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BAIRD PUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSSES FOR 1931-32 TERM

The Baird Public School closed Tuesday. The baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. R. A. Walker, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Sunday night at the High School Auditorium, which was filled to capacity.

On Monday night the graduates of the Grammar School gave their program and were greeted by a large crowd. This class was composed of thirty-two, eighteen girls and fourteen boys.

The senior graduation exercises were held Tuesday evening when a class of thirty-seven, twenty girls and seventeen boys received their diplomas. Dean, M. Wiggins, of Simmons University delivered the graduation address, who was followed by Mr. L. L. Blackburn, president of the school board, who in a few well chosen words presented the diplomas to the members of the senior class, which is one of the largest ever graduated from the Baird High School. Many were present to witness the graduation exercises.

Senior Banquet

After the closing of the exercises the seniors held their annual banquet in the basement of the Methodist church, the dining room and tables were decorated in the class colors of blue and silver.

Miss Inez Hunter, president of the class, acted as toastmaster. Mr. L. L. Blackburn addressed the class after which every member of the class was called on, and responded. Guests on this occasion were: Mrs. L. L. Blackburn and Mrs. Frank E. Stanley, room mothers of the Senior Class, Mrs. J. F. Boren, class sponsor, Mr. J. F. Boren and Mr. L. L. Blackburn.

The banquet was served by the American Cafe.

Faculty For Baird Public School Elected

The members of the faculty for the Baird Public School for another year have been elected.

All teachers salaries were cut 20 to 25 percent and two departments have been eliminated for the next year, the commercial department in High school taught by Miss Thelma Suber and the public school music and art department in the grammar school, taught by Miss Anno Brown. This was made necessary as an economic measure at this time.

The High School faculty includes: J. F. Boren, B. A. and M. A., Supt; Miss Kate Pressley, B. A. English; Miss Maurine Ivison, B. A., Spanish and Latin; Miss Virginia Rice, B. A., Home Economics; Mrs. J. F. Boren, B. A. and M. A., Mathematics; L. B. Bailey, B. A. Science; William Jamison, B. A., History and Civics; Claude Daniels, B. A., Coach and Over-flow Department.

The Grammar School faculty includes:

Hugh W. Smith, B. A. Principal, History and Geography; B. C. Christian, Mathematics; Miss Mildred DeSpain, B. A. English; Miss Samaria Faye Grimes, B. A., Fourth Grade; Miss Glennie Boyd, B. A., Third-Grade Mrs. Bessie Short, Second Grade; Mrs. A. L. Johnson, First Grade; Miss Ethlyn Clark, Overflow Department.

K. P. Minstrel Show

The Negro Minstrel Show sponsored by the Knights of Pythias for the benefit of the K. P. Orphans Home at Wetherford, will be given at the School Auditorium on Thursday night June 9th. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

This show is sponsored by the Pythian Sisters, of Baird.

Drilling Report

Sraheen Oil Co., is drilling at 716 feet on the Mrs. J. A. Hutchison ranch east of Baird.

Hart Bros. & Perry are drilling on the E. L. Finley ranch.

C. B. Holmes is drilling at 300 feet on the Mrs. L. M. Hadley ranch.

Roy Guffey is moving machine to his location about one mile North of Clyde.

R. P. Odom Buried At Cross Plains Saturday

R. P. Odom, 75, died at his home in Cross Plains, at an early hour Friday morning, May 27th. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon and the body laid to rest in the Cross Plains cemetery.

Mr. Odom has lived in the Cross Plains country for the past fifty years, being among the most prominent farmers and stockman of that section. Mr. Odom who had served his community as local Methodist preacher for more than 35 years, retired some years ago, due to ill health and has been an invalid for the past three years.

Friends from every section of Callahan county, including many of the early settlers from Baird came to pay last tribute to Mr. Odom. The church was filled to capacity and scores waited outside to join the procession to the cemetery. Cross Plains business houses were closed during the service.

The service was conducted by Rev. C. C. Armstrong and Rev. T. C. Thorn, Cross Plains; Dr. J. W. Hunt president of McMurry college; Rev. Cal C. Wright, pastor of First church and Dr. W. M. Murrell, presiding elder, Abilene, and Rev. O. C. Stapleton, Cross Plains.

Surviving Mr. Odom are his wife and nine children: Price Odom, Coleman; Ralph Odom, Snyder; Ivan Odom, Rowden; Otis Odom, Stanton; Dorsey Odom, Denton; Mrs. Pitt Ramsey, Cross Plains; Mrs. Parker Bond, Santa Anna; S. E. Odom, Denton; and Mrs. Tillie Gilbert, Santa Anna.

Unveiling Ceremonies At Admiral

Holly Grove No. 570, Woodmen Circle, will hold an unveiling ceremonies at the cemetery at Admiral on Sunday afternoon, June 12th at which time the monument erected by the order at the grave of Mrs. John Walker will be unveiled. The public is invited to attend these services.

Baird Singing Class Organized

In response to a call issued last week, a number of people gathered at the Methodist church last Sunday afternoon and organized a Singing Class. Oscar Black was elected president of the class; Archie Pee, vice-president and Cahal Clinton, secretary.

The class will meet at the Methodist church on the first and third Sunday afternoon in each month—the next meeting being held on Sunday, June 19th. A number of visitors who are interested in singing were present Sunday, they came from Eula, Clyde, Enterprise and Moran.

The class will use the song book which was adopted by the Callahan County Singers' Convention and are soliciting funds to buy the books, which cost 25 cents each. Any who want to contribute a book can see any of the officers of the association, or Mr. O. B. Jarrett, who will receive your donation.

The County Singers Convention will meet in Baird some time in Sept. in the Semi-Annual Convention.

School Teachers Leave For Home

Teachers in the Baird school are leaving this week for their respective homes:

Misses Ethlyn Clark, Thelma Suber, Mary Anno Brown, Mr. Jamison and Mr. Baily and Mr. Daniels have returned to their homes in Abilene.

Miss Glennie Boyd left Wednesday for her home in Throckmorton.

Miss Kate Pressley has gone to Ft. Worth to spend a few days before going to her home in Lubbock. Miss Rice has returned to her home in Cleburn. Miss Ivison has returned to her home in Marshall.

Willie McQueen Called Father of Dr. Rumph Died in Fort Worth

Willie M. McQueen, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McQueen, died Sunday night, May 29th at 10 o'clock, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. G. Malphurs, of Clyde, and interment made in Ross cemetery.

Pall Bearers were: W. B. Griggs, Larmer Henry, William McGowan, Sidney Foy, Melvin Vaner and Weldon Varner.

The deceased is survived by his father and mother, two sisters, Frankie and Donie McQueen, one brother, Horace McQueen and one half brother Harold Holloway, also his aged grandfather, Mr. A. J. Brooks.

Willie McQueen was born August 28, 1910. He has been a cripple since early childhood, but his affliction did not mar a happy disposition for he was always in a good humor and got a world of pleasure out of life. He liked out door life and spent much of his time working on the Griggs and McFarlane ranches near Baird. He had a host of friends who will miss his happy face for he was a likable boy and made friend everywhere. He was a patient in the Griggs Hospital for many weeks and everything possible was done for him, but he wanted to go home and was carried to his home just a week before his death.

County-Wide Seventh Grade Graduation

The County-Wide Seventh Grade Graduation Exercises were held at the Methodist Church in Baird last Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock with Supt. A. L. Johnson, directing the program.

A large crowd was present and 119 students received diplomas.

Hon. Thos. E. Hayden, of Abilene, was the principal speaker of the occasion. Lunch was served the students at 12 o'clock in the basement of the church. This lunch was furnished by the candidates of the county.

A list of the names of the graduates will be published next week, the list being received too late for this issue.

Ike Kendrick Receives Appointment As Postmaster at Cross Plains

Ike Kendrick will be Cross Plains' new postmaster, according to an announcement from authentic sources here yesterday. He will succeed C. W. Barr, who has held the position for nine years.

No definite statement as to when Kendrick would assume duties of the office was available yesterday, but it was understood that the change would be made "within the very near future." His appointment was made by President Hoover May 17, and ratified by the Senate the following day, May 18.

In a statement to the Review at Cross Plains yesterday, Mr. Kendrick said: "I have been advised of the appointment and am very thankful for it. My one intention shall be to render satisfactory service to the postal public."

Mr. Kendrick was one of the 12 persons to take the examination for the postmastership of the Cross Plains office, at Baird January 12.

Mr. Kendrick is an ex-serviceman. He served 16 months and 20 days in France during the World War. Immediately after receiving his discharge at the close of the war, he returned to Cross Plains, where he has resided since. He is affiliated with the American Legion, Masonic Lodge, Eastern Star, local fire department and a director of the Boy Scout work here. For the past few years he has maintained a real estate and brokerage office in Cross Plains and handled the assessing and collection of school taxes. Part of the time he served the city in that capacity also.

His appointment is for 4 years. —Cross Plains Review.

CLASS OF SEVEN CONFIRMED AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, of Amnillo, Bishop of the North Texas District, held services at the Episcopal Chapel Sunday afternoon at which time a class of seven were confirmed by the bishop.

Father of Dr. Rumph Died in Fort Worth

Major, D. M. Rumph, 85, Confederate soldier and retired cattleman, father of Dr. S. P. Rumph, of Baird, died at his home in Fort Worth Friday. Funeral services were held in Fort Worth Sunday at which five grand-sons served as pall bearers.

Major Rumph settled in Earth county soon after the Civil war where he was engaged in the cattle business. He served as tax collector of Erath county some fifteen years ago. Major Rumph retired from the cattle business and located at Cross Plains, where he lived for several years before moving to Fort Worth.

Survivors include five sons: Dr. T. G. Rumph and Dr. Demetrius M. Rumph, Fort Worth; Dr. S. P. Rumph Baird; Dr. J. G. Rumph, Cross Plains and S. C. Rumph, San Antonio, and two daughters, Mrs. Ola Best and Miss Mary Rumph, Fort Worth.

Missionary Society To Entertain

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, will entertain the Ladies of the Church in the basement of the church on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A special program is being arranged for this occasion, which promises to be a most pleasant affair. Refreshments will be served at the close of the program. A most cordial invitation is extended to all ladies of the church to attend this entertainment.

The Society met in a business session Monday afternoon at which time the hour for the weekly meeting was changed from 3 to 4 o'clock each Monday afternoon.

