

# The Baird Star

"Over 1750 Producing Wells  
in Callahan County."

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State. But the Get-Up-and-Get That Makes Men Great."

"On The Bankhead Highway"  
"The Broadway of  
America."

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## Wheat Reduction Program Explained

College Station—The wheat farmer who signs a contract with the Government to reduce his acreage for 1934 and 1935 is paid for his cooperation in the form of a cash premium on that part of his crop used for human consumption in the United States Extension Service officials at Texas A and M College explain. It is an effort, they say, to give the farmer a price on 54 percent of his crop sufficient to make it equal the pre-war purchasing power of wheat. For the 1933 crop, growers who sign contracts are promised 28 to 30 cents per bushel less local administrative costs for 54 percent of their average production for 1930-21-32. This production is adjusted up or down to put it in line with the county five-year average for the period 1928-32.

If John Doe produced an average of 1000 bushels during the years 1930-32 and lived in a county where the county five-year average production was the same as the three-year average production, he would be awarded on signing his contract a farm allotment of 540 bushels of wheat. On this amount he would be paid such benefits as the Secretary of Agriculture might announce each year of the three years the contract runs. For 1933 this figure was set at 30 cents per bushel when the wheat processing tax was levied. Out of this might be deducted as much as 2 cents per bushel to promote exports of American wheat, and out of this would be deducted a small amount to pay the cost of applying the plan in the county. John would be paid 20 cents per bushel this fall on the 540 bushel allotment, and the remaining amount about June 1st next.

If John's wheat blew out last spring he would receive the payments just the same. If he fulfills his contract in good faith the Government will pay him his benefits on his allotted 540 bushels each of the three years 1933, 1934 and 1935. If he fails to carry out his contract it will be cancelled and all advances paid John will be collected.

In return for his benefits, which may vary from year to year but which will always be calculated to bring the price of the allotted bushels up to pre-war purchasing power, known as parity, John contracts to reduce his wheat acres as much below his three-year average acreage as the Secretary of Agriculture directs, but never more than 20 percent. This fall he will have to reduce 15 percent. Suppose he averaged 100 acres in 1930-32, he will be called upon to reduce down to 85 acres. He might reduce still further but would have to agree to sow enough wheat to produce his allotted 540 bushels assuming average yields. In this case his average yield was 10 bushels per acre, hence he would have to sow at least 54 acres but would not be allowed to sow more than 85 acres.

If John is a tenant he will have to get his landlord to sign the contract with him, and the two will share in the benefits in the same proportion as they share in the crop. If he is moving to another farm this fall he will still get his benefits on the land he farms last year if he signs a contract with his landlord before leaving. The new tenant would have to assume the contract for the remaining two years. If John moves to a new farm where the landlord and tenant have signed a contract he will continue to participate in the benefits. The contract follows the farm and binds all parties for the life of the contract, whether they be new tenants or new owners.

The administration of the plan will be in the hands of wheat production control associations to be organized as soon as county agents with the aid of temporary campaign committees have explained the plan. Every man who signs an application for a contract will have one vote in electing a community allotment committee, the chairman of which will be one of the members of the board of directors of the member of the board of directors of the county wheat production control association. Acting through the county allotment committee composed of board members, the new farm association will work out all the farm allotments, sign contracts, inspect farms, and generally administer the affairs of the wheat allotment plan in their own interests and in accordance with procedure. (Concluded on Last Page)

## Men And Women Of America

August 25, 1933.  
2340 S STREET, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.  
In 1917, when the men of our country were asked to take up arms and go into the trenches, how gallantly our women met the sacrifices is one of America's epics that has never been fully told. Not only did they give their sons and husbands for the defense of the country, but themselves filled the places left vacant by their going; and, if their dear ones never returned, they wore a Gold Star proudly without lament or re-pining.

In 1933 that same brave spirit is aboard, ready to support the Administration in its heroic effort to wage war—one that is less dramatic but even more vital to the life of the country, though there are no flags flying or bands playing for marching troops. This is an economic war that touches the daily life of every individual; there are no bombs bursting in air, for the enemy is the alarming disintegration that unemployment and hunger bring in their train.

The President and his aides have worked out a plan for recovery. Let us all enlist under the banner of the "Blue Eagle" and "speak, act and serve together."

EDITH BOLLING WILSON.  
(Mrs. Woodrow Wilson).

## Red Cross Meeting

An enthusiastic county wide meeting of the representatives of the Red Cross was held here Friday, Sept. 1 at 2 p. m. in the Commissioners Court room for the purpose of a general business session and to make preparations for the annual roll call which starts Nov. 11.

Edway C. Palmer, National Headquarters Representative from St. Louis, Mo., was present and conducted the meeting.

Reports from representatives from all parts of the county were made and discussed. Mrs. A. L. Johnson, Junior Red Cross Chairman outlined plans of the Junior Red Cross for the coming year.

After a complete survey of the existing conditions of this county Mr. Palmer recommended a nursing school for a period of at least 3 months under the direction and supervision of a Red Cross Nurse. During this school all children in the county may be examined free for defective eyes, adenoids, decayed teeth and general health conditions.

A. L. Johnson was appointed County Immunization Chairman to work in connection with County Health Officer Dr. R. L. Griggs in putting over the immunization program similar to the one given three years ago by the National Government. Efforts are being made to obtain Toxoid and other serums. Within the next few days announcements will be made relative to this program.

Representatives and other present at this meeting were: Mrs. James Ross, County Chairman, Ben L. Russell Jr., President, Christine Settle, Roll Call Chairman, Hazel Reynolds Secretary, Mrs. Al Young, Clyde Chairman, Mrs. I. E. Warren, Belle Plaine Chairman; Mrs. Ace Hickman, Vice-Chairman; L. B. Lewis, Disaster Chairman; Judge J. H. Carpenter, Mrs. A. L. Johnson Chairman Junior Red Cross; A. L. Johnson, Ex-Service Social Service Office and E. E. Cook, RFC Administrator.

## Blakley Installs New Feed Mill At His Plant

Spike Blakley and son, Roy, have installed a new and much larger feed mill at their plant first door west of the Leach Store and are now prepared to grind and mix all kinds of feed for all purposes. This feed is mixed by formula furnished by Mr. Jenkins, county agent.

In addition to grinding feed, the Blakley plant is equipped for grinding meal, which is gaining quite a favorable reputation and finds a ready sale. See their ad in this issue.

