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By Lucy Burfield

The soft drink business is one of the liveliest and most competitive in the United States.

The sales of major beverage companies are increasing at the rate of eight per cent annually. At the same time many new companies are entering the field with success.

Reasons for the expanding consumption of soft drinks are several -- a younger more affluent public, the development of new low-carole products, changing living habits, and advertising.

The vigorous advertising competition among competitive brands may lead to an overall increase in the consumption of soft drinks. However, the rise of new brands indicates that people give thought to a purchase even when a dime is involved.

The result has been a change in the nature of soft-drink advertising. Companies which once assumed that simple repetition of a name was enough to sell a brand of soda-pop are giving increased attention to describing special features of their products.

Also, the soft-drink industry is turning more and more to local media for advertising. The industry realizes that what happens in a local grocery store may depend more upon a statement in a hometown publication than gimmicks used in a multi-million dollar television campaign.

The market trends in the soft-drink industry are following a pattern that is typical in a lively, highly competitive market.

First, the competitors attempt to produce more desirable products, to find new virtues in old products. Then advertising is geared to selling the product on its real value.

Finally, upon the knowledge that all sales are local buying action is stimulated by local advertising.

Hospital Notes . . .

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

Blanton Freeland, Baird
Mrs. Cora Howell, Colorado City

Mrs. Maggie Allman, Baird
Mrs. Annie Crockett, Baird
Mrs. Jack Brandon, Baird
Mrs. Lela Smart, Moran
Mrs. Ora Clinton, Baird
Charles Law, Clyde
Alex Barton, Clyde
George Foster, Putnam
Mrs. Myrtle Blackburn, Abilene

Byron Montgomery, Cross Plains

Mrs. Johnny Eubank, Moran
Mrs. Rosa Young, Clyde
Mrs. A. J. Sharp, Baird

Mrs. Euna P. Lovelady, Baird
Mrs. Joe Warren, Baird
Mrs. B. B. Barry, Baird
Joe Whitehead, Baird

Dismissals
Recently dismissed from hospital care are:

Mrs. Bill Davis
Mrs. T. M. Higgins
Mrs. L. L. Montgomery
Lisa Pierce
William Terry

Mrs. Ann Campbell
H. W. Earl
Sam Hedrick
Herbert Ellis
L. H. Welch

Mrs. G. W. Broyles, Sr.
Wayne Fielder
Kay McBroom
Thelma McBroom
Ettie McBroom

Mrs. Suzie Shelton
Mrs. Alvin Klepper
Mrs. Margaret Carson
William Ray McBroom
Jack Sammons
Mrs. Jack Sammons
Mrs. Lela Smart

Mrs. Swor Dies At 78

Funeral services for Mrs. Josie Irene Swor, mother of County Commissioner Glen Swor, with whom she made her home, were held at 5 p. m. Wednesday in Godfrey Funeral Home Chapel, with Bill Eason, minister of the Oplin Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Burkett Cemetery, in Coleman County, with Godfrey Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Swor died at 6:30 p. m. Monday in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman where she had been admitted Sunday.

Born March 10, 1889, in Coleman County, she had lived in Oplin approximately 50 years. Her husband, Jim Carroll Swor, preceded her in death in 1948.

She was a member of Oplin Church of Christ.

Survivors include three sons, Glen, Durwood and Jake, all of Oplin; three daughters, Miss Imogene Swor of Oplin, Mrs. Leonard Johnson of Coleman, and Mrs. R. B. Stansberry of Anderson, So. Carolina; three sisters, Mrs. E. B. Harding of Rising Star, Miss Gladys Head of Santa Fe, N. M., and Mrs. Gertrude Seymour of Conora, Calif.; one brother, Cecil Head of Yucca Valley, Calif.; eight grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Palbearers were Ray Floyd, Bulan Poindexter, Herman O-Shields, Bill Windham, John Campbell and J. B. Pierce, all of Oplin.

Attending Training Corps In Georgia

Freddie R. Johnston, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston of Cross Plains, is attending Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps basic camp at Ft. Benning, Ga., which began June 11th.

Johnston is a student at Hardin-Simmons University. He is attempting to earn an Army commission through the new two-year ROTC program.

He is receiving six weeks of training similar to that given all Army basic trainees, including rifle marksmanship, bayonet training, hand-to-hand combat and first aid.

Successful completion of the basic camp will qualify him for the Advanced Corps at the college. The two year of advanced training at the school and advanced summer camp emphasize skills necessary to command. He will be eligible for a commission as a second lieutenant in the U. S. Army upon graduation from college.

Johnston is a 1965 graduate of Cross Plains High School.

Recreation Center Plans Approved

In a telephone conversation with engineers in Palestine Monday morning, Jimmy Godfrey, president of Shady Oaks Recreation Center, learned that all plans for the proposed recreation facility had been approved by the FHA office in Temple.

Official approval should be received in the form of a telegram from the Temple office soon, Godfrey said, at which time construction bids will be let.

However, at present, a legal entanglement has arisen which must be settled before construction can begin.

When the City of Baird purchased the tract of land where the center is to be located, former owners retained an easement in order to have access to their adjoining property.

