

CALLAHAN COUNTY, In Central West Texas, organized 1877; area 882 square miles, pop. 11,600. Rolling prairies and wooded areas of mesquite, post oak, live oak. Soil sandy to chocolate loam. Elevation 1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.

# The Baird Star

Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-up-and-Git That Makes Men Great."

BAIRD, pop. 1,825. On "The Broadway of America." Has beautiful homes, modern schools, fine churches, and healthful climate — "where there ain't no poor, and there ain't no sick; where the fat get fatter, and the thin get thick."

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MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

## Jones Found Guilty of Rape; Sentenced To Life Imprisonment

J. T. Jones, Jr., Potosi farm hand, was found guilty of rape Tuesday night by a 42nd District Court jury in Abilene, and sentenced to life imprisonment. Jones was charged with the rape of a young Abilene housewife and former resident of Baird.

The jury returned its verdict at 10:15 p. m., after 25 minutes of deliberation.

Larry Scarborough, co-defense counsel said Tuesday night immediately after the trial that the defense would ask for a new trial for Jones.

After the courtroom was emptied, Jones sat stunned and dazed between two deputy sheriffs. Emotionless and sure of himself during the trial, Jones was now a different man.

His eyes were swollen and red, his stare blank. His voice was unsteady and cracked when he told a reporter, "Mister, I don't mean any offense, but get your information from somewhere else."

Jones' sentence was short of the death penalty asked by the state, but he had stoutly maintained his innocence throughout the trial.

He had joked to his attorneys about the death sentence numerous times, referring to the electric chair as "old sparky," and had told them, "Old Sparky'll get me yet."

He had asked a reporter "Do I look like I'm scared?" Then he laughed, and reasserted his innocence.

At 7:30, Judge J. R. Black charged the jury.

Arguments by attorneys followed, and the case went to the jury at 9:50.

The jury heard arguments by Dist. Atty. Wiley Caffey and Callahan County Attorney Felix Mitchell for the prosecution; and Defense Attorneys Clyde Loper, Larry Scarborough, and George Overshiner.

Jones took the stand in his own defense Tuesday afternoon, and positively denied the attack, or that he stopped to help a woman with a flat at the scene of the attack — Lytle Lake curve on U.S. 80 near the airport.

He took the stand boldly, looked at the jury openly and sometimes snapped answers to questions by Dist. Atty. Wiley Caffey and Special Prosecutor Felix Mitchell.

He said he took a friend, Sue Thompson, to a place south of Trent on the afternoon of Oct. 3 and they drank beer. He said that after he brought her home from Trent, he returned to his home on the Wiley Stephens place in the Potosi community arriving about 5:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jones was gone from home, he said, so he went to the Truckers' Cafe on Highway 36, three miles south of his home, and ate supper.

"After eating at the cafe I fooled around a while and returned home, did the chores and went to bed about 8:30 p. m."

Referring to blood stains of officers reported finding on his underwear and army blankets, he said:

"I slept in my underwear for several days, saw no blood on them. It was sweat or something else. The blankets had grease on them — the spots didn't look like blood to me. The children, dogs, everything rides on the blankets."

He was on the stand about half an hour.

Mrs. Jones, his wife, said she had been in Coleman Oct. 3, and got home in the evening, came to Abilene to spend the night. She said she was expecting another child.

She said she did not know where he was Oct. 3.

The defendant sat in a chair between his wife and his sister, Mrs. Alba Faulkner, 842 Pecan, most of the time. His two small sons, Roy Lee and T. J., sat in another chair or in laps of the others. Jones smoked an occasional cigarette and sat most of the time nonchalant.

Other defense witnesses were: Mrs. Larry Brown, operator of the Truckers Cafe, who said Jones ate there frequently but that she could not say positively that he was there on Oct. 3.

Sue Thompson, who admitted being a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Jones. She said she met them at dances. On Oct. 3, she testified, she saw Jones at 1 p. m. "He took me to a place south of Trent where we drank beer. I knew he was married and he told me he had one child," she said.

She added they got back from Trent about 4:30.

Edwards J. Tracy, M. M. Rucker, Glen A. Rucker, and Charles A. Martin, residents near the attack scene, who said they did not hear screams from the assault scene as state's witnesses had testified.

Dr. R. A. Maddox, Lytle Lake, testified that he did not know whether he was home on the evening of Oct. 3. Hollis Manly, a neighbor, said he left his house near the lake about 7:30 but saw no car at the curve.

### AUBREY LOPER WRITES FROM MEDFORD, OREGON

The editor received an interesting letter from Aubrey Loper this week when he wrote from Medford, Ore., to renew The Star for another year. The letter, in part, follows:

"I want you to know that we enjoy The Star very much. I really think you have a fine paper."

"We had a very pleasant surprise about three weeks ago. Charlie Coats came by to see us and while he was here we visited the House of Mystery, also Crater Lake. While we were at Crater Lake, we were very fortunate in getting a shot at a bear, with a camera, of course. "Again I want to tell you that I think you have a fine paper and we sure enjoy getting it and finding out the latest dope on the good people of Baird and surrounding communities."

As ever,  
Aubrey Loper,  
Medford, Ore.

### HENDERSON RITES HELD IN CROSS PLAINS

Funeral for Joseph Grover Henderson, 56, was held at 3 p. m., Wednesday, in the Cross Plains Church of Christ. Burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Mr. Henderson, a widely-known Cross Plains resident, died at 10 a. m. Tuesday in a Cisco hospital. He had been in ill health for several months.

His son, Lt. J. P. Henderson was called home on an emergency leave from Korea, where he was on duty with the 8th Army headquarters. He arrived here two weeks ago to be with his father.

Mr. Henderson, member of a prominent family of this area, was a mute. He was born Nov. 29, 1893, at Burkett in Coleman County.

He attended the Texas School for Deaf and Dumb at Austin. While there he met Ethel Blair, also a mute. They were married June 23, 1918 at Weatherford.

Survivors besides his widow and son; two brothers, E. E. Henderson of Burkett and Porter Henderson of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Lawrence of Baird, and Mrs. Frank Buckingham of Gainesville.

### SINGING SUNDAY AT EULA CHURCH

Eula community is announcing a singing at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, October 29, at the Methodist Church, for the purpose of organizing a Cemetery Association.

Will NeSmith of Potosi will be there with some good singers.

### ALL CHURCH DAY PROGRAM TO BE HELD OCTOBER 30

Ladies of the First Methodist Church will be hostesses of the other church women of the town on Monday, October 30th. The All Church Day program will be held at the Methodist Church at 3 p. m. A social hour will follow the program, and all the ladies of Baird are invited to attend.

### BAIRD PALOMINO WINS AT STATE FAIR

Perry Hughes held the winning animal at the State Fair of Texas as Palomino Horse Show last Saturday at Dallas. Desert Sun, owned by Hughes was named reserve champion Palomino stallion.

The president of the Palomino Horse Breeders of America, announced to the 7000 spectators just before the Silver Mounted Class that "Desert Sun, belonging to Perry Hughes of Baird, is without a doubt the most perfect Palomino in America today." Palominos are judged on color, confirmation and behavior. The ideal Palomino will match the color of a gold coin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bryant and son, Bernie, Jr., of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Walter Bryant Monday night.

