

## City To Cooperate In Spring Clean-Up

The Jan. 10th meeting of the city council, Dr. M. L. Stubblefield, representing the Health & Welfare Committee of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, came before the meeting to discuss a Spring Clean Up program.

The Council informed Dr. Stubblefield the city was willing and anxious to cooperate with the Chamber of Commerce in this undertaking and would do everything in the bounds of reason to help make it a success, however the Council suggested definite plans be made and the public properly informed far enough in advance to make the campaign successful.

Heretofore, the city has furnished trucks to haul the trash, rubbish, etc during Clean-Up weeks, and operated on a set schedule, but due to the fact that the program was not thoroughly understood by the public, results were not as successful as was hoped for. The trucks, in the past, were operated as planned, but many people failed to have their premises cleaned up and the trash located as instructed when the trucks came by. Then after the truck had passed, some started their cleaning and expected the city to send the trucks back, which, of course, could not be done.

The city is willing to haul all trash free of charge during the Clean Up campaign, and when the dates are determined, the time, routes and complete instructions will be published far enough ahead that people can have their trash ready. It has been suggested that the latter part of March, or first part of April be considered, but official dates will be published when decided upon by the Chamber of Commerce committee.

City officials are hoping that every citizen of Baird will take a part in the Clean Up program and the results will be very satisfactory. Watch for the dates and complete instructions.

### NOTICE

If any children who will be 6 or over before Sept. 1, 1961 were overlooked in taking the school census, the parents are urged to please contact the Superintendent of Baird schools immediately, as all must be counted by January 31.

### SOCIAL SECURITY

Don Austin, of the Abilene Social Security office, will be at the court house, in the county judge's office at 11 a. m. Tuesday, Jan. 31.

### GUEST EDITORIAL

## Committing Community Suicide

By REV. BRUCE PARKS

It seems to me that Baird is its own worst enemy! We are committing community suicide.

**WE ARE COMMITTING ECONOMIC SUICIDE.** Just drive down Market Street and you will see stark witness to our suicidal progress. The South end of Market Street was, by ghostly evidence, once a thriving business block. Vacant business buildings speak for themselves. How's business on the other blocks? Fair, perhaps, but not good. How long will it be before "fair" becomes "poor" and "poor" becomes "broke"? Not long - if we continue to journey to Abilene for everything but milk, bread, sewing thread and aspirin tablets. It is a 40-mile round trip to Abilene; it costs 10c a mile to own, operate and keep-up a car. Do your own figuring. I do not think we will save, but if we do save money in Abilene by buying those things that can be bought in Baird, we will lose our town.

**WE ARE COMMITTING SOCIAL SUICIDE.** Too many of our people drink; too many of our people are gambling on our High School football and basketball games. It is my considered opinion that these social sins contribute in no way to the social health of a community.

**WE ARE COMMITTING SPIRITUAL SUICIDE.** One fifth of our population are in regular attendance at the Sunday morning worship services of our six churches. On most any Sunday night, only 265 people are worshipping in our churches. I believe that a community that has no more interest in the public worship of God than is evidenced by our community is spiritually sick.

**WHAT CAN WE DO?** I think the answer to the economic problem is obvious. Stop reading the "money saving specials" in the Abilene papers. Spend more of our money here. How about a "Baird Loyalty Month"? Let's buy our groceries, furniture, drugs, gasoline, clothes, nails, pot holders, automobiles, chicken feed, and entertainment right here in Baird. Then, for things like alligators, pheasants, Chinese Junks, humming-bird tongues and Norman Casques with fixed nose pieces, we can go into Abilene.

The answer to the second problem is something like the first. I would say, "stay home and stay sober." Say NO to Abilene and NO to alcohol and gambling. Or better, say YES to Baird, and YES to abstinence.

The answer to the third problem can be found in "putting first things first." W. E. Gladstone, one of England's greatest sons, said, "I go to church because I love England." Harry Inghram said, "I go to church because I love the world. There I hear a law that men should love one another with a love that stoops to the cross." If we can find no other motive for going to church, a good starting place could be "because we love Baird." We will grow from there, and so will our hearts and interest, AND SO WILL OUR TOWN.

## Cubs Win 2nd In Tournament

The Baird Cub basketball team won their second trophy in as many weeks by gaining 2nd place in their own tournament last week end. The Cubs were defeated in the finals at Tye the week end before by Wingate.

Baird was defeated by Clyde in the finals 34-28. The Cubs beat Eula in first round play, and advanced to the finals by beating Cross Plains. Jim Ned won the boys consolation, beating Wylie.

In girls play, Wylie beat Eula in the finals 5-10, while Clyde defeated Baird girls for the consolation trophy.

Tommy Barton was placed on the boys All-Tournament team. Sue Howard and Suzee Foy were selected on the girls All-Tournament team.

## YOUR Chamber of Commerce

By DAVID NOBLE

### It's Poll Tax Time

Pay your poll tax today. January 31 is the deadline for those who wish to avail themselves to their inherited right to have a voice in the decision of the city, county, state and federal government. The tax is small, but the need for participation is great. Your chamber of commerce urges that you pay your poll tax and add your weight to the side of your choice in any election so that what is decided will truly be the choice of the majority.

### West Texas Industrial Conference

Co-chairman Fabian Bearden of the Industrial Committee and manager David Noble attended the Eighth Annual West Texas Industrial Conference Thursday held in the Ballroom of the Windsor Hotel in Abilene. One of the main topics presented was "The City's Responsibilities in Industrial Development."

### Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show

Vicky Finley, sweetheart representing the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, and Sarah Hatcher, sweetheart representing the City of Baird, will be honored guests and will ride in the Grand Entry at 2 p.m. Monday, January 30 of Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth.

### Litterbug - Public Enemy

Have pride in your community and avoid being a litterbug by keeping trash where it belongs.

## March Of Dimes Stage Show at Eula

The annual Eula March of Dimes Stage Show will be presented in the Eula High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, January 30.