This easement has never been erased, although it is no longer



Shown in the picture above is the 1965 Oldsmobile in which Clarence William Farmer was killed near here last Saturday morning.

Alabama Man Killed in One Car Accident Near Baird Saturday

A Huntsville, Ala. engineer, Clarence William Farmer, 38, was killed Saturday about 6:00 a. m. when the 1965 Oldsmobile he was driving went off an Interstate 20 overpass, located 7 miles east of Baird, and plunged into the roadway below.

Mr. Farmer was enroute to

employment at White Sands Missile Range in New Mexico and was driving alone at the time of the accident. He received a punctured heart and multiple injuries.

Born Jan. 24, 1929 in Alabama, he was employed by Brown Engineering Co., Inc. of Huntsville, Ala., as an engineer. He married Earline Haralson on March 11, 1967.

Survivors include his wife; four children; his mother, Mrs. W. A. (Nannie) Farmer of Birmingham, Ala.

The body was taken to Dallas Sunday morning by Godfrey Funeral Home of Baird, and left Love Field at 7:10 a. m. Sunday for Birmingham, where services and burial were to be held.

Investigating the accident were Texas Highway Patrolman Bob Hutchins of Abilene and Deputy Sheriff C. S. McGowen.

Thaxton Reunion Held June 10-11

The 20th annual reunion of the descendants of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Thaxton, formerly of Thaxton, Miss., Pontotoc County and later of Eula in Callahan County, met on June 10 - 11 at the Christian Retreat at Lake Brownwood.

Families represented were the Thaxtons, Baileys, Crows and McGowens, with approximately 50 in attendance. They were from Austin, Abilene, Baird, Brady, Clyde, Denton, Dallas, Fort Worth, Iowa Park, Littlefield and Sallisaw, Okla.

Church services were held on Sunday morning with family members conducting services. Mrs. Nettie Crow remained to visit in Clyde, Baird and Abilene before returning to her home in Sallisaw, Okla.

Hounshells Adopt Baby Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hounshell are announcing the adoption of a daughter, Frances Charlene, born June 13, 1967.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. George Eubanks of Baird and paternal grandmother is Mrs. L. F. Hounshell of Cross Plains. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Lillie A. Brown of Santa Anna.

Reading Class To Begin Today

The Accelerated Reading Class will begin at Baird High School Friday, June 23, at 1 p. m., according to L. B. Howard, school superintendent.

"Present plans are for the class to be held twice weekly in 1 1/2 hour sessions for a period of eight weeks," Howard said.

"A maximum of 25 students may enroll for this class," Howard added, "with a preference that the class be filled by High School students. However, if there are not enough High School students enroll, Junior High students will be accepted in order to fill the class."

By Monday afternoon of this week, 15 students had been enrolled for the class.

COURTHOUSE REORD

Marriage license was issued in Callahan County Courthouse to: Pat McKennon, Baird, and Barbara Henry, Baird.

New Vehicles
Eula High School, Dodge pickup
Malcom E. Sinclair, Ford
J. C. McCurdy, Ford
Juan Suniga, Ford
Frazier Ford, Ford
Harry T. Varner, Chevrolet
John E. Petty, GMC pickup

Game Warden To Move Here

A Game Warden, Larry Holloway of Fredericksburg, has been assigned to serve in Callahan County by the Texas Parks & Wildlife Commission.

Holloway will graduate from the Game Warden's Training School in Austin Friday, June 23, and will assume duties here July 3.

He and Mrs. Holloway have rented the Homer Price place on Girard Street, and plan to move into it in the near future.

Giants Take Loss Mon. But Retain League Lead

\$100 DONATED TO TECUMSEH CEMETERY DURING WORK-DAY

During the workday held at Tecumseh Cemetery May 27, a total of \$100 was raised for upkeep of the grounds, bringing the Cemetery Fund to \$159.69.

Those making contributions were:

- Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher, \$3.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Buland Poindexter, \$3.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armor, \$10.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Windham \$10.00
- Jack Gilliland, \$10.00
- Mrs. Stella Johnson, \$3.00
- Mrs. Mallie Johnson, \$5.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pierce, \$5.00
- Mrs. Stella Yost, \$2.00
- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Preston, \$2.00
- Robert Neal, \$5.00
- Lynn Neal, \$5.00

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grantham \$10.00

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Windham, \$10.00

Johnson Brothers, \$10.00.

Also, since old fencing is being torn down on the South side of the Cemetery grounds, a fund has been started to erect an ornamental fence there to match the fencing in front.

Posts for this project have already been donated.



LEWIS M. BELYEU

FB To Have Salad Supper

Callahan County Farm Bureau will have a salad supper Friday, June 30, beginning at 8 p. m., in the Eula High School Cafeteria.

The program will include talks by students who will attend the Student's Citizenship Seminar at Baylor University. These students are Patsy Ingram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ingram of Cross Plains; Robert Merrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Merrill of Cross Plains; and Frances Rock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rock of Eula.

Farm Bureau members, their families and friends, are invited to attend this meeting. Each Farm Bureau member is requested to bring salads and sweets.