## Baird Stores To Close Saturday, Nov. 11th

It has been definitely decided that Baird stores will observe Armistice Day by closing their doors for business on Saturday, November 11th. It was previously announced that the town would observe the holiday by closing on Monday instead of Saturday, but another count was taken this week wherein 29 firms favored closing on Saturday and only 7 preferred taking Monday as the holiday. Every place of business was not contacted by the committee, but after going to 36 of them, with the vote running so decidedly in favor of the Saturday holiday, the matter was thus decided.

Many who voted in favor of Saturday stated that the bank would be closed on that day, school would be open on Monday, there were ball games and other places to spend the holiday on Saturday, and all in all the best day to observe Armistice is Saturday, November 11th.

A special effort has been made to make this survey of business firms to decide to close up for the holiday. Now that the majority has voiced their desire, all business firms are expected to close up on that day. If one wants to be hogish and keep open to have a corner on whatever business they might get, it will spoil the plan for all. It is believed that all the stores will observe the holiday on Saturday, the time that has been favored by the majority.

All the holidays to be observed by Baird business firms for the year were established by a committee from the Callahan County Club early in the year. At that time it was decided that when a holiday fell on Saturday, it would be observed on Monday. This is the reason The Baird Star first announced that Armistice Day would be observed on Monday instead of Saturday. After this announcement several of the business firms expressed a wish to close on Saturday for the holiday. The contact made this week determined the wish of the majority to close up on Saturday.

Customers of the local stores should attend to their weekend shopping on Friday and keep in mind that the town will be closed on Saturday.

### P-T-A MEETING HELD THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The Parent-Teacher Association held its regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, Oct. 19, at 3:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Pupils from Mrs. Bowler's room gave the first part of the program for the afternoon. Those on the program were Sandra Hatchett, the announcer; Kay Kniffen, who gave a reading; and Chris Sunderman, who gave a reading.

For the second part of the program, each person present was asked to write on a slip of paper a particular problem they had concerning their children and school. The problems were read by Mrs. Ross, vice-president. This was very interesting.

During the business meeting that followed, it was moved and passed that the P-T-A hold its part of the Hallow'en Carnival outside this year. Mrs. Webster, Miss Settle and Mrs. Sunderman were appointed by Mrs. Hatchett, president, to select a suitable gift on which to sell chances for the carnival. The president also appointed Miss Myers, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Irving Corn and Mrs. A. N. Johnson to serve on a committee to get the P-T-A concessions ready for the carnival.

It was moved and passed that three teachers be appointed to select pictures and frames with money received from the art exhibit held recently. Those appointed were Miss Grimes, Mrs. Hall and Mr. Rowland.

The eighth grade won the room count for the number of mothers present for the afternoon.

### BLACK'S STORE FRONT UNDERGOING REPAIRS

A new awning is being installed at Black's Food Store and when this is accomplished, the store front will be given a new coat of paint. Mrs. Cora Work, owner of the building, stated that she wanted Black's to have one of the nicest store fronts in town.

C. A. Neubauer, Jr., of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. W. J. Weir of Big Spring, are here for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Neubauer, Sr.

## BOX SCORE of Contestants in the Baird Star Subscription Contest

Support your favorite by paying your subscription and voting the 10 free vote coupon today.

Mrs. Archie Nichols	16,470
Franklin Freeland	16,040
Sterling Abernathy	13,030
Irene Mauldin	10,530
Mrs. R. G. Edwards	7,220
Mrs. Buddy McWilliams	3,500
Mrs. W. V. Walls	1,820
Mrs. Lee Estes	1,230

Vote counters this week were Fred Hart, Mrs. Fred Hart, and Walter Y. Head.

## Former Resident Buried Oct. 21

Funeral for Fred Hollingshead, 61, a former resident of Baird, was held Saturday, Oct. 21, at the Potosi Baptist Church. Rev. A. A. Davis of Baird conducted the service, assisted by Rev. M. F. Richardson, and Rev. Michael of Abilene. Burial was in Potosi Cemetery, with Wylie Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Hollingshead died at 6 a. m. Thursday, Oct. 19, in a Galveston hospital, where he had been for ten days. He had been in ill health about ten months.

Born December 21, 1888, at Amity, Ark., he worked for a railroad in California before moving to Potosi, where he engaged in farming. Mr. Hollingshead lived in Baird 25 years and was employed by the T&P Railway Co., during that time. He retired from the company in 1947 and moved to Abilene, where he lived until his death. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

He married Miss Ever Lee Gilbreath of Potosi in 1911 and they had two sons, Olaf and Hollingshead, who died in 1918. Mr. Gilbreath in 1927, this union one son, Billy, was born. Lt. Lt. Billy B. Hollingshead was killed in World War II.

Survivors are his wife, of Abilene; two sons, Olaf of Big Spring, and Fayne of Abilene; two grandsons, Neal of Abilene and Kyle of Big Spring; two brothers, Tom of Abilene and Will D. of Denison; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Miller and Mrs. Cecil Key of Potosi.

Pallbearers were Edgar Holley of Potosi, Bob Joiner of Abilene, J. B. Pitzer, Ben Ross, J. B. Smith, Harold Ray, W. T. Payne and J. T. Brashar, all of Baird.

Funeral today for DENTON VALLEY FARMER

Funeral for Richard Sidney (Rich) Johnston, 59, will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at Clyde Baptist church. Rev. M. F. Richardson of Abilene, Rev. Riley Fugate of Trent, and Rev. B. W. Burrow of Abilene, pastor of Denton Valley Baptist church, will officiate. Burial will be in the Clyde Cemetery, with Wylie Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Johnston died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his Denton Valley home about ten o'clock Wednesday night. He had threshed peanuts all day Wednesday.

Mr. Johnston was born November 29, 1890 in Collin county, and had lived in Callahan county since 1913. He was a stock farmer. He married Miss Louie Tarrant November 11, 1915 at Baird and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors besides his wife are six sons, Drew of Amarillo, Sidney of Lamesa, Hollis, Olaf, Rudy and Thurman of Denton Valley; two daughters, Mrs. Berle Scott of Dudley and Mrs. Loma Loper of Anson; seven grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Taylor of Buffalo, Mrs. Sallie Bagwell of Delhi, La., Mrs. Sallie Bagwell of Colorado City; three brothers, Clyde Johnston of Clyde, Harvey Johnston of Snyder and Alex Johnston of Los Angeles, Calif.

Pallbearers were: Ted Walls, J. O. Connell, Morton Whitley, Joe King, Virgil Cole and Eskew Crawford.

## Fair Plans Discussed At Joint Meeting

The future of Callahan County Fair is hanging in the balance with the time and place for next year's issue undetermined. At a joint meeting of the fair association and Callahan County Sheriff's Posse on Monday night, likes and dislikes of both groups were freely aired. Members of the Sheriff's Posse were favorable to allowing the fair to be held at the rodeo grounds as the permanent site, but details of a mutual agreement must still be worked out.

The Sheriff's Posse directors will hold a meeting and decide what kind of an agreement would best suit their organization which will then be handed to the fair group for consideration. The fair association members were in favor of selling stock with which to finance the construction of exhibit halls and other necessary facilities on the grounds in return for the privilege of holding the fair there. The plan will be worked out in detail when both groups have the opportunity to agree on all points, and when the final arrangements are made the date will be set for the 1951 Callahan County Fair. If suitable arrangements cannot be made to hold the fair at the Posse's grounds, steps will be taken to locate the home for the fair elsewhere in the county.