Several groups of entertainers are scheduled to appear in the show with specialties in popular who wish to avail themselves of instrumental selections.

There will be no admission charge but donations will be accepted at the door with all proceeds going to the New March of Dimes.

Everyone is invited to attend and urged to remember the worthiness of the cause.

## 1960 Annual Report

By GLEN GREEN

Serving Callahan County as your Extension Service County Agricultural Agent, I traveled 9,774 miles during a twelve months period from Dec. 1, 1959 to Nov. 30, 1960. 150 days were devoted to adult work and 116 days were devoted to 4H Club work. I visited 131 farm homes and made 138 visits to Result Demonstrations. During this period of time there were 398 office calls and 339 telephone calls. I prepared 33 news articles for the Baird Star and Cross Plains Review. I appeared on Harry Holt's TV program in April and October. 1,475 Extension Service bulletins were distributed to interested persons.

Seven days were spent on County Program Building and 68 days were spent for other organizational work. There were 9 adult training meetings held for local leaders with 177 in attendance. There was one 4H local leaders meeting held with 6 present. There were 44 other adult meetings that I held or participated in with 1234 present. I held or participated in 25 4H Club meetings with 1067 present.

27 days were spent assisting farmers with their crops. 90 days were spent in assisting farmers and ranchers with animal selections, production and marketing. 4 days were spent helping farmers or ranchers with soil and water conservation and management. 28 days were spent in community development and public affairs. Two days were spent in Brucellosis meetings 3 days were spent in planning in-service trainings.

4H Club boys and girls all over the country were assisted with their demonstrations in field crops, livestock production and homemaking. Boys were accompanied to Houston Fat Stock Show, San Antonio Livestock Exposition, Abilene Fat Stock Show, West Texas Fair, Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. 4H Club members were also assisted by the County Agent in participating in the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show.

Dr. James E. Henderson, Texas Animal Health Commission assisted in conducting 2 meetings on Brucellosis Control in Cross Plains and Baird, February 19. Sid Jenkins, Farm Management Agent in Extension District 8 assisted in conducting 2 Income Tax Schools in Baird Jan. 5 and Dec. 15. Carlyn Hoffman, Range Management Specialist from College Station assisted the County Agent in Range management work. April 27, A. M. Meekma, Extension Dairy Husbandman from College Station assisted County Agent in conducting a dairy meeting at Cross Plains, June 14. Blufford Hancock, Extension Horticulturist assisted in conducting 2 meetings on Pecan Management in Baird and Clyde, April 26. Ben Spears, Extension Agronomist and Cecil Parker, Extension Farm Management Specialist assisted the County Agent with Agronomy and Farm Management problems in April.

This work was accomplished without the benefit of an office telephone or secretarial help.

## Clyde Man Heads Old Age Assistance

Jimmy Dennis, of Clyde, will become office manager and representative for the Callahan County office of Old Age Assistance on February 1st. He replaces Mrs. Frank Gardiner, who resigned to accept a position as teacher in the Roswell, N. M., school system.

Mr. Dennis has been engaged in this line of work for the past 10 years, having been a field worker out of the Abilene office. He is married and has one son, age 13.

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## Ernest Cooke, 78, Found Dead At His Home Thursday Morning

Ernest Cooke, 78, died at his home here about 5 a.m., Thursday. His death was attributed to heart failure. Mr. Cooke was born in Emory, Texas Oct. 24, 1882, and came to Baird in 1892. He had a hardware store in Baird for many years, located where the Lawrence Feed Store and Farm Bureau office is now located.

Mr. Cooke started losing his sight in 1930, and became totally blind about 20 years ago. He was a familiar sight on Baird streets as he walked about with his cane. His wife, Emma Capps Cooke and one son, Austin, preceded him in death in 1933.

Mr. Cooke was a former trustee of the Baird school system, and also a former member of the City Council. He became a member of the Baptist church at the age of 15.

Survivors are one sister, Mrs. Ada Uzzell of Baird; two nieces, Mrs. Leslie Bryant, Baird, and Mrs. Jake Burkett of Baytown, and one nephew, Minter Uzzell of Tahlequah, Okla.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 3 p. m. at the Wylie Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of the Baptist church. Interment will follow in Ross Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be J. V. Thompson, A. A. Manion, Sam Gilliland, Lowell Boyd, Lea Macdonald and C. B. Snyder.

## Attend Funeral

Attending funeral services in Longview, Texas for former resident of Baird and Callahan County were: Mr. and Mrs. Brice Jones, Lloyd Jones, Mrs. Harold Alexander and Rev. Jones of Abilene drove to Dallas Monday night and on to Longview Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of (Buster) E. W. Jones, a resident of Longview for the past ten or more years. Buster as he was known by most of his friends was Brice's nephew and a cousin of Lloyd's, Rev. and Mrs. Alexanders.

## Farm Bureau Sets Chairmen's Rally

Callahan County Farm Bureau program Committee Chairman, Bill Lawrence has called the first meeting of the year.

The Rally will be held Monday, January 30th, at the Rowden Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

Those invited are each respective chairman, their wives and their committees. The purpose of this meeting is to get better acquainted and have broader public relations for the betterment of our County and Communities.

Several invited guests of our county will be present for this Rally.

## WMU Leadership Course Monday

A Womens Missionary Union Leadership Course will be held at Baird Baptist Church Monday, Jan. 30, beginning at 9 a. m. Mrs. Ray Ellis of Abilene will be the teacher.

This course is designed to meet the need of every WMU worker. Ladies from our sister churches, also our Spanish friends are cordially invited. The nursery will be open.

Each lady is asked to bring a sack lunch: sandwich, fruit, potato chips, etc.