Lee Windham Follows Father In Death

Two well known and well loved cattlemen of the trans-Pecos area have passed to their reward in the past two months—and in their passing, Pecos has lost two of her best respected and most colorful citizens.

In March, A. T. "Trav" Windham, pioneer cattleman and resident, was called to his reward; and last Friday, death claimed Robert E. Lee Windham 51, at his home in Pecos. Lee Windham was the son of Trav Windham.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the Kolar funeral home with Rev. Edgar Ratliff Baptist pastor, officiating. A large group of friends and relatives attended these last sad rites and followed the cortege to the cemetery where the remains of Lee Windham were laid to eternal rest.

Lee Windham was born on Sept. 22, 1881 at Abilene. He was married in Pecos on February 7, 1910 and had spent most of his life in this vicinity. As a youth he was a cowboy on some of the best ranches of the country; later he ranched in his own right.

During recent years he had turned to the automobile business being recognized as an expert mechanic. For many years he was a mechanic for the Buick company here. Then he operated a garage of his own. For four years he had been mechanic of the Page-way Stage lines and was known as one of the best mechanics in the employ of the company. Bus drivers said it was a pleasure to drive a car which had been conditioned by him.

Surviving to mourn his loss are a wife, a mother, Mrs. Trav Windham, and a sister, Mrs. Bonnie Brooks, of Eudoso, who has been at his side almost constantly since the start of the fatal illness.

A wide circle of friends throughout Texas and New Mexico join the Enterprise in extending to this twice bereaved family sincerest sympathy. —Pecos Enterprise

Married

Mrs. Louise Hinds, of Baird, and Mr. George L. Matthews, of Fort Worth, were married at Eastland Tuesday afternoon, the marriage ceremony being said by the pastor of the Methodist church in the pastor's study. The bridal party was accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Durnell, Mrs. Buford Misenhimer and Miss Thelma Suber, of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews left immediately after the ceremony for Fort Worth, where they will make their home. Mr. Matthews is a conductor on the Texas & Pacific Ry. MjakgrB

HARVESTING OF GRAIN CROP BEGINNING IN COUNTY

Eastern Star Chapter To Install Officers

Callahan Chapter No. 242 O. E. S. will install the following officers which have been elected and appointed to serve the chapter for the coming year. The installation ceremonies will be held at the regular meeting, Tuesday night, June 14th.

Mrs. Mae Jones, W. M.; D. S. McGee, W. P.; Mrs. Ruby Russell, A. M.; W. D. Boydston, A. P.; Miss Ruby Harp, Secretary; Miss John Gilliland, Treasurer; Mrs. Ola McGee, Cond. Mrs. Verda James, Asso. Cond.; Mrs. Olivia Schwartz, Chaplain; Mrs. Vada Bennett, Marshal; Mrs. Frenchie Miller, Organist; Mrs. Ruth Yarbrough, Adah; Mrs. Olive White, Ruth; Mrs. Mae Lewis, Esther; Mrs. Maude Boydston, Martha; Mrs. Mable Bearden, Electa; Mrs. Rebecca Curry, Warden; J. C. Barringer, Sentinel.

Sigal Theatre Opens Tonight

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sigal returned yesterday morning from Dallas and Brison, Okla., where they spent the past ten days and will open the Sigal Theatre to-night, with Buck Jones in "Riders for Justice."

Mr. and Mrs. Sigal booked a number of the latest pictured write in Dallas and will be prepared to give their patrons some splendid pictures this summer.

Baird Church Host To Presbyterians

The Baird Presbyterian Church was host to a gathering of Presbyterians of this area who attended the Fifth Sunday Presbyterial services here Sunday.

Miss Ruth Simons presided for the program, for which Charles Hemphill, of Cross Plains gave the opening prayer and Miss Catherine Mullican conducted the devotional. The chief address was made by Jim Patterson of Merkel, on "American Youth." Other speakers were Loretta Connolly of Ranger; Ben Hallock, of Abilene and Lorene Crow of Ranger. Special music was a violin number by Mrs. V. E. Hill accompanied by Mrs. Sidney For, and selections by the Breckenridge choir.

Visitors were here from Abilene, Cisco, Ranger, Breckenridge, Abilene, Cross Plains and Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Finley, of Abilene, were among the visitors.

Hunter, Candidate For Governor, Will Speak At Abilene Tonight

"When the entire crop of the state of Texas last year would not pay its own ginning and pay the state taxes at Austin, how in the name of high heaven are we going to pay the city, county and school tax," asks Tom F. Hunter, democratic candidate for Governor of Texas, who speaks at Abilene Friday, June 3rd in the courthouse at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Hunter should have a good audience out to hear him as all the people ought to inform themselves regarding the various candidates for office and the things for which they stand.

Mr. Hunter thinks that state taxes should be reduced to far less than the expenditure of last year and that a greater part of this reduction should come from the abolition and consolidation of many of the 80 bureaus, commissions and departments at Austin, and by the removal of the great waste in the highway department.

"We should have a state law," said Mr. Hunter, "to make it a penal offense for any state official to receive money or compensation from the corporations. Two thousand years ago the Savior said: 'No man can serve two masters' and it is just as true now as when pronounced by Jesus of Nazareth."

The harvesting of the grain crop in Callahan county is getting under way. Some are already cutting oats and the next ten days will see things humming in the harvest fields, if no more rain falls. The rain and wind last Sunday morning damaged the crop some, by blowing the grain down, but with a few days of sunshine it is looking better.

Frank Harp has cut his oat crop on his home place just north of Baird. John Asbury is cutting his oat crop. Jack Flores is cutting his oat crop. Larry Blakley was in from his farm south of the Bayou Wednesday and said he expected to start combining his oat crop the first of next week, following up with the barley and wheat crop.

L. L. Boydston reports the sale of an 8 foot McCormick-Deering binder to John Windham, at Oplin and a 7 foot binder to Hershell Bryant south west of Baird yesterday.

Dan Watters and A. J. Wise of Moran, were in yesterday getting binder repairs from Mr. Boydston.

Nat Williams, of Cross Plains, was in yesterday getting binder supplies preparatory to cutting his grain crop on the old Chas. Jackson farm.

Harry Alder, living south of Clyde, was in yesterday. He will begin harvesting within the next few days.

Miss Nena Kate Ramsey Improving

Miss Nena Kate Ramsey, who was seriously injured and her sister, Miss Norma Ramsey, instantly killed, when their automobile was struck by a train at Victoria street crossing on the Texas & Pacific railroad at Abilene, on Monday morning of last week, is reported slowly improving. Miss Ramsey did not know of her sister's death until last Saturday when her brother, Dr. W. V. Ramsey told her. She had been asking about her sister, for several days and Saturday asked W. V. to tell her what had happened. The news of the tragedy had been kept from her because of her serious condition. She is reported bearing up well under the shock of her sister's tragic death. Miss Ramsey is suffering from severe lacerations and bruises about the head and body.

Delphian Chapter Dedicates Tree in Honor of Washington

The Delphian Chapter held a dedication ceremony on the court house lawn, Monday evening at which time an evergreen tree was dedicated to the Washington Bicentennial. The service were opened with an invocation by Rev. J. T. Griswold; "America the beautiful" was sung by the audience after which the presentation was made by Mrs. W. P. Brightwell. Mr. S. E. Settle gave the dedication address followed by a number whistled by Mrs. Richard Price and the services being closed with a benediction by Rev. Joe R. Mayes.

Lotief Will Speak Here Saturday

Hon. Cecil A. Lotief, candidate for Representative, 107th Floterial District requests The Star to announce that he will speak in Baird, Saturday afternoon, June 4th at about 4:45 and invites all voters and tax payers to come out and hear what he has to say in regards to a more economical administration in all county and state affairs.

Mr. Lotief will also speak at Clyde on this same date at 3:35 p. m.

Baptist Workers Conference

The Baptist Workers Conference of the 17th district, will be held at the Luders Baptist Encampment Grounds on June 9th and 10th. Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baird Baptist church will take part in the program.

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Wolf Smith Quits Vets Bureau Post

Thomas L. Blanton has won his long battle to drive William Wolff Smith, general council of the Veterans Bureau, out of the Federal service.

Smith has transmitted his resignation to Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, administrator of veterans' affairs who promptly accepted and notified the House Military Affairs Committee that Smith had resigned, effective at the termination of his annual leave, which he is now taking.

Representative Blanton has been campaigning against Smith for more than 10 years. He repeatedly declared it to be "an outrage" that Smith, who served 13 days in the Army just prior to the Armistic, was receiving \$187.50 a month for total disability as well as a salary of \$9,000 as general council.

Henry L. DeBusk Announces for Dist. Judge



HENRY L. DEBUSK

Henry L. DeBusk, corporation attorney of the city of Abilene for the past five years, has announced as a candidate for district judge of the 42nd judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic primary. He will oppose Judge Milburn S. Long, incumbent. The district is composed of Taylor, Callahan and Shackelford counties.

Mr. DeBusk, a native of Texas, obtained his law degree at the University of Texas and has been a practicing attorney for twelve years. His formal announcement follows:

To the voters of the 42nd judicial district of Texas:

In making this announcement for District Judge of the 42nd judicial district of Texas, I am exercising a privilege of every American Citizen and I hope to gain the fair and candid consideration of every voter in the district.

I am a native Texan and was reared on the farm in West Texas. Except for 18 months army service during the World war, practically all my life has been spent in West Texas.

I attended the rural schools, worked my way through college, and procured a life permit to teach school before entering the legal profession. I have taught school in Texas and New Mexico.

When the United States entered the World war I volunteered as a private. I was honorably discharged as commissioned officer.

Immediately after the war I served as Superintendent of Public Instruction for Fisher county.

I was admitted to the bar in 1920. I am a graduate of the Law School of the University of Texas.

For the past seven years I have practiced law in Abilene. My experience has been in all state courts from Justice Court to the Supreme Court and in the Federal Courts of the United States. I have been City Attorney for the City of Abilene over five years, and during this time I have represented the city in all civil suits and criminal prosecutions.

All my life I have honored and observed the state and national consti-

tutions. I have given some time and all my influence for a proper observance of all laws enacted thereunder or any amendments thereto. If I am elected, I shall continue to support them in their entirety in my private life as well as in my official duties.

I have tried to make a clean record, both as a citizen and as a lawyer, and upon this record I solicit your votes and influence.

HENRY L. DEBUSK.

