

THE BAIRD STAR

Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Gilt-up-and-Gilt That Makes Men Great."
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BAIRD: Callahan county seat, T & P railroad division point, on state and federal highways, strong churches, good schools, and home of 1,821 typical Texas people.

CALLAHAN COUNTY: fine ranches, diversified farming, and one of Texas most active oil producing areas, population 8,087, elevation 1,900 feet, annual rainfall 25 inches.

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SUPPORT OUR HOME TOWN

SWEET 'N' SOUR

By A. Dill

The amazing way in which September will be October by tomorrow and summertime is way back "yonder" is probably what they mean by Jet Age. Halloween treats for the goblin pranksters are already on store counters and they won't get settled into place before the Thanksgiving displays go up. You know what follows that - 'n where inarnation did we put those jingle bells?

Cheers for Irma Lois Crow honored as Homecoming Queen for 1960 at the alumni meeting Saturday. Never have we seen a crowd so much of one opinion as the throng that saluted Mrs. Crow at her presentation during the half-time period at the Homecoming game Saturday night. "Perfect choice - who has done more for the ex-student association? And she still serves school so well" - all of these comments and more greeted the attractive Queen, and we agree heartily with all of them. Irma Lois has worked faithfully and tirelessly with the Homecoming organization each year. She is a graduate of Baird High School with a splendid scholastic, and she's one of the finest and most efficient teachers the school has ever had the good fortune to count as part of its faculty, so we repeat, cheers for the Homecoming Queen.

Speaking of Homecoming - we think the 1960 president and his staff deserve a special bouquet for the work they did to make the affair so very enjoyable. It was well-organized from the first planning session to the finished program and those things just don't happen - it takes time, study, and work to accomplish it.

The nip 'tuck football game was made to order for the capacity crowd of Bear fans who jammed the Den to see it. Baird exes may have found many changes in the red schoolhouse of their student days and the lovely modern plant the youngsters now enjoy, but one thing seems to have remained the same - the good old Baird-Clyde grudge game. Now that it's over maybe the growls and snarls will subside and we'll enjoy a time of peace - until next September, that is.

Homecoming brought the VIP to town - and we saw a few of you. Suzanne Sladous Lucas and her lovely children were here for the celebration. Carolyn Rolfe Ted Gunn and their two pretty youngsters came in especially for the big day and we also had a brief chat with Gusslyn and Bill Yarbrough and their son here Saturday.

Bill and Clovie Johnson and baby daughter came in to visit both the young folk's families and to attend Homecoming.

Kenneth and Martha George and family came in from Abilene, both are Baird exes and Homecoming is special to them. Benny and Madge Pierson, Benjy and Kitty were here from Nacogdoches and enjoying the reunion immensely.

and Mrs. Lee Ivey had special guests, daughter Janis Ferguson and children, Martha, Ivey, Brit, Tim and John, and also Carol's child, Carey Moring of Austin.

Katie Lou Walker came home from Sweetwater for the occasion.

Maude and Fred Hart were happy over their guests, Howard and Mary Jo Garner and Gwynne of Lamesa, also Gwynne's school mate, Kaki Pinsky.

Johnny and Frances Sparks and son Jimmy Dean visited her mom and dad, the Millard McElreys, and also attended the school celebration.

Dorothy Jones Chittum of Abilene and Goldie Jones Kilpatrick of Ballinger were here to visit the Joe Jones and to be on hand for Homecoming.

De Kniffen of Midland is a Baird ex-student that came home Saturday and ditto for Aubrey and Sue Ground of Odessa who made the trip for the special occasion.

Mrs. Bessie Henry welcomed guests in her home this week end, son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Henry, Tewy and Craig of San Angelo. Travis, by the way, is an instructor in the San Angelo College.

Verda Morrison was a welcome visitor in town Saturday, - she's a Baird Bear in good standing, too.

Good to see dept. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haley of Houston here

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\$2,000 Credited To Callahan Chapter

Fred Goble, Chairman of Callahan Chapter, National Foundation, March of Dimes, was notified this week that \$2,000 had been transferred to Callahan Chapters account at the Texas Rehabilitation Center in Gonzales by the National Foundation.

The Callahan Chapter owed a total of \$4,573.10 on patients care from this county. The local chapter paid \$1,650.00 on this indebtedness, leaving an indebtedness of \$2,923.10, and after crediting the \$2,000, the Callahan Chapter now owes \$923.10, said Mr. Goble.

The National Chapter is urging that all possible be done to make the 1961 March of Dimes so successful that the remainder of the debt can be retired, and have funds to care for next year's needs.

A number of chapters with funds in excess of their immediate patient aid needs have generously sent money in to headquarters to be advanced to chapters heavily in debt.

Man Arrested With Stolen Car

Following arrest in Baird, a 26 year old California man was arraigned Tuesday afternoon on a charge of interstate transportation of a motor vehicle before U. S. Commissioner Gladys M. Walls in Abilene.

The suspect, identified by an FBI agent as Billy Dean Coughron, of Venice, Calif., waived preliminary hearing and was being held in Taylor County jail on \$1,000 bond.

The FBI was also checking to see if Coughron is wanted on any other charge by federal or state authorities.

Coughron was arrested Tuesday morning in Baird, after failing to pay for a tank of gasoline at a Cisco service station.

The operator of a station just outside Cisco reported to police that man in a 1960 Comet had driven away without paying for the fuel.

Cisco police alerted the sheriff's office at Baird which stationed a unit on U. S. Highway 80. The suspect turned south in Baird, went three blocks, turned west again and headed out a farm-to-market road, avoiding the deputy.

The car was reportedly stolen at Corpus Christi on or about Sept. 13 and driven to California and back to Texas.

Funeral Held For Billy James Wolfe

Funeral was held at 4 p. m. Wednesday at the Wylie Funeral Chapel for Billy James Wolfe, 26, who died Saturday in a Nogales, Ariz., hospital of injuries suffered Friday in an auto mishap.

The body arrived in Baird at 3 a. m. Wednesday. Burial was in Dudley Cemetery.

A resident of Dallas, Mr. Wolfe was in Arizona on business.

Survivors include his wife; a son, James C.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wolfe of Clyde; three sisters, Mrs. W. M. Price of Abilene, Mrs. J. W. Hash of Graham, and Mrs. H. E. Holliday of Dallas.

Kennedy-Johnson Campaign Planned

Randall C. Jackson, State Committeeman, called a meeting Monday night at the American Legion Hall, to complete plans for the organization of the Callahan County Kennedy-Johnson Committee.

Maurice Brooks, co-district director of Abilene, was speaker for the meeting.

Committees were appointed and plans made for an active Democratic campaign in Callahan County.

Supt. Ferrell Newton of Clyde, Supt. George Beard of Eula, Supt. R. W. Reynolds of Putnam, Supt. Paul Whitton of Cross Plains and County Supt. L. C. Cash attended a school administrator's meeting in Austin Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Dunlap Jr. and Rosalyn returned to their home in Andrews after several days visit with Mrs. Stella Smith and Beatrice Deal.

Capacity Homecoming Crowd Sees Bears Defeat Clyde Bulldogs, 28-23

Baird's Bears thrilled the huge Homecoming crowd Saturday night by staging a 4th period rally to defeat the Clyde Bulldogs 28-23. Calvin Barnes scored from 4 yards out in the final frame, and Baird fought off several strong Clyde threats to assure the victory.

Jerry Polson was the big gun for the Bulldogs, scoring twice on runs of 8 and 20 yards. David Ramos added the third Bulldog score on a run of 30 yards.

Barnes passed to Ronnie Ault for five yards and the first Bear score in the first quarter. Don Hargrove, Bear fullback, tallied the second touchdown on a 2 yard plunge in the second period. Hargrove also scored six points on an 80 yard run in the third, and Barnes tallied the final touchdown.

The game was hard-fought but the teams played exceptionally clean football, despite the keen rivalry between the schools plus the excitement of Baird's Homecoming.

Official Proclamation Of National Business Women's Week

I, J. L. Ault, Mayor of the City of Baird, Texas, do hereby proclaim October 2, through October 8, 1960 to be

NATIONAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S WEEK

This annual week, sponsored throughout the United States by the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., is set aside to pay tribute to women in business and the professions, and the contribution they make to the nation. The theme of the 1960 National Business Women's Week is "Symbol of the Sixties-More Women at Work."

Signed J. L. Ault, Mayor.

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Dr. Griggs to Receive Honors Monday

Promoter Benny Wilson is reopening the Fall and Winter season wrestling Monday night in the Abilene Sportatorium.

Monday night's show will be dedicated to Dr. R. L. Griggs of Baird.

Promoter Wilson said: "This first wrestling show will be dedicated to pioneer Dr. Griggs. Loved by all wrestlers, promoters and sport fans alike, Dr. Griggs has been our good friend and a wrestling fan as long as we can remember. We all wish you many more years of good health and hope to see you at ringside every Monday night, Dr. Griggs."