Those who attended the joint meeting were: Everett Hughes, president of the Sheriff's Posse, Will Barton, president of the Callahan County Fair Association, Smokey Edwards, Everett Jones, Ace Hickman, N. L. Dickey, Randall Jackson, E. L. Reese, J. V. Thompson, Perry Hughes, J. O. Warren, Marvin Hunter, D. C. Cox, Sam Gilliland, Jack Gilliland, M. M. Caldwell, A. V. Curtis, Cliff Curtis, Bill Harris, Lou Baker, J. B. Paylor, and Vocational Ag teacher at Clyde, J. C. Snow.

ALTON WALDROP IS CENTER ON PECOS JR. HIGH TEAM

Alton Waldrop, a former student of Baird school, is center on a football team of Pecos Jr. High School. Alton has been captain for three of the five games played, with their team winning four of the games.

Alton is not only doing outstanding work in athletics, but was one of four from his unit of the eighth grade making the honor roll the first six weeks. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Waldrop of Pecos.

## Marian Hays Elected Director of Callahan County Farmers Co-op.

Marian Hays became a director of the Callahan County Farmers Co-op when the organization held its Third Annual Stockholders meeting in Clyde Tuesday night. Mr. Hays, L. L. Farmer and T. J. Stoker were elected to the board to serve three year terms. The terms of W. M. Appleton, T. J. Stoker and L. L. Farmer were expiring. The new board of directors is now composed of J. A. McKee, T. J. Stoker, Joel Griffin, H. G. Broadfoot, L. L. Farmer, Marian Hays, A. J. Sharp, J. L. Farmer and E. A. Franke.

## Baird I.O.O.F. Lodge To Have Visitors

A large number of visiting Odd Fellows from lodges throughout this district and extending as far as Mineral Wells, will meet with the Baird lodge Tuesday evening, October 31, for a bi-district meeting.

Degree work will be performed by a staff of selected Odd Fellows from various lodges, and a special program has been arranged for the occasion. Local members will serve a chili supper following the program and receive the visiting Odd Fellows in true style.

## CLYDE LIONS CLUB TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE

The Clyde Lions Club will hold a rummage sale on November 18th and the money will be spent to give the school children a Christmas party. This was announced by Lion J. B. Paylor, president, when the Lions held their weekly meeting Tuesday evening. Lions will clean out their cellars and attics and bring forth everything that might be sold in the rummage sale. Beside giving the children a good time at the Christmas party, the adult population of Clyde will also have a lot of fun at the rummage sale.

Another worthwhile project being sponsored by the Clyde Lions is the planting of the ever-beautiful town. Lou Baker stated that the number of rose plants are limited and urged everyone to get their order in as soon as possible.

## DISTRICT MEETING OF CANCER SOCIETY

Cancer education work will be given a boost November 2, when the first annual meeting of District 13, Texas Division, American Cancer Society, will be held in Abilene.

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene and Fred Brown of Mineral Wells, district lay directors, made the announcement.

The morning session, open to the public, will take place from 10 until 11:45 a. m. There will be a luncheon—also open to all who make advance reservations with Mrs. Dudley—at 12 noon. In the afternoon there is to be a business session, open only to the society's workers.

Wooten Hotel is the place for the meeting.

Dr. Porter Brown of Fort Worth, a cancer specialist, will speak during the morning session. All club presidents, P-TA officers, health committee chairmen and other civic workers interested in health matters are especially urged to attend that meeting.

## CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR THOSE WHO WANT THE BEST

The time for sending Christmas cards will soon be here, and The Baird Star has its samples from which you may make your selection. The Star does not carry a big line of Christmas cards, but for those who want something especially nice to send their friends at Christmas time, you will find these cards by Burgoyne to be the very best. Printed with your name the prices range from \$5 to \$53 per hundred. Be sure to place your order soon, so they will be delivered to you in good time for mailing. See the samples today at the Baird Star office.

## GRAND JURORS CALLED FOR OCTOBER TERM

The following list of Callahan county citizens have been called to appear for grand jury service when 42nd District Court opens Monday, October 30th:

Fred Wylie, Rt. 2, Moran; Norman Coffey, Cottonwood; E. C. Appleton, Clyde; Blain Odom, Star Rt. 2; T. E. Baker, Clyde; Mark Burnam, Rt. 1, Cisco; Leonard Baum, Rt. 1, Cross Plains; Stewart Bentley, Putnam; Hiram Cook, Clyde Rt.; W. A. Nixon, Clyde; Fred Heyser, Rt. 4 Cisco; S. I. Freeman, Clyde; Weldon Edwards, Clyde Rt.; E. L. Dunlap, Baird; Irvin Corn, Baird; John D. Montgomery, Rt. 1, Cross Plains.

Another speaker during the day will be Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, state commander of the lay workers of the Texas Division, American Cancer Society. Her address probably will be given during the luncheon, Mrs. Dudley said.

State and district leaders of the society will join representatives of 21 West Texas counties at the meeting.

W. V. Roberts left early this morning for his old home at Longview, where he will visit his cousin, Mrs. Scott Huffman. He has not seen the old home place in 35 years. He plans to be away about a week.

Clip this Coupon, write in the name of your favorite Contestant, and deposit it in the ballot box, or mail it to The Baird Star.

FREE 10 VOTES FREE

For who is a contestant in THE BAIRD STAR SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST Must be voted before 6 p. m. Wednesday, November 1, 1950



Hospital Notes

Mrs. Lucien Webb, Abilene, was admitted the 22nd for medical treatment. Dan Jobe, Cisco, was a medical patient recently. C. C. Cutting, Merkel, was dismissed the 23rd after several days hospitalization. Mrs. Lee Horner, Abilene, is recovering nicely from recent surgery. Mrs. Cordelia Gabbert, Clyde, who was admitted the 20th, is feeling better. Mrs. M. D. Heist, Putnam, a

patient for several days, is improving. Mrs. Dave Poindexter, Cross Plains, underwent tonsillectomy the 19th. Mrs. Orah Wagner, Burkett, was dismissed the 25th after several days medical treatment. Mrs. R. B. Cunningham and infant daughter returned to home in Putnam the 24th. Both were doing fine. Mrs. Barry Bell, Cross Plains, was admitted the 22nd as a medical patient. Mrs. Odessa Ground, a surgical patient, is getting along nicely. Wade Walden, Abilene, was

admitted the 25th. Hubert Ross was admitted as an emergency patient the 25th. Mrs. Eugent Swinson, who was admitted the 24th, is reported resting fairly well. Mrs. A. P. Phillips, Eastland, was admitted Tuesday afternoon. Among recent dismissals are Mrs. Fred Heyser, Putnam; Mrs. R. F. Starr, Cisco Rt.; Mrs. G. R. Flippin; Mrs. Mae Brooks, Oplin; Mrs. G. H. Sadler and infant son; M. D. Sparks, Clyde; Joe Thomas Speagle, Cisco Rt.; William Royce Phillips, Eastland; Edwin Dickson; Sam Barnett, Cross Plains. B. W. Lofton is getting along very well.