## New Federated Club To Be Organized

The Junior Wednesday Club is organizing a new Federated Club for the young women of Baird. If interested, you are invited to attend the first organizational meeting in the home of Mrs. Ray Black, on Ross Drive, at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

## Two Meetings For Brucellosis Control

Nathan Foster, chairman of the Farm Bureau Health Committee, and Glen Green, County Agent, announce two meetings on Brucellosis control.

Dr. James Henderson of the Texas Animal Health Commission, will conduct the meetings. The first will be held at the county court house in Baird at 7 p. m. on February 7th. The second will be held in Cross Plains at the City Hall February 9th, at 1:30 p.m.

All livestock owners are urged to attend one of the very important meetings.

## Cross Plains Review Wins TPA Award

The Cross Plains Review, Jack Scott and Jack McCarty, publishers, won first prize in the weekly newspaper division of the Texas Press Association Saving Bond Contest. First prize was a set of Encyclopedia Britannica.

In making the presentation, Mr. Jess Adams, State Bond Director, said:

"The Savings Bonds Division is indeed grateful to the members of the Texas Press Association, not only for their support during the Texas Press Association's Savings Bond Contest, but for the support given the program throughout the year. The number of ads donated by Texas newspapers was 85% greater in 1960 than in 1959. We are sure that the fine sales record set in December came as a result of this extra effort by Texas newspapers. We are confident that the savings Bonds Program will receive the continued support of TPA during 1961 - the 20th Anniversary of the Savings Bond Program."

The Baird Star wishes to join in congratulating Mr. Scott and Mr. McCarty on their winning the contest, and for their efforts in promoting the sale of Savings Bonds.

## Farm Bureau Holds District Rally

A group of Callahan County Farm Bureau members attended the District Chairmen's Rally in Abilene, Tuesday afternoon at the Windsor Hotel. Those attending were: W. E. Box, Hilton Tarrant, C. Lee Smith, Claude Rock, Bill and Ethel Lawrence.

J. H. West, Texas Farm Bureau president, was the speaker of the business session.

Lonnie Safley, Assistant President of Tennessee Farm Bureau Federation, was the Banquet speaker, and was enjoyed by all. Safley complimented the Texas organization and their leaders. Texas ranks first in the South and fourth in the nation.

There was approximately 275 persons present, with 150 Counties represented. The Texas organization ended the past year with 80,992 enrollment. Plans are to have a larger and better enrollment for this coming year.

## Putnam Ex-Resident Killed in Crash

Miss Linda Kay Williams, 19, a North Texas State College student from Crosbyton, was killed Tuesday night when a car in which she was riding sideswiped a truck on an icy highway near Seymour.

Miss Williams was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams, formerly of Putnam, now of Crosbyton.

## RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

WHEREAS, During the past year God in His righteousness, goodness and mercy has seen fit to take from our midst two of our members, Dick Young and J. H. Lindle, and

WHEREAS, we desire to remember before God our buddies who have departed this life, and

WHEREAS, we desire to join the many others in expressing our sorrow to the bereaved families,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. Unto God's gracious mercy and protection we commend the souls of the faithful departed
2. We feel the loss of those who have given themselves unselfishly in the service of others.
3. That we, the members of BARRACK NO. 1573 of the VETERANS OF WORLD WAR ONE, assembled in regular meeting Jan. 12, 1961, hereby express our most sincere sympathy to the bereaved families of Dick Young and J. H. Lindle.
4. That a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of said barrack and a copy published in The Baird Star.

Respectfully submitted,  
Tom B. Hadley  
Paul Shanks  
James C. Asbury  
Committee.

## Poll Taxes Slow; Deadline Jan. 31

Only 804 poll tax receipts had been issued up to and including Tuesday, Jan. 24, according to Albert Lovell, tax assessor-collector for Callahan County. At this same date last year, a total of 1314 had been paid, with total in the county for last year being 1218.

Mr. Lovell also wishes to call to the attention of all those who will become 21 before election date, and who wish to vote, may secure their exemptions now. Those who reached 60 before Jan. 1, 1960, are also eligible to vote in any 1961 election.

Don't forget the deadline is next Tuesday, and every one is urged to pay their poll tax, so as to be eligible for voting in the forth-coming senatorial race and perhaps other important elections may come up during the year.

## John Poindexter Buried Monday

John Poindexter, 70, resident of Callahan County since 1900, died at 3:30 p.m. Friday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital at Snyder after an illness of several days.

Born in Arkansas, March 4, 1890, he was a retired carpenter. He was a member of the Baptist Church and Woodmen of the world. His first wife died in 1944.

Mr. Poindexter married Mrs. Rosa Taylor in Baird in July of 1958.

Funeral was at 2 p.m. Monday in Wylie Funeral Chapel with Rev. H. B. Terry, pastor of the Tuscola Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Davis Harrell, pastor of the Baird Baptist Church. Burial was in Ross Cemetery here.

Survivors, in addition to his wife, are three sons, Charlie of Big Lake, Earnest W. of Abilene and John Ed of Amarillo; six daughters, Mrs. Thurman Woodard of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Ed Franklin of Snyder, Mrs. Loren Dummitt, of Eugene, Ore., Mrs. O. C. Luck of Baird, and Mrs. J. P. Stewart of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Jerry Baker, Lawn; 18 grandchildren, a number of great grandchildren; five brothers, Mart of Baird, Tom and B. C. of Oplin, and Robert and Nelson, both of Casa Grande, Ariz.; four sisters, Mrs. Phil Yost of Oplin, Mrs. Jack Russell of Dudley, Mrs. Bill Gorman and Mrs. Will Neal, both of Baird.

## Baird Team Gets Letter Jackets

Football jackets have been presented to 17 lettermen of the District 7-B champion Baird Bears.

Nine seniors were among the lettermen. They included Johnny Rodriguez, Mike Odum, Don Hargrove, Steve Green, Lynn Payne, Ross Odell, Taber Bearden, Jack Shields and Richard Higgins.