BASE BALL

The Baird Coyotes were defeated by the count of 4 to 3. Errors were largely responsible for the defeat. Baird making no less than five errors. These five errors combined with six hits produced four runs. Moran also made some errors, but none of them figured in the scoring.

The Coyotes were greatly handicapped by the absence of four of their regular players: Baird made 3 runs, 10 hits and 5 errors; write Moran made 4 runs, 6 hits and 3 errors.

NEXT SUNDAY, the Coyotes will play Merkel. The game will be played at Coyote Park and will start promptly at 3:30. Merkel has a fine ball club and this promises to be a real battle. Let's all be down and root for the Coyotes.

First Inning
MORAN: Hett was out third to first. Walker singled to left, but a moment later was caught off first. Farmer to Gattaway playing first for Baird. Brooks popped out to Farmer.
BAIRD: Young popped out to first. Farmer singled to center. Bell and Vernon struck out.

Second Inning
MORAN: Fite was out short to first. Mitrell was out third to first. Brown was out pitcher to first.
BAIRD: Thompson singled center. Satterway sacrificed and was out pitcher to first. Harold Ray popped out to third. Allphin popped out to the catcher.

Third Inning
MORAN: Edwards popped out to third. Eberly and Leonard was out third to first.
BAIRD: Ground was safe on an error. Young singled to center. Ground taking second. Farmer popped out to the catcher. Bill singled to center. Vernon singled to center, scouring Ground Trompson struck out.

Fourth Inning
MORAN: Hitt popped out to first. Walker popped out to short. Brooks was out pitcher to first.
BAIRD: Gattaway and Harold Ray struck out. Allphin was safe on an error. Ground popped out to catcher.

Fifth Inning
MORAN: Fite was out pitcher to first. Mitchell was out third to first. Brown flew out to left.
BAIRD: Young was out second to first. Farmer was out pitcher to first. Bell singled to center, but was out trying to make second on the hit.

Sixth Inning
MORAN: Edwards singled to left. Eberly struck out. Leonard hit into a double play Young to Bell to Gattaway.
BAIRD: Vernon was out second to first. Thompson popped out second. Gattaway flew out to center.

Seventh Inning
MORAN: Hitt singled to right. Walker singled to right and Hitt scored when Allphin lost the ball in the weeds. Brooks was safe on Youngs error. Ftee popped out to third. Mitchell popped out to short. Brown singled to center scoring Walker and Brooks. Edwards struck out.
BAIRD: Harold Ray went out second to first. Allphin struck out. Ground singled to center. Young singled to center. Farmer singled to center scoring Ground. Bell singled to right center scoring Young. Vernon flew out to center scoring Young. Vernon flew out to center.

Eighth Inning
MORAN: Eberly singled to center. Leonard was out second to first. Eberly went to second. Hitt was out third

to first. Walker was safe when Trompson dropped his fly ball. Eberly scored Brooks struck out.
BAIRD: Thompson was out second to first. Gattaway struck out. Harold Ray flew out to left.
Ninth Inning
MORAN: Fite walked. Mitchell struck out. Brown and Edwards was out pitcher to first.
BAIRD: Ground and Strickland (batting for Allphin), struck out. Young popped out to pitcher—ending the game.

E. M. Overshiner, Of Abilene, Announces As Candidate For Associate Justice of Civil Appeals



E. M. OVERSHINER

E. M. Overshiner, above, of Abilene has announced his candidacy for Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Eleventh District at Eastland which included Callahan county, which office is now held by Honorable O. C. Funderburk, who has announced for re-election. In issuing his announcement, Mr. Overshiner made the following statement:

"This office belongs to the people and they are entitled to the best service obtainable. The salary of \$7,000 per year is sufficient to command able and energetic men. Judge Funderburk was appointed February 4th, 1928, was elected the following November and will have held the office nearly five years at the expiration of his present term and is asking for another term of six year. He has presented the record of his Court in his announcement. This Court is composed of Judges Hickman, Leslie and himself. Each Judge writes the opinions in the cases allocated to him. While the decision is that of the Court the opinion reflects the mental attitude, view point and ability of the writer, and is the controlling factor in the case in which he writes. Out of 456 cases, Judge Funderburk has written 138 deciding opinions, and twelve dissents. His work is well known to lawyers, judges and others. I believe that I can improve on his work and am asking the opportunity to do so.

For the past thirty years I have lived at Abilene, and my record as a judge and a lawyer is well known to many people. I have served as County Judge, Special District Judge and have had many years active practice in law. I am thoroughly familiar with law and procedure. During the past ten years as a member of the firm of Kirby, King & Overshiner, I have tried many important cases, participated in the trials of many others, and have been employed in appeals in cases not tried by my firm. I personally briefed a large majority of the cases appealed, representing sometimes appellant, sometimes appellee. Of 97 cases appealed, we won 63.

A judge should be learned in the law with practical knowledge and human experience, and should administer the law without favor to friend or fear of foe. He should be of judicial temperament and not partisan. He should have proper respect for the opinions of others, no wise in his own conceit, not hypercritical and fault finding, but having in view the ends of substantial justice. I believe I possess these qualifications.

Judicial machinery is expensive to the tax payers, and there should be an end of litigation. Reversals are at heavy cost to the losing party and occasion long delays which frequently amount to a denial of justice. The judgments of Trial Courts generally are by able men; they should be respected and not reversed unless substantial errors have been committed. Narrow constructions and fine technicalities should be avoided, yet there should be no disposition to gloss over errors for the sake of affirmance. An affirmance should not be based on a narrow technical ground any more than a reversal. An unusually high percentage of reversals by the Appellate Judge indicates a hypercritical mind.

Attorneys are capable of pointing out the errors complained of, and if elected, I shall not spend much time searching for elusive and illusive fundamental errors. I will have no

desire to lecture attorneys or judges; or to criticize the Supreme Court or to bolster up my opinions with long-winded arguments. Opinions should be brief, to the point and written in language easily understood.
Upon my qualifications and these principals, I earnestly solicit your support.

E. M. OVERSHINER.

District Court Conven Monday

The June term of the 142nd District Court will convene in Baird Monday, June 6th.

The following is a list of grand jurors summoned for the term:
W. E. Melton, Baird; E. L. Jones, Baird; T. A. Butler, Putnam; S. R. Jackson, Cross Plains; W. R. Thompson, Cottonwood; L. M. Farmer, Clyde; Chas. D. Straley, Oplin; E. N. Wood, Putnam; R. C. Clemmer, Clyde; R. H. Brock, Clyde; Ralph Chandler, Cross Plains; Lester Smedley, Rowden; Kirby Myer, Clyde; Lee Payne, Cross Plains; B. C. Chrisman, Baird; Lee A. Coats, Baird.

Putnam Crop Outlook Good

PUTNAM, May 30—A fine rain which fell here last week registered 2.11 inches making a total of 3.36 inches during May and 9.36 since the first of January. The ground is thoroughly soaked and the prospects are fine for a bumper crop of all farm products.

Grain harvesting has begun and will be in full blast by the middle of the week. There have been a number of new binders purchased and one of two threshing machines sold to date. The farmers are jubilant over the grain outlook and are estimating the wheat yield at from ten to twenty bushels per acre and oats from twenty to sixty bushels per acre.

Threshing will begin about the fifteenth of June and there will be a number of buyers in the market for the gain as it comes from the thrasher with prospects of a much higher price than was paid last season. Old crop grain is bringing on an average of about forty-eight cents per bushel at this time.

The cotton crop outlook is good with about 75 per cent of the acreage planted and most of it up to a good stand. The acreage will be reduced in this immediate territory about ten per cent. Apprehension exists on account of grasshoppers which are appearing in great numbers and farmers are slow to start poisoning on account of the low price of cotton and it may be possible that the crop will be considerably reduced on account of the pests.

PUTNAM NEWS

By Sallie Ann

Miss Vella Sandlin spent part of last week visiting in Brownwood.

Miss Myrlene McCool spent the week end visiting Miss Mayme Copping in Cottonwood.

Mrs. Sam Jobe and grandson, J. W. Hale is visiting in El Paso this week.

Mrs. Jammie Edmonson and daughter, Jammie Nan of Amarillo, are visiting Mrs. Edmonson's mother Mrs. Nannie Hale.

Mrs. J. C. Cunningham and Mrs. Nannie Hale were Cisco visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett, Mr. and W. A. Buchanan, Miss Bertha Buchanan and Mr. Hubert Buchanan and Mr. T. L. Hamilton attended the Sacred Harp Singing Convention at

Abilene Sunday.

Putnam Activity Club Organized

On Monday afternoon, May 30, 1932 at 8 o'clock the Girl's Activity Club of Putnam, was organized in the home of Miss Eloise Norred.

As a result of the several votes and appointed officers, the following officers were chosen: Jessie Tatom, President; Neil Armstrong, vice president; Lois Mercer, Secretary-Treasurer; Lou Marion Grace, Assistant Sec-Treas.; Shirley Cunningham, Critic; Eloise Norred, Reporter; Melba Bray, Sports Leader.

The following were appointed by the president as social committee: Alwilda Shackelford, chairman, La Verna Grace and Opal Heslep. Other committees are composed of all officers.

The club feels greatly honored of the highly appreciated fact that their nominations for sponsors were accepted by Mrs. M. M. Little as general sponsor and Mrs. Loren Everett as Assistant Sponsor. Thus Organized, and begun; this organization of wide awake, keen alert members can vision nothing but success in the future. Its motive is to promote clean and healthy entertainment and to cultivate young minds in a most proper manner. Surely with the co-operation of each member, each officer and the effective sponsors, the Activity Club will gain deserving recognition and will gain the object of its motto: "Health, Wealth and Wisdom." Then success will have been obtained.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hamilton were Putnam visitors last week.
Miss Opal Young and two girl friends of Cross Plains, were visitors of Opal's grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hamilton through the weekend.

Mr. David Webb, Edmond Sunderman and Lit Allen Gray left last week for East Texas. David returning to his home after spending his Senior year in Putnam High School. Edmond and Lit Allen are visiting relatives in Van and Marshall, Texas.

Miss Lou Marion Grace who has been attending school in Moran returned to her home east of Putnam last week for the summer.

Miss Hadel Nordyke and Mr. Noel Nordyke of Stephenville, spent the week-end with their brother, Mr. Clarence Nordyke. They were enroute to their home in Cottonwood.

