

Baird Churches

The Baird Star extends an invitation to all Baird churches to participate in this column to make public their announcements.

Episcopal Church
Afternoon Service 3:30 p.m.
Each second and fourth Sunday of each month.

The First Methodist Church
Rev. Charles E. Lutrick, Minister
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—10:55 a. m.
M. Y. F.—6:15 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:00 p. m.
M. Y. F. Fellowship—8:00 p. m.
THURSDAY:
Choir Practice—7:15 p. m.

Church of Christ
Merle King, Minister
Phone 370
SUNDAY:
Bible School—10 a. m.
Worship—10:45 a. m.
Young People's Bible Class—6:30 p. m.
Worship—7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY:
Ladies' Bible Class—3 P. M.
WEDNESDAY:
Bible Study—7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church
Rev. Riley Fugitt, Pastor
Rev. David Whitaker
Associate Pastor
Bonnie Thompson, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Morning Service—11 a. m.
Training Union 6:45 p. m.
(Depts. for all ages)
H. B. Terry, Director
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
MONDAY:
W. M. S.—3:15 p. m.
Mrs. J. T. Warren, Pres.
Sunbeams—3:15 p. m.
Mary Walker, Leader
Junior G. A.'s—4:15 p. m.
Mrs. Riley Fugitt, Counselor.
Int. G. A.'s—4:15 p. m.
Mrs. Reese, Counselor
R. A.'s—4:15 p. m.
Rev. Riley Fugitt, Counselor
WEDNESDAY:
Officers and teachers meeting 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting 8:00 p. m.

Choir practice 9:00 p. m.
Intermediate G. A. Counselor
Mrs. Medford Walker.

First Presbyterian Church
Leroy Blackburn, Pastor
SUNDAY:
Sunday School—10 A. M.
Morning Worship—11 A. M.
Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.
WEDNESDAY:
Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

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Miss Ruby Joyce Atwood of Midland visited with relatives and friends a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brittain and children of Eula visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baulch and family Sunday.

Notes . . .

from the PUBLISHER

Rodeo time is about here. There has been elaborate planning and much hard work to make this year show the best yet. The city is gaily decorated and enthusiasm is evident. The trips by the Boosters are advertising the rodeo and building good will for the city. It would be hard to estimate the total amount of work that has been done. There will be a reward however, when all agree that this year's Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo is the best ever.

It was good news when the FCC finally issued a permit for a VHF television station in Abilene. The station will not only make it possible for people to enjoy the entertainment but there are many educational features. Many people get full value from their set in being able to see the occasional outstanding events such as the National Political Conventions in Chicago last summer, the inaugural ceremonies of President Eisenhower and the recent atomic blasts.

Not to be ignored is the amount of business which the station will promote. It is not unlikely that the aggressive dealers in Callahan County may realize a half million dollar take from the sale of sets, installation and maintenance. That may seem a lot of money, but is based on surveys made in other areas where television stations have been built.

We should all be grateful the FCC spent only three years before allocating channels. If they had spent five years it is doubtful if anyone in Texas would be able to get good reception except in the immediate vicinity of the station. After three years of study they were able to make allocation of the channels in such a manner that majority of the people in Texas are troubled with co-channel interference. The low band stations should be located twice as far apart as is the case now. Any tests the FCC made were apparently in the

rough terrain in the east and no provision made for the added distance the signal would travel in the relatively flat country in the southwest.

Texas high schools vote this week on whether they want spring training in football. Two choices are offered. One permits 21 days of spring training and would permit practice in the fall to begin one week prior to the first Friday in September. The other choice prohibits spring training and allows fall workouts to start the second Monday prior to the first Friday in September. In either case no game could be played until the second week-end after practice starts.

Eula Episodes

Mrs. R. G. Edwards
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S-3 Van Rutherford is spending a leave in the home of his parents, and sister and families. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barr. His wife of Abilene will accompany him back to Mass. where he is stationed with the Seabees.

Bob, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Green is home on leave for the first time in over a year. He is with the Navy and for more than a year has been on active duty in the Mediterranean.