The junior numeral winners were Billy Smith and Ronnie Ault and the soph lettermen were Calvin Barnes, Tommy Higgins, Robert Martin, Tencil Scott, Johnny Higgins and manager Don Franke.

Mrs. C. C. Peek of Corpus Christi is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy D. Williams.



## Enterprise Club Meets In Witte Home

The home of Mrs. Oscar Witte was the scene of the Jan. 19th meeting of Enterprise Homemakers Club. The president, Mrs. Cecil Dodson, presided.

Members in unison, repeated the club's motto, pledge and prayer. Mrs. Sherrill, secretary, read the minutes and called the roll, members answering with individual subjects.

Mrs. Ray Young presented the program in which she gave special points, passed out patterns, and gave a demonstration on Making Smocked Decoration Pillows. She also supervised the members who brought material to begin pillows.

Plates of delicious canapes, cake and coffee or hot chocolate were served to Meses. Cecil Dodson, W. W. Henry, Sam Sherrill, Fannie Moore, Will Young, Curtis Browning, Ed Parks, Ethel Young, H. A. Versyp, Miles Holmes, Don Boles, Ray Young, E. H. Bonine, C. M. Dunn, Arnel Powers and two guests, Mrs. Roe Davenport and Mrs. Bill Maxwell, also two children.

Mrs. D. A. Calfee was co-hostess with Mrs. Witte, but was unable to attend due to illness.

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## K. D. Hestes Receives Advancement

Kenneth D. Hestes is appointed T&P general superintendent transportation with headquarters in Dallas.

Hestes, a native of Redwater, Texas, started with the Texas and Pacific May 10, 1941, as agent-telegrapher. Returning to T&P in 1946, following military service during World War II, Hestes was appointed trainmaster at Big Spring and five years later he became assistant superintendent of T&P's Eastern Division. January 1, 1957, he was appointed superintendent of the railroad's former Louisiana Division and four months later Hestes was appointed superintendent of the Western Division.

## Mrs. Bryant Hosts Bailey Circle

The Bailey Circle of the WSCS, Clyde Methodist Church, met in the home of Mrs. John Bryant Jan. 8th. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. E. J. Barton.

Mrs. Bryant gave the devotional, and Mrs. Poole brought the program and presided for a business meeting. Plans were discussed for the joint WSCS meeting scheduled Monday.

Members present were: Meses. G. C. Williams, R. S. Darden, P. L. Poole, R. T. Walls, E. M. Parks, Bertha Barton, Esker Crawford, John Bailey, Harry Steen, Bessie Mae Borden, Ollie Burrow, Homer Kennard and the hostess, Mrs. Bryant.

Mrs. C. T. Nordyke and daughter, Miss Alda, of Baird, visited in the R. E. Hansen home Sunday afternoon.

## Ex-Clyde Bank President Dies

Marvin H. Perkins, 79, of Ranger, once president of a now-defunct Clyde bank, died late Saturday afternoon in a Terrill hospital where he had been a patient.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday at Hammer Funeral Home in Eastland. Officiating was Rev. Henry Littlefield, Baptist minister, and Rev. James Campbell and Rev. Robert Butler, Methodist ministers. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

He was married March 9, 1908 in the Pleasant Grove community north of Eastland. Following their marriage they lived in Fort Worth, where Mr. Perkins was employed as a railway mail clerk. After 13 years with the railway mail service, they moved to Clyde in 1919. While in Clyde he was president of the First State Bank and in 1935 was named secretary of the National Farm Loan Assn. here.

He later retired and moved to a farm one mile west of Ranger. Survivors include his wife; a son, Si of El Paso; a daughter, Mrs. Thelma Cowden of Grand Prairie; and several grand children.

## Quarterly Meeting Held at Clyde

The quarterly meeting of the W.M.U., of Callahan County Baptist Association met at the First Baptist Church in Clyde, Jan. 19. Mrs. Lee Bishop of Cross Plains, Associational President, of Callahan County, had charge of the meeting.

Theme: Witness Where You Are.

Devotional by Mrs. J. W. Baulch.

Our Witness at Home: In Baird, Mrs. J. N. Scott; in Clyde, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford; in Cross Plains, Mrs. A. D. Petty; in Cottonwood, Mrs. Jack Thomas; in Eula, Mrs. Mickel McGuire.

His Message Must be Sent; Girl's Auxiliary, Mrs. Donald Baird; Sunbeam, Miss Evelyn Hollis.

In Jesus Blessed Name; Mission Study, Mrs. J. T. Warren; Stewardship, Mrs. J. W. Baulch; Prayer, Mrs. D. A. Abernathy; Community Missions, Mrs. John Weathers.

Welcome to Visitors, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford.

Special Music, Eula Church, Mrs. Claude Rock.

Accomplishing His Task, Mrs. David D'Amico, of Argentina, doing Home Mission work, whose husband is a student at H. S. U., and is pastor of the Mission Church in Hamlin.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, followed by a business session.

CARD OF THANKS  
To our many friends who were so kind during our recent sorrow, we want to express our heart-felt appreciation. May God bless each of you.  
The Craig Family

## WMU Night Circle Meets at Church

The Night Circle of the WMU, Clyde Baptist Church, met Monday at the church. Mrs. Calvin Bynum brought the first two chapters of the mission study, The Dreamer Cometh, the story of Luther Rice.

Mrs. Janice Rankin, circle chairman, was in charge and read the calendar of prayer.

Present were: Meses. Vernon Walker, Pauline Poe, Bertie Linnear, W. J. Hannaford, Calvin Bynum, Janice Rankin, Miss Evelyn Hollis, and two children Balinda Bynum and Pat Barnes.

All working women are urged to attend this circle, which meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month.

## Barbara Darnell Weds Buford Welch

Barbara Darnell became the bride of Buford Welch in a 4 o'clock ceremony Saturday afternoon, in the home of the groom's parents, Owen Cosbrove, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Darnell and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Welch are parents of the groom.