Oplin Observations

Mrs. Loyd McWhorter and son, of Fort Worth, spent last week visiting relatives here. Loyd was here for the weekend. Harlan Turner of Odessa spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner. Mrs. Pat Johnson and Kay visited relatives in Dallas last week. They also attended the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Chess Barr and two granddaughters, Carolyn and Susan White, of Cross Plains spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straley and Freda. Mr. and Mrs. Euclid Gwin and Maurine, of Coleman, attended church, and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Windham and Paula Sunday.

Mrs. S. S. Harville visited her mother, Mrs. Bartley, in Waco last week. The Oplin basketball boys and girls played Elmdale last Thursday night. The Oplin girls won while the boys lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin and Sylvia had supper with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sublett in Abilene last Sunday night.

Mrs. E. L. Wood has as her guests Monday, her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Caperton of Abilene; her niece, Mrs. J. E. Stallings of Clyde; Mrs. T. H. Owens of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Lillie Swafford of Brownsville; Thurman Allman of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hughes, Mrs. Arville Woosely and daughter, Melba Ray; Mrs. Bob Neal of Baird.

Mrs. Joe McGowen spent several days recently with her sister, Mrs. Dee Davis, at Big Spring before going to Ira, Texas, to see her son, Hinds McGowen and family. She returned home last Thursday.

Midway Musings

Mrs. and Mrs. Griffin observed their 43rd wedding anniversary Sunday, October 22nd. Dinner guests were Mrs. H. C. Foy, Nancy and Jimmy, of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones, Richard and David, Betty Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Griffin, Tommy Joel and Gayle Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Nelson and the Otto Rogers family attended the dedication services at the Clyde Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parisher, Mr. and Mrs. Christian and Joel Griffin attended the program given by the Clyde Co-op Tuesday night.

Mrs. Gifford Rice and son, of New Bern, North Carolina, are visiting her mother, Mrs. R. W. Cook and Corky, who is home on a month leave from the Navy. It had been 5 years since Mrs. Rice had seen her brother. Corky will leave for San Francisco today after a very pleasant visit with home folks. He had the pleasure of seeing his six brothers and five of his six sisters.

Sunday guests of Mrs. R. W. Cook and the Reece Cook family at Midway were: Mrs. G. M. Rice and son, Gull, Jr., of Newbern, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook and baby of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Cook and family of Clyde; Corky Cook of the U.S. Navy; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook and children of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gibson of Baird; Pete Cook and children of Abilene.

TENSE DRAMA OF HUMAN EMOTIONS

Heralded as one of the most unusual romantic dramas ever to reach the screen, "My Foolish Heart," Samuel Goldwyn's new production for RKO Radio, stars Dana Andrews and Susan Hayward in the story of a wife who married just after she discovers that she is to have a child by another man.

After about seven years, the marriage hits the rocks. As Miss Hayward is preparing to leave with her child, she finds an old evening gown which brings back poignant memories of her boarding school romance with a young GI (Andrews), and his untimely death before they can be married. In desperation, she inveigles her school room-mate's fiancé (Kent Smith) into an immediate marriage, with nobody any the wiser regarding the parentage of her child. However, this emotional tangle ends on a note of future adjustment.

"My Foolish Heart" comes to the Plaza Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

Co-featured with Smith are Lois Wheeler as Miss Hayward's roommate, Jessie Royce Landis and Robert Keith as Miss Hayward's parents, and Gigi Perreau as the child.

This past weekend Charlie Stallings' four daughters and their families visited him. They are Mr. and Mrs. Allen McNeely and daughter, Jenny, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murr and daughter, Ann of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Herington and son, Stuart, of Mineral Wells, and Charley Stallings of Ft. Worth.

Callahan Abstract Co. Complete Abstracts to All Real Property Fire and Casualty Insurance Marion Vestal, Manager Raymond Young, Owner

MRS. RICKERSON HONORED

Mrs. Gilmer Hughes was host to a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Leslie Rickerson Monday evening, Oct. 23, at 7:00 p. m. Assisting as hostesses were Mrs. D. J. Anderson, Mrs. O. P. Thompson, Mrs. J. T. Bristow, Mrs. Fred Hart, Mrs. Hubert Ross, Mrs. Will V. Walls, Mrs. Spencer Price and Mrs. Fred Goble.

Lovely arrangements of marigolds were placed in the entertaining rooms.

Others present were Meses. Walter Head, Emmie H. McWhorter, L. A. Reese, Henry Caldwell, John Towler, E. Hardwick, D. C.

Cox, Marvin Hunter, Wes Patton, C. Z. Anderson, W. A. Robbins, Charlie Lawrence, W. E. Box, Bob Warren, J. A. Trowbridge, S. L. McElroy, Jim Allphin, Terrell Williams and J. S. Thompson.

Those represented by gifts were Meses. E. T. McBride, Mart Poindexter, Clarence Price, Eldon Vines, C. B. Young, Jr., Roy Gilbreath, Charlie Young, C. M. Campbell, Hugh Dickson, D. G. Mason, Louise Stiles, Roy D. Williams, M. C. Weed, Uthel Saunders, Dale Glasson, Billy Hall Walls, B. C. Chrisman, T. L. Hopkins, Harley Long, Lynn Ault, A. J. Pierson and Ben Ross.

DANCE

AT THE AMERICAN LEGION HUT Baird, Texas

SATURDAY NIGHT OCTOBER 28

8:00 'TIL 12:00 P. M.

MUSIC BY THE MELODY FIVE OF COLEMAN EVERYBODY WELCOME

Going Square Dancing?



Wear LEVI'S the ORIGINAL BLUE JEANS

You'll look right and feel right as you promenade and do-si-do, if you're wearing a pair of easy-fitting, good-looking Levi's—the original cowboy pants. Made of super-strong denim, copper riveted at all strain points, and stitched to stay. Cut with that snug, trim Western fit that can't be copied. There are lots of blue jeans, but there's only one Levi's. Look for the Red Tab on the back pocket.

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The Magic of BLACK!

Rayon Crepe, enhanced with all-over Lace insets. Sizes 9 to 17.

Appealingly priced \$10.95

MAYFIELD'S

Ring Out The Good News

In olden times - before the advent of the newspaper - the town crier could be heard ringing his bell and proclaiming news of the hour. Thus, the town folks could keep posted on events.

TODAY it is not necessary to have an old-fashioned town crier - we have more modern ways of doing such things. Nevertheless, there are some customs we might hold to in keeping our people on time for the various practices of the community. For instance, we might blow a whistle or ring a bell at certain hours, and thereby help everyone keep on time for work or lunch or other regular events of the day.



TO BE HELPFUL in this way, we have installed a whistle, which we will blow at 7 a. m., 8 a. m., 12 noon, 1 p. m., 3 p. m. and 5 p. m. We hope that everyone will appreciate the blowing of this whistle and find it to be beneficial to them as they go about their daily routine.

WE HOPE THAT IT WILL ALSO BE A PLEASING REMINDER that the Municipal Light Plant is inviting new customers and striving continuously to render better service. When you hear the blast of the whistle, think of us, and call us for service.

MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT

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# EDITORIAL

## WANTED — MORE PAVED STREETS

Baird is gradually getting a fine system of paved streets—just enough now to make residents want more streets paved. This is especially true since folks found out that the paving can be done within a reasonable price.