Tommy Harris spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris. He is still stationed in Oklahoma.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards over the week-end included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston White and sisters Jeanie and Sandye of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards and Jennie and David of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Skipper who have been working at Big Lake all winter are back home now and he is very busy with his farming operations.

Mrs. Pete Wallick who has been in an Abilene hospital for several days is doing fine and has returned to her home.

School will be out May 22 and everyone seems to be pretty busy trying to keep up with the various activities that always go with closing of school.
The Senior class is taking sub-

scriptions for the Clyde Enterprise and the Baird Star. If any of you patrons, or readers of either of these papers would like to help them they will appreciate it. See any member of the class or Mrs. R. G. Edwards. Proceeds will be used to help finance the Senior trip which is scheduled for the second week in May.

Roger Crook will preach Sunday night at the Baptist Church. He is a Ministerial student of H-SU and also one of our own community boys that we are proud of. Everyone is invited to attend. Training Union at 7:00 Church 7:45 p.m.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
That by virtue of a certain ORDER OF SALE issued out of the Honorable 42nd Court of CALLAHAN County, of the day of March 1953, by Judgment of said 42nd Judicial District Court for the sum of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY AND NO/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of R. T. WILSON in a certain cause in said Court, No. 10812 and styled R. T. WILSON vs. DONALD T. UNDERWOOD, placed in my hands for service, I as Sheriff of CALLAHAN County, Texas, did, on the 20th day of APRIL 1953, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Callahan County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10), Block One (1) Central Addition to the Town of Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas and levied upon as the property of DONALD T. UNDERWOOD and that on the first Tuesday in JUNE 1953, the same being the 2nd day of said month at the Court House door, of CALLAHAN County, in the CITY of BAIRD Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said ORDER OF SALE I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for each, to the highest bidder, as the property of said DONALD T. UNDERWOOD.
And in compliance with law, I give notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the BAIRD STAR, a newspaper published in CALLAHAN County.

Witness my hand, this 20th day of APRIL 1953.
Joe Pierce
Sheriff Callahan County, Texas
(Published in The Baird Star, April 24, May 1, 8, 1953)

Down Memory Lane

April 22, 1910

The new brick drug store is going right up, and in a month or so, Mr. Orr will have moved in.

John Ferguson made a business trip to Clyde Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Favor spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Adams.

W. J. Thomason spent Monday in Baird.
Jim Merrick, of Clyde, was in Eula this week looking over his farm.

The Light Plant seems to have quit and gone to sleep. No lights for several days.
M. G. Farmer, R. E. Nunnally, Ed Andrews and Harry Berry went to Albany Tuesday to attend the ball game.
Mrs. B. L. Boydston and children and Mrs. S. E. Webb are spending a few days in the country this week, the guest of Mrs. J. I. Holland of Moran.

April 21, 1933

Baird has a skating rink, the first for several years. Percy King and China Allphin have fitted up the old tabernacle, putting in a 50x70 foot hardwood floor. The rink was opened Wednesday night to the public and is proving a very popular pleasure resort.

Mrs. J. H. Carpenter has been appointed head of the flower department at the courthouse and she wants everybody to cooperate with her to make the yard beautiful with flowers. If you have a pot plant that you would give or a cutting that would be pretty, it would be appreciated. Mrs. Carpenter asks that no one pulls flowers. They are all yours to look at only, for everybody wants the prettiest rose and when they all get what they want, there is none left. This year we want them all to stay where they bloom until they fall off. You can't imagine how pretty flowers speak for your town. So let us make it a lover of nature's retreat and stop and think about our Creator who made nature so beautiful.

A crowd of young folk spent Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. George Tannehill. Cream and cake were served. Miss Eva Robinson of Baird was the guest of Misses Annie May, Clarabel and Joyce Tabor last weekend.

Mr. Freeland and Mrs. Edith Copping of Cottonwood were here one afternoon last week. Mrs. Georgia Tannehill and

children, Miss Cecil Gibbs, Burr Elliott and Derword Edwards attended the district tract meet at Abilene last Friday.