EARP YARD GETS PLAQUE

Baird Garden Club wishes to add the names of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Earp Sr., to that of Mrs. Bea Peebles as co-winners of the Club Yord-of-the-Month Plaque for June.

OLD FIDDLERS WANTED AT TEXAS COWBOY REUNION

Old Fiddlers Wanted! That is the plea of Mrs. Frank Cannon secretary-treasurer of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association who will stage an Old Fiddlers Contest as part of their annual gathering.

Last year 18 of the Oldtimers -- 50 years or older -- took part in the contest, competing for a prize of \$40.00. Second prize is \$20.00 and third prize is \$10. All who enter, if they do not win one of the three prizes, will receive \$5.00.

Mrs. Cannon emphasized that the fiddlers must be non-professional and must play two old tunes. The contest is held in the air-conditioned Round-Up Hall on July 4th, starting at 9 a. m. Those wishing to enter may write Mrs. Cannon in Stamford or write Mrs. J. L. Davis at Ralls.

Entries in the Cowgirls Barrel Racing Contest which will be held during the Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford on July 1, 3 and 4, have already started coming in with Missford sponsor.

Completes 4-Weeks Combat Training

Marine Private Lewis M. Belyeu, son of Mrs. Lawson A. Williams of 125 Walnut St., Baird, has completed four weeks of individual combat training at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

During his more than 200 hours of training, he learned about weapons and combat techniques from combat veteran instructors. They taught him how to conduct combat patrols, detect and remove mines and booby traps and use the standard Marine Corps infantry weapons.

He will now receive at least four weeks of specialist training before being assigned to his first permanent unit. Marines going to combat units will get detailed training in the particular combat skill they are designated for. Those who are going into technical fields will receive their advanced training at one of a variety of technical schools throughout the country.

In the first game of Thursday night's Little League action, the Giants came out on top over the Yankees by a 12 to 4 count. Roger Mitchell was winning pitcher while Barry Holder took the loss.

Bill Windham crashed his first home run of the season over the right field fence. Others scoring runs for the Giants were Jay Ringhoffer, Randy Harris, Roger Mitchell, Bryan Hughes, Manuel Aquire, Steve Petty, Randall Mitchell and Wayne Pinson. Yankee scorers were Gabriel Rodriguez, Barry Holder, Ronny Neal and Eugene Keith.

The Braves played the Tigers for the second game of the double-header with the Braves winning 9 to 8 in a nip and tuck battle. Jay Reeves was the winning pitcher and David Barron was the loser.

Jay Reeves scored four runs, Bill Hatchett, three, while Paul Strickland and Bill Trowbridge scored one each. For the Tigers, Andy Vestal scored three runs, Mike Tollett two, David Jaggars, David Barron and Jay Heath, one each.

In Monday night's games the Tigers defeated the Yankees by a 13 to 5 count with Butch Barron the winning pitcher and Gabriel Rodriguez the loser.

In the second game the Braves topped the League leading Giants by a score of 9 to 4. Jay Reeves pitched for the Braves and Roger Mitchell tossed for the Giants.

There will be other Little League double-headers on Monday and Thursday nights each week, with games beginning at 6:30 p. m. Everyone is invited to come out to these games.

League standings are as follows:

- Giants, won 5, lost 2
- Tigers, won 4, lost 3
- Braves, won 3, lost 4
- Yankees, won 2, lost 5

Mrs. Foye Jobe and Mrs. Rex Rhotel, will be responsible for announcing at Monday night's games, and E. J. Barron will get umpires.

On Thursday night, Mrs. Barbara Barron and Mrs. Jerry Hatchett will run the scoreboard and B. J. Hatchett will be responsible for getting umpires.

Legion Post Names New Officers

American Legion officers of Eugene Bell Post No. 82, were elected for the coming year at a meeting held Thursday, June 15, in the Legion Hall.

C. H. Lunsford was named as Commander. This is the 7th straight year Lunsford has been elected to serve as Commander of the local post.

Other officers include: Bill Cutbirth, 1st Vice Commander; M. H. Joy, 2nd Vice Commander; C. O. Fleming, Adjutant; James Eubanks, Finance Officer; B. H. Freeland, Service Officer; Glen Curtis, Historian; Lee R. Brookser, Chaplain; Edwin A. Dickson, Sergeant-At-Arms; and Jack D. Harris, Publicity Chairman.

In other business conducted, delegates to the National Convention, to be held in Dallas on July 27, 28 & 30, were named. Those who will attend the convention are: B. H. Freeland, C. H. Lunsford, Bill Cutbirth, E. P. Whitaker, Edwin A. Dickson, Jack D. Harris and Frank Mendez.

IVEY VISITORS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Goode of Duncan Okla., Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Pinson of Cleburne, Mrs. M. O. Moring and children of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ferguson and family of Cisco.

OPLIN OBSERVATIONS

DAPHENE FLOYD

Mrs. Ola Mae McKeelvey from Atlanta, Ga., has been visiting the past week with her sister, Mrs. Mattie Allen.