## School Opens Monday

The Baird Public School will open Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The school will be held at the High School Auditorium.

## Mrs. E. Cooke Dies Following Short Illness

Mrs. Emma Capps Cooke, wife of E. Cooke, died Saturday afternoon, following an illness of some ten days.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. H. Martin, Episcopal Minister of Big Spring. Burial was made in Ross cemetery. Rev. Martin reading the burial services and Minter Uzzell, reading the Psalms.

Active pall bearers were: B. O. Jones, W. R. Harrell, Hugh Anderson, Leslie Cooke, Minter Uzzell and L. L. Blackburn.

Honorary pall bearers were: T. E. Powell, J. F. Boren, Otis Bowyer, Geo. Crutchfield, R. F. Mayfield, V. E. Hill, H. F. Foy.

Mrs. Cooke was a daughter of the late W. I. Capps and Mrs. Cora Capps. She was born Sept. 20, 1880 in Taylor county, but has spent most of her life in Callahan county and has made her home in Baird for the past thirty years or more. She was married to E. Cooke, Jan 10, 1906, who with an only son, Austin Cooke, survives her. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Cora Capps, and an only sister, Mrs. Carl Hensley and a number of relatives.

Mrs. Cooke's life has been one of loving service. Her devotion to her mother, who has been an invalid for several years, as well as other members of her family, was beautiful. She was an active member of the Episcopal Church, the Parent-Teachers Association, the Delphian Chapter and the Wednesday Club, of which she was president at the time of her death. Her cheerful disposition and the faculty for making happy those with whom she came in contact, endeared her to a host of friends and the solicitude shown, during her illness, bespoke the esteem in which she was held and when news of her death was received Saturday afternoon it caused the hearts of many to beat as one in the realization of their loss to the community and in genuine sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Cooke was a member of one of the pioneer families of Callahan county, her mother, who was Miss Cora Anderson before her marriage came from her home in Tennessee to Callahan county in the late seventies and with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Trent and her brother, the late Arthur Anderson lived at Dudley.

Many friends attended the funeral Sunday afternoon and followed the remains to Ross cemetery where all that was mortal of this beloved one, was laid away to rest beneath a profusion of beautiful flowers.

Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Jones, of Big Spring; W. R. Harrell and daughter, Miss Patty, of Fort Stockton; Mrs. Walton Gree, of Beaumont; Hugh Anderson and sister, Miss Louie Anderson, of Strawn; Mrs. Paoli Blair, of Dallas; Miss Mary Singleton, of Austin; Dr. C. C. Cooke, of Waxahatchie; Minter Uzzell, of Cleburne; Mrs. Robert Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cooke, of Winters and a number of friends from Abilene, Clyde and other nearby points.

## W. K. Boatwright Loses Heavily In Big Storm At Mission

W. K. Boatwright, of Mission, who had one of the finest citrus fruit farms in the Rio Grande Valley, has suffered severe losses in the storm which swept that part of the state.

Clifford Jones received a telegram from Mr. Boatwright Wednesday afternoon in which he said he and Mrs. Boatwright were safe, but that their garage, windmill and entire citrus fruit crops was destroyed.

Mr. Boatwright told us while on a visit here this summer that his crop was one of the finest in the valley.

## Seventy-Five Bales Cotton Ginned Here

The Callahan County Gin here has ginned 75 bales up to yesterday morning.

Cotton was selling around 9 cents yesterday.

## Miss Ronnie Belle James And A. L. Osborn Wed In Sunrise Ceremony

Miss Bonnie Belle James, of Baird, and Mr. A. L. Osborn, of Abilene, were married in a sunrise ceremony Friday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Verda James. Dr. T. J. Griswold, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated for the double ring ceremony, reading the services in the presence of members of the family and a few close friends of the couple.

Miss Fanny Baum served as the bride's only attendant, while Mr. Osborn had his brother, Clifton Osborn, of Meadow, as best man. The bride wore a triple sheer crepe frock of navy blue with white ascot, while Miss Baum was wearing a henna dress with light trim.

Mrs. V. E. Hill, aunt of the bride, played Mendelssohn's "Song Without Words" during the reading of the service.

Immediately following the ceremony Mrs. James was hostess for a wedding breakfast to twenty-two guests.

The couple left immediately after the wedding breakfast for Dallas and other Texas points, the bride traveling in an eel gray swaggar suit with black accessories.

Mrs. Osborn has spent most of her life in Baird. She is a graduate of the Baird High school. She attended McMurry College, Abilene, also C. I. A. Denton.

Mr. Osborn is a photographer, in the Osborn Colonial Studios, Abilene where they will make their home at 882 Hickory St. He is a son of Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Osborn, of Lockney.

Out of town guests at the wedding were the groom's father, Rev. B. J. Osborn, Lockney, his brother, Clifton Osborn, Meadow and his sister, Miss Juanita Osborn, Abilene; Vernon Bowers, Abilene, and Mrs. W. O. Spencer and Mrs. George Baum, Victoria.

## County Will Receive No RFC FUND For September

E. E. Cooke, county administrator of the RFC Fund, informs us that the county will receive no RFC funds for September, and urges that all unemployed seek work picking cotton or any where they can get work.

There will be some changes made in distributing the relief work with the beginning of October. All workers will be subject to a physical examination to determine the fitness for work and will be grouped in four groups as follows:

- Group 1. Able-bodied persons, capable of doing heavy manual labor.
- Group 2. Able-bodied persons, capable of doing light manual labor.
- Group 3. Persons not able to work but who could qualify for classification in Group 1 or 2, if he were subject to proper care and attention.
- Group 4. Persons not able to work.

## Mrs. Robert Walker Will Open Studio Here Monday, Sept. 11

Mrs. Robert Walker, although it was announced, was not coming back has returned and will open her studio of Dancing and Dramatic Art on Monday, September 11th.

Mrs. Walker has spent the summer in Los Angeles California, where she studied Acrobatics with Mr. Mintz of the famous Mintz and Denz studios, and she is now prepared to add this department to her work.

Mrs. Walker, as will be remembered, has taught successfully in Baird for the past two years and the results, as seen through her pupils show that she understands thoroughly the work she is doing.

Although the work she is taken during the summer has been quite expensive and the addition of this department will mean some extra expense. Mrs. Walker is giving this in addition to the work hitherto presented, without any extra charge. Her price remains the same.

Those interested please call 106 or see Mrs. Walker at Mrs. Will McCoy's or at the studio after Monday.

## Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bennett Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bennett celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday, Sept. 5th. At the noon hour a wedding dinner were served. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett presiding at the table at which was seated with them four daughters, two sons, two sons-in-laws, two daughter-in-laws and twelve grand-children. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett and children; Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Parrott and children; Mrs. Doss Hoop and children; Valera; Mrs. A. A. Cargal and children; Mr. and Mrs. Farris Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price and little daughter, Bobbie Jane all of Baird. Dr. Morris Bennett, of Canadian was the only one of the seven children absent on this occasion. Seventeen grand-children and five great-grand-children were also absent.

Open house was held from 3 o'clock in the afternoon to 10 o'clock and many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett called to offer congratulations to them on this happy occasion. In the evening many friends with the family gathered on the lawn where they were entertained with music by Messrs. Farris Bennett, Tankersley, and Bob Tollett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett have been residents of Baird since 1922. Mr. Bennett being engaged in the grocery business.

Mr. Bennett is a native of Arkansas, being born and reared at Quitman where he entered the grocery business when a young man. Romance entered his life when Miss Mary Wallace Aiken came with her family from North Carolina to make her home there and they were married Sept. 5, 1880. With youth inspiration and ambition, they listened to the call of the pine land in the mountains, which was laden with business opportunities. So the young couple with furnishings for a home and equipment for a saw mill, they answered the call and soon a new home was established in the pineland and later a business established.

In 1909 business opportunities in West Texas attracted Mr. Bennett and his wife and children he moved to Coleman county, where he established a general mercantile business at Valera, from where the family moved to Baird.

## Boydston Family Have Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydston had a regular family reunion Sunday. Their eldest daughter, Mrs. W. D. Ferguson and little son Donald arrived a few days before on a visit and on Sunday morning the Boydston family were given a happy surprise when their two other daughters, Mrs. S. L. Stokes and Miss Dorothy Boydston, Sam Boydston Stokes and Mr. Herman Harper, of McAllester, Oklahoma drove up at about six o'clock having traveled all night to get here to spend the day with their parents and sister, the day being Mrs. Ferguson's birthday.

This is the first time the family have all been at home together in some six years and Mr. Boydston says it was a happy day to have all his children at home again.

Mrs. Stokes, Miss Dorothy, Sam Boydston and Mr. Harper left Monday morning on their return trip, as Miss Dorothy had to be in Alderson Tuesday morning as her school would begin on that day.

## Baird Consumers Pledge To Support N R A

The NRA drive is being made in Baird this week. The committee, Ace Hickman, S. E. Settle, Rupert Jackson, Mrs. W. L. Ray and Mrs. Haynie Gilliland are directing the drive.

The city was divided into six districts and captains and helpers appointed to help in the work. A full report will be given of this work next week.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. R. A. Walker the pastor, will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## How To Get The Blue Eagle

TO ALL EMPLOYEES:  
2. Mail the signed Agreement to your District Office of the Department of Commerce.

3. Put the Agreement into effect.  
4. Sign a Certificate of Compliance. This is a slip distributed with the Agreement. It says: "I, We certify that we have adjusted the hours of labor and the wages of our employees to accord with the President's Reemployment Agreement, which we have signed."

5. Deliver the Certificate of Compliance to your post office. The Postmaster will give you your Blue Eagle.

## EXCEPTIONAL CASES

1. WHERE A CODE HAS BEEN SUBMITTED. (See par. 13, President's Reemployment Agreement.) If your whole trade or industry is unable to live up to the President's Agreement, you should get together at once, with other employers in your trade or industry and, in a group, submit a Code of Fair Competition to NRA in Washington.

Since it takes some time after a code has been submitted for it to be finally approved, your group may petition NRA to substitute the wages and hours provisions of your code for the wages and hours provisions of the President's Reemployment Agreement.

If NRA finds that the code provisions are within the spirit of the President's Reemployment Agreement, it will consent to such substitutions. If NRA does consent there will be an official notice in all the papers. You may then put the substituted provisions into effect in place of the indicated paragraphs of the President's Reemployment Agreement. In this case you should add to your Certificate of Compliance the following clause: "To the extent of NRA consent as announced, we have complied with the President's Agreement by complying with the substituted provisions of the code submitted by the Trade."

If the substitution is consented to after you have already put the President's Reemployment Agreement into full effect, and after you have already gotten your Blue Eagle, you may still put the substituted provisions into effect without signing another Certificate of Compliance.

2. WHERE A CODE HAS BEEN APPROVED. If a Code of Fair Competition for your trade or industry has already been finally approved by the President, you need not sign the President's Reemployment Agreement in order to get the Blue Eagle. The same is true if you are subject to a code which has been put into effect temporarily by agreement between the President and representatives of your trade or industry; but in either of these cases, you must sign a Certificate of Compliance, adding to it the following statement: "We have complied with the operation (Concluded on Last Page)"

## GRIGGS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bob Swinson, who underwent a major operation Wednesday is doing fairly well.

J. M. Reynolds was a patient Wednesday for treatment for a badly lacerated hand.

Myrtila, Henry and Mary Lou children of S. E. Settle, were tonsilectomy patients Saturday.

Miss Kathryn McCoy was a tonsilectomy patient Saturday.

Billie, 10 year old daughter of Rob Walker, of Admiral, was a tonsilectomy patient Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Hayes, who underwent an appendix operation two weeks ago was able to be moved to her home last Friday.

Mrs. J. T. Asbury, of Throckmorton who has been a patient for the past two weeks following an operation for an abscessed appendix was moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Asbury Wednesday.

Miss Barbara Morse, who underwent an operation for appendicitis two weeks ago was able to be carried to her home at Ovalo Tuesday.

Augusta, 9 year old daughter of L. B. Johnson of Clyde, was a tonsilectomy patient Tuesday.

Tharnton McGowen, was a tonsilectomy patient yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Morris was a patient Sunday for minor surgery.

Louis Christian of Cameron, World War Veteran, was a patient several days the past week.



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## EDUCATION

The world moves, and the people in this world move. Everyone moves in either one of two directions—backward or forward.

The State Fair, organized in 1886 has steadily pushed its way along through the years, and now stands as one of the greatest institutions in Texas. It stands thusly because it has gone forward and has brought to the people of this state—more education.

People must continue their education to the day they die, else because stale and they distribute this staleness to those around them.

