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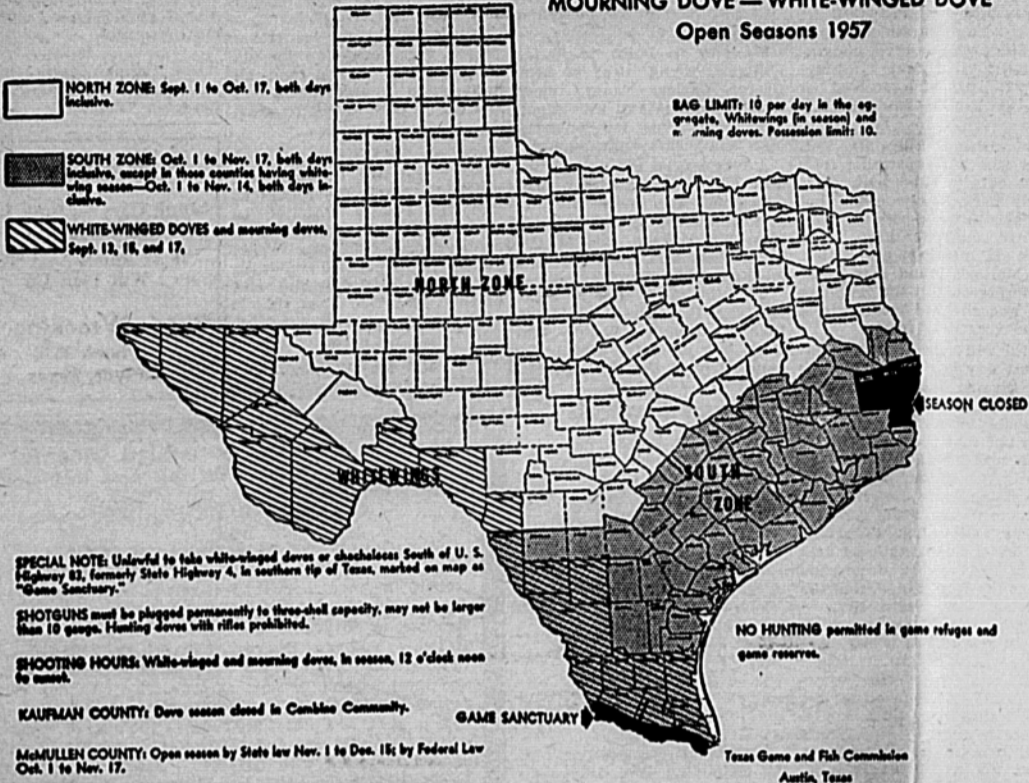
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SUPPORT OUR HOME TOWN

MOURNING DOVE — WHITE-WINGED DOVE Open Seasons 1957



6,000 Attend Baird Rodeo

More than 3,500 persons were on hand Saturday night for the final performance of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse All-Colored Rodeo, making a total of some 6,000 for the two-night performance.

Specialty acts seemed to be the main attraction of the show, with wild applause for "Toro" Watermelon. Contestants in this event were seated in the arena eating watermelon when wild bulls were turned loose in the arena. The contestant who could stay the longest was the winner. Two contestants were tied in the event Friday night, but no contestant could stay seated in the Saturday night show.

Also well received were Alex Alexander, comedy bull fighter who has appeared many times in regular Posse shows, and the Rock 'N Roll session, starring "Wide-Mouth" Brown.

Friday night winners were: Watermelon - Eaters — James Boone of Bay City and Freddie Richardson of Houston, tied for first.

Bareback Bronc — Oscar Gates of Richmond
Saddle Bronc — L. C. Matthews of Houston
Calf Roping — Warner Robinson of Temple
Steer Wrestling — L. C. Matthews of Houston

Bull Riding — Sherman Richardson of Richmond.
Saturday night's results were:

Bareback Bronc Riding — George Thorn of Houston.
Calf Roping — Warner Robinson of Temple
Saddle Bronc Riding — C. L. Matthews of Houston
Steer Wrestling — James Boone of Markham

Bull Riding — Sherman Richardson of Richmond.
These licenses are available from wardens and other authorized license dealers throughout the state.

John H. Weeks Rites Held At Putnam

Funeral for John Henry Weeks, 77, retired farmer was held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday at the Putnam Methodist Church with a large gathering of relatives and friends present. Rev. T. G. Craft, Baird Methodist Church pastor, officiated.