The Oplin Baptist Church felt spiritually blessed the past weekend because of a visit from a former pastor, Rev. and Mrs. L. E. (Felix) Griffith and children, Mari Jane, Marshall, Mark and Melinda of Brazil, Indiana.

The Griffiths arrived about 6 p. m. Friday at the Ray Floyds and by the time Felix had unhooked from the camper trailer, the phone lines were busy letting everyone know the Griffiths had arrived. To show how eagerly friends had awaited the arrival of the Griffiths, by nightfall the "welcoming committee" arrived at the Floyds with picnic baskets and enjoyed a good old summer-eat-out with several hours of fellowship. Present Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd, Mrs. Tom Windham Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Haskew and daughter, Susie, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Booth and children, David and Joan, Linda Welch of Potosi,

who is a niece of Mrs. Booth, Freida Straley, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding and of course the VIPs, the Griffiths.

With an invitation from the Baptist pastor, Rev. Douglas Halverson, Bro. Griffiths filled the pulpit at the preaching hour Sunday morning. After services were dismissed, there was an old time dinner on the ground at the church.

Since Bro. Griffith is doing missionary work and pastoring a church at Brazil, Ind., the evening service consisted of showing slides of his work in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd were hosts for the cottage prayer meeting in their home last Wednesday night. Present were Rev. and Mrs. Doug Halverson, Mrs. Ira Crawford, Freida Straley, Mrs. Mattie Allen and her sister, Mrs. Zola Mae McKeelvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox of Post were Saturday night visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breeding.

The Oplin community was terribly shocked when the news came that Mrs. Jim Swor had suffered a fatal heart attack about 6:30 p. m. Monday. Mrs. Swor had entered Overall Hospital at Coleman Sunday night. She was the mother of Commissioner Glen Swor.

Baird Birthdays . . .

- June 23: Davona Lenae (Sam) Burfield
- June 24: Michael Dallas Odum
Mrs. Tyre Watson, Jr.
- June 25: Jim Roy Higgins
Eddie Tom Walker
- June 26: Nancy Deal
- June 28: Mrs. Colonel Dyer
James Snyder
- June 29: Charlene Burfield
Darlene Burfield
Tommy Hass

Safeguards Against SS Decisions

When an occasional social security claim for retirement, survivor, or disability benefits is denied, is that always the final word? No, for the claimant who feels such action was wrong certainly doesn't have to just sit back and fess to himself and his friends about how bad an error was made.

Decisions made by one group of persons about another person may not always be completely correct. For that reason, Congress wisely provided ways for the disappointed claimant to pruse his claim further than the initial decision.

If a claimant feels that any part of the decision made on his claim is in error, he may request formal reconsideration within six months of the date on his denial letter. He may present new evidence, or he may just ask for a closer look at the evidence already submitted. This reconsideration action is taken by an entirely different group of people than the ones who made the first decision. Next week's article will show how further action may be taken by the claimant.

Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Barbara Henry, bride-elect of Pat McKennon, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry, was honored with a bridal shower Monday, June 19, at 7:30 to 9:00 p. m., in the Presbyterian Church Annex.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. (Bob) McKennon.

Mrs. James Asbury welcomed guests. In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother and Mrs. McKennon.

Elaine Henry, sister of the honoree, presided at the register, and Mrs. Ronnie McDonald served refreshments.

Decorations were in the bride-elect's chosen colors of yellow and white. The serving table was laid with a white cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of daisies and Queen Anne's lace. Appointment were crystal.

Included among the guests, approximately fifty, were two of Miss Henry's cousins, Mrs. A. B. Winder and Mrs. Alfred Winder, both of Fort Worth.

Hostesses were Meses. W. O. McWhorter, Elizabeth Alexander, Lee Ivey, Randall Ivey, Glenn Elliott, Richard Windham, Cecil Nichols, Archie Nichols, Frankie Crow, James Asbury, Blan Odum, James Snyder, Vernon Townsend, Maybelle Cline, Ronnie McDonald, Frances Barton and A. E. Dyer, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ault spent the weekend at Lake Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robbins. Also visiting in the Robbins' cabin were Mr. and Mrs. Woody Gordon, Peggy and Howard.

Carol Ballard of Nashville, Tennessee, is visiting Mary Jo Thompson this week.

Belle Plain Cemetery Donors

Listed below are the names of people who have made it possible for the Belle Plain Cemetery to be kept for another year.

Thanks to them and to Robert Blakley of Baird who has done such a good job of keeping the Cemetery the past few years.

Christine Bower, Baird
Mrs. Ray Boen, Baird
J. L. Stewart, Godley
J. Brown Cutbirth, Houston
Sam Cutbirth, Wharton
Mrs. Grady Coats, Salem, Ore.
Mrs. Lula Blakley, Abilene
Mrs. N. B. Holloway, Baird
Mrs. W. B. Jones, Baird
Judge W. R. Ely, Abilene
D. W. Young, Newcastle
Mrs. J. R. Hart, Fort Worth
R. W. Gibbs, Baird
Mrs. Fred Heyser, Baird
Mrs. Lucille (Hill) Massa, Pampa

Mrs. C. A. Stone, Gruver
L. T. Mauldin, Baird
C. B. Snyder, Baird
Warren Price, Baird
F. D. Phillips, Gatesville
J. W. McFarlane, Baird
Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, Baird
Mrs. E. Woody, Kerrville
Mrs. Adine Seale Burt, Pasadena, Calif.