The farmer must learn new soil conditions, for soil changes just as the times change; he must learn new seed conditions; he must keep up with his neighbors else his farm runs down, the land becomes worthless and instead of a community asset he becomes a community charge.

The livestock man must do the same with his livestock—new feeds are brought forth, new ways of combating diseases and other things can be learned by the ranchmen which makes it of great importance that he keeps in trend with the times.

Everyone must continue their education—the grocer, the butcher, the candle-stick maker.

Texas today stands in better circumstances than most states, because so many of its farmers have learned through canning methods to feed him self twelve months out of the year instead of five months.

That is what the State Fair of Texas purposes—to give the people of Texas—every person be he or she, housewife, merchant, farmer, business woman or flat-not—a two week's short course in that particular thing in which they are interested.

The State Fair of Texas is an educational institution.

### FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

Whether the late Lee J. Rountree or Hugh Nugent Fritzdgerald authored the above phrase, has never been definitely determined. Still, it is called to mind by Rev. Mr. Mayes of Bairst, feeling a call to write some thing nice about some one, just before the late election, and he selected Judge B. L. Russell of his town, and paid him a lengthy tribute, concluding as follows:

For he is a sincere Christian gentleman, a real statesman and not a scheming politician. I am sure the judge will be somewhat surprised when he reads this, for no immediate

thing he has done has provoked me to write these lines, but the appreciation I have for his faithful, consistent life. May his kind be multiplied among us is what I crave.

Joe R. Mayes.

Now, we call that better than waiting for the judge to pass into the great beyond before paying his tribute, and from our personal knowledge of Judge Russell, we are ready to endorse every word said. The judge has been specially active in good road matters, and every mile of good road secured as the result of agitation, especially, is of lasting benefit to all the people of the state, 'Rah for Russell!

—Fred B. Robinson,  
"With the Texas Press,"  
in Waco News-Tribune.

### IF (Slim)

IF you cannot find anybody else's business to attend to, 'tend to your own.

IF you run out of fish bait use a piece of your neighbor's Big Fish Tale.

IF you want to avoid a calamity don't get drunk and spill the beans. IF 'Everything comes to those who wait' then some of us apparently have not waited long enough.

IF you don't want to be a fallen angel, stay out of the airplanes.

IF we were boll-weevils we would always have a job.

IF the right mental attitude brings success, no wonder some of us are such howling failures.

IF you see a man setting in the shade by the wayside, do not call him a lazy person, perhaps he has an opportunity treed and is waiting for it to come down.

IF you think it is hard to keep your family supplied with food and clothes, just thing how much worse it would be if they had stomachs like elephants and as many feet as centipedes.

IF you don't want the other birds to get all the worms, you better get up earlier.

IF you won't 'oot your own horn' too loudly, maybe you can hear the other fellow's.

IF you want to break some kind of a record, break that one about 'It aint' gonna rain no' mo'.

IF you want to get rid of your wife tell her you love her and that will shock her to death.

IF you can learn that you know nothing much, then you will have

learned a lot. IF you get the 'props' knocked out from under you, learn to walk without them.

## Sunset Musings

By J. Marvin Nichols  
Dallas, Texas

The struggle of life is the 'order of the world, against which it is vain to repine.

The world will immortalize the dreamer who invents an airship that will lift us above our troubles.

The difference between a man's inner and outer life is precisely like the immaculate shirt that covers a filthy hide.

The low-thatched cottage—if it brings you back your own—is better than a palace whose unbroken hush presses life's sad story upon you.

The mule does his share in the uplift of the race. In the same way there are pious 'frauds' who go at it in the same way.

Take no chances on the future. Prepare yourself for something out of the ordinary.

The fact that your limitations are self-imposed carries with it the sense that you can break the bonds that bind you.

As we remember it, the ancient recipe for making Rabbit pie began, 'First catch your rabbit.'

We despise, in the sense of inexpressible hatred, the one who repeats a scandal, be that scandal true or false.

'All hail to the ordinary woman! May she flourish and live long. It is she who gives us our bright boys and noble girls. God bless them; 'exclaims Mrs. Carey. All hail to the ordinary man, too, even though he be silent, and doesn't give compliments and carresses. He is often too much abused; perhaps he would like a few words of praise. He may be hard pushed, weary and worn. He has got to go out and battle with the world, to provide a home and ordinary comforts for this same ordinary woman. Yes, women are heroines, not all of them, but mothers especially. They have been lauded to the skies in song and story. Men are heroes—the sober, reliable, truthful man, whose own fireside is the dearest spot on earth. Though he may sit in silence, and read his evening paper, she, the ordinary woman, should consider herself blest and glad to have him at her side, secure from the evils and temptations of the street.

## Farm, Livestock And Poultry Hints

By  
Ross E. Jenkins, County Agent

### COOPERATIVE HOG MARKETING

To insure prompt disposition, permission must be obtained from commission firms before pigs are shipped. Any pigs delivered here without a permit will be accepted at owner's risk.

The following commission firms have been given quotas and are authorized to issue shipping permits:

- Fifer-Shirley Commission Co.
- Daggett-Keen Commission Co.
- Woody-Kutch Commission Co.
- Texas Livestock Marketing Assn.
- Geo. W. Saunders L. S. Co. Co.
- Cassidy S. W. Commission Co.
- Nored-Hutchens Commission Co.
- National L. S. Commission Co.
- Perryman-Bell Commission Co.
- Breadlove L. S. Commission Co.
- Farmer Commission Co.
- Evans-Snyder-Buel Commission Co.
- John Clay & Co.
- Abernathy L. S. Commission Co.
- Keen-Alston Commission Co.
- Finley-Kitchens Commission Co.
- Witherspoon L. S. Commission Co.
- John W. Joyce.
- Carson-Franklin Commission Co.
- Drive-in L. S. Commission Co.
- Horace Wilson Commission Co.
- Howell Brothers L. S. Com. Co.
- Smith Brothers.
- Hamm Commission Co.
- Christian & Son.
- J. L. McDowell L. S. Com. Co.
- Crowley Commission Co.
- Geo. L. Deupree L. S. Com. Co.
- Martin-Blomquist & Lee Com. Co.

Many county agents are asking for information as to how to organize shipping associations and county pools this is a splendid idea as the agent can save farmers money and at the same time facilitate movements.

Would suggest that hogs be weighed at home and pool farmer there; then sold as one consignment, in the name of the association. The money will be sent to the association and can be divided at home. The yards here are so crowded now that we cannot very well sort the pigs that are shipped in the name of separate ownerships but loaded in the same car.