The bride wore a street-length dress of light blue crepe, with three-quarter sleeves, and full pleated skirt. Her half hat and veil were white. Her corsage was white carnations.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. Welton Robinson of Ft. Worth, sister of the groom. Frankie Darnell, brother of the bride, was best man.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. Decoration were white glads and greenery, yellow tulle roses and yellow rose buds decorated the serving table.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will live in Clyde.

The bride is a student in Clyde High School, and the groom is a 1960 graduate of Clyde High. He is now employed by Mayfield Paper Co., in Abilene.

## Gibson Children Honor Their Mother

The children of Mrs. Myrla Gibson of Clyde had a family get-together Sunday in Colorado City, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Christian were co-hosts.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gibson, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer, Eula; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson, Mrs. Steve Tarrant, Mrs. Ollie Burrow, Mrs. Myrla Gibson, Clyde; Sherry Christian and Tommy Humphrey of Colorado City.

Mrs. Gibson returned to her home in Clyde, after a two weeks visit in Colorado City.

NOTICE!  
There will be a meeting of the Parent Teacher Club next Wednesday, Feb. 1st, at 3:30 p. m.

Mrs. John Weathers left Monday morning to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Oklahoma City, Okla.

## Clyde Defeats Early, 67-44

Johnny Paylor sizzled the hoops for 22 points at Early Friday night as the Clyde Bulldogs romped to a 67-44 victory over the Early Longhorns.

Clyde thus kept a share of the District 10-A lead with a 3-0 mark while Early is 0-3. Coach Spud Aldridge's Callahan County Bulldogs are 16-5 for the season. Ronnie Windham led Early with 19.

Linda Kemper scored 20 points as the Clyde girls handed Early its first 10-A loss, 30-27. Janet Watkins sank 18 for Early.

Both Clyde and Early girls are 2-1 in loop play.

## It's the Law in TEXAS



### SMALL BUSINESS AND THE NEW FEDERAL TAX LAW

The 1953 Federal Tax Law has introduced a new factor in selecting or changing the form of a business organization, a change which can mean substantial cash savings and other benefits for the owners of a business. Every person in business, whether presently operating as a sole proprietorship, a partnership of a corporation, should re-examine his business form in the light of the new federal tax law.

If a business is now operating as a partnership or a sole proprietorship, it can be incorporated, and still be taxed, substantially the same as a partnership or sole proprietorship. In this way, it can avoid the federal corporation income tax, and pay only the tax on income to the proprietor.

The new tax law, called "Subchapter S," gives the businessman the usual advantages of the corporate form—limited liability, ease in transferring interests and continuity of the business after death—without the double tax burden imposed on both the corporation and the stockholder.

If you are already operating your business as a corporation, in many cases you can cut your taxes substantially by taking the option to be taxed as a partnership or sole proprietorship without giving up the other advantages of the corporate form. Although there is no limit on the worth of the corporation, except for tax loss carry-over, the business must meet several qualifications, the most important of which are: the corporation must have 10 or fewer stockholders; be a domestic corporation; have only individuals and/or estates as stockholders; have only one class of stock, and not get more than 20 per cent of its receipts from rents, royalties, dividends, interests, annuities or profits from the stock market.

There are various other factors to consider in taking the option to organize as a corporation and make this tax election. First, all the stockholders must agree to the move. The decision must be unanimous and must remain so.

You should also investigate the possibility of putting your business back into its original form in the event that you are dissatisfied with the pseudo-corporation. Certain procedures must be followed to revoke this form. The corporate form of business gives advantages in estate planning not available to the partnership or the sole proprietorship.

In other words, the advantages of taking the option to form a pseudo-corporation should be studied thoroughly before entering into such a business entity. Only with competent advice and thoughtful consideration can you make your business work to the full advantage under the 1958 Federal Tax Law.

R. E. Hansen received word last week that his brother, Henry Hansen, had passed away in Chicago, Ill., from a heart ailment.

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## Abilene FFA Boys Present Program

The Eula Young Farmer Chapter held its monthly meeting the 19th in Eula School Auditorium.

A skill team consisting of 3 FFA boys from Abilene brought a program on pipe measuring, threading, and cutting. They were very good.

Also on the program was Arthel Henson, a registered Hereford breeder from Abilene. He brought a program on Artificial Insemination. This was a very interesting program to the 20-25 Farmers, FFA boys and Young Farmers present.

Mrs. Faye White visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Reed and Mr. Reed in Wichita Falls last week. Mrs. Mollie Clemer accompanied Mrs. White to Wichita Falls, where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton McWhorter and Mark, former residents of Clyde. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Estes, cousin of Mrs. Clemer, visited her while in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. G. C. Bowen of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIntosh attended funeral services Monday in Ovalo for J. G. Bush, brother-in-law of Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. Bowen. The funeral was held in the First Baptist Church there, with burial following in Atoka cemetery, beside the grave of his wife.

John Weathers was surprised January 9th, on his birthday by his three children getting him on the telephone from their homes, from three different places and singing Happy Birthday to him. Loyd called from McCook, Neb.; Joyce from Lubbock and Frances from Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pyeatt of Midland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Parish and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pyeatt over the week end. Mr. Pyeatt was believed to be some improved.

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# NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

## SCHOOL NEWS

### PUTNAM TAKES TWO FROM MORAN

Friday night the Panthers were lost to the Moran Bulldogs, Coach Princes Panthers racked up their ninth victory in 14 starts by defeating Moran, 51-49. Ricky and James Isenhower led Putnam with 16 and 15 points respectively. Joe Martin paced the losers with 18. Putnam is now 1-2 and Moran is 1-3 in district play.

Putnam girls, not in district this year, led by Carolyn White with 26 points defeated the Moran girls by another close score, 12-40. Annie Joe Wiluth and Santra Husky had 16 and 15 points respectively for the losers.

Putnam Grade School plays Olden at Olden Thursday at 5:45 and 6:45.