Mrs. J. T. Rush, Houston
Mrs. A. E. Young, Abilene
R. B. Taylor, Putnam
Ernest Blakley, Fort Worth
Mrs. John K. Caraway, Lubbock
Mrs. H. H. Gregory, Fort Worth

E. A. Franke, Baird
The M. Franklin Estate, Baird
Mrs. Homer Walker, Baird
Donations may be sent to the First National Bank, Baird, Texas, or to Mrs. Fred Heyser, 725 Race St., Baird, Texas.

Chairman Named For Crippled Children's Cattlemen's Round-up

C. A. (Charlie) Morris, owner-manager of the Ranchers and Farmers Livestock Commission Co., has been re-appointed as general chairman of the 1967 Cattleman's Round-up for Crippled Children, Raleigh Brown, president of the board of directors of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center announced Monday.

The sale, scheduled in late September, was founded in 1961 when Coke County rancher Conda Wylie donated 20 calves to the Center.

This year's Round-up is expected to receive hundreds of animals from ranchers throughout the Southwest. All proceeds from the sale go to the WTRC, providing a third of the annual operating costs of the Center.

Morris, chairman of the sale since 1962, said this year's sale would be held at Ranchers and Farmers' auction facilities on East Highway 80.

"We're ready to begin picking up cattle anywhere and at any time," Morris said. Cattle will be quartered at the new WTRC feeding pens south of Abilene

until the sale date. Arrangements for picking up any cattle donated to the sale can be made by calling OWen 2-1633 in Abilene.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder this past week were Mrs. Snyder's sisters, Mrs. E. H. Switzer of San Angelo and Mrs. J. R. Latimer of Arlington.

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News Items From The Putnam Community

Mrs. Lena Houston of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Maggie Jackson of Moran spent Tuesday with her brother, S. M. Eubank and Mrs. Eubank.

Mrs. Alton Mutchinson of Stephenville spent Wednesday night with Mrs. E. C. Waddell. Mrs. Danny Taylor of Eastland spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. G. S. Pruet and brother, Ricky Sherman.

Mrs. Mary (Yeager) Wallace of Tyler was a visitor in Putnam Sunday. She and her mother are spending a few days in Cisco.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Sr. left Sunday for Corpus Christi to be with her brother Tom Scroggins and Mrs. Scroggins. He is a patient in the hospital there, seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sunderman and daughter, Kelly of

Canyon, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman. Kelly is spending a week with her grandparents.

Sunday guests of Mrs. W. A. Everett were A. E. Ellis of Baird, Fred and Jewel Ellis of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis of Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster of Irving.

Bill Everett and son, Bill, of Irving spent the weekend with Mrs. W. A. Everett and Mrs. Fred Cook. Bill and family have just returned from a vacation in Virginia, Washington, D. C., and other points of interest.

Mrs. Clyde King of Midland and Mrs. John Gilbert of Cisco were Tuesday visitors with Mrs. B. E. Rutherford.

Twig, Tim and Terry Wood of Burk Burnett spent Thursday and Friday with their aunt, Mrs. C. K. Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and son, Roger, left Monday for a vacation in Washington, D. C., and points of interest.

Those visiting Mrs. Mary Ramsey Sunday were her brother, A. E. Ellis of Baird, Mrs. Mark Burnam and daughters, Mrs. Bill Brown and son of Fort Worth, Mrs. James Isenhour and son of Baird, and Dianne Everett of Midland.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donaway of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Lee Donaway and son of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and daughter, Ellen, at-

tended a family reunion in Seymour Sunday. Christie Morris of Seymour returned home with them to spend the week.

Reed Francisco and family returned to their home in Albuquerque, N. M., Monday after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco.

Evelyn Yeager of Brownwood spent Tuesday with Mrs. H. A. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart and Mrs. Partain of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mrs. Leta Graham. Mrs. Graham left Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Lane in Big Spring.

Mrs. Boyce Bolick and Mrs. Malcolm Hays of Abilene were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Fred

Cook. Mrs. Cook left Monday to spend two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Everett and family in Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and son, Bill, of Abilene were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet. They, with Mrs. Pruet, attended the wedding of their grandson, Mike Pruet and Miss Brown of Rising Star, Sunday afternoon. Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pruet of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rutherford and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boyd and daughters of Clyde were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs. A. A. Rutherford.

Mrs. Ione Mische of Fort Worth and son, James Kennedy and son, just recently from Panama Canal Zone, visited Mrs. Earle Hurst Saturday. James' son has won a scholarship to the Air Force Academy in Colorado. He will enter this Fall.

Ada Stewart of Electra and Alma Buchanan of Beaumont are visiting their mother, Mrs. Earle Hurst.

Mrs. Willard Vinson of Abilene was a Saturday visitor with her sister, Mrs. C. K. Odom.