At these yards, the pigs are sorted into three grades as follows:

- No. 1—81 to 100 lbs.
- No. 2—56 to 80 lbs.
- No. 3—25 to 55 lbs.

Ship by double-deck car if possible. From the schedule of marketing charges listed below, you can easily see the tremendous saving that can be made by shipping in double-deck shipments and billing them as one owner. If you do not have an organization through which to work you will not have time to set up a complicated organization with lots of rules and by-laws; in that case, you can appoint a central committee of 3 good farmers and let them run the business. Every farmer who lets this committee ship his hogs automatically becomes a member of the association.

Below are listed the principal charges made for marketing here:

**Yardage.**  
Yardage charge 12c per head for shipments of hogs in lots of 80 head or more delivered in one lot from one consigner to one consignee. An additional charge of 2c per head will be assessed against hogs received at these yards other than by rail in less than car lots (less than 80 head). Yardage charge will not exceed \$15 per deck.

**Feed.**  
A charge of \$1.20 per bushel will be made for all corn consumed by pigs while on the yards while they are the property of the shipper. The amount of corn fed to the pigs will be determined by the commission firm handling the consignment; most firms are feeding 4 bushels per car per day.

**Commission.**  
Two tariffs apply on these yards. The Texas Livestock Marketing Association operates under Tariff No. 2 and all other firms operate under Tariff No. 1.

**Tariff No. 1.**  
Section I: Unmixed livestock in car lots (80 hogs or over—one owner): 30c each; \$8.00 minimum; \$12.00 maximum. Those coming in single decks where double-deck freight rates apply double-deck rates.

Unmixed livestock in car-lots (80 hogs or over—Two or more owners): 30c per head.

(This tariff applies to Texas Livestock Marketing Association Onl.)

Nmixed livestock in car lots (80 hogs or over)—one owner: 20c each; \$8.00 minimum; \$10.00 maximum; double-deck \$17.00 maximum.

(Those in single-decks where double-deck freight rates apply double-deck rates.)

Unmixed livestock in car lots (80 hogs or over) Two or more owners: Hogs 20c per head \$15.00 minimum; double-deck \$20.00 maximum.

Livestock hauled or driven in: Hogs 20c per head.

In case of stock sold for one owner at one time of as many or more head or aggregate weight as would constitute a carload, if shipped in, the per car rates may apply.

The following apply to both Tariffs No. 1 and 2:

**INSURANCE:** Rate of premium fixed by the insurance company; at present 1c per head up to 15c per car; optional with shipper or owner but insured unless otherwise directed.

Livestock Traffic Association-Rate Fund: For the purpose of providing HOGS, PIGS and SOWS no. 2 funds with which to carry on the work of the Live Stock Traffic Association in matters dealing with railroad and motor truck rates before the Railroad Commission of Texas and the Interstate Commerce Commission, the subscribers market agency will collect and pay to the Live Stock Traffic Association the following amounts on all livestock sold at the Fort Worth market:

Carloads Received By Rail 50c per car, but not more than \$2.00 on any one consignment.

Livestock Received By Motor Truck Hogs 1c per head, provided that if any shipper objects to the foregoing deductions, the charge will be promptly refunded.

A 36' car will take about 170-50 pound pigs per deck and a 40-foot car will take close to 200 per deck.

It does not matter how your pigs are transported to these yards. If you have over 80 head you get the carload rate provided they are consigned by one consigner to one consignee.

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September 6, 1933.

Mr. A. G. Donovan:

The surplus of Government pigs has been reduced in the Stock Yard to a point where the embargo now in effect may be lifted in a limited manner, effective midnight, Thursday, September 7th.

It has been agreed by all commission firms that the basis sales quota is 100 pigs per day per firm, or a total of 2900 pigs, which is the capacity of the processors, and commission firms must not order in excess of that number for one day's receipts.

In order that we may not run into a further glut with consequent loss to shippers, the following rules will be in effect after midnight Thursday September 7th:

1. Each firm must restrict permits so that its receipts will not exceed 100 to 125 pigs for one day's receipts
2. Each firm ordering in pigs by rail is limited to unload one double-deck, (400 to 450 pigs), and must understand that one double-deck is that particular firm's unloading quota for four days.
3. Wish to remind you again that Government rulings require that these pigs will not be accepted by Government inspectors unless accompanied by a permit, evidence by letter or telegram, from the commission firm to the original owner, issued prior to loading.

A. A. LUN  
Market Chairman.

The government announced that sows of 240lb. will be taken, and that each owner must market his own pigs. No speculators may sell government weight hogs and sows need no permit.

If you are interested in forming a pool at Bairst, please drop a card to the County Agent, giving the number of pigs you have and approximate weight. We will see about organizing a pool.

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**Red Cross Appeals To You For Help—Now**

Below is a copy of a telegram received by the Red Cross Chapter of Callahan County:  
St. Louis, Mo.  
Sept. 6, 1933.  
Callahan Co. Red Cross Chapter, Baird, Texas.

Confirmed reports of destruction Rio Grande Valley hurricane justify immediate and urgent appeal for contributions to Red Cross Relief Fund. As communication with seriously affected area is reestablished scattered reports confirm terrific destruction in area from San Benito South to Brownville and West to Edinburg.

On basis reports received from Representatives in disaster area I suggest quota your Chapter \$100.00.

Report incomplete preliminary survey indicates twenty four dead, six hundred injured, Seventeen hundred and fifty families destitute, two thousand homes destroyed, five thousand damaged. National Red Cross has made contribution to Relief Fund of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars.

Urge your Chapter make immediate and vigorous presentation this appeal soliciting co-operation of local press, report collections and transmit contributions to this office.

WILLIAM M. BAXTER, Jr.  
Manager.

Those wishing to make contributions, please hand same to any representative of the

Local Red Cross Chapter  
Miss Eliza Gilliland, The Baird Star, Baird, Texas.

Mr. Jack Scott, The Cross Plains Review, Cross Plains, Texas.

Mr. E. F. Butler, The Clyde Enterprise, Clyde, Texas.

Dr. B. F. Britton, Putnam, Texas.  
Mr. S. S. Harville, Oplin, Texas.

Mrs. T. H. Benninger is able to be up after an attack of the flu and their little son, Jack is recovering from a tonsil operation.