Mr. Dalphine Hull is visiting relatives in Thurbur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and son Willard Gaskins were Cisco visitors Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kelley moved last Saturday to a lease near Albany where Archie has a job as pumper.

Rev. Bryan and Mr. W. H. Norred were Baird visitors Sunday. Rev. Bryan filled the pulpit of the Baptist Church Sunday morning. He also preached at Seranton Saturday night.

Miss Mary Yeager, teacher in Abilene ward school returned to her home in Putnam Saturday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yeager.

Mrs. Guss Brandon and children, Deloris and Bill, were Cisco visitors Friday. Bill spent the week visiting in Cisco.

Mrs. Patrick of Brownwood, visited with her daughter, Mrs. Freddie Farmer last week.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 23, 1932.

For Representative 107th District
CECIL A. LOTIEF
of Cross Plains.
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of Baird
CLEVE CALLOWAY
of Cross Plains

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For Dist. Attorney, 42nd Judicial Dist.
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of Baird.

For District Clerk
MRS. FORD DRISKILL
of Baird.
MRS. CALLIE MARSHALL
Re-election

For County Judge
J. H. CARPENTER
Re-election
T. E. POWELL
of Baird.

For County Clerk
S. E. SETTLE
Re-election
J. H. SHRADER
Putnam Precinct

For Tax Collector
Wm. J. EVANS
Re-election
C. Q. ARMSTRONG
of Clyde

W. A. EVERETT
of Putnam

For Tax Assessor
E. D. (Eddie) PRIEST
of Cross Plains
VERNON R. KING
of Baird.

E. M. (Mahe) SMITH
Re-election

For Sheriff
R. L. EDWARDS
Re-election

For County Treasurer
MRS. WILL McCOY
Re-election

For Co. Commissioner, Prec't No. 1
J. W. HAMMONS
Re-election

CLAUDE H. TARRANT
of Eula
B. F. ROSS
Clyde, Route 1.

For Co. Commissioner, Prec't No. 2
SIDNEY S. HARVILLE
Re-election

For Co. Commissioner, Prec't No. 3
C. E. BRAY
Re-election

L. J. COOK
of Putnam
G. W. JETER
of Putnam

DOG TAX NOTICE

On the first day of June, 1932, there shall be upon every dog running loose in the City of Baird an annual tax of \$1.00. After June 30th all dogs found on the streets without said tax shall be disposed of.

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Last Will and Class Prophecy

The following is the last will and class prophecy of the Senior Class, Baird High School, 1931-32, which was read at the Junior-Senior banquet.

LAST WILL

Senior Class Will of 32
State of Texas, County of Callahan:
We the Senior class of Baird High School being in good bodily health and of sound mind calling to mind the frailty and uncertainty of graduation and being desirous of settling our worldly affairs are directing how the grades and other such gifts with which it has pleased our teachers to bless us with, shall be disposed of after our graduation while we have strength and capacity so to do, do make and publish this, our last will, hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made:

FIRST

We direct that the Juniors pay all our just and unjust debts.

SECOND

We give and bequeath the little dress that Inez Hunter wore on Senior day to Beatrice Hickman.

THIRD

We direct that Glenn Browning be given Weldon Bryant's model "T" to come to school in. That Frank Stanley's ability to go with the women be given to Thaxton McGowan. That Cahal Clinton's best girl be given to William Harris to take care of during the next year. That Austin Cooke and Alvin Christman be given the H. and H. detective agency, which belongs to Alton Hornsby and Horace Elliott and originated in '29 by Curtis Sutphan and Harry Dunlap. That Lo's Mary's sweet disposition be given to Ruth Roberts. That Jewel Hopkins blond hair and blue eyes be given to Ella Louise Sheridan. That Cliff Johnson's bathing suit be given to Zolon Melton. That Dean Meyers' breeches be given to Leonard Grounds. That Holly Bennett's spending ability be given to Fred Estes. To Annie McGee, we give Mary Blackburn's and Emma Leland's loud voices. To L. C. Duncanson, we give James Crutchfield's position on the football team. To George Nichols we give D. S. McGee's meanness. To Clarence Hammonds, we give J. B. Stringer's stride. To Elaine Pratt, we give Ava Nell Richardson's boss. That Paul Duncan's position as captain on the football team be given to Curtis Jones. That Gladys Thompson's peroxide bottle be given to Mary Jo Hart. Sam Orr donates his mirror and powder puff to Clarence Pretz. To Marie Winn, we give Wanda Kennedy's bright smile. We give to Roberta Stringer, Elsie Marie's wad of chewing gum. That Harley Lee Sikes dates with Jake Dickey be given to Donald Melton. To Marie Fielder, we give Van Boatwright's and Gussie Smith's primping ability. That Maida Beasley's and Louise Smith's ability to flirt be given to Violet Wiley. Dean Meyers and Mary Glover wish to confer their engagement upon Alton Chrisman and Ruby Stiles. Milton Bryant, Billie James, Raymond Anderson and Otis Coats **GREAT QUARTETTE** to Lillie Bell Conlee **THE SOLOIST**. Pauline Putman and Wilda Smith extend their musical talent to Lela May Chatem. Doris Carlile and Archola Trussell's ability to study be given to Doris Cooper. That Grace Sander's name "Peaches" be given to Lena Rhodes.

FOURTH

We nominate and appoint Earlene West and Grace Evans as sole executrix of this will and direct that no bonds, security or bail be granted them.

This instrument we make and publish as our last will this Seventh day of May, 1932, A. D.

P. S.—Horace Elliott takes great pleasure in presenting his job as Prof's office boy to Austin Cooke. **MAY GOD PROTECT HIM.**

In behalf of the Senior Class Horace Elliott and Alton Hornsby hope there are no hard feelings.

THE END

CLASS PROPHECY FOR THE CLASS OF 1932

One day last summer, in the year 1940, I was traveling through the country with an old school chum, Elsie Marie Hudson, who was making a lecture tour through the United States in behalf of United Welfare Work. Elsie Marie was always a forceful speaker, even back in her Baird High School days but now she is more eloquent than ever.

As we were driving along the highway that leads into Cleveland, Ohio, we saw a large sign along by the roadside, reading, "Dr. Van Boatwright, Specialist in Children's Diseases". We wondered if this could be Van Boatwright, my former classmate so we went up to the office of the doctor to investigate. We found that Dr. Boatwright was none other than Van, as capable and efficient as ever. And after giving us a warm greeting she invited us to go out to her home.

As we entered her home we saw some beautiful paintings hanging on the wall, these Dr. Boatwright told us were painted by the famous portrait painter, Weldon Bryant. You all remember how artistic he was in

school.

On closer inspection we found that the portraits were of a group of our classmates. Cahal Clinton looked very majestic in his long black robes. He was a judge of the Supreme Court at Washington. Just across from Cahal's portrait was one of a former classmate, Gladys Thompson who is now a world famous accompanist. She plays accompaniments for Galli.Curci the well-known singer.

After we three chatted a good while about the good old high school days, we drove to the "Top of the Terrace Tea Shop" for lunch. This attractive tea room was owned by Wanda Kennedy and Maida Beasley who made a fortune in Texas Oil and invested it in the tea room. They were very glad to see us and said that we must go out to their homes and meet their husbands. Maida was married to Frank Stanley, who was President of one of the largest Oil Companies in Texas. Wanda was married to Milton Bryant who had a very prosperous grocery business. They all seemed very happy. Wanda and Maida told us that Paul Duncan had made a fortune from a new kind of alarm clock that doesn't wake people up when it rings, and had married Inez Hunter, and they are living in San Diego, California.

Horace Elliott and Alton Hornsby, two of the members of the class were confirmed old bachelors and had opened up a radio station, BLAB, just out of Schenectady, N. Y. Some of the entertainers from this station are old students of Baird High School. They are: Cliff Johnson, the accordion King who plays three nights a week over this station; J. B. Stringer, the well-known Baritone singer, who is known as the second Al Jolson; Ava Nell Richardson, the cooking authority, who makes talks for the Gold Medal Flour Hour; Wilda Smith, the famous designer, who gives talks each day for the Butterick Pattern Co.; Doris Carlile and Grace Sanders are mannequins for the Paris designer, Patou, and occasionally make personal appearances at the leading theaters of the country.

After we left this beautiful radio station, which is being run so efficiently by our former classmates, we drove on into New York. As we passed by the Palace Theater, we saw a large sign advertising "Personal appearance of Mary Glover, the swimming sensation of the age. After the show we went behind the stage and met Mary and her business manager and husband, Billy James. Billy is a little shabby himself but that doesn't keep him from being interested in Mary's swimming ability.

While we were in New York we decided to attend church so we attended the Trinity Baptist Church, the largest Baptist church in New York. D. S. McGee was pastor of this church and his wife, the former Gussie Smith is director of the choir. Emma Lelan Wheeler is a prominent member of the choir and a famous church worker.

After church was over we drove by the Oak Crest Farms, a group of scientific farms which are owned by Otis Coats. We renewed our school-hood days with he and his wife, Archola Trussell.

While driving along a beautiful road we saw a large stone college. We stopped and went into the grounds to inspect the buildings and the grounds. As we entered the main building we were greeted by Louise Smith who was the Head of the English Department in the College. We were talking to her, when Holly Bennett, the coach, came up and talked to us. He was the Football Coach at this college and had not lost a single game that season. Louise and Holly told us that several former Baird High School students were doing graduate work in the college. They were: Harley Lee Sikes, who was to receive his Master's Degree in Public Speaking that summer; Raymond Anderson, who was receiving his degree in Chemistry and Zoology. We were interested to know that so many of our classmates were

taking graduate work.

As we drove by the air-port, a huge passenger plane was just making a landing. As we walked up to the plane, whom should we see in the pilot's seat but our classmate, Sam Orr. This trip was to complete his 8th year of successful flying. On the plane were Earlene West and Jewel Hopkins who were making a Trans-Continental flight, gathering statistics for the United States Government.

While driving in from the air-port, Elsie Marie developed a toothache. While searching for a dentist we chanced to see near the Mulbauch Hotel the sign, "Painless teeth extracted." As we entered the hotel, whom should we see, but Mary Blackburn, who was hostess of this hotel. She informed us that our former classmate, Pauline Putman, had a beauty parlor on the mezzanine floor. After we had talked to her a few minutes, we went up to the dentist office, which was on the 12th floor. As we entered, what should we see, but James Crutchfield, otherwise known as "Jimbo" tugging at one of Dean Meyers' wisdom teeth. After seeing this Elsie Marie decided she had no further need for a dentist.