Debbie and Denise Finley spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Earline Clark left Wednesday for her home in Boerne

after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell and Mrs. Mae Wagley of Moran were Sunday guests of Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds attended a family reunion in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mosley and family, stationed in Virginia, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle in Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. Mosley in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Nelms of Fall Brook, Calif., were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle. Other guests during the week were J. M. McCulloch and Mrs. Pat McCulloch of Levelland, Mrs. John Avery of Scanton, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Floyd of Dimmitt, Mrs. Paul Mosley and daughter of Cisco.

Mrs. Spurgeon Sprawls of Cedar Hill was a Monday visitor with Mrs. Drue Sprawls. M. B. Sprawls of Fort Worth was a Sunday visitor with his mother.

Earl and Foy Jobe spent the weekend in Haskell, visiting Harry and Benson Sandlin.

Mrs. Ruby Black of Abilene was a Saturday guest of Mrs. Earle Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor and family of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Herbert Ellis took ill Tuesday of last week while working at the Eastland Auction Sale. After being brought home by Alton Tatom, his wife and Mrs. W. A. Everett took him to the hospital in Baird. He was dismissed from the hospital Saturday. Mrs. Ellis stayed with Mrs. Everett while Herbert was in the hospital.

Mrs. Ethel Hewes and Mrs. Maggie Wilson visited David Foster and Mrs. Evelyn Mangum in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday. They also visited Herbert Ellis in the hospital in Baird before he was dismissed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kimberly, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday evening.

Mrs. D. A. Abernathy, Lee and Mrs. Jack Bowen and son of

Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Winkle visited David Foster and Mrs. Evelyn Mangum in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Emory Foster fell and broke her arm and had to stay in the hospital.

Several from here attended the funeral for Ben Riffe, at the Baptist Church in Cross Plains Monday afternoon. He was buried in Atwell Cemetery. Our sympathy for his family.

Eldon Black and son, Curtis of Commerce visited Mrs. Ethel Hewes and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Black Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Foster of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom were in Eastland Monday morning. Mrs. Tatom had a check-up from her doctor.

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Dr. Bill R. Cardwell, Veterinarian, announces the opening of his office for the general practice of Veterinary Medicine on Highway U. S. 80 West, Cisco, Texas. Phone 442-1502



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UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbor. Well, here it is Monday morning again. Seems like the weeks fly by so fast.

The revival at the Baptist Church of Putnam the past week closed Sunday. It was well attended and Bro. Sam Williams brought real good messages. There were six decisions made for Christ.

Having Sunday dinner with the Burette Ramseys were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams of Abilene, Bro. Larry Jordan and wife of Abilene, Mrs. Aura Waddell of Putnam and Veda Yarbrough. Needless to say we had a real good dinner and a very enjoyable afternoon.

Spending the weekend with the Mark Burnams were Bill, Retha and Neven Brown of Fort Worth, James, Gayle and Dale Isenhour of Baird. Also Dianne Everett of Midland, who is spending several days with her grandparents, the Burnams.

I really enjoy Danne. She visits with me too. She comes to play with the little puppies that I have fallen heir to. Always glad to have Dian.

Brenda Chapman is visiting with me this morning. Glad to have her.

Mrs. Jim McIntyre of Clyde visited John and Roma McIntyre Sunday afternoon. I also visited a while Sunday afternoon with the McIntyres.

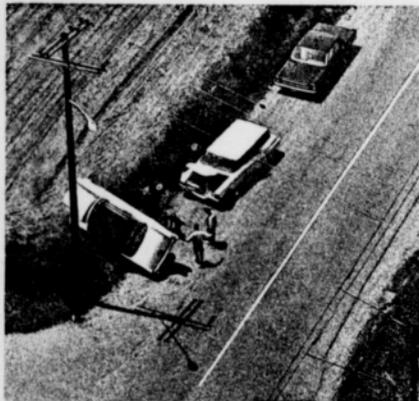
Betty Mobley and Mabel Carrico spent the day with me last Friday. Enjoyed having them.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Chapman visited in Abilene Sunday with Travis Chapman's sister and family. Mrs. Roberson and also attended the 24th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Gathright in Abilene.

Farmers are kinda' busy planting and finishing combining. Most all the cotton that was planted before the rain is up. Some needs a sprinkle or a good shower so it can get through the hard crust of some of this baked land. The pastures are really green now and tanks caught lots of water.

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell visited Sunday with Mrs. Dink Pruet and Rick Sherman.

Well, guess I better get busy and I hope to see you next week.



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Visitors in the Bill Lawrence home during the week were his aunts, Mrs. Nellie Hughes of Austin, Mrs. Pearl Lawrence of San Angelo, his mother, Mrs. Lillie Lawrence of Cross Plains, Bruce, Royce and Keith Lawrence of Cross Plains spent Sunday night in the Lawrence home.

Mrs. Clarence Price, Mrs. C. W. Price of Baird and Mrs. Jimmy West visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Wednesday. Visitors in the Roy Thornton

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We wish to express our thanks to each one for their thoughtfulness and kindness in the loss of our dear Mother and Grandmother, for the good, flowers, and expressions of sympathy.