Mrs. Noah Cook and little daughter Joyce Jane, of San Angelo, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell.

**Shanks Is Head of Callahan Singers**

Paul Shanks, Clyde, is the new president of the Callahan County Singers association, elected at a session of the organization held Saturday night and Sunday at Clyde.

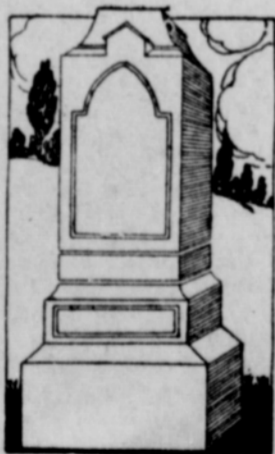
Other officers are, J. A. Pee, of Baird, vice president, and Johnnie Osborn of Clyde, secretary.

The next meeting is to be held at Union, north of Putnam.

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**PERSONALS**

Ralph Walker of Plainview is visiting Burton Roberts at Rowden.

Mrs. L. S. Conlee and children are visiting Mrs. Conlee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds.

Mrs. T. B. Smith and daughter, Miss Maxine of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds.

Miss Pauline Curtis of Clyde, is visiting Miss Olga Johnston at Chataqua this week.

E. Cooke and son Austin and Judson Atchison returned Wednesday from Austin.

Miss Mary Caylor of Fort Worth, spent Sunday and Monday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Estes.

Morris Eastham, who is with the tree army stationed at Alpine, Ariz., spent a few days with the home folks the past week.

Mrs. Linwood Hays and nephew, Billie Hays, of Breckenridge, spent Sunday and Monday with home folks in Baird.

Misses Opal Raymond, Ethyl Taylor spent Monday with Mrs. Jimmie Irwin and Mrs. Claude Grimes in Albany.

Miss Hazel Reynolds returned a few days ago from a two months trip. She visited her brother, Hubert Reynolds at Carrizo, New Mexico and relatives at Lubbock.

Mrs. P. C. Caylor, accompanied by her two little grandsons, Phillip and David Moore of Fort Worth spent several days the past week with her brother, Lee Estes and family.

Weldon Varner, who spent the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Varner, left Sunday night for Baylor Medical College to resume his studies there.

Miss Jennie Harris of Admiral, was in Baird yesterday. Miss Harris returned a few days ago from a visit to the World's Fair, New York and other points. They will be joined at Dallas by Miss Nell Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Curry and children from Michigan, are visiting Mr. Curry's mother and sister, Mrs. Rebecca Curry and Mrs. Justin Anderson. Mr. Curry is a post office inspector and has been in the north for several years.

Mrs. Otho Lidia, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Gordon Phillips of Big Spring, left this morning for a visit to the World's Fair, New York and other points. They will be joined at Dallas by Miss Nell Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Roberts of Rowden were called to Tishomingo, Okla., last Saturday by the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. G. P. White. They were accompanied by Burton Roberts and Ralph Walker and left here at 4 o'clock Saturday morning arriving at Tishomingo at 5 p. m. The boys returned Sunday and Mr. Roberts returned Tuesday leaving Mrs. Roberts with her daughter. Mrs. White is suffering from an attack of appendicitis, but was some better when her father left.

Miss Donna Carter spent a few days this week with her grandmother Mrs. Henry Lambert and family. Miss Donna was enroute to Big Spring from Denton. Miss Donna will teach school at Chalk again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Austin and little daughter, Martha Jane, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Springer of Eastland, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Foy and family.

Little Miss Thelma Purdie who spent the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sigal, left Tuesday for her home in Bristow Okla., where she entered school yesterday.

J. M. Reynolds, manager at the Callahan County Gin, had his left hand badly hurt when caught in a cog wheel Wednesday morning, while working about the machinery. Mr. Reynolds has been working around gins for thirty years and this is the first injury he has ever received.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patton of Gonzales, California, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Beasley and family. Mrs. Howard Beasley, wife of Mr. and Mrs. Beasley's eldest son, is a niece of Mr. Patton's and they all live in Gonzales. Mr. and Mrs. Patton are enroute home from a two month's trip east including a visit to the world's fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robinson and family had as dinner guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Andrews and sons Joe and Willis Andrews and wife of Santa Fe, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robinson of Nimrod; Mrs. Clifford Wilson and son, R. C., of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clemmer and daughters Doris and Faye of Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy spent the week-end in Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Boydston spent Sunday in Dallas.

Dr. C. M. Griswold and family from Houston, is here this week visiting his parents Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Griswold. He will return to Houston by way of Dallas Saturday.

C. P. Correll, living west of Oplin was in Baird Saturday and called at the office and subscribed for The Star for a year. Mr. Correll gets his mail on Route No. 11 Ovalo.

Miss Myrtle Boydston was called to Rockwall Sunday by the death of her aunt Mrs. Gardenhire sister of the late J. D. Boydston. Mrs. Gardenhire had been a resident of Rockwall for many years. She had lived in the house where she died for 62 years.

Miss Emogene Orr, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwards of Houston, who have been her guests, left Wednesday for

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Houston. Miss Orr will teach in the Pasadena Junior High School again this year.

**METHODIST MISSION SOCIETY**

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon in the basement of the church in a social meeting. The lesson will be from the World Outlook.

Mesdames J. M. Reynolds, W. T.

Wheeler and Mrs. Charles Hinds will be hostess.

**PIANO CLASS**

I will open my fall class in Piano Monday, Sept. 11th. I would be glad to see any one interested in Piano. Terms: \$3.00 per month

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Mrs. J. R. Rhodes has returned from a visit with friends in Abilene.

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**WHEAT REDUCTION PROGRAM EXPLAINED**  
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visions of the Government. County educational campaigns are now beginning in most of the 131 Texas counties growing wheat, and every grower in the State is to be given an opportunity to sign a contract if he wishes.

College Station—Questions about landlord-tenant relationships in the domestic allotment plan for wheat seem to be the most troublesome to growers, judging by inquiries received at Extension Service headquarters and by county agents.

Two guiding principals help to explain most such questions, students of the plan state. In the first place the contract follows the farm and not the farmer, and in the second place the right to share in benefits depends upon having a vested interest in the crop.

Farmers sign up land and not themselves, but in signing up the land they obligate themselves and all who come after them in the farming of that land for the duration of the contract. If a tenant and landlord sign now both share in the 1933 payments, but if tenant moves away the new tenant must assume the contract for the remaining two years and the landlord is responsible to see that this is done.