See how happy all of our former classmates were and what a great success all had made of their lives, we turned our faces homeward.

THE END ? ? ? ?

PUTNAM NEWS

By Sallie Ann

After a week's campaign tour in Central West Texas in behalf of his candidacy for Congressman-at-Large, Place No.1, Judge W. Erskine Williams reported the organization of twelve new "Erskine Williams for Congress" clubs in as many towns. The Chairmen chosen for those clubs are: C. W. Wilson, Mineral Wells; Geo. Metcalf, Palo Pinto; Lon E. Shaw, Strawn; Dr. A. K. Wier, Ranger; C. M. Peck, Clyde; Ace Hickman, Baird; Fred C. Farmer, Putnam; E. P. Crawford, Cisco; B. E. Glamery, Eastland; M. G. Scott, Trent; Herbert Patterson, Merkel; Dr. P. T. Quast, Sweetwater.

Dr. Hunt of McMurray College and Dr. Sandifer of Simmons University conferred with Williams while he was in Abilene and offered him their support in choosing a Chairman for that city.

Williams left this morning for a two week's tour, making a swing through North Texas, the Panhandle and extreme East Texas, during which he will organize more "Erskine for Congress" clubs to add to the 53 which are already functioning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nordyke and family visited Mr. Nordyke's parents in Cottonwood, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Short was a business visitor in Abilene, Monday.

Mrs. Flemming and daughter, Lera Fleming, visited home folks in Clyde Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskins and family and Mrs. Clyde King of Scranton were visitors in Rotan and Jayton, part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton took the Freshman class of P. H. S. to Lake Cisco on a picnic last Thursday evening. After the picnic all went to a picture show, all reported a good time.

Mr. M. H. Cook is visiting relatives in Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Turner of Olney were visitors of Putnam, Monday.

Mrs. B. Herring, Mrs. Luke Cathey, Mrs. J. F. Butler and Cathey McCool are visiting in Stanton, this week.

Miss Martha Hodges of Sweetwater spent the week-end visiting her brother, Coach Hodges.

Misses Lois Reese and Rena Ball,

who teach in Putnam school left early Friday morning for Okla. where they will spend a few days visiting.

A large number from Putnam attended the all day singing and preaching at Atwell last Sunday.

The Trustees of Putnam High School gave the school faculty a dinner at Sharp's Cafe last Thursday evening.

The Seniors of Putnam High School presented their play "The Sweetwater Trail" last Saturday night. A large crowd attended and all enjoyed it.

Rev. J. E. Black has been working in Cisco for the last few days.

Mr. Pierce Thomason visited in Cisco, last week.

Mrs. Janie Moore, Mrs. G. G. Bennett, Mrs. Ted Allen, Lois Kennedy and Mr. Willard Gaskins were visitors in Abilene, Monday.

Mr. W. R. Hamlin, Fred Heyser and Miss Willie Kennedy made a trip to Del Rio and Bracketville, Texas, last Friday and Saturday. Miss Crysta Kennedy, who has been teaching in the school at Bracketville returned with them for the summer.

Miss Laura Mae Fox, student of McMurray College, Abilene, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Claude Cunningham, Mrs. Mary Thomason and Miss Lera Fleming were Cisco visitors, Friday.

Miss Bobbie Jones of Cisco was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ruth Kostis, Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Short and Miss Tassie Jackson made a business trip to Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. C. R. Nordyke, Mrs. Jesse Overton and Miss Thelma Everette were Baird visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Thomason left Monday for a few days visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Culwell spent a few days last week on Deep Creek, fishing. They reported a good catch of fish.

A stray cow wandered into a cattle show in Caldwell, Ga., and won a prize.

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At twenty-two the only thing Diana really desired was another woman's husband. A nervous wreck from the excitement and strain of London's gay life, she is taken by her aunt, Mrs. Gladwyn, to a famous specialists office. The physician orders her to the country for a long rest. She rebels, but the doctor is handsome and sympathetic. She learns that he is not the great man himself but an assistant Dr. Rathbone. "God made the country and man made the town," he tells her, and she agrees to go to a rural retreat.

Before she leaves she goes to Dennis Waterman's flat, where they are surprised by Linda, Dennis's wife, who takes the situation quite calmly. "I suppose she wants you to marry her?" she asks Dennis.

At the night club where she goes with Dennis, Diana collapses. She regains consciousness in a little country cottage, with a nurse, Miss Starling, bending over her. Dr. Rathbone's home was close by, Miss Starling told her.

After three weeks Dennis Waterman calls. He tells her he will have to go away, and his manner, as he leaves her, suggests that his love is waning. But Dennis has not been gone many days before Diana finds herself asking Miss Starling all sorts of questions about Dr. Rathbone.

Not long afterwards she learns that there is a woman living in Dr. Rathbone's house, a woman named Rosalie. Then Diana meets Rosalie in the woods; she acts strangely and leaves Diana puzzled.

Soon after the meeting in the woods with Rosalie, Dr. Rathbone calls again at Diana's cottage.

A cablegram from Dennis arrives. He is returning from America. That interrupts what might have been a tender episode between Diana and the Doctor. He leaves; later Dennis cables that his return will be delayed. Diana thirsting for love, turns her thoughts again to Dr. Rathbone. She is thinking of him now as "Donald." Regardless of the mysterious Rosalie, Diana resolves to see Dr. Rathbone. She goes to his house, but, as she stands at the front door the doctor's big police dog leaps at her and she feels his teeth tearing at her throat.

Rathbone saves her from the beast, dresses her wounds and takes her to her own cottage. Both realize now that this is love, but Dr. Rathbone tells Diana that he can be no more than a friend, because of things in his life which he refuses to explain. He urges her to go back to London.

Dennis Waterman comes to the cottage to visit her, but she does not thrill at his presence as she once did. She goes back to London, and arranges to meet Dennis in a private room at a restaurant. While she is waiting for him Dennis's wife, Linda, comes in.

"I suppose Dennis never told you I offered to divorce him," she says.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

ELEVENTH INSTALMENT

"You—OFFERED—then?"

Linda nodded. "Yes, and I really wanted my freedom. At first I did not, but afterwards—well, he is not the only man in the world, and I am still fairly young and attractive. Anyway, Dennis refused. I suppose it did not suit his plans. I assure you that he refused with outraged dignity. It was a most amusing performance."

"He—REFUSED," Diana said again. She raised tragic eyes to Linda's unconcerned face. "Is that really the truth?" she asked painfully.

"Why should I trouble to lie about it?"

No, Linda would not trouble to lie about it, Diana knew.

Linda said with some feeling, "I'm sorry if I've hurt you. I'd hate to do that. I've been hurt myself so often and so much—"

She broke off, turning with swift welcome to greet a middle-aged gray-haired man who came through the swing doors, and Diana saw him take her hand, heard him say, "Well, my dear," saw the look they exchanged and knew that she was forgotten.

CHAPTER XVI

They went on into the restaurant and when they had gone Diana seemed to come to life. She must get away, that was her one panic-stricken thought. She must get away before Dennis came. She could never bear to meet him any more.

She would go back to the Creature—she would be safe with her. She thought of the little cottage and or her own room with almost passionate longing; not soon enough could she get away from London.

She sat back in a corner of the cab, terrified lest some freak of Fate should bring her face to face with Waterman. She only breathed freely when she was safely at the railroad station.

"What time is the next train please?"

"Come on, now, miss—first stop Guildford. If you run you will just catch it."

Diana ran. Her long skirts hampered her, and she caught them up anyhow, with impatient inelegance; she would rather die than miss that train.

The guard had already blown his whistle, but a friendly porter dashed forward and wrenched open a carriage door for her, assisting her with clumsy willingness.

Someone shouted peremptorily, "Stand way there; stand away."

But Diana only laughed hysterically as a man who was already seated in the carriage sprang to his feet and caught her firmly by her shoulders as she tripped over her long frock and almost fell.

He began to say, "That was a narrow shave—" then broke off to speak her name in hoarse amazement.

"Diana!" It was Donald Rathbone. Diana collapsed onto the seat opposite him, breathless and exhausted.

She moved her head from side to side with a dull feeling of suffocation, and Rathbone said quickly:

"How far have you been running? What is the matter, Diana?"

"Nothing." She laughed harshly. "Oh, nothing, except that once more I've discovered that life is only a rotten, beastly sham."

He let that pass, and she went on in quick excited tones:

"We're always wrong about people no matter how well we think we know them. I'll never believe in anyone again as long as I live."

She had been wrong about Linda too; somehow she had always respected Dennis's wife and envied her her poise and integrity even though she had once so foolishly hated her, and now she had discovered that Linda was playing the same game as the rest of the world, meeting another man secretly, lying about it to her husband (not that THAT mattered), in a fugitive chase after the elusive sham called Love which, even if you caught up with it, never gave you any real peace or satisfaction, but only turned to rend you.

"I'll never believe in anyone again as long as I live," Diana cried, passionately, and covering her face with her hands she began to sob.

Rathbone sat very still, his head averted. He could see that Diana was utterly overwrought and knew that she must have received a severe shock but he saw it was not yet the moment for him to speak, and presently she went on, almost incoherent with her bitter sobbing:

"People don't even LOVE you honestly . . . It's not you they think about at all . . . only themselves . . . Men don't care what becomes of any woman so long as they get what they want . . . We're just here . . . to be made use of . . . It isn't love . . . it's all a pretense . . . just hateful . . . damned . . . beastliness . . . You're all the same . . . not one of you worth a single tear . . . and yet we go on . . . hoping . . . 'We're such fools . . . breaking our hearts . . . wishing we could die . . .'"

"Diana—for God's sake—"

"It's true . . . you know it's true," she challenged him fiercely. "Yourself, only yourselves . . . that's all you care about . . . I don't believe in YOU any more, either . . . You're words were torn by her passionate the same as the others . . ." Her soggling "You know I loved you . . . I suppose you meant me to . . . and then you didn't want me to tell you . . . I suppose you were afraid I should be a nuisance to you . . . You'd got one woman on your hands . . . already . . . as much as you could manage . . . I suppose . . . So you went away . . . didn't even say good-bye . . . didn't care . . . about me, or what happened to me."

"DIANA!"

She went on passionately, utterly lost.