We are having fun with our new Science books. Many in our

class are making collections of suds.

Bobby Mack Shirley had guests over the week end, J. R. Shirley and family of Abilene, also his grandmother Ogle from Sipe Springs.

Donny Tatom visited his great-grandfather and grandmother in Baird part of the week end.

Roy Foster spent part of the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson at Cisco Sunday. His grandfather and grandmother Foster visited in his home with them for a visit.

Carolyn Sue Harris brought a guest to school several days last week, Debby Henderson of Tracy, California. She is to write to our class and tell about what she is doing in her school.

Carolyn Sue Harris had her brother, Tommy and family of Snyder as guests part of the week end.

Jean Ann Buchanan was happy because her mother, Mrs. Herahel Wagley came from the hospital Friday.

Roy Foster had friends from Abilene visit him, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Brooks.

Mrs. John D. Isenhower gave our room a lovely picture. It has three dimensional look.

Mr. Roland Nichols spent several days last week in Houston. He stopped in Dallas and had a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

The third and fourth grade received a beautiful picture for our room as a gift from Mrs. J. D. Isenhower. We also wish to thank Mrs. Isenhower for the delicious refreshments she served us Friday p.m. at our six weeks social hour.

Third and fourth grades enjoyed watching the inauguration ceremony in the J. D. Isenhowers spacious living room.

The following pupils were on the honor roll last six weeks: Warren Donaway, Ellen Sreckelford, Marilyn White, Michael Knott, Elaine Isenhower.

The ladies of the Putnam Methodist Church will have a cook food sale Saturday 23 at Shackelford's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lancaster of Hamlin were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring.

Dr. Royce Pruet and family of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet. News received from Allen, Okla.

Miss Minerva Jones passed away Sunday. Those who will attend the funeral are Mrs. Homer Pruet, W. G. and L. B. Jones of Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Blankenship of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford and daughter were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speegle in Cisco.

Mrs. Lena Ramsey and daughter, Mrs. Palmer of Sudan, were Friday night guests of Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam and his mother, Bertha Burnam, of Stanton, were Saturday night guests of Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

E. E. Sunderman spent the week end in Ft. Worth visiting his son, Earl and family, and in Cleburne with Mrs. Edward Sunderman and daughters.

Stanley Culwell and Evelyn Abernathy were married Friday evening.

Young People of the MYF will attend the District MYF meeting at Rising Star Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heysler returned home last week, after two weeks at Rockport.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton attended a flower show in Ft. Worth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hale of Ft. Stockton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell White and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Royce White and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl White and son of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Varner of Baird.

Mrs. May Seaborn of San Angelo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Jobe. They attended the Poindexter funeral in Baird Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sharp and daughters of Fort Worth visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howard and daughters, Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Howard are sisters.

# Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbors, we had a real nice warm day here this Monday. We really had some cold weather Thursday and Friday of last week the temperature got down to 19 or 20 both nights.

Burette, Johnny May Ramsey and I shopped some in Abilene last Wednesday, visited awhile with Mrs. Jeter, she is doing OK. Mark and Ollie Burnam shopped in Abilene last Friday.

Mrs. Lena Ramsey and daughter, Mrs. Earnest Parmer of Sudan, Mrs. Parmer's granddaughter and great grandson of Dimmitt spent Friday night with Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Ollie, Mark, Gayle and I visited with them a while Friday. We are glad to say aunt Lena is looking and doing real good. We were so glad to see them.

Roma McIntyre visited a while Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Mark and Ollie Burnam, Mrs. Mary Ramsey and I attended the funeral in Baird Sunday afternoon of Mr. Jim Alphin, who passed away Friday about noon in Callahan County Hospital.

Mrs. Bertha Burnam, Clayton Burnam and wife of Stanton came for the funeral of Mr. Jim. Aunt Bertha spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mary Ramsey. Clayton and wife spent the night in Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holbrook, and Rupert Holbrook of Big Spring also attended the funeral.

Wayne and Sue Blankenship of Fort Worth had supper Saturday night with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey. They also visited with Mark and Ollie Burnam.

Linda Isenhower spent Saturday night with Gayle Burnam.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer of Fort Worth visited Saturday night with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey.

Ped Yarbrough of Cross Plains visited Friday with D. A. Yarbrough.

I spent Thursday night and Friday visiting with Ruth, Bettie and Mabel Mobley. We watched the parade and inauguration of the president.

Good morning, this is Tuesday and really raining. Be good and I'll see you next week.

## Eula Items

By Martha Mape

Eula F. F. A. boys are sponsoring a March of Dimes Talent show at 7:30 p.m., January 30th in the Eula Auditorium.

Eula High School "B" team girls and "A" team boys will play Putnam there at 7:00 p.m., Jan. 31st.

Eula High School boys and girls played Baird, there, last Tuesday night.

Eula F. F. A. boys held a live stock show at Eula last Saturday. Eula High School girls have entered in the Hardin Simmons Tournament. Their first game will be with Winters, at 10:00 a. m., Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

Students making honor roll for the 3rd, six weeks are:  
FIRST GRADE  
Cherri Curry\*, Kathi Smith\*.  
SECOND GRADE  
Sherry Ash, Wesley Barr, Joyce Cuffman\*, Marcia Esman\*, Anita Rock\*, Dare Stallings.

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THIRD GRADE  
Stanley Cathcart.  
FOURTH GRADE  
Cherilyn Beard\*, Georgia Favor\*, Frances Rock\*.

SIXTH GRADE  
Larry Billingsley, Donna Downing\*, Carolyn Gardiner\*, Susan Rock\*, Gayle Spurrier\*.

EIGHTH GRADE  
Carolyn McCoy\*, Dena Favor.  
NINTH GRADE  
Charles Zachry\*.

TWELFTH GRADE  
Sandra Beard\*, Patsy Burleson\*, Linda Shipman\*, Elaine Davis\*, Charles Ivey, Ramona Stephenson.