Miss Jobe, of Sweetwater, was a guest in the home of Mrs. Mack Kennedy and family through the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and son, of Brownwood, spent the weekend in Putnam.

Miss Jessie Tatom, Little Allen Gray and Charlie Miller, students of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, were weekend visitors in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Isenhower and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey were Fort Worth visitors Tuesday.

Ray Boen and mother, and Mrs. Mollie Connell, of Rowden, spent Sunday afternoon with R. J. Harris, Jimmy Maltby, Morgan Price and Rev. Royce Gilliland also spent Sunday afternoon in the Harris home.

J. F. Fetterly, of Dallas, visited his brother, W. A. Fetterly and family, Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Terrell is visiting her daughter, Miss Pauline, at Fabens, Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ellis, Sunday.

Mrs. Flora Nordyke visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Webster and children, of Moran, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Webster, Sunday.
Mrs. J. M. Bailey, Mrs. John Bailey and little daughter, Nancy and Miss Terrell, of Clyde, were Baird visitors Wednesday morning. Mrs. Bailey renewed her subscription to The Baird Star while here. Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Turk Reynolds and children of Monohans visited with friends and relatives over the weekend.

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THREE ROOM HOUSE with bath, garage and store building all for sale, worth the money.—Buster Gary. 13-tf-c

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FOR RENT—Four rooms, bath and garage. 500 Girard Street. Phones 229 or 38. 12-tf-c

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all that has been done for us since our home burned Thursday. For the donations of clothing, money and the shower, we are truly grateful.
Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Myers and family.

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FOR SALE - BARGAIN — 1947 Ford Tractor, New 52 motor, cultivator, Sherman Transmission, Walter O'Dell, Tye, Texas. 17-2-p

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FOR SALE—Four room house newly decorated. Small down payment. Easy terms.
Mrs. H. D. Driskill 17-3-p

6-room house, double garage in Abilene to trade for home in Baird. Call Abilene 2-9912 after 5 week days, all day Sunday. 17-2-p

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McWilliams of Ft. Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams, friends and other relatives over the weekend.

Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough of Putnam, Mrs. McIntyre's mother is a patient in Callahan County Hospital.

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REMINISCING WITH SIDNEY 1910 - 1911

Won't you go down old memory lane with Tina and old Sid When we thought we were all grown up but were just a big old awkward kid.

The communities well know those days as Old Colony and Hart. We loved the folks that lived there then just from the very start. There we saw Jim and Veda as they made their marriage vow. They thought they could make a living, but then we wandered how. And Ellison could always laugh. O, cry so big and loud, But Ruby was so good and quiet we thought she was kinder proud. Grady always had a horse that he would like to trade, in the dress that she had made.

Homer, he could trade some too, and would always take your money and when he talked about the trade he told it kinder funny. Just to hear Jess sing again would do my old heart good. And we wandered how Redge got married for we never thought he would and when that buggy wheel came off I will bet Lennis won't forget and how bad scared she seemed to be I still remember yet.

Bob wore a little kind of tie that he always called a bow; Bertha knew a bunch of love songs and she sang them soft and low. There was Acue that always lived a good religious life and Effie that in later years made him a true and faithful wife.

There was Hattie and also Fannie that loved their home and mother, and Beatrice that

thought one date was just as good as another; And we won't forget Sadie who said she always wanted him and the him she finally got happened to be a Jim.

There were Eunice, Lottie and Marie who were school mates in my childhood life and I know in later years made good homes and each a faithful wife.

There were three old boys who ran together, they were Virgil, Mills and Dorse and they loved to have their fun but loved their buggy and their horse.
—Sidney Harville
(Opiln) Rt. 1, Ovalo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin Tuesday.

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Mrs. Frank Gardiner returned to her home here on Sunday after spending several days of last week in Oklahoma. She was an installing officer for White Shrine of Jerusalem at Elk City on Saturday. Mrs. Susie Gardiner, of Weatherford, Okla., accompanied her daughter-in-law to Baird for an extended visit.