We especially want to thank Dr. Mikeska and the hospital staff for their many kindnesses and care that was given her.

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"WEEKLY MEDITATIONS"

(The following article was written by Gayle Oler, Superintendent of Boles Home, Quinlan, Texas, and permission has been granted for publication in the Baird Star.)

NATIONAL RECORD OF YOUTH IN 1965

Forcible Rape: 24% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Murder: 7% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Aggravated Assault: 15% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Robbery: 34% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Burglary: 52% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Larceny of theft over \$50: 45% of the persons charged were juveniles.
Auto Theft: 61% of the persons charged were juveniles.

This is the national record of the United States in 1965. When you look at this list you wonder: "Where were the parents?" Several observations are in point here:

1. The home in America is too weak. Young hoodlums grow up to be older hoodlums. The home should be alert to see that children are accounted for. It must not be so permissive. And most of all the home must inculcate morals into the youth of our country that will not allow them to do such things.

But when parents put their teen-age daughter in high heels, miniskirt and low cut dresses, and push them at the boys and tell them to be popular and have a good time they may well expect them to come home "experienced," even pregnant or the victim of forcible rape.

When they allow their son to grow up idle unproductive and untrained in performing a day's

work, they may expect them to resort to robbery, assault, burglary, larceny and auto theft.

This fact must be faced head-on: the youth of today are our product, the result of our teaching and training, and if what we are finding is less desirable than what our own parents produced, then our teaching and training are inferior to that of our parents.

2. We do not have enough deterrents to crime built into our society. It would be a rare thing to find a youth today who does not know that he is considered by our courts as being incapable of crime that he is not responsible for his acts. Let him steal a car, commit armed robbery or even murder, and he is referred to juvenile court, given a good talking to by the judge while he stands undaunted and cock-sure, and then is "released to his parents." This is exactly where he was before the crime. The only difference is the "talking-to" by the judge, which he didn't mind.

Young people are all aware of this immunity to serious punishment or long imprisonment for their crimes. They know they can go back to the same school, sleep in the same bed at home, drive the same car, just as nothing ever happened.

Such process breeds a generation of brazen, introverted and law-breaking criminals who

do not reform magically and instantly at age 18.

The time has come for us to take a new look at the courts and at our laws. No longer can we allow ourselves to fancy that a youngster who is able to drive a car, shoot a pistol, smoke a marijuana cigarette or forcibly

rape a person is just a misguided juvenile to be talked to and allowed to repeat his crimes without due punishment for his deeds. If he is old enough to engage in adult activities, he is old enough to be regulated by adult laws.

3. We do not have enough action taken against irresponsible and unconcerned parents of youth who involve themselves in the deviations that concern law enforcement officers. Parents who bring children into the world are responsible for them.

They need to know where they are who they are with, and what they are doing. If they do not know, and their youngsters, through such failure runs into trouble, action should be taken against them. A few stiff fines will encourage parental responsibility in an amazing degree.

This country needs to take a new and objective look at the youth that will destroy our peace and tranquility. And we need to take the gloves off of our laws and law enforcement officers, so that they may deal with such offenders in such a way that they and their parents will know that if they are to live in our society and be welcome they are going to have to fit in it and respect the rights of decent, law-abiding people.

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AUSTIN — Railroad Commission authorized Texas oil industry to produce an additional 2-268,000 barrels of oil during the last two weeks in June in view of curtailed supplies from the unsettled Middle East.

Commission increased the June allowable from 33.8 per cent to 35.9 per cent, retroactive to June 1. This figure will permit maximum oil production of 3,112,191 barrels daily compared to current 2,992,236 barrels. Commission postponed setting an allowable for July, but another moderate increase is almost certain.

State officials conscious of the Legislature's special tax session looming next year, see a possible revenue windfall (which could reduce the new tax need) from the crisis-caused oil production jump.

With an increase from 10 to 13 days a month in production, there is no telling at this point how much the ultimate increase will be. Before the emergency situation the oil production tax income for the coming year had been estimated at nearly \$140,000,000.

These factors figure in the magnitude of future allowable increases:

Kuwait, Saudi Arabia Iraq and Algeria have banned oil shipments to U. S. and Britain. Libya's production has been halted by a strike.

Arabs want to nationalize their oil fields or call in Spain and France to develop their petroleum industry, replacing the U. S. and Britain.

Suez Canal may remain blocked for several months. Thus any oil shipments would have to round the Cape of Good Hope.

Daughters Marriage Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green of Baird, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Leedia Jo (Sallie), to Arthur Kelton Jones son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones of Baird.

The wedding will be Sept. 1, in the First Baptist Church of Baird.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Baird High School, and completed her sophomore year at Cisco Junior College.

Kelton is also a graduate of Baird High School, and is a junior student at Texas Technological College.

Mrs. Jim Latham and son of Fort Worth visited in the J. V. Thompson home last week.