\* Indicates that the student has been on the honor roll for the 3 six weeks of the first semester.

## Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

Mr. Bill Steakley entered the hospital at Abilene last Thursday night due to pneumonia. He was thought to be a little better by Sunday but was still considered to be a very sick man.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd and her father were dinner guests last Saturday night of Mrs. Tommie Windham and Paula. It is so very nice to be remembered for the occasion marked off another birthday for me.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mason and Sonny of Farmington were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorten.

Clyde's gain was Oplin's loss last week when Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chathan and Children, William and Sherry moved to Clyde. Their son, William is a student at A. C. C. this year and Sherry is enrolled at Clyde.

Mrs. Stella Yost and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Poindexter attended the funeral Monday of their brother, John Poindexter who passed away Friday in a Snyder hospital due to pneumonia.

Mrs. M. C. Miller is heading the March of Dimes drive at Oplin.

When she comes knocking at your door remember to give generously to this worthy cause and remember too that this little lady is giving her time and expense to this cause.  
Donations to Oplin Cemetery fund: Ernest Gwin—\$5.00.

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## EULA COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT Eula, Callahan County, Texas Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements For The Year Ended August 31, 1960

Exhibit A

DESCRIPTION	State & County Available	Local Maintenance	Interest & Sinking Fund	Totals
Opening Cash Balance Sept. 1, 1959	\$1,219.89	\$1,582.45	\$187.12	\$2,989.46
<b>RECEIPTS</b>				
10 Local Sources		\$23,186.24	\$3,112.54	\$26,298.78
20 County Sources	257.40			\$257.40
30 State Sources	\$12,549.00	\$21,940.01		\$34,489.01
60 Loans		\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00
70 Sale of Property		\$148.31		\$148.31
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS	\$12,806.40	\$50,274.56	\$3,112.54	\$66,193.50
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE	\$14,026.29	\$51,857.01	\$3,299.66	\$69,182.96
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>				
1 Administration		\$4,861.06		\$4,861.06
2 Instruction	\$14,286.28	\$32,393.71		\$46,679.99
4 Health Services		\$935.97		\$935.97
5 Pupil Transportation		\$500.00		\$500.00
6 Operation of Plant		\$4,017.91		\$4,017.91
7 Maintenance of Plant		\$2,723.88		\$2,723.88
8 Fixed Charges		\$1,022.00		\$1,022.00
10 Student Body Activities		\$1,361.47		\$1,361.47
12 Capital Outlay		\$3,756.84		\$3,756.84
13 Debt Services			\$2,170.95	\$2,170.95
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$14,286.28	\$51,572.84	\$2,170.95	\$68,029.07
Closing Cash Balance August 31, 1960	(\$259.99)	\$284.17	\$1,128.71	\$1,152.89
Memorandum - Payable August 31, 1960	0	0	0	0

**ADMIRAL NEWS**  
By Ann Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Windell Smith and Teddy ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Grogan, Lana

and Minnie Pope Monday. Lana was out of school with the shingles.

Those visiting Mrs. Smartt and Ruebelle Sunday were: Mrs. J. N. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen, Joe Smith, Mr. and Mrs.

**Atwell News**  
By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Foster of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Saturday night.

Elder and Mrs. David Foster, Emory Foster, Maggie Wilson and Mrs. Nancy Washburn attended the funeral of Mrs. Will Varner last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Midkiff and children of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom and girls were in Abilene last Thursday afternoon to meet Mrs. Merlin Hutchins and children at the Abilene air-port. Mrs. Hutchins and children were flown in from South America where they have lived the past two years. Her husband will come as soon as he can.

Mr. George Wrinkle and two grandsons and Louis Wrinkle, a nephew of Mr. Wrinkle from Bronte visited Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle Sunday.

James Foster of Lubbock and Miss Peggy Draper of Slaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster over the week-end. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin at Sabanno and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster in Cross Plains Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Arlis Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins Sunday.

Maggie Wilson and Mrs. Nancy Washburn visited Mrs. Mary B. McLeod Sunday.

Roy Tatom, Nathan Foster and Roy Nell Tatom were in Baird Friday morning.

Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and Mrs. Jim Dewbre were shopping in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton's Wrinkle's grandson, Louis Mangum is spending this week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Quinn of Levelland visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes over the week end.

Mrs. Vee Maher visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKinley in Brownwood from Wednesday until Saturday.

**Former Resident Letter From Baird**

The Star received a letter last week from Joe C. Ellis of Fort Worth, renewing his subscription to the paper for another year. Included in the letter was part of a day in the life of Mr. Ellis in Baird, 60 to 65 years ago, which we thought might be of interest to the old timers here.

"This morning I rushed out of my pallet away from the kids and dogs that spent the night with my brother Sam and me. Those good old days, all or most of us kids slept in the yard on a wagon sheet (now called a tarp), and the good part of the getting up or retiring was we never had to shed or put on clothing.

"Up and to town for beef for breakfast. So as I was on my way to town, about 14 blocks, these are a few people I saw. Mr. Boland and son, Jesse, cutting wood at home. Mrs. Boland crossing the street from Judge Bell's. A new baby last night, named Eugene. Farley, with his long curls, told me of this happy event. C. H. Mahan asked me to bring him 15c worth of round steak, which I did. Capt. Powell's boys driving cows to pasture, south of the RR tracks. Lou Hadley and Bros. going to hardware store. Judge Bowyer and girls walking to gate. Judge on the way to his office. Ed Wristen on the way home to breakfast and Bill Boydston waving good-bye to his bride.

"C. C. Seale and girls on the Shetland ponies on their way to the ranch. Across the street, Miss Dora Buckles putting the parrot on his perch. Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz to breakfast with Judge Blanton at the Misses Buckles. T. C. Powell emerging from the house, wending his way to the dry goods store. Cutting across vacant lots Mr. Anderson on his way to the roundhouse. How I envied Justin and Vernon not having to get up so early.