The highway department has been nice to Baird in laying so much pavement through town in the process of re-routing Highway 80. Beside the new highway, Baird has the old paved highway from Market Street westward, and the paved streets used for detour while the new highway was under construction. And then, there is Highway 183 north and south. One block was paved by property owners while the paving contractor was on the job here, that being on Arch Street connecting the old and new highways. Baird now has a total of 70 blocks of paved streets.

This is not saying the people of Baird have not paid for the pavement. We have paid but not directly. The pavement has cost Baird property owners via taxes in buying right-of-way and other costs that go with cooperating with the state. We have been fortunate in having the state to help foot the bill, and for this we are thankful. Some of the other cities along Highway 80 have refused to provide the right-of-way for the new highway, and are being by-passed. It remains to be seen which will profit the most—Baird by giving its cooperation, or the towns that preferred to save their money.

Baird is showing signs of progress by its new pavement and other modern improvements around town. It will soon gain the reputation of being the neatest, most progressive little town along the big highway. If this spirit doesn't pay off, we don't know what will.

Residents are asking for the pavement to be continued up their streets. Since the block between the churches on Arch Street has been paved, the property owners in the block immediately north of that block are asking for their block to be paved also. Now if the county will take care of its side of the street, there seems to be nothing to prevent the project's final completion. That block serves the courthouse, the hospital, as well as the residents on the other side of the street, and carries traffic to the schools. We venture to say, if this block is paved, other property owners up the street will carry the paving on through several more blocks. Every good thing is contagious, and once street paving gets underway, many blocks are constructed before the fever is cooled.

Here is a project for the Callahan County Club. The club has a committee on paving, and a committee on industry. The paving project would be fitting and proper for the action of either one of these committees.

## TO GIVE THE TOWN A BOOST

Several meetings ago the Callahan County Club appointed an industrial committee and gave it authority to act in whatever way it saw fit to bring industries to Baird. With the completion of Baird's new lake of water, the business men saw the benefits to the town that would be derived from small industries that can now be accommodated from the standpoint of having an ample water supply. With a lake that will give the town twice as much water as it needs through the summer months, there is every reason to believe that the town will grow and prosper. All that is then needed is for the people of the town to get busy and tell the advantages of their town and invite new people to become permanent residents and property owners of that town. Beside the increased business such a movement would bring into the town, the additional taxable property would help the older established property owners pay for the lake and other improvements.

The industrial committee took its first step a week ago and contacted almost every business firm to see how much could be raised monthly to finance the industrialization project. Most of the firms pledged \$10 per month, some less and some more. Some \$400 per month could be raised with this kind of contributions. The program can be carried on in a small way with this amount, and the club will do all it can to make the money go as far as possible. It would be so much better if each business firm could give twice that amount. Then we could see some quick benefits. There is one thing for sure in these times—you can't get something for nothing. And the benefits will always be in direct proportion to the amount of money and effort spent on any project.

The best things Baird has today were obtained by a movement similar to this one. At that time we built the courthouse, paved Market Street, and a number of other worthwhile things were secured. Without these things today, Baird would be way behind the times. As it is we are running abreast of the times. Baird began to grow and develop when citizens took steps to build a lake. It will continue to grow accordingly as we put forth an effort for progress.

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## Future Judge Got Start By Picking Callahan Co. Cotton, Carrying Mail

By BILL PEPPER



JUDGE J. R. BLACK

If there were any golden spoons laying around Spring Gap Mountain, waiting to be stuck in the mouths of babies in 1888, Judge J. R. Black never found one of them.

The 42nd District Judge was born there in that year, near what is now Admiral, in Callahan County. G. W. Black, the judge's father, moved there shortly after the civil war from East Texas, and set up farming on a small tract of land.

By the time Bob—that was the judge's name when a wiry youngster—got to be four or five, he rebought a grocery store at Admiral.

When Judge was only 11-years-old he had an attack of typhoid which lasted three months and everyone thought he would die. When he pulled out of that one, the judge was practically crippled for a time from the disease which had settled in his legs.

"Black's Grocery" is the only name the store was ever known by in those days. Wide grins facially punctuated the judge's recollection that "permanent names were hard to come by."

Young Bob alternated between work on the farm and work in the store for four or five years. But all the time he had his eyes on the county courthouse in Baird. Whenever he had time, he went there.

It was a hobby he didn't have "too much time for," but he liked it nonetheless. Judge guesses he's "always liked the law," and can't remember when he first got the idea to be a lawyer.

Then too, Judge added the star mail route to Rowden from the store at Admiral to his list of acquired duties. He covered the distance of ten miles on horse and buggy for two or three years.

Judge's sojourn at Cumberland College in Lebanon, Tenn., where he started a study of law, didn't last long. The funds Judge was putting himself through school on gave out at Christmas, and he had to come back home.

The judge figured his high school education at Scranton, from which he graduated in 1909, had given him enough learning to pass the bar exam. That's exactly what he did in 1910.

Judge was "lone wolfing it," and one of the most vivid cases he remembers from the early days of his practice was one in which a man from Snyder allegedly shot a brother-in-law.

Judge was called in as one of the defense attorneys, but it wasn't long before one of the prosecution witnesses was shot by a defense witness. Texas Ran-

gers were called in to guard against further deterioration in the case.

The case, which came off about 1917, involved some of the wealthiest of West Texans. Because of the people involved, and the family blood which had turned hot, it was one of the most celebrated of its time.

The witness who had been killed in the Sweetwater garage was a former sheriff. The man charged with the slaying was a former Ranger. The Texas Ranger who were posted around the courthouse in Baird, where the trial was transferred, intercepted a car near the courthouse and confiscated a bunch of guns.

Black himself was searched before he could enter the courthouse.

The case involved lawyers from Sweetwater, Waco, Snyder, Baird and Abilene. The defense finally got an acquittal but none of them rested easy about the guns packed by those who wanted to see him hung.

Judge Black married Ada Eubanks of Admiral in 1923, and to the union were born seven sons. J. R. Black, Jr., N. E. Black, Gordon Kimbell Black, Ray D. Black, twins Truitt and Truman, and Eugene.

Six of them served in the last war, and the youngest, Eugene, went in for a period right after his war. J. R. Jr. is following in his father's footsteps in the legal profession. He is with Scarborough, Yates, Scarborough

In his childhood Judge Black's slow easy drawl to which he goes along, refusing to be hurried, commands attention from those who have only first met him. To those who have known him longer, it commands respect.

For the judge is a judge who speaks once. He is not given to repeating. A feeling that he thinks before he speaks—even anticipates future thoughts—settles with his words.

That assumption is not wrong. Most of the time, Judge Black is found with a copy of "The Southwestern Reporter," or another book on cases, trying to "anticipate a case" which is coming up tomorrow, day after tomorrow, or next week.

Judge himself is proud of the fact that the law he learned wasn't in school. It was in a school surrounded by real live cases.

The study which has never stopped carried Judge Black from the post of county attorney

of Callahan County in 1912 to the seat of the county judge in 1918, to 42nd District Attorney in 1927, to 42nd District Judge in January of 1945.

Four death penalties were meted out while Judge Black was district attorney, but the cases which he says he worries about most are those involving child custody. Some of those cases, he says he takes home and to bed with him, and just can't seem to get them off his mind.