"It's true . . . you know it's true . . . it wouldn't matter to you if I—if I'd gone away and . . . and lived with half a dozen men . . . as long as I didn't worry you . . . any more . . . You think you're righteous . . . pretended to be . . . and all the time you were only just . . . tired of me . . . I suppose you—you'd had . . . enough . . ."

"Diana!" Rathbone said again brokenly.

With a swift movement he leaned over and took both her wrists in his grasp, drawing her hands away from her convulsed face. He held them for a moment as if even yet he could not trust himself sufficiently to tell her the truth, and then, with a smothered exclamation he bent his face to her hands, holding them tightly there, closing his eyes against their softness his lips pressed to their palms in passionate kisses.

"Diana . . . Diana . . ."

She was suddenly still, sobbing no more; her eyes were on his downcast head, her breath coming in little gasps

from between her parted lips as if each one was a separate pain . . . till at last he looked up.

For a long moment they held one another's gaze, not speaking, just reading in each other's hearts all of their sorrow and joy and pent-up love; then Rathbone leaned over and took her in his arms. He held her to him, all crumpled up as if she had been a child, till, after a long silence, during which neither of them was conscious of anything but each other's nearness, she moved her arm a little, half furtively, as if she still feared him, and then with a swift, confident movement she clasped it around his neck.

"Oh—do you love me—after all?" she sobbed, her cheek against his.

"Didn't you know?"

She shook her head, her soft hair brushing his face. "No . . . not after you went away . . . like that."

"I had to go . . . It was all I could do for you."

"And . . . now?" she breathed.

She felt his arms tighten around her for a moment, but he did not answer her whispered question, and she repeated it, changing her position a little, trying to see his face, but he kept it hidden against her.

"My dear one . . . you know I am not free."

She caught her breath. "You mean . . . Rosalie?"

"Yes."

There was a long silence. Then she asked slowly as if she dreaded the answer and yet must know:

"Who—who—is she?"

She could feel the heavy throbbing of his heart against her own.

"She's my . . . wife . . . Diana."

CHAPTER XVII

Diana's arm fell from Rathbone's shoulder, and for a moment she lay quite still, her mind a blank, her body limp; then with a swift movement she slipped from his arms, falling back helplessly onto the seat behind her.

His wife! Such a possibility had never crossed her mind.

She never doubted the truth of what he had just said—Rathbone would never lie to her.

Presently Rathbone touched her hand, rousing her.

"This is our station, Diana."

She stood up obediently, folding her coat warmly around her.

Hobson was on the platform. Rathbone spoke to him.

"I'll drive myself. Can you get a lift back?"

"Yes, sir."

Presently they were alone again, driving through the quiet roads.

Rathbone had not turned in the direction of the cottage, but Diana hardly noticed; she sat beside him, lost in a kind of stupor.

Rosalie was his wife; that meant eternal separation; she could not find room for any other thought in her bewildered mind.

Presently they were out in the country in a narrow road with trees overhead and hedges on either side; the lights of the car lamps threw each separate object into glaring relief before it swirled past them again into blackness.

Diana had let the window down, and the cool air, sweet from its flight tired face, reviving her a little. Over fields and valleys, blew on her the quiet hum of the engine seemed to be saying the same thing to her over and over again:

"She's his wife . . . she's his wife . . . she's his wife," till she felt that she must cry out in protest.

Then Rathbone drew the car to the roadside and stopped.

For a moment he sat silent at the wheel then he asked:

"Will you believe what I am going to tell you, Diana?"

She moved her head in listless assent.

"Oh, yes."

His quiet voice was a little shaken as he went on:

"First I want you to know that I love you with all my heart and soul and that I should count myself the most . . . most blessed among men if I could ask you to be my wife . . . but I can't . . . I—"

He stopped, continuing again with increasing difficulty: "Then I want you to know about . . . Rosalie. I have never told any living soul but you—I shall never tell anyone else. It all happened so long ago—twelve years, soon after the war. She—she was the wife of a friend of mine—a decent fellow from a man's point of view, but a man who should never have married . . . He didn't understand women or even try to . . . She wasn't happy with him. I was a young man then, and she—she was kind enough to like me . . ."

I am not going to pretend to you that I was not attracted to her. I was."

To Be Continued Next Week

ROWDEN

Mike and Ike

We are glad to report heavy rains over our locality the past week. Prospects are fine for a good crop year.

Rev. R. Gilliland of Baird filled his regular appointments here Saturday night, Sunday morning and night, an unusual size crowd was present Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tabor and daughters, Misses Claribel, Annie Mae and Nell, spent Sunday at Clyde. Miss Christine Bower accompanied them to Clyde.

Miss Stella Roberts has been very ill for nearly two weeks but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott and family spent Sunday with relatives at Cottonwood.

Miss Alda Nordyke's school closed Friday May 29 and she returned to her home at Cottonwood that day.

Burr Elliott was the Sunday dinner guest of Burton Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. overy Blakely and family of the Bayou, attended church at Rowden, Sunday night.

ZION HILL

The Hill Billy

Howdy folks:—Well, here I am again with a little jag of news. I wonder how you folks like the fine rains we have been receiving. Gee! We should all be thankful for every thing we get but it seems that some of us are never satisfied. If it rains for two or three weeks we say, well, it has rained enough this time, I'm ready for some dry weather, then, what happens, the hot summer and a long drouth, hard work and no cotton or feed, we show no appreciation for the good things that come our way, and when misfortune hits us we kick about it. Things can't always be rosey so why not buck up a little and thank your Maker for the things he has given for your benefit.

The "42" club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dennis last Wednesday night. The usual progressive 42 was played until about 10 o'clock. Opal Reid winning high score. Refreshments of iced lemonade and cake was served at eleven o'clock and the party broke up to meet again this week. The young folks seem to be enjoying these parties immensely and so far we have been going along in high gear. Between the last game and serving time is a good time for a few musical numbers so "ma and pa" Slim and Reuben rendered a few pieces on Spanish guitars.

Since school has closed at Putnam, efforts are being made to begin our orchestra practice again. Due to the fact that two of our members were busy with their studies we dropped practice until school closed. Now we hope that everybody concerned will start where we left off and work hard because of our long recess.

I am informed that Mrs. J. R. Morgan, who was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Martin, of Merkel, reports that there is little hope of her mother's recovery. We hope that she will soon be well again.

Well, it is almost mail time so I guess I'd better sign off. Goodbye and good luck.

OPLIN

By Lou Ella

Rev. M. F. Richardson of Elliasville, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday at 11 and at 2 and Sunday.

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The picnic on the Oplin school grounds last Saturday was well attended. There were several candidates present. Plenty of dinner and everyone reported a nice time.

Miss Peggy Edwards of Anson is visiting her uncle, Mr. T. A. Irvin and family near Oplin.

Ray Lawler of O'Donnel, visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Preston visited home folks here last week.

Rev. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Atwood and Mrs. Irma Haynes were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Peavy of Cottonwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Peavy and Grandma Johnson here last Friday and Saturday.

Luther Johnson and family and Howard Watson and wife, of Clyde, visited the Gwins Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Preston of N. M. is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hen. This section was visited by some

ry Preston.

fine rains the first of the week. The health of this community is good so far as we know.

Mrs. Walter Reed who has been sick for several weeks is improving.

A bashful bandit who started to hold up a Chicago shoe store dropped his gun and ran wildly out the door when Bessie Marion walked by the window and shook her finger at him.

"Let my last ride be behind horses," reads the will of David Bridgeman Metchim of Wimbledon, Eng.



"O, Gee!—Grandma's Walking Downstairs—"

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PERSONALS

Weldon Varner, who attended Baylor Medical College, is at home.

C. B. Snyder, Faye Snyder and Jim Cottle, of Moran, were in Baird yesterday.

Mrs. Barker, of Ranger, spent the last week end with her father, W. M. Coffman.

Miss Elizabeth Boren has returned from Lockhart, where she taught in the High School the past year.

Mrs. M. F. Blount returned to her home in Big Spring last Friday after a visit with relatives here.

Miss Mary Mae Tyson, of Oplin, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lewis and daughter, Edith, and Maxine Williams, left Wednesday morning for Austin.

Misses Donna McGowen, Dorothy Boydston, Harold Haley and Ralph Short, who attended Simmons University the past year, are at home.

Mrs. Marshall Newcombe, of Dallas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brightwell.

Miss Verna Mae Edwards has gone to Abilene, where she will enter Abilene Christian College for the summer term.

Mrs. Harry Lunenbringer and little daughter, Harriett Ann, of Big Spring, spent the week end with Mrs. Henry Lambert and family.

Miss Cleora Boatwright has returned home from Graham, where she taught in the public school the past year.

Mrs. Bessie Short is in Abilene this week attending the commencement exercises of Simmons University, where her youngest son, Ralph Short will receive his B. A. degree.

Miss Donna Carter, of Big Spring, is visiting her grand mother, Mrs. Henry Lambert and family. Miss Dona will go from here to Denton, where she will attend C. I. A. this summer.

Mrs. W. V. Stephenson and little daughter, Virginia have returned from Denton where they spent several days with Mr. Stephenson, who is drilling an oil well there.

Mrs. S. P. Rumph has been in Ft. Worth the past week attending the commencement exercises of the Central High School, her daughter, Miss Polly Ann, being a member of the graduation class.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Cross and children, Misses Bessie, Lillian Lee and Joe, of Magargle, also their elder son, Virgil Cross, and wife, of Idalou, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Joe R. Mayes and family this week.

Mrs. M. D. Hoover, of Dallas, accompanied by her little daughter, Zelma, were here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes and family and attending the commencement exercises of the Baird High School. Sam Orr, youngest son of Mrs. Hoover, is a member of the graduating class.

Frank Cartwell, cattle buyer of Kansas City, was in Baird yesterday. We understand that Mr. Cartwell bought some cattle from R. D. Williams, of Putnam.

Mr. Cartwell bought some cattle from the Hall, Owens, Young and Cutbirth ranches some weeks ago.

Mrs. Cooley, of Chicago, formerly Miss Francis Snyder, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder at Moran, and her sister, Miss Laura Snyder, were the guests of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr. the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker left Wednesday for Dallas, where they will spend the summer. Mr. Walker has been with The Star as Linotype operator and pressman for the past 18 months and Mrs. Walker taught a class in expression and dancing the past school term. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will return to Baird in September. Mr. Walker to resume his duties on The Star and Mrs. Walker to resume her classes in expression and dancing at the opening of the school term.