Robert Norwood of San Francisco, Calif., visited last week in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mr. Ivey. Mr. Norwood, a recent graduate of San Jose State College, was enroute to California after a tour of Europe.

Mrs. E. J. Hill and Mrs. Lee Ivey went to Austin Tuesday where they visited their daughters, Mrs. Ira Goodrich and Mrs. M. O. Moring and families.

Prison Rodeo Opens Sunday, Oct. 2nd

Sharing the spotlight for the opening performance of the 29th Annual Texas Prison Rodeo Sunday, October 2, at 2 p. m. will be Ricky Nelson, sensational singing star and the toughest gathering of inmate contestants ever to grace the prison stadium rodeo arena.

Indications are that along with the "cream of the crop" riders will be equally, if not the toughest rodeo stock in the history of these colorful events.

In addition to Nelson, inmate riders and a host of other specialty attractions, there will be a girls' barrel race, trick riding, calf roping and features by several inmate groups.

Inmate musical groups will under the direction of Lee Norton, well known Houston singer. He will act as master of ceremonies for western and string bands, singing groups and the Glee Girls, who this year have Candy Barr, a former Dallas entertainer as one of its members. Net proceeds from ticket sales go for inmate rehabilitative services not furnished by state tax money. This program includes religious, educational and medical needs.

The county show was judged by Thomas Spears of Clyde.

County Agent's Column

By GLEN GREEN

Gary Goin of Clyde showed the first place gilt in the Callahan County 4-H Club Sears Gilt Show held at Clyde recently. Larry Franke of Cross Plains was second, J. W. Gray of Eula third, Becky Dyer of Clyde was fourth, Judy Farmer of Clyde fifth and Sandra Antille of Clyde was sixth. Other 4-H Club members who own Sears Gilt this year are Johnnie Ray Harrison of Oplin, and George Lee Parrish of Cross Plains.

The county show was judged by Thomas Spears of Clyde. Carol Yarbrough of Clyde won third place in the Sears Store Area Show, with her Duroc boar pig, and Gary Goin of Clyde won fourth place with his Duroc gilt.

The Store Area Show was held at Abilene on Saturday, Sept. 17, and was judged by Sterling Lindsey, County Agricultural Agent of Coke County.

Byron Snyder won third place with a Hampshire ewe in the 2 to 4 tooth ewe class in the Junior Division at the West Texas Fair, held in Abilene.

In the open class, he won 4th place. Byron also showed a Hampshire ewe lamb which did not place.

This was the first experience for this group of 4-H Club members to exhibit their animals in the show ring and they all did very good. With a little more experience they will become very capable showmen.

Mary Lynn Hodson Weds Cisco Man

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodson announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Lynn, to Norvin E. Wilkins of Cisco. The wedding was held Monday at 8:00 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilkins of Cisco.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blue knit dress and a corsage of white carnations. Following the tradition of something old, she wore her grandmother's wedding ring. For something borrowed and blue, she wore a bracelet belonging to Miss Sue Miller.

Honor attendants were Sue Miller of Eula, and Buddy Turnipseed of Cisco. Candlelighter was Lynn Wilkins, brother of the bridegroom.

Rev. Harrell sang the Lord's Prayer at the close of the ceremony.

Attending the wedding were the families of the couple, and Peggy Payne.

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride's table, overlaid with white linen, was centered with a pink and white cake, with a miniature bride and groom.

The bridegroom is employed by Strange & Son Construction Co. in Cisco, where the couple will reside.

Cecil Harris Heads Co. Pecan Growers

Cecil Harris of Eula was named president and C. E. Hicks of Clyde, vice president, of the Callahan County Pecan Growers Association, in an organizational meeting held at Clyde Community Center Monday night.

The group discussed some possible activities, and plans were started for a Pecan Show to be held early in December.

Everyone interested in pecan production and promotion is invited to become a member of this association and help to promote this worthwhile industry and hobby.

Mrs. Nora Copeland, Mrs. Nettie Kershner and Mrs. Walter Bowler of Tyler, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Griggs and family this week.

Mrs. Frank Crow Chosen as Queen At Baird Homecoming Saturday

Mrs. Frank Crow, 1943 graduate of Baird High School, reigned as 1960 Homecoming Queen during the seventh annual Homecoming ceremonies Saturday.

Mrs. Crow, who began teaching in Baird in 1951 as business education teacher, is the high school pep squad sponsor, junior class sponsor, and has been secretary of the ex-student association since its reorganization in 1954.

Dr. M. C. McGowen, outgoing president, was Mrs. Crow's escort when she was presented during half-time ceremonies at the Baird-Clyde game Saturday night.

A. E. Dyer, Jr., was elected president of the exes group for the coming year. Other new officers elected are Jimmy Roy Hatchett, first vice president; James Eubanks, second vice president; Mrs. Fred Goble, third vice president; Mrs. Frank Crow, secretary; Mrs. Jimmy Barnes, assistant secretary; Mrs. Vida Hill, treasurer; Mrs. B. G. Hatchett, historian, and Mrs. Joe Harris, publicity chairman.

Mrs. J. F. Boren of Abilene was honored for her work in organizing the first library for Baird High School at the afternoon business session.

Mrs. L. L. Blackburn of Baird was recognized as the oldest teacher and ex-student present. She attended Baird schools in 1892.

Tommy Meredith of San Pedro Calif., class of 1942, was recognized as the ex-student traveling the longest distance.

The afternoon program and business session was opened by Rev. Frank Waggoner, pastor of Baird Presbyterian Church. W. Clyde White, 1914 graduate, was master of ceremonies. Floyd Warren, superintendent, welcomed exes and guests. Dr. McGowen introduced James Paul Shanks, 1950 graduate, who gave the address. Introduction of the faculty was made by Hugh Ross, president of the Board of Education.

Approximately 175 ex-students and teachers were present Saturday.

Exes registering from out of town were:

Mrs. Valencia Jarrett Holub, Midland

Gene Yeager, Leakey

F. L. Burleson, Corpus Christi

Bea Hickman, Big Spring

Hinds McGowen, Jr., Haskell

Elwood Goin, Midland

Mrs. Fred Heysler, Putnam

Roland Hall, Cookville

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Joe Walker, Goldsmith

Mrs. C. B. Kniffen, Midland

Mr. and Mrs. Cahal Clinton, Andrews

Mrs. N. L. Dickey, Breckenridge

Mrs. Verda Morrison Heilmann, Kerrville

Mrs. Ida Louise Fetterly Anderson, Crane

Mrs. Dorothy Jones Chittum, Abilene

Basic qualifications call for a high school education or the equivalent, height not under five feet, eight inches nor over six feet, four inches, and weight not less than two pounds per inch of height and not more than pounds per inch of height.

Garrison said there are many personal benefits for state patrolmen, including job security, a good retirement system, annual vacations, sick leave and advancement opportunities.

Miss Melba Woosley Wins State Honors

Miss Melba Woosley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arval Woosley of Seymour, was named second place winner in the state Baptist Girl's Auxiliary Queen Regent. Melba won first place in the Seymour district, and first place in the association.

There are 17 districts in the state, and one entry from each district. Judging took place at the Women's Missionary House Party at Baylor University in Waco.

Miss Woosley was given a rating of excellent at the Texas Baptist Junior Choir Festival at Fort Worth this spring, in recognition of a meritorious performance during the State Choir Festival as pianist for the Seymour First Baptist Junior Choir. She received a certificate with rating, excellent.

Melba was born in Baird and lived here until six years ago when she moved with her family to Seymour.

Children's Photo Contest



1st row: James David Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds; Jodie Ann McIntosh, children of Mr. and Mrs. Dale McIntosh; 2nd row: Debbie Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curtis; Gil Clark Tabor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Tabor; Guy Curtis, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curtis; 3rd row: Terry Simmons, son of Mrs. Delaverne Simmons; Debbie Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Simmons; Pam Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watts.

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Highlights of the State Capitol

by—Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association
Austin Texas—With all the hoopla over the national elections, many Texans may get to the polls Nov. 8 before they realize they have other important decisions to make that day. Four proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution will be

voted on at the general election. Voting to approve or reject alterations in the state's basic law is one of the most important responsibilities a voter has. It is the average citizen's one and only opportunity to participate directly in the lawmaking process.

Here, in brief, are the proposed amendments (in the order they will appear on the ballot) and what they would do:

AMENDMENT ONE: would authorize creation of special hospital districts in Lamar County, Hidalgo County and Commissioners Precinct No. 4 of Comanche County.

Approval of this amendment would not actually create these hospital districts, but would give local voters authority to do so in a local election.

Amendments such as this one, which apply only to the areas specifically mentioned, usually are passed on the grounds that they give local voters authority to take care of local affairs.

Since it is permissive rather than mandatory, voters can decide for themselves whether they want to carry it through.

Some argue against such amendments on the grounds that such details as this should not be added to an already overlong Constitution.