His words are phrased in simple logic. When it must be, Judge Black speaks in terms that only a lawyer can best interpret. Most times he speaks so you, or I, or the person next to us understands the first time.

With full knowledge of Judge's past experience as a prosecutor, he was asked if that affected any of his decisions. "That goes out of my mind when I try a case," he replied.

Miss Hazel Reynolds and Mrs. Glen Boyd left Monday for Lubbock for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Reynolds and children. They were accompanied home by Mrs. J. M. Reynolds, who had been visiting there.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton attended the Sunday evening services at Albany Methodist church, where Freda Carlton of Big Spring, was conducting a meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Altman of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eager and Miss Sarah Higgins Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Altman is a sister of Mrs. Eager and Miss Higgins.

## Tecumseh Topics

Wilma Arnor Tersely Told, Typographically Tended and Tolerably True.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armore Sunday were Mrs. Lona Schooley of Eldorado, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pierce and Sue of Oplin and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armore, Wilma and Margaret.

John Armore visited Ross Betcher Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Coughran and Betty visited relatives in Abilene Sunday evening.

Kathleen Chrane spent the weekend with Peggy Chrane of Potosi.

Arlan Barton of Baird visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barton Sunday.

W. E. Deavers of Clyde spent Saturday night with Robert Armore.

Relatives of Mrs. Margaret Howton and Mrs. Sarah Magill visited from New Mexico last week.

## 4-H CLUB MEETS TO ELECT OFFICERS

At our last club meeting we elected officers. Sallie Pierce was elected president; Nancy McIntyre, vice president; Donna Pierce, secretary - treasurer; Mary McGinnis, song leader and reporter; Jeanelle Wilkerson, recreational leader. Ginger Windham was the only new member we had. We discussed what we would do at our next club meeting. Freida Straley is our leader. Our last club meeting lasted thirty-five minutes.

Mrs. C. L. McCleary, Mrs. Lonnie Ray, and Mrs. R. V. Hart returned home Monday afternoon from a five day visit in Houston. Mrs. McCleary visited her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Hart, and Mrs. Ray's daughter, Mrs. J. E. Eatherly, and family.

Mrs. Fred Hollingshead and son, Fayne Hollingshead, were in Baird Monday.

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**LEGIONAIRES TO MEET IN BRECKENRIDGE**

BRECKENRIDGE — Delegates to the American Legion District 17 convention in Breckenridge November 4 and 5 will hear state officers and a congressman address business sessions. They will be entertained with a dance and a barbecue dinner, besides a stag smoker and informal coffee Saturday.

Main speakers for Legionaires Sunday will be Department Commander Bill Elkins, Department Adjutant G. Wood Moody, and Congressman Omar Burleson. Auxiliary members will hear Mrs. Minnie Lyle, state president.

At the memorial service on Sunday morning, the convention will have Department Chaplain Lester Cochran conducting, and Mrs. Grover C. Johnson of Wichita Falls is to speak.

Registration, expected to reach 450, will begin Saturday noon. Legionaires will have a stag party at the Legion House in the afternoon, while Auxiliary members have an informal coffee in the Burch Hotel Ballroom.

Saturday night the entire convention will dance to the music of Jack Free and his orchestra. Sunday's barbecue dinner will complete the entertainment, all of which is to be covered by the registration fee.

Convention chairman A. J. Buchanan announces that Breckenridge will be ready to handle a large crowd at this second district convention to be held here within the year. Bernice Coles Post 191 has completed its \$75,000 Legion Home in time for the convention.

District Commander Louis Jordan will preside at the Sunday afternoon business session of Legionaires. Mrs. Jordan, who is district president of the Auxiliary, will be in charge of the ladies' meeting at the same time, assisted by Daisy Carter, District Vice-President.

Eugene Thompson and J. R. Brewster are arranging hotel and housing reservations for the two-day meeting. Delegates may contact them for reservations.

**MRS. MARGIE RAY HOSTESS TO CLUB**

The Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club met October 18th in the home of Mrs. Margie Ray. Mrs. G. E. Rockey was co-hostess.

A full dinner consisting of foods prepared and served in Louisiana style was served to fifteen members and one honorary member of the club.

Mrs. Ray told of the foods and how they are prepared and served in Louisiana and Mrs. Rockey told of some of the famous eating places in that state.

The program consisted of "Facts By One Who Has Lived There," by Miss Helen Settle.

Members present were Mrs. J. L. Ault, Miss Bessie Mae Borden, Miss Edith Bowlius, Mrs. N. L. Dickey, Mrs. M. L. Gilliland, Mrs. C. M. Gunn, Mrs. Buster Hatchett, Mrs. Roland Nichols, Mrs. C. M. Peek, Mrs. Conley Pruitt, Miss Helen Settle, Miss Burma Warren, Mrs. J. V. Thompson, Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, honorary member and the hostesses.

**STUDY CLUB MEETS SUNDAY EVENING**

The "Our Lady of Fatima" study club met Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hagan in Clyde. This was the sixth meeting of the club and the lesson was Holy Communion. After a round table discussion, the following members were served coffee and cake: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Munson, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Siadous, Suzanne Siadous, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Dill, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hagan.

Mrs. Bruce Brown and daughter, Mary, visited Supt. and Mrs. Olaf G. South at Roscoe Sunday. While there they went through the new, modern elementary school.

Mrs. R. A. Elder of Big Spring was tending to business here Monday.

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In Our Home Town  
By Atrelle Dill

Heigh ho, and here we are deep in October with Halloween lifting its somewhat horrifying head just around the corner. And if you've taken note of the new latex masks the 1950 hobgoblins are sporting, you'll see what I mean. Most any day you can stroll down the street and meet anything from Felix the Cat and Porky Pig (the mildest of the lot) to an assortment of witch hags, and a variety of villains ranging from cut-throats to demonic monsters. At first it was startling (to say the least) to see a face from the rogue morgue being propelled down the sidewalk by about a four-year-old pair of legs, but now we think nothing of waving cheerily to Frankenstein and Dracula and saying "See yuh at Scout meeting." I don't really know whether this is good or bad. We're becoming so accustomed to seeing these monsters that King Kong himself could walk into the front door and we'd probably hand him a graham cracker and send him on his way.

We've had some requests to send a note to the Enterprise Home Demonstration Club, so here it is:

Dear Ladies: Your flower arrangement display at the County

Fair was lovely, but how, oh how, did you manage to keep your cut morning glories fresh and pretty even after two days? We've often thought morning glories would be beautiful flowers to decorate with, but ours usually look ready to cash in their chips five minutes after they are cut. If you'll pass on your formula, we'll gladly print it for Star readers.

Speaking of the County Fair—that noise you've been hearing is buttons popping from Girl Scout uniforms for the youngsters are certainly proud of the first prize ribbons awarded the Scout booth. Mrs. Hugh Ross and Mrs. Clark Edwards decorated the display space with girls and leaders adding the contents.