"S. E. Webb kissing the younguns' bye, out to the ranch for him. Al Webb on the way to his office. Then Mr. McGowen leaving for the store and Mrs. Norton doing the same. Across the next block, B. L. Boydston driving to the store. A clatter of hoofs Mr. Willis Asbury on his favorite horse, Tennis. Then a whisper of sound and H. F. Foy on his bicycle. General James in his carriage with a driver.

"On down to the corner of Main and 3rd. Mr. McManis opening the post office. Then to Wristen and Olivers Butcher Shop. Pet the old cat, always on the counter. Got the steak for my home and back on 8nd street. Mr. Bowlus and Horace Terrell on the way to town. Tom Gentry, engineer, going to his engine. Bob Scroggins leaving Aunt Mary Scroggins house. Uncle Bill Gilliland cutting across lots east of R. B. Spencer Lumber Yard, to the Baird Star office.

"Guess this is in the past for most of the folks of Baird at this time. Perhaps I'm in the past too far, yet, I'd like to go down the street again bare-foot as in the days of old, walking in the dust to protect the sore toes most of us kids had at that time.

"Regards to all Bairdites, of old and later days."  
Joe C. Ellis,  
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**Cottonwood News**  
By Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Tomy Davidson and baby of Abilene visited his grandfather, J. H. Coats and Mrs. A. A. Holley Monday.

Mrs. Crosland and daughter of Seminole visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard over the week end.

Mrs. V. L. Fulton remains in the Baird Hospital with condition no better.

Mrs. W. B. Gilleland visited Mrs. Fulton Sunday and Monday.

There will be a game night at the school house Friday night. Will be some refreshments sold for the March of Dimes. Everyone is invited and urged to attend and enjoy the fun and help in a good cause.

Beulah and Hazel I Respass visited in Rising Star Sunday afternoon with Mrs. F. W. Respass.

Mrs. Cox and two children of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Archer of Amarillo visited his father, Earl Archer Sunday. Earl is still very sick, very little improvement.

Mrs. J. P. Clifton fell and broke a bone in her forearm last week.

**Rowden Round-Up**  
By Mrs. B. Crow

Mrs. Laremer Henry of Baird visited her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Jimmy the past week.

Mrs. Bob Merriman of Cross Plains spent last week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Bro. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited her mother, Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth at Clyde Monday, they also visited Mrs. Charlie Morgan at Baird. Mrs. Morgan is feeling some better after being sick for some time.

Mrs. James Henry and Jimmy visited relatives at Baird Thursday.

Mrs. Oran Bains has not been feeling well lately we hope she got a good report from her doctor Friday.

Mrs. George Sanders celebrated his 92nd birthday in the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sanders of Abilene.

**GAME & FISH COMMISSION**

Hunting and fishing without a license topped the list of arrests made in November by game wardens, according to the December report of the director of law enforcement of the Game and Fish Commission. There were 55 who tried their luck hunting and 85 on fishing without first buying the required license.

There were 48 booked for hunting species on which there was a closed season. Night hunters accounted for 43 arrests.

Game wardens also booked 15 persons for failure to have proper life preservers in boats.

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**Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements**  
For The Year Ended August 31, 1960

**Exhibit A**

DESCRIPTION	Operating Fund		Interest & Sinking Fund	Totals
	State & County Available	Local Maintenance		
Opening Balance, Sept. 1, 1959	\$15.75	\$2,524.81	\$4,512.13	\$7,052.69
<b>RECEIPTS</b>				
10 Local Sources		\$15,339.03	\$3,364.96	\$18,703.99
20 County Sources	\$135.30			\$135.30
30 State Sources	\$5,412.00	\$18,143.05		\$23,555.05
<b>TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$5,547.30</b>	<b>\$33,482.08</b>	<b>\$3,364.96</b>	<b>\$42,394.34</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE</b>	<b>\$5,563.05</b>	<b>\$36,006.89</b>	<b>\$7,877.09</b>	<b>\$49,447.03</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>				
1. Administration		\$4,100.85		\$4,100.85
2 Instruction	\$5,558.41	\$22,139.93	\$27,698.34	\$27,698.34
4 Health Services		\$802.26		\$802.26
5 Pupil Transportation		\$875.00		\$875.00
6 Operation of Plant		\$2,183.14		\$2,183.14
7 Maintenance of Plant		\$826.03		\$826.03
8 Fixed Charges		\$871.67		\$871.67
10 Student Body Activities		\$933.07		\$933.07
12 Capital Outlay		\$2,164.41		\$2,164.41
13 Debt Service			\$3,165.00	\$3,165.00
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$5,558.41</b>	<b>\$34,396.36</b>	<b>\$3,165.00</b>	<b>\$6,327.26</b>
Ending Balance Aug. 31, 1960	\$4.64	\$1,610.53	\$4,712.09	\$43,119.77
Memorandum	0	0	0	0

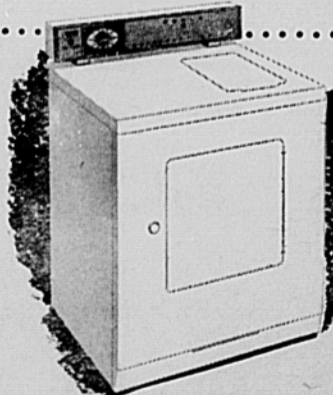
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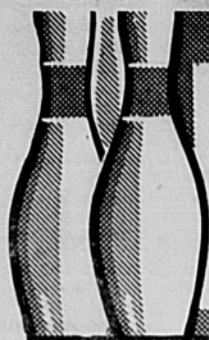


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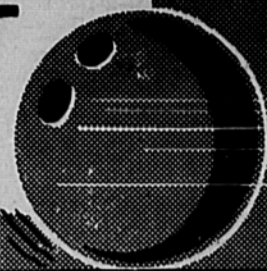
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