AMENDMENT TWO: Would permit a rate of interest not to exceed 3½ per cent on bonds issued hereafter for the benefit of the veterans Land Fund. Present constitutional ceiling is 3 per cent.

Veterans Land Board is authorized by law to sell bonds and use the money from these sales to buy land, which is re-sold to qualified Texas veterans. Law provided for the sale of \$200,000,000 in bonds, but the Board has not been able to sell the last \$62,500,000 of these bonds because, in today's market, 3 per cent interest does not make them an attractive investment.

Financial experts think that raising the permitted interest rate to 3½ per cent should be sufficient to make the bonds salable again.

AMENDMENT THREE: Would change the pay scale of members of the Legislature to give them annual salaries of \$4,800 plus \$12 a day for each day in session. It would limit regular sessions to 140 days (present limit is 120 days). Lawmakers would receive \$12 a day for each day of a 140-day regular session plus \$12 a day for each day of a 30-day special called session.

At present, legislators receive no annual salary. They get \$25 a day for each day, up to 120 days, of the regular session plus \$25 a day for each day of a 30-

day called session. They receive no pay in years the legislature does not convene (such as 1960). Under this proposal, they would receive \$4,800 a year base pay whether they spent any time in session or not.

Present provisions for travel expenses would not be changed. These provide for the lawmaker to receive \$2.50 for each 25 miles of the round trip between his home and Austin once each session.

This amendment is essentially a compromise between the present arrangement and the constitutional change proposed in 1958. Last time the proposal was for annual salaries of \$7,500 and no per diem. It also provided for annual sessions which, many think, contributed to its defeat.

Proponents of the current plan say that it will make it possible for better qualified people to serve in the legislature without having to make so much of a personal financial sacrifice to do so.

Opponents argue that it will create "professional legislators." They contend that it is better for the lawmaker to have another job in private life to keep him closer to the problems of the people.

If the amendment is passed, a Texas legislator would receive for his two-year term of office minimum pay of \$9,600. In other states, the pay for a two-year term ranges from \$200 in New Hampshire to \$15,000 in New York. Average is about \$3,600.

AMENDMENT FOUR: Would give the legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, to license and regulate lenders, to define what part of the charge made on loan should be considered interest and to fix the maximum rate of interest which should be charged.

This is generally known as the "anti-loan-shark" amendment and is being supported by a blue ribbon committee of citizens from over the state.

At present, the Constitution provides that the maximum rate of interest shall be 10 per cent. This is widely, almost universally, violated by the small loan industry, usually through additional charges besides the interest—"handling charges, service charges," etc.

Attorney General's department investigations have turned up cases of flagrant abuses by loan companies, making charges that totaled altogether as much as 300% of the amount loaned. On the other hand, the investigators themselves admit that a loan company making short-term, high-risk personal loans cannot stay in the black in 10 per cent.

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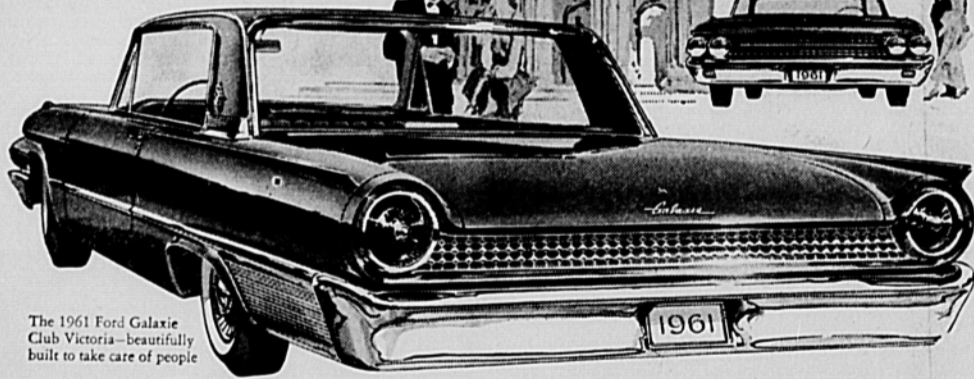
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR . . .

Young Voters Declare Yourselves!

In the furor of the present Presidential election year, it is quite possible that we may not have realized that we the voters are not the same group which conscientiously cast our votes in the 1956 campaign. In the past four years 104 young people in Callahan County have come of voting age and paid their poll tax, or secured exemptions if just becoming twenty-one.

Since this is the first time for many of our citizens to be able to participate in the Presidential election, great care should be taken to stress the importance of seeing that they do vote; and, above all, that they manifest their convictions. They will need to rely on themselves very much in later life, and the experience of making their own political decisions at an early age will prove invaluable. There is a great opportunity for young and old alike to see just what each political party professes in the current debate series on nationwide television. Any points which may not be cleared up here can certainly be clarified by careful study of campaign literature released by both major parties.

For the benefit of those becoming twenty-one since January 1, you may secure exemption certificates anytime up until October 8 in order to vote in the November election. Take advantage of the only free vote you will

receive until you're sixty years old.

This writing is not limited to our first-voters, but to the veterans of 2 or 3 Presidential campaigns as well. Your choice of a political affiliation should always be influenced by what is best for our nation as a whole; in all matters, from defense to education. The people of Callahan County are as loyal and interested in these national principals as anyone could be. It sometimes, however, takes some kind of impact on our personal, day-to-day life to make some take notice. How interested are you in our American way of life? How interested are you in our schools, our roads, our business prospects? Will the next administration, Democrat or Republican, help or hinder our daily way of life? Whether your desire to participate in your duty as an American is promoted by national or personal interest, the fact that you do declare yourself, work for your party, and vote is all that is expected of you as a citizen. Our senior citizens will undoubtedly do what is best for us, but we young people will inherit this nation for better or worse. So let's study the issues, work, and go to the polls and vote to make our nation secure and our economic benefits equitable.

Jon E. Hardwick.

Mrs. A. E. Young, who has been living in Abilene, has returned to her home, located on Rt. 1 out of Baird.

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Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

The best news of the week is the good fall rain that fell Friday afternoon. A little over two inches of rain fell in about 30 minutes time. Then more rain fell Saturday morning and Monday of this week we had a typical fall rain for it rained slow most of the day.

Clyde Floyd underwent surgery Monday morning for the purpose of killing the nerve to his old stump of a leg. Reports came our way in the late afternoon that he stood the operation OK.

Winfred Scott went to Arkansas last week to help his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Scott and children move back to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Settle and children of Big Lake visited last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman O'Shields and boys, James and Richard, were dinner guests last Sunday of his mother, Mrs. Bessie O'Shields and Bill.

Paula Windham plans to move back to the ranch and drive back and forth to her work in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller and children at Stamford a few days last week. The young Mrs. Miller recently had surgery and had been in and out of the hospital several times before surgery. She is doing much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and daughter, Pam, of Novice, stopped by Monday and had dinner with her mother, Mrs. Jim Swor and family.

Mrs. Mollie Brightwell, Mrs. V. E. Hill, and Mrs. Harry Ebert went to Abilene Sunday morning, where they were joined by Mrs. Lora Turner and Mrs. Clifford Leddy. The group went to Aspermont where they met Mr. had lunch at the lovely Hickman place. They attended the 50th and Mrs. Tom Hart, and all wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. McLaury at Clairmont. Mmes. Ebert, Hill, Turner and Leddy are all cousins of Dr. McLaury, a Callahan County boy.

Guests the past two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Humphries of Sipe Springs, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Torson of Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Earl Ford of Overton visited Mrs. Beatrice Deal and attended Homecoming last week end.

Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford

The good rains bring good news. We here at the Crawford farm have had nearly 3 inches since Friday and still have a light drizzle falling.

Mrs. J. R. Harrison of Abilene visited her son and family last Thursday. Mrs. Josie Baldwin of Baird also came along and visited the Harrison family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris visited Mrs. Kate Crawford Friday. Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford and Lynda visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stanley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod and the Wesley Coughran family joined the visiting group.

Mrs. and Mrs. Allen Hodges and his mother visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to hear Mrs. Bonnie Hodges is feeling better, but a possibility of having heart surgery. Here's hoping that will not have to be.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young Sunday were: Mrs. C. L. Newby, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Thomson and Mrs. Billie Lovelidge all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown, Susie and Barbara of Austin; Miss Muriel Young of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Young and daughter of Morton; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen, Rowden; Mr. and Mrs. Will Cutbrith, Mrs. Ruby Berry, Joe Jones, Sticker Price and Miss Curley Seale of Baird.

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Buffalo Tracks at Colorado

"Seven Wells" was the last watering hole for the buffalo and their tracks are still imprinted in the sandstone rock. This old watering hole is known for its scenic beauty and its seven natural unfalling fresh water wells.

It used to be an old Indian camp but now is a popular picnic ground.

The "Seven Wells" are located 7 miles Southeast of Colorado City in North West Texas' Mitchell County.