Here's a fella' to keep your eye on—Dub Bowlius, a very talented young man with pen, ink, and brush. Dub began cartoon and art work as a hobby and now finds he has a marketable product on his hands, or perhaps in his hands, describes it better. "Western Song Hits," a publication specializing in printing current along with short write-ups on composers and musicians, has contracted with Dub to do their illustrations. Dub has done drawings of Eddie Arnold, Roy Acuff, George Morgan, Tex Tyler, and a host of others which are already in print, others are in the making. Dub has an originality about his drawings that make them unique, and different from other cartoons which you may see. Although he is excellent in reproducing the physical likeness of his subject, Dub manages to catch, in line and in value of color, the personality of the person he sketches. It's a great gift, but then, Dub's a great guy and that's a combination that's bound to go places.

**Denton Doings**  
Jerry Whitley

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Keel of Brownwood visited relatives and friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jones and Don spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley and Jerry.

The Denton Valley school Halloween Carnival is to be held Monday night Oct. 30. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Davis' house of the Denton Valley community burned Sunday morning about 2 p. m. loosing everything but a few of their clothes.

The Denton Valley basketball girls and boys beat Eula for their second time this year Thursday night.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS MISS JEFFIE LAMBERT**

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Jeffie Lambert at her home Saturday afternoon, October 21st with her sister, Mrs. Roger Q. Evans of Denison and niece, Miss Donna Carter of Ft. Worth being the hostesses.

The house was beautifully decorated with flowers sent to her by friends. Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Evans and Miss Jeffie who was wearing a beautiful orchid corsage.

Her host of friends from out of town and in her home town brought and sent her many beautiful and useful gifts, cards, letters and telegrams.

The serving table in the hall was laid with an Italian cut work cloth and centered with a huge birthday cake decorated in yellow white roses. The crystal punch bowl was nestled among yellow dahlias. Miss Carter was at the table.

Calling hours were from two until six. There were more than 100 guests registered.

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**MONDAY** — Meat Loaf, Wax Beans, Lettuce Salad, Bread, Peanut Butter, Home Canned Peaches, Orange Ade.

**TUESDAY** — Steak and Gravy, Scalloped Tomatoes, Peach Half and Cheese Salad, Bread, Peanut Butter Cookies, Apple Sauce, Iced Cocoa.

**WEDNESDAY** — Kidney Beans, Spinach, Hard Boiled Eggs, Cabbage Slaw, Corn Bread, Brownies, Orange Juice.

**THURSDAY** — Bologna, Potatoes Au Gratin, Pea Salad, Cheese, Cherry Pie, Chocolate Milk.

**FRIDAY** — Macaroni and Cheese, Cut Green Beans, Mixed Vegetable Salad, Buttered Rolls, Ice Cream, Orange Juice.

#### EIGHTH GRADE

Following is the honor roll for the first six-week period. The roll is composed of pupils with an average of 90 in all subjects with no mark lower than 80 in any subject.

John Bullock, Robert Corn, Howard Dickson, Lee Huddleston, Fain McWilliams, Leslie Nichols, Charles Young, Danna Elliot, Marilyn Gilliland, Betty Goosby, Rosalind Monzeillo, Carolyn Nichols, Wanda Shelnutt, Susie Siadous, Elizabeth Snyder, Virgie Stevenson.

#### SPORTS NEWS

Last Friday night the Baird Bears traveled to Moran to play the Moran Bulldogs. Moran kicked-off to Baird and the big game had begun. Baird did not keep the ball long until

Moran had it for four plays, then Baird got possession of the ball and moved steadily for three plays and then Randal Ivy went around right end for the first touchdown of the game. Kyle Meadows kicked the extra point. This made the score 7-0 in the last of the first quarter.

In the second quarter Baird got a 15 yard penalty for unnecessary roughness and this put the ball on the 1 yard line for Moran and from here Moran made their first touchdown, but failed to get their extra point. Baird was still ahead by 1 point. The score was 7-6 in our favor.

During the third quarter the teams did not make any big gain. Both teams couldn't muster a scoring drive.

In the fourth quarter Baird got the ball on the 30 yard line and moved steadily on down the field for about 20 yards and then Moran got a 15 yard penalty for a personal foul. This put the ball on the one yard line for Baird and Chatham made the touchdown on a quarterback sneak. Kyle Meadows kicked the extra point. This made the score 14-6 in the Bear's favor. And there was only about 3 minutes to play and the score remained the same.

Summary for the game

	Baird	Moran
Yds. Gained	142	66
Yds. Lost	26	22
Passes Attempted	4	6
Passes Completed	0	2
First Downs	8	4
Fumbles	2	1
Penalties	3 for 25	5 for 35

Supt. K. H. Rowland reports that the net receipts from the Moran football game amounted to \$79.84.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter, Sr., of Bandera visited their son, Marvin Hunter, from Thursday until Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Bearden left Saturday to spend the weekend with her husband, who is ill in a Ft. Worth hospital.

### SAVINGS—The Basis of Progress

Whether it's a railroad, telegraph, telephone, or electric light and power line. Whether it's a big or small store, industrial plant or just a modest town house or farm home, the money behind it is savings.

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### Putnam Personals

Mrs. W. D. Fleming  
 Pertinent Paragraphs  
 Pertaining To Putnam People

Mr. Lonnie McCool of Fort Worth has been visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pete King.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petty had the misfortune of loosing their home and contents by fire this week. Mrs. Petty will be remembered as a sister of Douglas Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Kansas are visiting with Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Gladys Wall. Mrs. Wilson of Kansas is also visiting with Mrs. Wall and family.

Friends of Mrs. Lella Karr regret hearing of her misfortune in loosing her home by fire Wednesday. The house and contents were a total loss.

Miss Pat Fry spent the weekend in Abilene visiting with Miss Aura Frances Waddell who is attending Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham are the proud parents of a baby daughter, born October 21, named Wanda Mae.

Miss Patty Williams of Hardin-Simmons University is home visiting her family, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Brown and son of Jal, N. M. are visiting with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bently and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Price and son, Wayne, of Putnam were meeting friends here Saturday.

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Visitors Welcome

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BAIRD LODGE

NO. 522 A. F. & A. M.

Meets Saturday night,

on or before each full moon.

7:30 P. M.

Members are urged to attend,

visitors welcome.

P. E. Dungan, W. M.

J. Brice Jones, Sec'y.



PRESBYTERIAN LADIES ENTERTAINED AT CLYDE

Mrs. C. A. Poston of Clyde entertained the Baird Presbyterian Missionary Society at her beautiful new home in northwest Clyde at 3 p. m. Monday. After a sing-song, Mrs. Sam Smith led the opening prayer. During the business meeting, it was decided to have a Bazaar November 17 and 18. Mrs. Sallie Eastham read the scripture lesson and Mrs. R. L. Alexander gave a very interesting talk on Women of the Bible. The Lord's Prayer was given at the close of the meeting.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. R. L. Alexander, James Asbury, Harry Berry, Sallie Eastham, H. N. Ebert, R. L. Elliott, Lee Estes, Willie Barnhill, E. C. Fulton, V. F. Jones, J. A. Jackson, Bessie Pass, Mary Kehler, E. B. Mullican, Sam Smith, Joe McGowen, W. P. Haley, E. J. Hill, Edna Yonge, Hazel Johnson, Harold Ferguson, M. D. Horner of Dallas, Richard Danielson, Harley McGaugh of Clyde, and Carol and Ivy Lea Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell spent last weekend in Ft. Worth visiting their children and their families, the Rouses, Freeland, and Scarpellis. While they were away they attended the State Fair at Dallas and also celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary, October 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook and children have recently moved from the Midway community to their new farm home at Hamilton.