Visiting with Mrs. Lillie Swafford during the weekend was a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brashear and children who were returning home to El Paso after visiting their parents in North Carolina and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart had as visitors over the weekend: Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hart of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Garner of Odessa, and Bill Hart of Lubbock, who is moving to Binghamton, N. Y. June 22. He will be employed with the Evening Press there.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. H. D. Driskill and Mrs. B. L. Boydston is their sister Mrs. George E. Simons and her son, George R. Simons and children of Okmulgee, Okla. Also visiting are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simons and Sonny of Aspen, Colo.

NOTICE!

To All Taxpayers in Baird Independent School District: Beginning Monday, June 26, at 1 p. m., you may call 854-1334 and get the amount of your tax assessment on real property for the new tax year.

After Monday, this information may be obtained between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m.

If anyone should have a question about your assessment, they may appear before the Board of Equalization Friday, June 30, from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 or from 2:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. at the Baird High School.

Trip would be longer and more expensive.

Interstate Oil Compact adopted a resolution calling for a 12.2 per cent limit on the ratio of imported oil to domestic stocks east of the Rocky Mountains. Experts say present situation demonstrates need for better government attitude toward domestic production and industry development.

DRIVERS POINT — Auto drivers may have forgotten but they will be reminded of 'points' starting August 1.

That's when the new insurance plan adopted last July by the State Board of Insurance begins to show on insurance rates. Drivers will pay 15 per cent more for insurance if they have one point charged against them, 35 per cent for two points, 60 per cent for three points and 90 per cent for four points.

Points are assessed for accidents or traffic violations which came after August 1, 1966, when the plan was adopted. Penalties will apply when auto insurance policies are bought or renewed August 1 this year.

A driver who is assessed points can "work them off." Only points assessed after August 1, 1966, will count. But after three years of being charged more, the points drop off the driver's record for rate purposes.

Board believes this will lower the basic rates, thus will reward no-point drivers.

14 YEAR OLDS CAN DRIVE—Fourteen year olds who complete driver education before August 28 still can get a license good until its regular expiration date.

Homer Garrison Jr., Director of Texas Department of Public Safety, issued the interpretation following numerous calls about new licensing law amendments.

New law which goes into effect in late August would raise the minimum age for licensing drivers with behind the wheel instruction to 16, except in unusual cases. Garrison said, however, he did not interpret the new law as denying "the privilege of driving" to 14 year olds who already have qualified under existing regulations.

DESALTING FEASIBLE — New study concludes that large scale desalting in the Lower Rio Grande Valley can provide a dependable source of good municipal water at costs comparable to that of conventional production.

Study for Texas Water Development Board and U. S. Department of Interior said water could be made available to a metropolitan district for about 25 to 31 cents per 1,000 gallons at a desalination plant. Cost of delivery to individual cities in the Lower Valley would increase that figure from one to two cents per 1,000.

COURT SPEAKS — U. S. Supreme Court has agreed to hear arguments October 2 on whether the one man one vote standard it applied to congressional and legislative districts also fits county commissioners precincts in Midland.

State Supreme Court found no error in lower court opinions dismissing the case of a woman who sued Galveston County for \$20,000 after finding glass in scrambled eggs served her at the county's Memorial Hospital.

A certificate holding student pilot does not meet standard insurance policy definitions of a duly-licensed aircraft operator whose passengers remain insured while in flight, State Supreme Court concluded in a Gillespie County case.

ATTY. GENERAL RULES — Gulfward state boundary is a line three marine leagues from coast, and in those waters Texas is empowered to control and regulate fishing, Atty. General Crawford Martin has ruled.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

In counties where the office of ex-officio county school superintendent has been abolished, a county judge serving in superintendent's role continues to be paid for the extra job until the end of the current term of office. Thereafter, he must per-

form those duties without pay. State can make lease and rental contracts for up to four years, contingent on availability of funds appropriated by the legislature.

When a married couple creates a valid joint tenancy agreement with a third party, including right of survivorship, inheritance tax is applicable on passing of the couple's interest.

WATER PROJECT APPROVED — Texas Water Development Board found San Antonio River Authority eligible to seek \$960,000 in state aid to build a low water dam on Cibolo Creek and provide water supply to Karnes City and Kenedy. SARA also will seek a federal grant of \$915,000.

At the same time, Board extended for 120 days a \$2,700,000 loan commitment to the Upper Leon River Municipal Water District for facilities to take water from the Proctor dam reservoir to Comanche, De Leon, Dublin and Gorman, pending outcome of bid for a federal grant.

AIR SERVICE BROADENED—Texas Aeronautics Commission has given Fleetway Commuter Airlines a certificate to begin operations in eight locations and approved extension of Davis Airlines service to Houston. Fleetway, a new company, will fly two routes: from Gregg

County airport to San Antonio via Tyler, Waco and Austin and return; and from Tyler to Houston via Gregg County Airport, Palestine and Nacogdoches and return.

Davis, which now operates between College Station and Dallas, was granted a permit for service between College Station and Houston.

Both companies had presented

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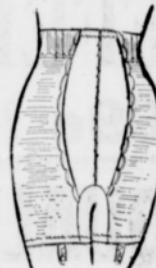
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Lb Jar **33c**

Free \$2.00 Bonus Stamps With Green Goddess

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Jar **33c**

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Box **48c**

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