City Beneath The Sea

Under the calm water of Medina Lake west of San Antonio is the site of the settlement of Mountain Valley. A Mormon leader Lyman Wright, established 16 families on this site in 1854 only to be driven away four years later by the Indians.

Medina Lake makes a quiet resting place for this settlement with its violent history. The lake is also reputed to be the resting place of many of those big fish that "got away."

Eula Items

By Martha Mapes

Eula grade schools boys and girls basketball teams will play their first game of the year at Elmdale Thursday.

There will be a three-day Youth Activity Week at Eula Methodist Church Sept. 23-25, each night from 6:45 to 9:00 p. m. Theme is Jesus First, Others Second, Yourself Last. There will be discussion groups on worship and recreation.

Linda Shipman and Jerry Jones have been elected Sweetheart and Beau of the FFA and FHA Chapters.

Eula P-TA is sponsoring an Ice Cream Supper at the Home-making Cottage Monday night at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and bring the family. New faculty members will be introduced. All members are asked to bring ice cream and cake.

The faculty members are having a faculty picnic at Fair Park in Abilene, at 6:30 p. m. Friday. Eula grade school boys and girls will play Putnam next Friday, at 7:30 p. m. here.

Dick Young entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Tuesday morning for medical treatment.

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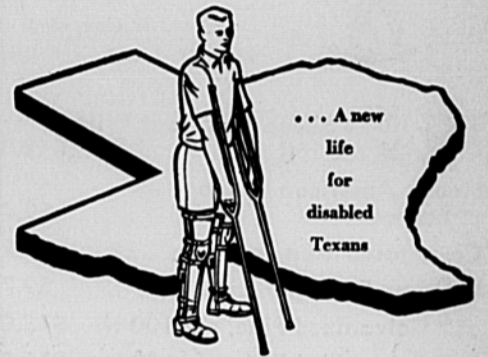
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Clyde High Classes Choose Officers

Clyde High School classes have elected the following sponsors and officers for the year:

SENIOR CLASS
Sponsors: Mrs. Scott and Mr. Fryor.
President, Johnny Paylor; vice president, Anna Beth Oren; secretary-treasurer, Jane Blacklock; reporter, Paul Nance.

JUNIOR CLASS

Sponsors: Mrs. Huff and Mr. Barron.
President, Tommy Cook; vice president, Joe Howe; secretary-treasurer, Linda Kemper; reporter, Susanne Peters.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Sponsors: Mrs. Allen and Mr. Tate.
President, Ted Presley; vice president, Harold Kniffen; secretary-treasurer, Jane Spears; reporter, Scotty Scott.

FRESHMAN CLASS

Sponsors: Mrs. Berry and Mr. Hogan.
President, Weldon Lynn Edwards; vice president, Charles Fewell; secretary, Janette Waggoner; treasurer, Ellen Howe; reporter, Danny Blanks.

CHEER LEADERS

Beth Cook, head cheer leader; Brenda Ray, Sharon Steen and Shirley Ray.

MAJORETTES

Jane Spears, Drum Major; Barbara Waldon, Head Major; Nancy Johnson, Dorothy Kirkendall, Sherry Chatham.

Ceremony Is Held For Clyde Church

Groundbreaking ceremony was held Thursday, Sept. 22, on the site of the new Clyde Church of Christ building, H. C. Cotton turning the first shovel of dirt. The new church will replace the present structure, which was erected in 1913.

The building will be constructed of white and pink tinted brick, to be completed Feb. 1, 1961. It is located across the street north of the present building. Dimensions are 80x115 feet.

The church recently purchased the Darrell Barnett home and 1 1/2 lots, and moved the house off the lots.

There will be 19 class rooms and minister's study, the auditorium will have a seating capacity of 590. Total membership of the church is 350.

When the new building is completed, the old one will be moved away and the property used for a parking lot.

The building program is being headed by the church's finance committee of Jess Pyeatt, W. C. Rhoden and Merwin Eager.

Building committee is composed of Earl Slater, R. M. Pyeatt, H. G. Broadfoot and R. L. Sutphen. Other church men participating in the ceremony were: John Estes, Leslie Hays, Earl C. Hays, O. C. Pyeatt, H. C. Cotton, and Clydes Mayor R. L. Lunceford.

The new church building has been financed with \$20,000 in contributions, and sale of bonds totaling \$50,000. Minister is Owen Cosgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Howard, with children from Abilene, spent the week end in Monahan, and attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Bobbe Helen McFarlin and Rowland Rush. The groom is a great nephew of Rev. Holt Welch, and also Mrs. Reynolds, both of Clyde.

Ivan Fleming, of Big Sandy, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Kate Shelton. They also visited Ed Fleming of Amarillo and Fred Fleming of Jal, N. M.

Mrs. Ella Parks of Morse is in Clyde for an extended visit with her brother, A. C. Forester.

Mrs. Briscoe Hosts Thursday Club

The Thursday Club of Clyde met in the home of Mrs. James Briscoe Sept. 22. Mrs. Benton Pruet, vice-president, presided. Miss Alda Nordyke gave the opening prayer.

Roll call was answered with a favorite TV personality.

Mrs. Joe South and Mrs. Pruet were on the program. Their topics were Art Linkletter and Ben Hur.

Pie, coffee and nuts were served to 14 members and one guest, Mrs. W. E. Norwood.

In the business session, it was decided to have the soup and chili supper in Clyde Community Center, November 11, preceeding the Clyde - Eastland game.

Clyde Study Club In Tabor Home

The Clyde Study Club met on Sept. 22 in the home of Anna Belle Tabor.

The program was on Mental Health. Mrs. R. M. Pyeatt talked on I Have Charted My Course, and Mrs. Frank Bailey spoke on Stumbling Blocks Into Stepping Stones.

Mrs. Harry Steen, president, presided for the business meeting. Refreshments were served to 19 members and two visitors, Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Mrs. J. L. Tabor.

Next meeting will be October 4, in the home of Mrs. Agnes Kennard.

K.C.B.F.A. Bird Show Held At Clyde

The Key City Bird Fanciers Association held an open bird show Saturday and Sunday in Clyde Community Center. There were 280 single entries, consisting of Parakeets, Finches, Canaries, etc.

A. O. Thomas of Fort Worth won Best in Show, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Jones of San Antonio, won Second Best in Show, while A. O. Thomas won the Best Young in Show.

Mrs. Fay Harris of Guymon, Okla., was judge of the show. Exhibitors attended from San Antonio, Fort Worth, Dallas, McGregor, Amarillo, Lubbock, Ropesville, Morgan, Clyde, Abilene, and other cities of Texas.

This show proved to be one of the best bird shows of the season and K.C.B.F.A. wishes to thank the merchants and others who were so kind to contribute to the success of the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Long have returned from the bedside of her father, Charles Carr, in Necoma Park, Okla.

Visiting Mrs. J. L. Tabor Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Montgomery, Mrs. Elbert Montgomery and son Phil, all of Caddo Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson of Farmersville.

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Allison-Hays Rites Read At Abilene

Wedding vows were solemnized by Sharon Ann Allison and Ted Lewis Hays in the parsonage of the Elmwood Methodist Church in Abilene Friday, Sept. 23rd. Rev. LaMond officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Vernon of Abilene. The bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Young of Clyde. He is a 1958 graduate of Clyde High School.

Those attending the wedding were the brides parent's and her sister, and the bridegroom's grandmother.

Girl Scout News . . .

Troop 4, Intermediate Girl Scouts, had their first meeting Sept. 20 at the Scout Hut, with Mrs. Smith as leader.

Officers elected for the first 6 weeks were: President, Paula Holmes, vice president, Starr Alexander; secretary Mary Newton; treasurer, Nancy Presley; reporter, Pat Patton.

Steps leading to the first class badge were discussed. Badge work was done by some of the girls at camp this summer. Mary and Paula told about their stay at camp this summer in Brownwood, Virginia, Mary and Paula taught a new song. Nibbles were served by Virginia.

Present were: Paula Holmes, Mary Newton, Pat Patton, Nancy Presley, Virginia Smith and Mrs. Smith.

Troop 4 met Sept. 27 at the Scout House. President Paula called the meeting to order. Starr called the roll and Nancy collected dues. Minutes were read by Mary; had one new member, Vicki Martin.

We discussed re-registering and are to bring our \$1 for registering next meeting. We also talked about our new uniforms.

We are to bring our badge note books and start work on this year's badges.

Mary served nibbles and led Grace.

Present were Paula, Starr, Nancy, Mary, Virginia, Pat and Vicki.

Troop 3, Grade 6 met Tuesday at the Scout House with Mrs. J. M. Rogers as leader. Meeting was opened with the Girl Scout promise.

The Troop is planning to earn a badge in two weeks. Peggy Gargus is going to earn a Red Cross badge.