The landlord in no case can receive more than his customary share of the benefits. If tenant has already moved away and cannot be found the landlord may sign the contract and hold his new tenants to it, but he cannot get more than one-third (if that is his usual rental) of the 1933 payments. The departed tenant, later hearing of the contract, may file claim for his portion of the 1933 payments. If he fails to do so the two-thirds coming to him is simply never paid.

If a landlord has several tenants part of whom sign contracts with him and part do not, he cannot allow those who do not sign to increase their wheat acreage above what it was for the three-year average 1930-32, or above 1933, whichever is larger. If a landlord rents for cash he can not share in the benefits, but must sign the contract with tenant.

If a succeeding tenant next year or the year following should break the contract, all advances made previously are collectible by the Government, and the landlord and not the 1933 tenant is liable for the 1933 payments. When a tenant legally severs his connection with the land he is released from all contract obligations, and the same is true of a landlord who sells. The contract binds the new tenant or new owner, however.

Farmers who sign contracts with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to reduce their wheat acreage for 1934 and 1935 are expected to retire from any and all kinds of crops only that part of their reduced acres known as the 'contracted acreage'. Extension Service officials declare. Reduction is based on the three-year average acreage of 1930-31-32, and not on last year's acreage which may have been higher or lower. This reduction from the three-year average is known as the 'contracted acreage.'

A farmer may have increased his acreage from 1930 onward until he grew 60 acres in 1933, yet his three-year average may have been only 40 acres. Since a 15 percent cut has been ordered he could not sow more than 34 acres this fall and the difference between this figure and 40 acres would be his 'contracted acreage', or six acres. On this six acres he could plant nothing in the way of a cash crop. He really reduces down from 60 acres last year to 34 acres next year, a total of 26 acres, but on 20 acres of this he can do as he pleases except not sow wheat. He is only prohibited from the free use of six acres, his 'contracted acreage'.

On the other hand a farmer may have been reducing acreage through this period and while his three-year average might have been 40 acres, last year he might only have grown 30 acres. Again his contracted acreage would be six acres. He might increase his acreage four acres from 30 acres to 34 acres, but he would nevertheless have to take six acres from other crops and retire them from the production of cash crops.

Approved practices in the use of contracted acres in the wheat allotment contract as given by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration are: 1. permit ground to lie unplanted 2. practice summer fallowing, 3. plant to permanent pasture, but land so planted is not eligible as contracted acreage during the second year if used for pasture or hay, 4. plant to hay crops, but such land will not count as contracted acreage the second year when hay is cut, 5. practice weed control, 6. plant forest trees or windbreaks, or 7. plant soil improvement crops.

In the domestic allotment plan for the relief of wheat growers, each grower figures his allotted bushels on which premiums will be paid in 1933, 1934 and 1935 by adjusting his three-year average production for

1930-31-32 to the county five-year production average and taking 54 percent of this sum, the Extension Service at Texas A and M College explains. The state and county allotments are 54 percent of the five-year production 1928-32, but the Administration believed it would be difficult for farmers to obtain records or even accurately remember their production back that far. Hence farmers start with a three-year average production as a base. To make the sum of these individual farm allotments fit the county allotment it is necessary to adjust each farm allotment to the county five-year average.

This adjustment has been computed for each county by the Administration and every county in Texas has been given its adjustment factor. They range from about 60 percent to about 140 percent. Every farmer in a county must multiply his three-year average production by this county factor unless permitted by county allotment committee to do otherwise. The factor, it may be of interest to know, was computed by dividing the county five-year production average by its three-year production average. Hence counties where production has been increasing have adjustment factors of less than 100 percent and every farmer is given an allotment less than his three-year average multiplied by 54 percent. Counties where production has been decreasing have adjustment factors of more than 100 percent and every farmer is given an allotment higher than his three-year average multiplied by 54 percent.

Any farmer, however, who finds that his allotment will be larger if his actual five-year production figures are used than if his three-year average production is adjusted by the county factor, may apply to his county allotment committee for the privilege of doing so. In other words, in a county of increasing production a farmer who has held steady or even decreased his production need not be penalized if he can convince his county committee of the justice of his case. Every time one farmer is allowed a larger allotment, however, it means that the rest of the allotments will have to be reduced to that extent.

An entire county may, if the majority of the board of directors of the wheat production control association so decide, figure all individual allotments on the five-year production record and omit the use of the adjustment factor. The county allotment committee would have to request permission to do this from the Agricultural Adjustment Association. In counties where much new wheat land has been recently opened up such a move would give the old time wheat growers larger allotments and would reduce the allotments of farmers who had grown wheat four years and less.

**WHEAT MEETINGS**

An educational campaign will be given throughout Callahan County next week beginning at Clyde and making a swing around the county.

Mr. John Berry will help at Clyde and Lanham communities; Meeting at Clyde, Tuesday at 1:30 and at Lanham 7:30.

S. S. Harville will assist at Oplin Wednesday at 1:30; Hugh McDermott at Cross Plains Wednesday night at 7:30; Mr. J. E. Pruet at Putnam, at Union Thursday at 8 o'clock. General meeting at Baird Saturday afternoon at 1:30 with Buster George.

These men will help explain the issue with me at these points.  
ROSS B. JENKINS.

**HOW TO GET THE BLUE EAGLE**  
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provisions of the code for the Trade-Industry."

**3. CASES OF INDIVIDUAL HARDSHIP.** (Par. 14, President's Reemployment Agreement.)

If there are some peculiar reasons why a particular provision of the President's Agreement will cause you, individually, a great and unavoidable hardship, you may still get the Blue Eagle by taking the following steps:

- Sign the Agreement and mail it to your District Office of the Department of Commerce.
- Prepare a petition to NRA setting out the reasons why you cannot comply with certain provisions, and requesting that an exception be made in your case.
- Have this petition approved by your trade association. If there is no trade association for your business have your petition approved by your local chamber of commerce or other representative organization designated by NRA.
- If the trade association, or other organization, approves your petition, send it to NRA in Washington with this approval.
- Comply with all the provisions of the Agreement except the one you are petitioning to have accepted.
- Sign the Certificate of Compliance, adding to it the following clauses: "Except for those interim provisions regarding wages and hours which have been approved by the

Trade Association." Deliver this Certificate of Compliance to your post office. You will receive a Blue Eagle, but before displaying it, you must put a white bar across its breast with the word "Provisional" on it. If your petition is finally approved by NRA you must comply with the Agreement in full.