Mrs. John McIntyre of St. Louis, Mo. visited Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin's Tuesday. Mrs. McIntyre is an old friend of the family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Reynolds and children of Ft. Worth visited with friends and relatives over the weekend.

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Boxoffice Opens.....7:00
Show Starts.....7:15

Friday - Saturday
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'THE NAKED SPUR'
Color by Technicolor

Sunday - Monday - Tuesday
BUD ABBOTT
LOU COSTELLO

"GO TO MARS"

Wednesday - Thursday
"THE LUSTY MEN"
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The Cottonwood and Turkey Creek News
Mrs. W. A. Burton

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill and Beth visited in Abilene Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin and girls. Beth remained for the weekend and the Martins brought her home Sunday. The Roy J. Clarks are progressing nicely with the completion of their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Albrecht and family spent Sunday with her mother and sister Mrs. Geo.

Carlie and Nettie at Belle Plains. The Cottonwood P-TA met in regular session recently and elected officers for the coming year. Mrs. V. I. Spivey was elected president. Mrs. Chuck Woody vice-president. Mrs. W. A. Burton secretary and reporter, Mrs. Norman Coffee treasurer. New officers will be installed at the beginning of the next school year. Mrs. Slim Spivey and Larry spent from Wednesday till Sunday in Paint Rock with her family, the B. F. Bowmans. Office ruled forms. The Star.

Oplin Observations
By Mrs. Daphne Floyd
Odds and Ends Opportunity Offered in Open Order

When a cold norther hit last Friday night dropping the mercury down to about 39 degrees, it made one think that we had a short summer for the thermometer hit a high peak of around 92 degrees during Friday afternoon. What really had everyone worried was the forecast of expected frost. No frost was reported Sunday morn, but Miss Freida Straley did report finding thin ice on a chicken trough at her home. It was nice having Kay Johnson home last week end. Kay is very busy with her school activities at H-SU and therefore her friends do not get to see her often enough. Tommie Windham sent five truck loads of brahman cattle to the shinary up around Spur last week. Tommie has reserved this grass and shinary for several months and he figures the cattle will do better than on his pastures in Callahan.

Speaking of grass, quite a few of the cattlemen and stock farmers are quite interested in the new buff grass as it is recommended for old worn out land, deep blow sand and is drought resistant. In fact, just last week even Ray Floyd stuck his neck out and purchased three lbs. of it, which he intends to experiment with on a few acres. He only gave \$2.50 a lb. for the seed, but earlier some of the men gave as high as \$4.50 a lb. for the seed. At the present most of them are waiting on warmer weather and more moisture before planting.

Mr. F. A. Crawford of the Tecumseh community suffered two light strokes the latter part of last week. Mr. Crawford is another of our old timers as he is around the age of 83. He is also the father of Ira Crawford of Oplin.

Mrs. Odom reported having unexpected visitors last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Irvin, and five weeks old daughter, of Odessa. Tommie also visited at the Novice High School in order to see old school chums. Tommie is the son of the late Al Irvin.

Mrs. Tommie Windham and

Paula visited a niece and family in Carlsbad, New Mexico, last week end. They reported a nice time but cold weather and severe sand storms.

Andy Boston, has moved his family to one of Arlie Nobles farms. Andy's aged father is also sharing the home of the young couple at the present.

A new piano was delivered to the Oplin School on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson plan on attending the F. F. A. Banquet at the Novice High School this Friday night. They will be the guest of their son Robert. The mothers and fathers of all the F.F.A. members have invitations to attend the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorter are probably a little lonesome this week as their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Mason and son, Sonny returned home last Saturday. Mrs. Mason had visited with her parents for several weeks while recovering from surgery. At the time of her departure, Mrs. Mason was feeling fine and had gained much of her strength back.

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Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor over the week end is Robert Armor of Roswell, N. M.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Varner Sunday evening was Mr. and Mrs. Sam Willingham.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Chrane Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Cody. Mrs. Bud Kinseley, and baby. Mr. and Mrs. Trby Chrane and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson was Mr. and Mrs. Finley Coughran and Betty and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Howe and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Finley Coughran Sunday nite is Mr. and Mrs. Jim Loper of Monahans.