Present were Peggy Gargus, Dana South, Mrs. Rogers and visitors Vi and Lydia Rogers.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many who have been with us and helped in so many ways during the illness and loss of our loved one, we wish to express our heart-felt appreciation to all who helped or offered to help in any way. For the services of the doctors, for the faithful attention of the nurses, for the many floral offerings, food, many cards and letters, telegrams, for the prayers, for friends who came a distance, we are truly grateful.

The Family of A. C. Forester

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hays attended the 100th birthday celebration of Mrs. Hays uncle, Dr. T. H. Dabney at Granbury, Tuesday, Sept. 27. All four of his children were present. Dr. Dabney received congratulations from President Eisenhower. He is the father of Mrs. Hollis Manly of Abilene.

Mrs. John Berry, member of Clyde Thursday Club, was in Albany last Saturday to attend a board meeting of Mesquite District. She is Division Chairman of Art, Music and Literature of the Southwest in the Texas Heritage Dept.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Cox of Abilene, and son Dale of Dallas, visited with Mrs. J. L. Tabor and daughters, Saturday.

Lillian Fewell visited her daughter, Mrs. Hollis Shanks and Mr. Shanks at Midland over the week end.

New TV-Radio Shop Opens At Clyde

Arnold Wallace is this week announcing that he is opening the Callahan County TV & Radio Service shop in Clyde. The Wallace recently moved to Clyde from Ventura, Calif., purchased the Hooker place south of the Clyde Cemetery.

They have three children, a son, Weldon, student in Junior High, and two daughters, Linda and Sandra, both attending Grammar School. They are members of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Wallace was in the oil rig business in Baird before moving to California.

Cuban Student Guest Of WSCS Circles

Alberto Ferreiro, McMurry College student from Cuba, spoke on Methodist missionary work in his home town, when he was guest speaker for the four circles of the WSCS, at Clyde Methodist Church Monday evening.

The Steen Circle was host for the covered dish supper. Mrs. B. A. Randolph gave the invocation. Mrs. Tom Plemons welcomed the other circles. Mrs. C. H. Gibbins gave the devotional on The Church, The Solid Rock. Mrs. Tom South presented Mrs. A. N. Riley a life membership pin. Mrs. Ed Craig was elected secretary for the joint meeting.

Mrs. John Berry presided for the business session and introduced the guest speaker.

CUB SCOUT NEWS . . .

Cub Scouts, Pack 27 will have a Pack Meeting Tuesday at the Scout House, at 7:30 p. m. All parents are urged to be present. Anyone with children, 8 to 10, wishing to join the Cubs, please be there and you will be assigned to a Den.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

Mrs. S. L. Moore moved to Clyde on her 79th birthday, Sept. 1st. She is the mother of Mrs. W. W. Henry, and has just completed her new home on the Henry place. Mrs. Moore comes from Telephone, in Fannin County. She is a member of the Baptist Church, and is the mother of seven living children. She was widowed in 1956. Welcome to Clyde, Mrs. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yawn and children, Arnold, Theresa, James, Michael and Greta Gay, of Abilene, moved to Clyde last week. They have moved a house to the 10 acres they purchased two miles south of town. Mrs. Yawn is the former Flora Lilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lilly. They are members of the Church of Christ and attended church at Highland while living in Abilene. Mr. Yawn is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. Three of their five children are in school: Arnold, 8th, Theresa, 6th and James, 1st grade.

Joint Session Held For WMU Circles

Both Circles of the W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church of Clyde, met Tuesday morning for business and Bible Study. Prayer was led by Mrs. A. R. Dallas. Devotional was given by Mrs. Jim Baulch from the 23rd Psalm.

An inspiring Bible study was given by Mrs. Reid. Miss Ella Tyler, circle chairman, presided for the business meeting. The group made plans to attend the Associational meeting in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mrs. John Weathers, Associational Community Mission Chairman project for this month, is donating four sheets to the Callahan County Hospital. The G. A.'s also donated some towels and wash rags to the project.

WILSONS TO BE HONORED

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Albro Wilson on their 40th wedding anniversary, an open house and covered dish luncheon will be held in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mosley, 1 mile south of Clyde on FM 18, Sunday, October 2nd.

Friends who cannot be present for the luncheon, are invited to call in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Swope and Mark spent the week end in Austin visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Swope.

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FOR SALE - Only 3 goats left, just right size for barbecuing, 15c per lb. on foot. Lowe Goat Dairy, Clyde. 40-1-p

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FOR SALE - Clean 1950 Chevrolet, runs good, good tires, \$195.00. Ph. 4-1265, Baird. 40-tf-c

FOR SALE - Go-Kart, 2 Clinton Engines, cheap. O. R. Jander, Rt. 1, Clyde, Ph. TW 3-9384. 40-1-p

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WANTED - Small acreage near Clyde from owner. Cash. Must be reasonable. 1308 South-east 20th St., Mineral Wells. 38-2-p

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FOR RENT - Furnished 3-rm. and bath garage apartment. Mrs. Ida King, 705 Walnut, Baird. 39-tf-c

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FOR SALE - Our home on 341 W. 2nd Street, 10 rooms. Ph. 4-1039, H. L. Ross. 39-tf-c

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom home, large living room, dining area, kitchen, new cabinets with formica top. J. B. Pitzer, 228 Callowhill, Ph. 4-1419. 39-tf-c

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



The owners of land within Subdivision 2 of the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District will elect a member to the Board of Supervisors on October 4th. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the City Hall in Cross Plains. A film "Friendly Waters," will be shown by O. B. Edmondson, Cross Plains Vocation Agriculture teacher, as part of the program.

Subdivision 2 includes all land in Callahan County that drains into the Colorado River. C. M. Garrett of Cross Plains is the present supervisor. He has served in this capacity for the past ten years.

To be eligible to vote in a soil conservation district supervisor's election, a person must own agricultural land within the subdivision where the election is being held. He (or she) must live in a county, all or any part of which, is in the soil conservation district. The voter must have attained the age of 21 years.

Baird Garden Club Meeting Held

The September meeting of the Baird Garden Club was held in the home of Mrs. John McGowen with Mrs. Lee Ivey and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly as co-hostesses. Mrs. Clyde White discussed the planting and care of day-lilies. Mrs. Ivey showed six varieties of wild flowers blooming in September and gave facts concerning them. A number of original poems, written by Mrs. M. C. McGowen and by Mrs. Hubert Ross, were read by Mrs. Ross.

Guests present were Mrs. Henry McGowen of Abilene, Mrs. W. O. Wylie of Cisco, Mrs. M. C. McGowen, Mrs. Bruce Parks and Mrs. Vernon Townsend. Members present included Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Randall Jackson, E. J. Hill, Alice Crutchfield, Dee Young, Frank Cunningham, Ben Ross, Ace Hickman, D. J. Anderson, C. Z. Anderson, A. R. Kelton, Dick Young, W. V. Walls, Davis Harrell, J. N. Scott, I. E. Warren and Felix Mitchell.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the hospital staff, Dr. Stubblefield, and all my friends for their care and kindness shown me while I was in the hospital.
Mrs. Cora Taylor.

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MISS KATHY STARR
MISS MILLIE STAFFORD

FIRST MATCH
SONNY MYERS
IRON MIKE DIBIASE

SWEET AND SOUR

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to visit Harold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Haley. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey enjoyed a visit last week from Robert Norwood of San Francisco. Young Norwood, a graduate of San Jose College, was enroute to his home in Calif. after completing a student tour of Europe. Robert Norwood is the son of Mrs. Ivey's brother Jack Norwood of San Francisco.

Happiest people in town are the Mack Caldwells - and did you say proud grandparents? - the Caldwells are all of that too. The reason for all of the happy days and proud smiles is a visit from daughter Yvonne Caldwell Huffines and her son Mikel Mark. The baby, with his brown velvet eyes and a smile like a whole flock of angels is perfect - beautiful, but with a mom like Yvonne, he'd have to be, wouldn't he? Yvonne and E. C. Huffines will visit here for a full 30 days. The young family was recently stationed in Salem, Ala., and now, after completion of a special survival course, will be at Webb AFB, Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seelig enjoyed a visit last week from her sister, Mrs. Crystal Denton of Tacoma, Wash., and also her mother, Mrs. Susie Thompson of Lawton, Okla.

Welcome back home to Mrs. Al Young and Joyce who now have their residence on Hwy 80 west of Baird. The Youngs plan to open a Kennel in the near future. They will specialize in Chihuahua puppies, registered and pedigreed and have some of the state's finest dogs. The Youngs had as their guest this week Marilyn Moss of Abilene.

Good news to the people of Baird and also to the community is the opening of Ruby Berry's Specialty Shop. Ruby moved to her home on old Hwy 80 and Girard Street, and will have a distinctive line of novelties, gifts and cards available there. She invites her many, many friends to visit her. Special congratulations to the Selan Canada family on the addition of a beautiful baby son, Dwight Leslie, born Sept. 8.