Mrs. J. R. Price, of Van Horn is visiting her son and daughter, Richard Price and wife and Mrs. Wade Harding and family, also her mother, Mrs. W. E. Gilliland and family. Margie Harding, who spent the past year with her grand parents and attended the Van Horn public school returned with her grand mother. Margie did splendid work in school; she having received a certificate for general excellence in her grade and also was awarded sev-

prizes for good work in school.

Mrs. Frank Hudson and little daughter, of Novice, spent the past week in Baird visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell and attending the graduating exercises of Baird High School, daughter, Miss Elsie Marie, being a member of the graduating class. Dr. Joe McFarlane, of Brownwood, also attended the exercises. Miss Elsie Marie is Dr. McFarlane's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Hornsby, of Fort Worth, were here this week to attend the graduation exercises of the Baird High School. Mr. Hornsby's youngest brother, Alton, being a member of the graduating class. Mrs. Hornsby went to Abilene to attend the graduation exercises of the Abilene High School, her sister, Miss Lois Powell, being a member of that class.

ATWELL

(Brown Eyes)

Rev. Reynolds, of Putnam, preached at the school house to a good crowd Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzy and Mr. Nettles of Putnam, accompanied by Rev. Reynolds attended church Sunday night.

Rev. Newman, of Primitive Faith preached at Primitive Baptist church Monday night; the writer failed to hear where he lives.

Rains fell at this place last Tuesday and Saturday night. Farmer are delayed again in planting and plowing.

Gardens are good in this community and the ladies are busy canning peas beans and berries.

S. G. Jones is marketing dew berries and peaches at Putnam.

Atwell Literary met Friday night and rendered a good program.

J. Melvin Jones, of Olney, visited relatives here and at Coleman and Santa Anna Friday and Saturday, returning to Olney Saturday afternoon.

S. N. Foster and family, Prof. and Mrs. McClintock and baby attended closing exercises of the Belle Plaine school Friday.

The young people enjoyed a party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Saunders.

Mrs. Walter Jackson left Thursday to visit her mother in Jack county. D. C. Foster and family attended the funeral of his cousin Mr. Whit-zel's baby at Cottonwood Saturday afternoon.

S. A. Black left last Wednesday to work at a refinery near Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Holder and son of near Scranton visited in S. A. Black's home Thursday evening.

Ernest B. Jones and family of Coleman; Mrs. Lora Belle Jones of near Hermeliger, Texas visited at the home of Mrs. J. R. Jones Sunday afternoon. John H. Shrader, of Scranton, was in this community Monday soliciting voters for County Clerk, of Callahan County.

ROWDEN

Mike and Ike

We had the heaviest rain Sunday night over our locality we have had in many months. Farmers are needing enough dry weather now to permit them to work their crops.

So far as we know there were no church services of any kind here Sunday as they were rained out.

Mr. W. V. Roberts, son and daughter, Mr. Burton and Miss Stella Roberts, Mr. J. M. Hardin and nephew, Mr. Adrain Hardin were all in Abilene Saturday afternoon on business.

Mr. Burr Elliott was the Sunday afternoon guest of Mr. Adrain Hardin. Mr. Burton Roberts went to Baird Sunday evening to hear the baccalaureate sermon delivered to the seniors of Baird High School, by Rev. Walker.

Miss Jane P. Hall returned a few days ago to her home in Oklahoma City.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Ivan Odum's father, of Cross Plains, passed away last Friday morning at 4 o'clock. Rev. Odum had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips and family were in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. Burton Roberts was the Sunday guest of Mr. Adrain Hardin.

Miss Ruth Roberts who has been a junior in the Baird High School the past year returned to her home here Wednesday; school closed May, 31st.

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Mrs. Mitchell

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Miss Helen Bosworth went with them for a visit of several weeks with her sister in Springtown. She will also visit her brother in Ft. Worth.

A Sunday School Social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strahan, Friday evening, was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth and Ritchey Mitchell attended the play, at Atwell, Friday night.

The Stork, in his busy round, left a baby girl with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Casey, Friday evening, who are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woody.

F. E. Mitchell made a business trip to Moran, Saturday.

John Whitehead of Amarillo visited his brother, Jack Whitehead and family, last week, enroute to Dublin, where he went Monday.

Mrs. Miles Hardy and children of Bradshaw are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brownlee.

John Woody of Abilene visited relatives here this week.

Rev. Williamson of the Dressy community, filled the regular appointments of Rev. Stapleton at the Methodist church, Sunday. Bro. Stapleton having gone to Col. with matrimonial intention. We are anxious to welcome Mrs. Stapleton to this part of the pastorate.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Peavy attended the community picnic at Oplin Saturday and visited relatives.

Gwen Ray of Cisco was prospecting in Cottonwood, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reed and Parker Coppinger of Abilene, spent Sunday with home folks, The Coppingers.

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Sunday night I will give you one on the "Gospel Way."

Our meeting was fine, it was not a large ingathering, but one of those meetings where things that hindered were gotten out of the way, and the church and community are made better by it. Harvest was on, every-body was busy, so we closed and likely will hold another some time a little later. Let's be in our places Sunday.
Joe R. Mayes.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST: A black traveling bag, containing ladies and children clothing, 1 pair of men's trousers, also a wrist watch; Lost Monday between Baird and Clyde. Suitable reward for return to T. E. Powell at the First National Bank, Baird. 27-1t.

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Minutes of County Finances

Order approving Quarterly Report of County Treasurer:

On this the 12th day of April, A. D. 1932, came on to be examined and for approval the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Will McCoy, County Treasurer, for the period beginning January 1st, and ending March 31st, 1932, and said report being duly checked by the Commissioners' Court, and the County Judge whose names appear below, as to all receipts and disbursements, and the same is hereby approved by the Court, and reflects true balances, etc., of the various accounts therein as follows:

JURY FUND, 1st Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31st, 1931	\$ 2,037.82	
To Amount received since last Report	4,449.03	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit A		\$ 648.00
Amount to Balance		5,838.85
Balance \$5,838.85	Total \$ 6,486.85	\$ 6,486.85

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, 2nd Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$ 886.73	
To Amount received since last Report	24,775.65	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	.01	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit B		\$11,047.80
By Amount transferred to other Funds since last Report		379.78
Amount to Balance		14,233.81
Balance \$14,233.81	Total \$25,661.39	\$25,661.39

GENERAL COUNTY FUND, 3rd. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$ 2,340.26	
To Amount received since last Report	8,014.96	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit C		\$ 4,830.21
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report		300.37
Amount to Balance		5,224.64
Balance \$5,224.64	Total \$10,355.22	\$10,355.22

ROAD DISTRICT No. 1 SINKING FUND, 6th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$14,325.90	
To Amount received since last Report	11,568.69	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit F		\$ 2,015.73
Amount to Balance		23,878.86
Balance \$23,878.86	Total \$25,894.59	\$25,894.59

COURT HOUSE FUND, 7th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 2,118.82	
To Amount received since last Report	6.52	
Amount to Balance		\$ 2,125.34
Balance \$2,125.34	Total \$ 2,125.34	\$ 2,125.34

ROAD DISTRICT No.1. AVAILABLE FUND, 8th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$ 157.18	
To Amount received since last Report	13.82	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit H		\$ 171.00
Balance Acc't closed		\$ 171.00
Balance \$171.00	Total \$ 171.00	\$ 171.00

ROAD DISTRICT No.4 SINKING FUND, 9th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$13,673.25	
To Amount received since last Report	3,147.79	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit I		\$ 1,823.66
Amount to Balance		14,997.38
Balance \$14,997.38	Total \$16,821.04	\$16,821.04

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND, 10th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$ 2,337.85	
To Amount received since last Report	7,935.56	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Exhibit J		\$ 2,589.01
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report		79.98
Amount to Balance		7,604.42
Balance \$7,604.42	Total \$10,273.41	\$10,273.41

COURT HOUSE SINKING FUND, 11th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	\$ 6,050.04	
To Amount received since last Report	4,381.25	
Amount to Balance		\$10,431.29
Balance \$10,431.29	Total \$10,431.29	\$10,431.29

ROAD AND BRIDGE SINKING FUND, 12th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931	No Balance	
To Amount received since last Report	\$ 3,763.71	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	379.78	
Amount to Balance		\$ 4,143.49
Balance \$4,143.49	Total \$ 4,143.49	\$ 4,143.49

GENERAL COUNTY SINKING FUND, 13th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931		
To Amount received since last report	\$ 2,977.80	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	300.57	
Amount to Balance		\$ 3,278.37
Balance \$3,278.17	Total \$ 3,278.17	\$ 3,278.17

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT SINKING FUND, 14th. Class

Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1931		
To Amount received since last Report	\$ 792.31	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	79.98	
Amount to Balance		\$ 872.29
Balance \$872.29	Total \$ 872.29	\$ 872.29

Witness our hands, officially, this 12th day of April, A. D. 1932.
 J. H. CARPENTER, County Judge.
 J. W. HAMMONS, Commissioner Precinct No.1.
 SIDNEY HARVILLE, Commissioner Precinct No.2.
 C. E. BRAY, Commissioner Precinct No.3.
 G. H. CLIFTON, Commissioner Precinct No.4.

Attest: S. E. SETTLE, Ex-Officio Clerk of said Court.

The State of Texas, County of Callahan. I, S. E. Settle, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court of said County and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing a true and correct copy of the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Will McCoy, County Treasurer, together with the Order of the Court approving the same, as appears from the Minutes of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 12th day of April, 1932

SEAL S. E. SETTLE, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Callahan County, Texas.

Honor Roll, Baird Public School

HIGHEST GENERAL AVERAGE

1st. Grade: Maxine Stringfellow, 94.2; Billie G. Hatchett, 94.1.
 Miss Clark's Room: Vel Livingston, 93; Ellena Jones, 92.
 2nd. Grade: Bettie McCoy, 95.8; Bill Yarborough, 95.4.
 3rd. Grade: Bobbie Latimer, 96.8; Aubrey Ground, 95.3.
 4th. Grade: Russell Chatham, 96.6; Clyde Wallace Yarborough, 96.1.
 5th. Grade: Katie Mae Nichols, 96.1; Murline Young, 95.8.
 6th. Grade: Byrle Owens, 95.9; Lyh-day Stringfellow, 94.4.
 7th. Grade: Edith Lewis, 95.2; Catherine James, 95.1.
 8th. Grade: Sarah Nell Cooke, 97.5; Kenneth George, 94.
 9th. Grade: Helen Virginia Mayfield, 96; Howard Martin, 94.
 10th. Grade: Clarence Pretz, 95.5; Mary Jo Hart, 98.7.
 11th. Grade: Van Boatwright, 98; Weldon Bryant, 95.6.
 Post Graduates: Lucile Jones, First, Av. 98 3-4; Eva Robinson, Sec. Av., 91 W. E. Gilliland Memorial Medal, for Highest Average in History: Helen Virginia Mayfield, 98.5.