F. E. Crawford is in the Baird Hospital in serious condition.

Visiting Velta Williams and Mrs. Williams Sunday was Bro. and Mrs. Bassley.

Olaf Johnston is seriously ill in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital we hope he will recover.

Farm Home Setting For Club Social

Members of the Junior Wednesday Club and their guest gathered, for their final social event of the club year, around the fireplace in the farm home of their Contact Chairman, Mrs. L. B. Lewis. Mr. Lewis assisted his wife as host. Sack lunches, consisting of sandwiches, pickles, potato chips and cookies were brought by the members. Mrs. Lewis served coffee and cokes. Folk music and games were the sources of entertainment for the evening.

Mrs. Dan Conley and son, Jay, of Naco, Arizona are visiting with her mother Mrs. J. M. Reynolds for a few days before returning to Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hart of Aspermont were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert.

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A story of a great industry and its future—an industry which directly or indirectly provides Americans with one out of every seven jobs in the country—has been told in words and pictures in a new book, "Ford at Fifty."

The book is being published April 20 by Simon and Schuster as part of Ford Motor Company's fiftieth anniversary observance. It is a portrait of the automobile industry, the people who make it work, and its effect on America, told in terms of one company in the industry.

Featured also is a case history of the automobile's effect on the growth, development and living habits of an American community.

A foreword by Henry Ford II dedicates the book as "a tribute to America."

"The growth and achievements of Ford Motor Company have been made possible by the kind of America in which we live," Mr. Ford's introductory note states.

"While this is a portrait of an American industrial enterprise taken in its fiftieth year, it is also a look at America and people at work."

Preparation of the 108-page book began in January 1952.

"We decided to concentrate on the present and produce a story of great company which is full of energy and enterprise," said J. R. Davis, Ford vice-president and Anniversary Committee chairman.

The Ford anniversary story

was produced editorially by Picture Press, Inc., of New York City. The staff was headed by Joseph J. Thorndike, Jr., former managing editor of Life magazine, and the text was written by Joe McCarthy, managing editor of Yank, the Army weekly during World War II, and now a writer for leading magazines, including Life and the Saturday Evening Post.

The story opens with a camera and text study of the automobile's effect since 1903 on a typical American town. Photographers and researchers screened more than 100 cities before selecting Sacramento, Cal., for the case history.

The Sacramento chapter describes "an American Revolution" which has brought that city one automobile for every 1.6 resi-

dents, created curb service at restaurants, banks, libraries and the post office, and has broadened trade areas for local merchants. Old-time pictures recall muddy city streets and country roads of 1900, and contrast them with today's packed parking lots at factories, or week-end trips to the Sierras for skiing.

Then the book turns to Henry Ford—"a man and an idea." The origin and growth of Mr. Ford's automobile manufacturing system is compactly told in picture and anecdote. The section opens with a Norman Rockwell painting showing Mr. Ford at work on his first car.

Mrs. J. A. Jackson accompanied her nephew and wife, home for a visit on Mother's Day and her 83rd birthday.

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Notice of Sale Of Building

Sealed bids will be received on the sale of the Baird School Cafeteria, located near the elementary school. Building is a three-room frame.

Bids should be on file with H. W. Ross, Jr., president of Board of Trustees by 10:30 a. m., Saturday, April 25, 1953.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruton left this week for Austin, they will be presented their 25 year State Highway Service Pins.



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3/4 cup canned cream 4 sliced, hard-cooked eggs
3/8 cup Pet Evaporated Milk 3/8 cup fresh bread crumbs
Few grains salt 4 teaspoons melted butter
1 cup diced ham, cooked or canned

Mix soup, milk, salt and pepper. Fold in ham and eggs. Put mixture into greased baking dish holding about 4 cups. Sprinkle top with a mixture of crumbs and butter. Bake on center rack of moderate oven (375) about 20 minutes, or until mixture is bubbly hot. Serve hot from the baking dish. Makes 4 servings.



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