If you hear a noise like unto hall, don't be alarmed - it's vest buttons poppin' around the Foy home - 'n there's a number one reason why, Fred's registered Hampshire sheep won every blue ribbon in every class available to them (including the Grand Champion) at the West Texas Fair. Next stop is the State Fair in Dallas and when young Fred shows his lambs there, we'll all be on his team doing the roottin' 'n cheering. Fred is an FFA student, second year, and one of the youngest in the fine lamb business and as his teacher, Mr. McCoy, and his own records tell you, he's writing an outstanding record of achievements.

Another winner at the West Texas Fair was Byron Snyder. Byron is a 4-H boy and his director, Glen Green can tell you what a top hand this fella is. Byron's registered Hampshire lambs won honors in the Junior classes and although we haven't had direct confirmation, perhaps these animals will also go to Dallas to the Fair. Byron has done exceptionally fine work with his show stock and those ribbons represent not only the superiority of the animal but the dependability of the boy behind it - his work and his effort to shape an animal which will lead it's class. Congratulations to both of our outstanding showmen.

Las week was Happy Birthday time to a very special person - Dr. R. L. Griggs. The grand old medico practically held open house for the occasion for the many, many friends who love him and wanted to wish him the best of everything - to their well-wishes we add our own - Happy Birthday, Doc and many more of them!

Speaking of birthdays - best wishes to Eva Black, who celebrates Sept. 30th.

Another Septemberite is Iva McIntosh. Iva, home after a bout of illness, has her day Sept. 29. Blondy and Iva are, right now knee-deep in the business of giving Blondy's Drive-In Cafe a "face-lifting." The Cafe, on Hwy 80, is one of Baird's most attractive and popular dining spots, and it will be "even more so" after this work is complete. The McIntoshes will redecorate throughout, and invite the community to watch for the opening date and visit them. All of this, of course, is being done to make "eating out" more of a pleasure to you than ever before.

CARD OF THANKS
We are indeed grateful to Dr. Stubblefield, the nurses at the hospital, the Odd Fellows and BebeKaha, those who sat at the funeral home, all those who sent flowers, food and cards, and other expressions of sympathy shown in the illness and death of our loved one. May God bless each of you in our prayer.
The L. G. Foy Family

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB BEGINS YEAR'S STUDY

The Woman's Study Club opened the year of study Monday evening at 7:30 at the Methodist Church, with a Friendship Tea, honoring Mrs. John P. Ward of Aspermont, Mesquite District President.

Mrs. John Petty welcomed guests and turned the meeting over to the new club president, Mrs. Tex Herring.

Miss Trudy Crawford sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Carolyn White at the piano.

Mrs. Herring introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Ward, who spoke on "Facing The Sixties."

A refreshment hour was enjoyed by members and guests from Aspermont, The Junior Wednesday Club of Baird, the Amity Club of Moran and local guests.

SCHOOL NEWS

The Freshman and Sophomore classes organized Wednesday,

and elected the following officers: President, Conrad Buchanan; Vice President, Ricky Isenhower; Secretary-Treasurer, Trudy Crawford; Reporter, Diane Wagley.

Mrs. Clyde Brown and Mr. Jerold Price were chosen as sponsors.

On Friday, Sept. 23, the Panthers journeyed to Novice for the first football game of the season. The team looked in good shape and was ready for the first game. Even though the score was 25 to 24 in favor of Novice, Putnam played a good game.

Both teams were hampered by a wet field and fumbles. Despite the wet weather, a good crowd saw the game.

Putnam touchdowns were scored by L. C. Donaway, Ricky Isenhower and two by Rodolfo Mendez.

First and Second Grades We are so proud to have our



The 1961 Ford Galaxie Club Victoria, a new model in the Ford line that will be introduced to the public on September 29, features crisp, new styling that has been honored by an international fashion authority in Rome for its "functional expression of classic beauty." The new Fords are nearly four inches shorter and two inches narrower for greater maneuverability, and introduce 30,000-mile lubrication. Other engineering features include self-adjusting brakes, double-wrapped aluminum muffler, longer-lasting bright trim and underbody parts, and a 4,000-mile oil change interval. A new optional 390-cubic-inch high performance engine also is available.

ceiling painted white. Mr. Mabry Tatum and Mr. Nettles painted it Saturday. This was very nice of these two daddies.

For our health we are making booklets of the different materials we wear. Aaron Tollett brought some cotton with the seeds for us to see how cotton grows. Barbara Wagley brought some cotton material like her mother used to make a dress.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Clarence McComack, formerly Jo Verl Everett, of Abilene was honored with a bridal shower Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Lewis Williams.

The table was laid with a blue lace cloth. The centerpiece was blue and white mums. A crystal punch bowl and a white cake, decorated with blue icing at each end, completed the arrangement.

Lynda Isenhower poured and Mrs. Fred Heyser served the cake.

Hostesses were: Meses. Fred Cook, Tex Herring, S. M. Eubank, R. D. Williams, Mark Burnam, Mary Kellner, Louie Williams, E. C. Waddell, Fred Heyser and Miss Laverne Rutherford.

PUTNAM PERSONALS

Those from Putnam attending colleges are: Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr., Cisco Junior College; Butch Petty, Texas University; Jack Francisco, Texas A&M; Lynn Tatom, McMurry; Lucretia Ivy, John Doyle Isenhower and Beth Isenhower, ACC.

Mrs. Frank Cunningham of Baird was a visitor with Mrs. Euna Lovelady one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell of San Antonio spent Monday

night with Mrs. Vena Shackelford.

Mrs. Homer Pruet spent Wednesday in Clyde with the Benton Pruet family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook had as guests Tuesday and Wednesday, Mrs. Will St. John of Dallas and Mrs. Joe Nell of Tulla.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank visited in the home of Mrs. Pearl Ebert in Baird Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McComack and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and daughters of Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl White of Clyde spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee White visited their son, Darrell and family in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams in Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschall Allen of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Allen of Midland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Pruet and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Overton of Sweetwater spent the week end with Tom Butler.

Mrs. Harley Saunders of Cisco was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Early Hurst.

Lt. Col. Chris Sunderman of Altus, Okla., was a Saturday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

Eugene Sunderman of Corpus Christi, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sunderman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe returned from a visit in Missouri with Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Jobe and family.

Mrs. Mary Murray of Lubbock is visiting her sister, Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Abbott of Lubbock were Thursday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard O'Brien of Olden visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford spent the week end in Pampa visiting their son, Wesley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Cisco were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

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

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley and Mrs. Vena Shackelford are visiting in Houston.

Mrs. Everett Williams of Crosbyton is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Clements.

Mrs. Muri Reed of Cisco was

a Saturday visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wagley of Moran visited with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet Sunday evening.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor and daughter of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nichols spent Sunday in the Roland Nichols home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bynum of Houston, Mrs. J. H. Bynum of Palestine, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hamrick.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi, neighbor! Yes we had some rain Friday and Saturday. Still a fine mist falling today, which is Monday. We are so thankful for the rain, in more ways than one. The dust was so bad you could hardly see a car when one passed, now it is so nice. We didn't get quite an inch but several places around got more than one inch.

Most every one around here has started pulling cotton. I think Mark Burnam has out 3 or 4 bales. John McIntyre has two bales, Burette Ramsey one bale. We just got started Friday morning and the rain came about two o'clock in the afternoon, so didn't get too much pulled.

Bill Brown spent the week end with Mark and Ollie Burnam. He attended the ball game Friday night at Novice, Putnam and Novice played. It was a good game. Putnam lost by one point.

I spent the week end in Cisco with my sister, Fay Wood. Really enjoyed my visit with her and Emmitt.

I went to church and Sunday School at Putnam Sunday. Had dinner with Ruth, Betty and Mable Mobley. Really enjoyed the day.

Ped Yarbrough of Cross Plains and D. A. Yarbrough had dinner with me Wednesday. Glad to have them.

Annie Yarbrough and I went fishing late Thursday afternoon. Had no luck, didn't get a good nibble, so we didn't fish long.

Good morning, this nice rainy Tuesday. We have had two and 4 inches of rain since last Friday.

Mark and Ollie Burnam had lunch Monday with Mrs. Mary Ramsey. I guess Mark played some dominoes too, as the weather was too bad to work.

All the farmers have a big smile since the rain, so when things dry up the grain drills and cotton pullers will be real busy. Several of the farmers have already defoliated their cotton.

Not much news, so be good and I'll be seein' you next week.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly of Pecos and Mr. and Mrs. Vorus Kelly and daughter of Dallas, visited Mrs. W. B. Gilleland over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnett Bennett and sons of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bennett Sunday.

Herman Heine came home last week for Veterans' Hospital at McKinney. He is much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville visited his mother, Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackwell and two daughters, Margie and Betty, Mrs. Blackwell's; a niece of Mrs. Jack Smith whom she had not seen in 15 years, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith last week.

Mrs. Jim Wilson was called to Dallas last week because of her daughter, Mrs. Templeton being in a car wreck. The daughter was not seriously injured.

Mrs. Emit Bohyette is nursing in Hedrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, now.