TO KEEP THE TOWN UP TO TIME

The employees at Municipal Light Plant have installed a whistle at the plant which is sounded off at 7 a. m., 8 a. m., 12 noon, 1 p. m., 3 p. m. and at 5 p. m. People of the town have been hearing the blast of the whistle during the past few days and are already aware of its purpose. For working people who begin their days work at 7 or at 8 o'clock, the whistle is a real help. It helps local people take the noon hour on time, and when it blows at 3 and at 5 it helps them stop their work before it runs into overtime. Many people have expressed their appreciation for the timely reminder of the hour of day. Elsewhere in this issue of The Starr the Municipal Light Plant's ad gives another good reason for blowing the whistle and that is to remind the citizens of Baird that Municipal Light Plant is at all times ready and anxious to serve them. When you hear the whistle, remember, it is a gentle reminder that Municipal Light Plant invites new customers and appreciates the old customers.

CALLAHAN GIVEN WILDCAT LOCATION

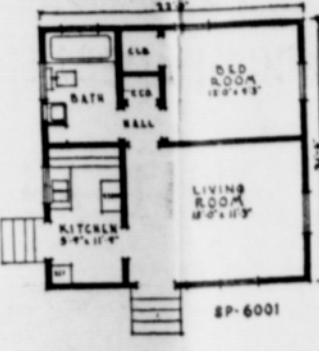
J. M. Hickey & Sons, Fort Worth, will drill the Callahan operation, a 2,500-foot test two miles north of Elmdale, as No. 1 Wendell Foreman, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 29, BAL survey.

Mrs. Perry Hughes spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hearn at Ft. Worth.

Low Cost "House of the Month"



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NEWS ITEMS MUST BE SIGNED

The Baird Star has received a number of news items recently that were left out of the paper because the sender failed to sign his or her name. The name will not be published, but the news item must be signed if they are mailed to us. We appreciate the news that is sent in by mail. Friends of The Star are helping in this way to make this a better newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Massey of Roscoe visited their cousins, the Gunn sisters, Sunday afternoon.

Don Phillips of the U. S. Navy, stationed in Hawaii, visited in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips of Clyde, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Big Lake visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips during the past week.

Mrs. John McGowen left Tuesday for a visit with her son, Dr. M. Thaxton McGowen and family at Quanah.

Mrs. C. W. Avery of San Antonio is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. L. Wood and her brother, Floyd Wood. Mrs. Avery will be remembered as Pauline Wood.

Dr. and Mrs. Jim. T. Lawrence of Cisco, with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thompson, spent the weekend in Dallas.

REMEMBER THE DATE OF PRESBYTERIAN BAZAAR

Ladies of the Presbyterian Church are asking everyone to remember the date of their Bazaar and Cooked Food Sale which will be held at Parsons Electric Shop on Friday and Saturday, November 17 and 18. The sale will begin each day at 9 a. m. and continue until the food is sold out. Coffee and sandwiches will also be sold, and everyone is invited to attend.



CHARLIE KEESE McMurry Tackle

TRIBE TACKLE — Charlie Keese will play for the McMurry College Indians in their game against the Austin College Kangaroos in Abilene's Fair Park Stadium Saturday night, October 28. It will be McMurry's last home game until the finale with Southwestern November 17.

MRS. FOY'S NEPHEW ADMITTED TO POLIO WARD

Sidney Jack West, son of Mrs. Jack Dawson West of Midland and nephew of Mrs. Sidney Foy of Baird, was taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital polio ward in Abilene last Friday afternoon, September 11. Jack's father died of polio in the Hendrick hospital. Another polio suspect was also admitted to the hospital Friday evening. She was Mrs. Joe Anttille, 23, of Route 5, Abilene.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield left Wednesday morning for Denver, Colo., to visit their son, Dr. Robert Stubblefield and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walker of Ft. Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Walker, at Admiral the past weekend.

Gerald Dallas, student at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dallas, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ray and sons, Britt and Kirk, of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence made a business trip to Dallas the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Banks at Snyder.

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 31

The annual Halloween Carnival will be held at the Baird High School on Tuesday evening, October 31, at 7:00 p. m.

The program will begin promptly at 7:00 in the high school gymnasium. There will be a spooky one-act play given by the Dramatics Club under the able directorship of Mrs. John Bowlus, and the Coronation ceremony in a fitting harvest setting for the queen of the carnival.

After the program, the booths of the various classes and clubs will open for the entertainment of the patrons of the school. There will be pie walks, cake walks, hot dogs, coffee, cold drinks, bingo, ring games, House of Horrors, freak show, fish pond and almost everything which one connects with Halloween Carnivals. Come and eat with the Seniors and enjoy a full evening of fun and entertainment. Admission will be 20 and 35 cents.

CARD OF THANKS

October the twenty-first day happened to be my birthday. My many friends came from far and near to bring gifts and greetings of good cheer. So please accept this as a "Thank You" note as I could never get them "wrote." Signed Miss Jeffie Lambert

CARD OF THANKS

To the good people of Baird and especially the staff of Callahan County Hospital, who were so kind to me during our mothers last illness, we say thanks from the bottom of grateful hearts.

The Nabers Children  
Glenda Yeager spent the past weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burleson. Glenda's many friends were happy to see her home again. She is in the polio ward at Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

Marquata McQueen was dismissed from the polio ward at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, Wednesday of last week. Her many friends are glad to welcome her home after several months illness. She is the daughter of Mrs. C. H. McQueen.

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BLACK'S

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By Mary Lee Taylor

Cranberry Slaw

3-oz. pkg. white cream cheese 1/2 cup fresh cranberries  
1 teaspoon salt 2 cups chilled, shredded cabbage  
1/2 cup Fat Milk 1/2 cup chilled, diced celery  
1 tablespoon vinegar

Put cheese, salt and pepper into bowl and mash. Stir in milk gradually. Add vinegar. Beat until smooth. Chill. At serving time, wash cranberries, then dry on towel. Chop, or put through medium knife of food chopper. Fold into mixture of cabbage and celery. Mix well with the chilled dressing. Makes 4 servings.

\*Diced, fresh apple can replace celery.

You Will Need:

Pet Milk, Fresh Cranberries, White Cream Cheese, Apples and Vinegar.

PET MILK 2 tall cans 25c

Fresh Cranberries 1 lb. bag 25c

Washington Delicious Apples, lb. .... 12 1/2c

Heinz Cider Vinegar, qt. .... 23c

KIMBELL'S CHILI, No. 2 can ..... 59c

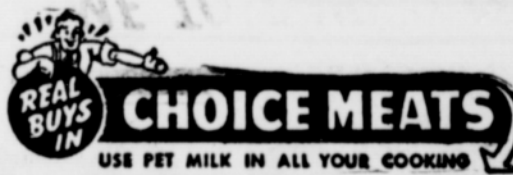
KIMBELL'S TAMALES, No. 2 can 23c

SUPREME CRACKERS, 2 lb. box . 45c

DIAMOND TOMATOES, 2 for ..... 25c

HEMET — WHOLE SPICED PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 can . 21c

WELCH'S FAMILY SIZE GRAPE JUICE, jar ..... 39c



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