In case where a substitution authorized by NRA for an industry to operate under the wages and hours provisions of its code in lieu of similar provisions of the Agreement will cause you, individually, a great and unavoidable hardship, relief therefrom may be had by following the above procedure. You may then sign the Certificate of Compliance, adding to it the following clauses:

(a) To the extent of NRA as announced, we have complied with the President's Agreement by complying with the substituted provisions of the code submitted by the Trade-Industry.

(b) Except for those interim provisions regarding wages and hours which have been approved by the Trade Association.

Deliver this Certificate of Compliance to your post office. You will receive a Blue Eagle, but before displaying it, you must put a white bar across its breast with the word "Provisional" on it. If your petition is finally approved by NRA you may take the bar down. If your petition is not approved by NRA you must comply with the Agreement with its substituted provisions in full.

4. UNIONS CONTRACTS. If you have a contract with a labor organization calling for longer hours than the President's Agreement allows, and this contract was made in good faith by collective bargaining and cannot be changed by you alone, try to get the labor organization to agree to a reduction to the maximum hours allowed by the President's Agreement. If the labor organization will not agree, you may apply to NRA for permission to work your employees as many hours a week as the contract calls for. Send to NRA a request for this permission, with a certified copy of the labor contract, and any statement of the fact you desire.

This application will be handled by NRA in the same manner as an application for relief in cases of individual hardship, filed under paragraph 14, P. R. A., but it will not be necessary to obtain the approval of a trade association or other organization. If NRA approves your application or is able to bring about any modification of the contract, you will then be granted permission to work employees in accordance with the contract as originally written or modified, and can then sign the Certificate of Compliance adding to it the following: "Except as required to comply with the terms of the Agreement in effect between the undersigned and the (name of labor organization)."

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Thanking you for your cooperation we are

Very truly yours,  
THOMAS S. HAMMARD,  
Executive Director, Blue Eagle Division, NRA.

**Oplin News**

(By LOU ELLA)

Bro. O'Kelly filled his regular appointment here Sunday at 11 o'clock. The Singing School at the Baptist church, conducted by Prof. James Coffman of Dudley, is well attended. Several from Oplin attended the Callahan County Singing Convention at Clyde last Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Straley who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Davis at Adamsville for some time, has returned to her home at Oplin. Grandma Kuykendall and Mrs. Willis Scott of Clyde, and Mrs. Sallie Hopkins and son, Bernie, Jr., of New Mexico, visited Mrs. J. J. Jones and other relatives of this place last week. Mrs. J. M. Warren and son, Lucien and Mrs. W. G. Bradshaw visited O. H. Warren and family at Lampasas recently.

Prof. Bailey Johnson and family of Denton and Mr. Claude Morse and two sons of Oplin are visiting the Carlsbad Cavern and other places of interest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Walker, who

has been employed by the Home Telephone Co, here for some time, have moved to Alexander, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Otho Harris have taken their place here.

Mr. G. A. Gwin and son Ernest, who has been visiting in North Alabama and Tennessee for a few weeks are expected home soon.

**Sunday School Picnic**

On last Thursday evening the Sunday School Class of Mrs. L. B. Lewis went to the Tabor Park near Clyde for a picnic.

The following girls chaperoned by Mrs. Lewis attended: Ruth Ray, Edith Lewis, Vistina Lambert, Cora Mae Mayes, Elouise Sheridan, Sybil Northcutt, Bernice Robinson, Laverne Mitchell, Edith Hammons, Gwendol Grounds and Ola Faye Show.

**Married**

Mr. W. W. Phillips and Miss Lena Marsh, both of Rowden, were married Saturday, Sept. 2, 1933, Rev. Royce Gilliland officiating.

**FAT BOUNDS A REGISTERED PHARMIST**

Pat Bounds, with Holmes Drug Co received his diploma a few days ago from the State Board of Pharmacy and now is a registered pharmacist.

Mr. Bounds took this examination when the board met in Abilene a few weeks ago.

**WITH BAIRD BAPTIST**

It was a real pleasure to be home and have services with the folks Sunday and we had a sure enough good service.

Our Association held it's session this week and we are starting out the new Association year with next Sunday. I am here and now asking every one to be with us next Sunday and let's start out together. We want you in the Sunday School and for both preaching hours. The days are longer now and we will begin the night service at 8:00 o'clock. Let's all be there and put over a worthy service. I will preach at Midway Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Meet me there  
JOE R. MAYES.

'The Twister,' a fifty ton, portable ride, the largest ever built, will be one of the many new features on the Beckman and Gerety World's Best Shows at the 1933 State Fair of Texas.

**DIPHTHERIA AT GARDNER**

Dr. R. L. Griggs, county health officer, was called to the Gardner community Wednesday to fumigate the home of B. B. Franklin, where they had a case of diphtheria and while there they went to the school house where some fifty children has assembled to be given the diphtheria antitoxin.

Dr. Griggs says that if any community that does not have a local doctor to give this immunization against diphtheria will notify him and arrange a place and time, he will go out and give the anti toxin.

Dr. Griggs has been called to Oplin several times the past week to see Mrs. J. C. Crenshaw, who is ill with the ful. He was also called Sunday to see Shelby Harville at Oplin, who was severely burned some months ago.

Dr. Griggs says there is suite a lot of sickness in the county and his car registered 300 miles, which was traveled during August.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

The program for Sunday: Bible study, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Lord's Supper, 11:45 a. m. Preaching, 8:00 p. m. Every bond is invited to attend every service.

THOS. McDONALD.

**EASTERN STAR MEETING**

Callahan Chapter No. 242, Order of the Eastern Star will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Sept. 12, at 7:30 o'clock.

All members urged to be present. Business to be transacted.

Ruby Russell, W. M. Ruby Harp, Sec.

**BIRTHS**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Curtis, of Clyde, on Aug. 31, 1933, a son, who has been named Melvin Lee. The babe is the first grand child of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, of Chattanooga.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberson, of Oplin, Monday, Sept. 4, 1933, a girl.

More than 500 Turkeys gobblers will trot around the grounds on the closing day of the State Fair of Texas in the All-World Turkey Show Turkey Trot. Turkeys from all corners of the world are expected to be entered in the All-World Turkey Show.

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POSTED: My pasture east of overhead bridge and south of the railroad is posted. No hunting allowed. Offenders will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.  
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