Miss Jewett Sowers of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bennett were in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodard had their son, Vincent and family from Hobbs, N. M., with them Saturday. While here he painted his parents' home.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wilcoxen of Sabanno visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins in Cross Plains, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKinley and boys of Brownwood visited Mrs. Vee Maher Saturday night and Sunday.

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

Mrs. G. R. Stephenson of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Riche and family of Seagraves visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday at Cross Cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Edcar Sessions and Lynn of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and children of Baird visited them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks of Putnam visited Mrs. Vee Maher last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Daymond Jones in Cross Plains Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom attended church in Cross Plains Sunday morning.

C. G. Hutchins is the new bus driver for school children in our community.

Elder and Mrs. David Foster attended church in Cross Plains Sunday morning.

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- 1822-83 — First School (one room) NE part of town - First teacher Lyman Gould.
- 1885-86 — School burned - new school (two stories) built SW part of town. Teachers: C. E. Smith, Media Douglas, Wate Richerson (Mrs. H. H. Ramsey), Clay Chrisman, F. W. Chaitfield.
- 1887-88 — Students: Mrs. Annie Asbury.
- 1891-92 — Principal Clay Chrisman - school not graded - students: Mike Sigal, Corinne Trent Blackburn, Will Estes
- 1892-93 — Principal F. W. Chaitfield - school not graded - 3 other teachers; pupils: Tom Dawkins, Laura Rice, Tom Fraser, Annie Howell, Della Cutbirth
- 1896-97 — First graduates (no names known)
- 1897-98 — Pupils: The Gunn sisters, Menville Russell Mitchell, Justin Anderson. School went broke - could not finish term; Principal Mr. Rust
- 1903-04 — Principal R. C. Campbell - pupils: Mollie McFarlane Brightwell, Will Franklin, Clara Gunn Melton, Alice Gilliland, Elva Wilkinson Walker, Daisy and Ada Powell
- 1904-05 — Pupils: Inez Franklin Boydston, Corrie Wilkinson Driskill, Frank Powell
- 1905-06 — Pupils: Bess Driskill, Bernice Foy, Rupert Jackson, Wesley Turner, Maude Wilson Hall
- 1907-08 — Principal Elbert Smith - pupils: Verda and Visla Gilliland, Frances Ross, Louie Surles, Verna Miller, Joe Tisdale
- 1908-09 — School burned - classes held in churches
- 1909-10 — Pupils: C. C. Seale, Russell Surles, Wren Foy, Obbern Russell, Rex Gilliland, Bob Macdonlad, Lora Franklin
- 1910-11 — Red brick school built, now part of cafetorium. Baird became an independent school district. First superintendent: R. D. Green
- 1911-12 — Pupils: Farley Bell, Lillie and Jessie Powell, Fulton Wheeler Hall, Wendell Russell, Murry Cutbirth
- 1912-13 — Pupils: Helen Walker, Harold Austin, Birdie Powell, Amy Bowyer, Tom Cutbirth, Kattie Surles
- 1913-14 — Pupils: Mildred Foy Springer, Raymond Foy, Clara Pearl Jackson Winters, Clyde White, Royce Gilliland, Harold Austin, M. T. Ramsey, Nina Griggs Hickman
- 1914-15 — Pupils: Bertha Ray, Lee Ivey, Dudley Foy, Fred Alvord, Katie Foy, Joe Darby, Ruby McClendon, Connie Curry
- 1915-16 — J. F. Boren became superintendent and served until 1937 - Principal N. S. Holland. First class to have state credits. 12 senior - largest class to date - Clara Estes, Ben Russell, Stella Gilliland, Carl Mahan, Brian McFarland, Owen Curry, Roy Roper, Lula and Zula Halstead, Leona Cutbirth, Luzon Powell, Billie Seale
- 1916-17 — Pupils: Otho Lydia, Dana Foy, Frankie Johnson, Norma Jones, Willie and Elvira Mullican, Thomas Grimes, Virgil Grounds, Bill Wilcox
- 1917-18 — Faculty: Ruth Doty, J. Mosley, Mary Ross. First known class president, Caryse Boydston; vice president, Glendora Dunlap; sec. Agnes Monday; rep. Nell Price; Sgt. at arms, Willis Parker; critic, J. C. Estes
- 1918-19 — Pupils: Clifford Jones, Eliska Gilliland, Cecil Fulton, Bill Hatchett, Frankie Curry, Ellen Bell, Lou James, Juanita Waggoner, Willa Mullican, Curley Seale, Margaret Boydston, Josephine Cowan, Hilda Albin, Kay Lydia, Bertha Bowlus
- 1919-20 — President R. F. Jones, v.p. Beulah Jones, sec. Edith Bowlus, Catherine Mullican
- 1921-22 — Pupils: Freda West, J. T. Asbury, Faye Bryant, Thelma White, Bernice Hale, Cecil West
- 1922-23 — First football team, coach Newell Perry: First game Baird 0, Anson 36. First touchdown, Woodfin Ray against Clyde. President Woodfin Ray. First school paper "Baird Bugle". Pupils: John Alexander, Freddy Farmer, Joe and Price McFarland, Fabian Bearden
- 1923-24 — Coach Rudd Hughes and Mrs. Boren changed name from Cubs to Bears. Pupils: Dora Smith Eubanks, Greer Holmes, Hugh Ross, Leslie Reed Elouise Haley, Clarence Boatwright. Mrs. Lee Ivey wrote school song "Joyous and Ever Loyal"
- 1924-25 — Pupils: L. G. Barnhill, Eules Stephens Corn, Mary Darby Martin, Gaines Short, Harold Foy, Maggie Walker Ross, Ed Ivey, Weldon White
- 1925-26 — Coach Edgar Goodnight. Pupils: Jack Harp, Viola Boatwright, Garland, Millie and Lillie Morrison (Mrs. Louis Williams)
- 1926-27 — Coach Elmer Atwood. President Harold Rav, sec. Roberta Warren, Sybil Brown, Ralph Short, Hazel Reynolds, N. L. Dickey, Bill Melton, Bessie Browning, Jewel Grimes, Margie Sutphen Ray. First homecoming Clyde White elected president
- 1927-28 — Coach Pliney Armor. President Kane Morgan. First pep squad. Cheerleaders Madge Holmes and Ruth Simons. Frank Bearden made longest run to date, 98 yards for touchdown, Baird 25, Albany 0
- 1928-29 — First high school built. First annual, edited by Vernon Johnson. President Vernon Johnson. Most popular, Grace Jackson Ray, Weldon Varner. Best all-round, Donna McGowen Leon. Ira Putnam. "Tail Light" came out edited by Weldon Varner (later known as Bear Facts)
- 1929-30 — Coach A. M. Coleman. President Bob Darby - First Headlight Queen Juanita Finch - Most Popular