HONOR ROLL CALL FOR YEAR

Miss Clark's Room: Vel Livingston.
SECOND GRADE: Kitty Ruth Brown, Betty Ann Bounds, Alene Chatham, Pauline Coats, Ruth Dyer, Errolene Haley, Charity Gilliland, Elaine Fern Jones, Willie Martha Miller, Betty McCoy, Myrtille Settle, Ellen Gee Tankersley, John Preston Work, James Waylis, and Bill Yarborough.
THIRD GRADE: Eloise Berry, Lilah Lee Browning, Marian Dyer, Ruth Ford, Gladys Hanson, Elbertine Whalen, John Charles Coats, Eugene Lee Finley; Aubrey Ground, Bobby Latimer, Bobby Owens, Joe Percy, Sterling Reynolds, Ben Louis Russell and Jimmie Shaw.
FOURTH GRADE: Russell Cratham, Troy Robinson, Herbert Warren, Clyde Wallace Yarborough, Jo Ruth Arvin, Deloras Rylee, Jeraine Smedley, Marion Oliva Vestal, Morea Walls and Vivian Grace West.
FIFTH GRADE: Clifton Stringfellow, Selwin Settle, Robert Smith, Loyce Bell, Madge Bennett, Lorraine Brown, Mary Lillian Harville, John Faye Hays, Mildred Hearn, Wloma King, Frances Luceford, Nora Morrison, Katie Mae Nichols, Ellen Louise Nunnally, Frances Haworth and Omo Lou Jester.
SIXTH GRADE: Ford Allen, Norman George, Mona Bess Bradford, Atrelle Estes, Ruth Hardwick, Frances Mayfield, Frankie McLendon, Bryl Owens, Bernice Robinson, Lyndal Stringfellow, Blanche Varner and Anita Weldon.
SEVENTH GRADE: Clifton Hill, D. D. West, Catherine James, Edith Lewis, Katherine McCoy and Maxine Williams.
EIGHTH GRADE: Sarah Nell Cooke, Ida Louise Fetterley and Kenneth George.
NINTH GRADE: Howard Martin, Tom Warren, Shelba Jones, Helen Virginia Mayfield and Ann Smith.
TENTH GRADE: Clarence Pretz and Mary Jo Hart.
ELEVENTH GRADE: Weldon Bryant, J. B. Stringer, Mary Blackburn, Van Boatwright, Elsie Marie Hudson, Wanda Kennedy, Pauline Putnam, Wilda Smith, Lois Mary Singleton.

Perfect Attendance For Year

FIRST GRADE: Elda Ormsby.
 Miss Clark's Room: Vel Livingston, Ruby Russon and Tommy Gorman.
SECOND GRADE: Ruth Dyer and Ellen Gee Tankersley.
THIRD GRADE: Marian Dyer, Roxie Northcutt and Jack Ray.
FOURTH GRADE: Frenchy Bennett, John Fielder, Joseph Fielder, E. J. Northcutt, Grady Redding, Marion Vestal and Lawrence Wheeler.
FIFTH GRADE: Buckle Coats, Maurice Coley, Weldon Corn, Grover Wiley Madge Bennett, Mary Lillian Harville and John Faye Hays.
SIXTH GRADE: Willie Oscar McWhoreter, Mona Bess Bradford, Lorraine Henry, Sybil Northcutt, Bernice Robinson and Blanche Varner.
SEVENTH GRADE: Clifton Hill, Clarence Percy, Floyd Pretz, Catherine James, Ruth Ray, Susie Lee Smith and Betty Wheeler.
EIGHTH GRADE: Sarah Cooke, Ida Louise Fetterley, Jesse Hart, M. L. Hughes and Robert Walls.
NINTH GRADE: Fayne Hollingshead, Paul Robinson and Shelba Jones.
TENTH GRADE: Annie Catherine McGee and Mary Jo Hart.
ELEVENTH GRADE: Billie James, D. S. McGee and Emma Lelan Wheeler.

100% Department For Year

FIRST GRADE: J. D. Robinson, Billie G. Hatchett, Thurman Comings, Robert Warren, Jimmie Chatham, Catherine Ford, Lara Louise Hughes, Pauline Hanson, Margie Ingram, Maty Viek Johnson, Marguerite McClendon, Ola Bess McGee, Maxine Stringfellow and Dorothy Dobbins.
 Miss Clark's Room: John Argumanis, Buddy Brumbaugh, Joe Clark, Vele

Livingston, Emmitt McQueen, W. A. Stiles, Pete Vallego, Lavougrn Johnson, Tommy Gorman, Geraldine Burke, Francie Clark, Patty Estes, Ruby Russon, Elaine Jones, Bobby Tollett, Felipe Vallago, Maria Padilla, Maria Mandez and Millie Dobbins.
SECOND GRADE: Ruth Dyer, Doris Dorene Ground, Charity Gilliland, Katie Lou Walker, Mollie Dobbins, Billy Allen, Eugene Swinson and Bill Yarborough.
THIRD GRADE: Eloise Berry, Lilah Lee Browning, Marian Dyer, Ruth Ford, Gladys Hanson, Lawana Conley, Kathryn Dobbins and Babby Latimer.
FOURTH GRADE: Mury Allen, Russell, Chatham, Clyde Wallace, Yarborough, Marion Oliva Vestal, Morea Walls, Leona Dobbins and Marguerite Austin.
FIFTH GRADE: Billie McCoy, Marvin Swinson, Bobby Austin, Loyce Bell, Mary Lillian Harville, Katie Mae Nichols, Ellen Louise Nunnally, Frances Haworth, Muriel Young and Oma Lou Jester.
SIXTH GRADE: Ford Allen, A. J. Bruce, Sam Driskill, Norman George, Willie Oscar McWhorter, Mona Bess Bradford, Dorothy Burkes, Atrelle Estes, Mary Louise Gilliland, Rutr Hardwick, Lorraine Henry, Johnnie Mae Hughes, Frances Mayfield, Sybil Northcutt and Bernice Robinson.
SEVENTH GRADE: Inez Lambert and Edith Lewis.
EIGHTH GRADE: Ida Louise Fetterley, Mary Nell Hardwick, Nita Ruth McElroy, Winnie Russon, Euna Lee Stanley, Kenneth George, J. C. McGee, and Robert Walls.
NINTH GRADE: John V. Boatwright, Fayne Hollingshead, Howard Martin, B. L. Vines, Bonnie Black, Jaunita Duncean, Lena Free, Olga Johnson, Magdalene Jones, Myrtle Jones, Anna Smith, Flossie Maner and Marjorie Hart.
TENTH GRADE: L. C. Duncan, Grace Evans, Ruth Roberts, Marine Winn, Lela Mae Chatham and Lena Rhodes.
ELEVENTH GRADE: Otis Coats, D. S. McGee, Dean Myers, J. B. Stringer, Maida Beasley, Van Boatwright, Doris Carlile, Jewel Hopkins, Elsie Marine Hudson, Inez Hunter, Ava Nell Richardson, Gussie Smith, Louise Smith, Wilda Smith, Lois Mary Singleton, Gladys Thompson, Archola Trussell, Emma Lelan Wreeler.
POST GRADUATES: Lucille Jones, Eva Robinson, Percy King and Ethel Sprouse.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our dear son and brother, Willie McQueen.

We also thank the good christian ladies and friends for the flowers and dinner. We hope some day to return all the good favors for "Willie's" friends who showed so much kindness toward him while in the hospital—especially Miss Akers, Miss Baker, Mrs. Green, also the pall bearers. May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon you all.

Respectfully,
 Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McQueen and family.

Resolutions of Respect

To Baird Lodge No. 271 I. O. O. F., Baird, Texas.

Your resolutions committee appointed to draft suitable sympathy on the death of Brother C. L. Gunn, who departed this life May 9th, 1932.

Our Brother is no more, we will miss him, and cherish him, in our memory. Our hearts were saddened when we heard of his death.

The Grand Sire of the Universe called him from earthly pursuits to activities Above, and he had to submit to the command.

While we sorrow with his children

and extend to them our sympathy, yet we realize our Lodge too, suffers the loss of a good member and the community the loss of a good citizen. He served our Lodge faithfully and gave to it his services through-out.

Those left behind, will, we are sure, ever remember him as a faithful and devoted father who guarded them through life and left a splendid heritage to his loved ones.

We recommend that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the children and a copy furnished the Baird Star for publication.

Fraternally submitted,
 H. SCHWARTZ
 S. I. SMITH
 GEO. NITSCHKE

The members of Baird Rebekah Lodge No. 112, feel the great loss sustained by the children of the late C. L. Gunn, their father. In as much as Sisters Lorena and Myrtle Gunn, and Sister Boatwright, are members of this Lodge, it is but proper that we tender our sympathy to them and by no means forgetting to include other members of the family. It is ever sad to lose a loved one, especially a loving father, the protector of his children but its God's will and his be done—Beloved we sorrow with you, accept our tenderest sympathy.

MRS. SUSIE SMITH
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"Gold" Is Still There

All that glitters is not gold. P. E. Morrison, interior decorator from Philadelphia, visiting Reno, Nev., admitted after abandoning all illusions about prospecting, especially in old wells. A metallic glom at the bottom of a dry shaft on the Pirks ranch west of Reno lured Morrison to investigate. But when he had lowered himself with a rope to within four feet of the bottom, a chorus of hisses and buzzes informed him he was intruding on a rattlesnake residence. His shouts for help brought rescuers, including the fire department.

Landed Nine-Foot Shark

A nine-foot shark weighing several hundred pounds was harpooned at Ocracoke, N. C., by David Gaskill, Ocracoke, and Carl Jacobson, Washington, N. C. When the shark came within five feet of the boat, Gaskill threw the harpoon. It struck the shark in the back. The little boat was pulled several hundred yards down the channel. The shark was finally brought to the shore and landed with block and tackle.

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