaine and Michael Blane Willingham of Abilene; and Dickie Hass, on leave from Mississippi.

Others were Tommy, Jean, Mikki Lynne and Alisa Hass of San Diego, Calif. This is the first time the family has been together in three years, and the first time all the grandchildren had been together.

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