- Dorothy Boydston - Best All-Around Lennis Varner, Morris Kelton. 46 seniors. Baird 37 - Eastland 0.
- 1930-31 — Pres. Morris Eastham - Queen Nina Luce. Most Popular Inez Hunter. Cheer leaders. Carman Haley, Mary Glover, Beatrice Hickman. Individual county and Dist. champs (all classes) Pole valut: Reaves Hickman - debate - Verna Edwards and Helen Settle.
- 1931-32 — Coach Claude Daniels. Pres. Inez Hunter, Queen Inez Hunter; Best All-Round, Paul Ducan - Baird 0, Abilene 33. Abilene State Champs
- 1932-33 — President Beatrice Hickman, Vice Pres. Donald Melton - Judson (Big Bertha) Atchison scored 149 points (including 102 yds. for touchdown)
- 1933-34 — Pres. Judson Atchison, called by newsmen best all-round athlete in West Texas. Baird Regional Track Champs (all classes). Judson Atchison high point man in county, district and regional track. Football captains: Neal Stanley, Bruce Bell.
- 1934-35 — Pres. Pierce Flores, Football Queen Bobby Griggs. Some seniors: M. L. Hughes, Donald Cooper, Leland Jackson, Kenneth George, Forrest Franke.
- 1935-36 — Dist. Football Champs, Coach Arthur Niebuhr. Pres. Randall Jackson. Cheer leaders, Ruth Ray, Maxine Williams. Baird 35-Clyde 6. 41 seniors. County and Dist. Track Champs (all classes).
- 1936-37 — The Bears Den and Gym built. Coach Bennie Rondale. County and Dist. Track Champs (all classes) 46 seniors.
- 1937-38 — Supt. Not Williams. Coach Bill White. Dist. Football Champs. County and Dist. Track Champs (all classes). Individual Regional Champs. Debate: Wyoma King and Mary Harville. Pole vault, Bob Austin, 3rd in state; javelin, Richard Windham, 3rd in state. Jo Ruth Arvin State Home Ec. Champ; Jim Lawrence County and Dist. Tennis Champ.
- 1938-39 — Band organized. First Pres. Billy Hollingshead, First Drum Major, Sidney Robbins. Most Popular Marion Dyer. Dist. Football Champs. County and Dist. Track Champs (all classes). Marion and Ruth Dyer Regional Tennis Champs, 3rd in state. First Carnival Queen, Laura Windham. J. B. Pitzer scored 132 points. Baird 13, Newcastle 20 bi-district. 52 seniors. Clyde Yarbrough first 4-yr. letterman. Jo Ruth Arvin, State Home Ec. Champ. - Gene Finley, county and district Tennis Champ. (all classes)
- 1939-40 — Supt. Olaf South. Pres. Gene Finley, Queen Marion Dyer, Most Popular Betty McCov. Drum Major Johnny White. 47 seniors. Bi-Dist. Football Champs. County and Dist. Track Champs (all classes). Marion and Ruth Dyer Regional Tennis Champs (all classes) 3rd in state - Baird 13, Aspermont 7, bi-district. Baird 19, May 21, Dist.
- 1940-41 — Baird in Class A football. 2nd in dist. Pres. Bill Yarbrough. Queen Ellen Tankersley. Most Popular Dorothy Chrisman. Drum Major Betty Lewis. 50 seniors. Bill Yarbrough high point man in county, dist and regional track; 3rd in state hurdles. Arthur Burleson and J. C. Cook Class A all district. Baird 19, Stamford 19. Bill Yarbrough 99 yard touchdown.
- 1941-42 — Class A football. 2nd in dist. Pres. Bill Hatchett, Queen, Renee Russell, Most Popular Ivald Mitchell, Drum Major Betty Lewis. Frankie Crow, J. C. Earp. Buddy Brumbaugh all-dist. Betty Lewis and Bill Hatchett county & dist. declamation champs. Baird 45, Snyder 0; Baird 54, Albany 13. 46 seniors.
- 1942-43 — Coach Eddie Bullock. Pres. Carl Yarbrough, Queen Rosa Ryan, Most Popular Irma Young Crow, Drum Major Betty Lewis. Carl Yarbrough regional declamation champ, 2nd in state Pat Waggoner state declamation. Last of County meets.
- 1943-44 — Class A football 2nd in dist. Pres. Henry Settle, Queen Elaine Russell, Most Popular Ann Hill. Head leader Beckye Griggs. Don Parker all-dist. Baird 33, Clyde 0.
- 1944-45 — Pres. T. A. White. Queen Nettie Gilliland, Most Popular Shirley Pool, Head leader Beckye Griggs Reg. basketball champs, 4th in state. Tom Odom high point man, Harry Varner Benny Pierson, Oscar Jones, Horace Bains. Baird 13, Snyder 6. Don Gorman all dist. football.
- 1945-46 — Class B Bi-dist. football champs. Coaches Bill White, Lloyd Connel. Dewey Barner, Fred Gobel Corky Cook, Doyle Nordyke all-dist. Pres. Billy Ray, Queen Shirley Pool, most popular Reba Jo Price.
- 1946-47 — Supt. A. H. Pritchard, Coach G. B. Adams. Pres. Fred Goble, Queen Emily Cauthen, Most Popular Jo Bess Miller. Baird 21, Albany 7. Corky Cook and Fred Goble all-dist.
- 1947-48 — Bi-dist. football champs. Coach L. B. Russell. Pres. Leon Daniel, Queen Melba Tyson, Most popular Bernice Ray. 43 seniors. Baird 13, Valley Mills 20 regional. Leon Daniel, Paul Varner, John Poindexter all-dist.

- 1948-49 — Pres. Jack Yarbrough, Queen Jo Price, Most popular Norma Farmer. Jack Yarbrough, Jack Hunter, Jimmy Mobley, Carrol Gillit, all-dist.
- 1949-50 — Supt. K. H. Rowland, Pres. Dwight Mayes, Queen Virginia White, Most Popular Glenda Yeager, Drum Major Clovie Womack. Tommy Ivey and Dwight Mayes, all-dist.
- 1950-51 — Present Grammar School completed. Coach C. E. Brandon. Pres. Cecil Stroope, Queen Janice McQueen, Most Popular Betty Park, Drum Major, Dolores Hunter. Cecil Stroope and Randall Ivey, all-dist.
- 1951-52 — Dist. football champs. Pres. Curtis Chatham, Queen Virginia Price, Most Popular Eddy Pierson, Drum Major Naona Bullard. Jimmy Roy Higgins, Robert Haile, Rollie Gunn all-dist.
- 1952-53 — Dist. football champs. Pres. Robert Haile, Queen Elizabeth Snyder, Most Popular Patricia Barnhill, Drum Major Coy Williams. Jimmy Roy Higgins regional broad jump champ. George Jones regional dash champ. Baird 42, South Taylor 0. J. E. Bullock all-dist.
- 1953-54 — Cafetorium completed. Pres. Bobby Poe, Queen Patsy Betcher. Most Popular Glenda Gilbreath. One act play regional champs. Regional 440 relay champs (Geo. and Paul Jones, Bobby Poe John Bullock). Kyle Meadows and Geo. Jones all-dist.
- 1954-55 — Supt. Bill Ford. Coach H. R. Jefferies. Bi-Dist. Co-Champs. President Floyd Wood, Queen Evelyn Sprawl, Most Popular Virgie Stevenson, Drum Major, Jimmy Johnson. Carolyn Nichols and Wanda Shelnett regional debate champs, 4th in state. Baird 13, Rochester 13. John Bullock and Bill Gorman all-area. Robert Corn, George Lambert, Fain McWilliams, Paul Jones, all-dist. Jefferies B Coach of Year. Homecoming Resumed.
- 1955-56 — Pres. Bobby Joy, Drum Major Toby Barton, two Queens Jerry Jones and Leila Griggs. Baird 76, South Taylor 6. George Lambert all-area. Jimmy Barnes, Leonard Payne all-dist.
- 1957-58 — Present high school completed. Bi-dist. football champs. Pres. Buddy Maxwell, Drum Major Mary Ross, Queens Martha Payne and Nancy Bryant. Linda Drennan regional extemp. speech champ. Baird 26, Rochester 6. Leonard Payne, Norman Smith all-area. Terry Joy, Robert Suniga, Leonard Payne, Roger Corn, Jimmy Barnes all-dist.
- 1958-59 — Dist. football champs. Pres. Terry Joy, Drum Major Virginia Barnes, Queens Evette Meadows, Helen Walker. Baird 54, May 8. Leonard Payne, Gary Gilliland all-area. Terry Joy Robert Suniga, Johnny Rodriguez, all-dist.
- 1959-60 — Pres. Roy Lee Beasley, Drum Major Virginia Barnes, Queens Edna Ramirez, Linda Bryant. Baird 30, Trent 0. Johnny Rodriguez all-area.
- 1960-61 — Supt. Floyd Warren, Coach Vernon Townsend. Pres. Tabor Bearden, Drum Major Kitsy Ross.

This report is only some of the highlights and achievements of the past year. Due to the limited supply of information and the span of time, this report has undoubtedly made mistakes and overlooked some important events, and does not, by any means, include all the vast number of favorites, sweethearts and winner of the past. As time goes on we hope, with your help and corrections, to record all the highlights, favorites and important events of the classes past and in the years to come.

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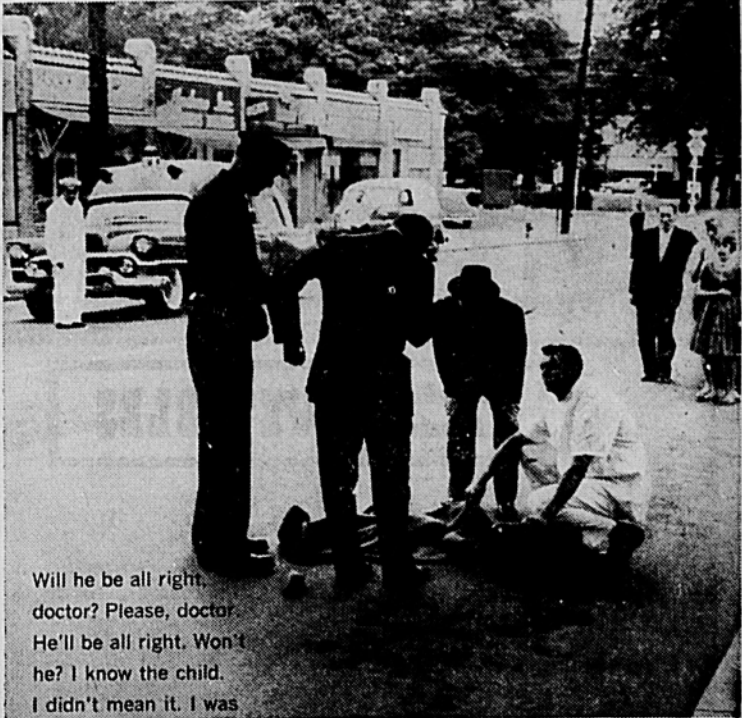
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