Mr. Weeks died at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the Callahan County Hospital after a long illness. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Weeks, early settlers from the Admiral community.

Born near the Belle Plain community May 27, 1880, Mr. Weeks lived in Putnam most of his life. He was married to Jannie Harwell in 1909. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Burial was in Putnam Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

His only daughter, Dollie Faye Jordan, died more than a year ago.

Surviving are his wife; one brother, George of Putnam, two sisters, Mrs. Walter Williams of Putnam and Mrs. Ida Lincecum of Arlington; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Sam Hedrick, Steward Bently, Glenn Thames, Elton White, Alton White, R. B. Taylor and Charles Odom.

Baird Football Schedule Changed

Due to the fact that Lueders has dropped 11-man football to take up 6-man ball, the Baird Bears have had to change their schedule.

The Moran game, originally scheduled for Nov. 1, has been moved up to October 11. Aspermont has replaced Moran in the Nov. 1 spot. Baird will journey to Aspermont for the contest.

RIFLE SHOOT TO BE HELD SATURDAY AT LEGION HUT

The American Legion Rifle School will be held at the Legion Hut Saturday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. All boys and girls in this area are cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE

Baird Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet at 8 p. m. Thursday, Sept. 5 at the high school for a public hearing on the 1957-58 budget.

Secretary of the Board.

AUSTIN — It's time to drag the shotgun from the corner in the closet and wipe off the lint. The 1957 shooting season will begin Sunday noon, Sept. 1, for mourning dove in the north zone, according to the director of law enforcement of the Game & Fish Commission.

Thirty days later the season will open in the south zone. The seasons extend: north zone, Sept. 1 to Oct. 17 inclusive; south zone, Oct. 1 to Nov. 17, inclusive.

The white wing season has been authorized for the Rio Grande Valley area for Sept.

13, 14 and 17. The dove bag limit is 10 per day, with 10 in possession. Shooting is allowed from noon until sunset.

Under federal and state regulations, all shotguns must be plugged to three-shell capacity. Shooting from vehicles or across the highways is prohibited.

The director issued warning to shooters to make arrangements with land owners for their hunts. Three East Texas counties, Jasper, Tyler and Newton, will have no open season. In a local bill, these counties were excluded from the general laws and a special season was set up. This special season is in conflict with the federal laws.

Reports from all over the state indicate the largest dove crop in years. It is estimated that some 600,000 whitewings will be available for the Valley hunt.

Mourning doves are plentiful now in every area. Unless there is a drastic change in weather conditions before Sept. 1, they are expected to remain in the local areas. Cooler weather or rains could change this condition. Water hole shooting also can be affected greatly, especially if heavy rains fill new water holes, providing too much water in various areas where food is available.

"Every safety precaution should be used," the director said. "Hunting season usually brings on several accidental deaths, due entirely to carelessness."

He also warned that all persons between the ages of 17 and 65 need licenses when hunting outside their home counties. These licenses are available from wardens and other authorized license dealers throughout the state.

Plans Being Made To Begin Classes

Representatives from Cisco Junior College will be in Clyde Thursday, September 7, at 7:00 p. m. to talk to prospective students interested in the Clyde Extension Program. This program is being offered in the building formerly occupied by West Texas Utilities Company.

Classes will meet three or four nights each week, depending on the demand. Each class will meet one night of the week for two hours and forty minutes. Tuition for one course is \$20.00; two courses, \$35.00, and three courses \$45.00. Students who are employed during the day will be allowed to take a maximum of three courses.

Inquiries concerning the program indicate that several or all of the following courses will be offered: accounting, freshman English, business math, American history, government and algebra.

These courses are approved under the Korean Veteran Program and are open to veteran and non-veteran. The first formal class meeting will be September 16, 1957.

SCHOOL MENU

Wednesday, Sept. 4 — Roast beef and gravy, baked potatoes, salad, bread, peach cobbler and milk.

Thursday, Sept. 5 — Meat Loaf, blackeye peas, whole kernel corn, sliced fresh tomatoes, bread, ice cream and milk.

Friday, Sept. 6 — Fried Fish, creamed potatoes, English peas, lettuce and tomato salad, milk and cookies.

All meals are 25c including milk, with choice of plain or chocolate flavor. Additional milk may be had for 2c per carton.

LITTLE LEAGUERS WIND UP SEASON WITH TWO WINS

Baird Little Leaguers closed out the season last Thursday night here with a win over Gorman, 8-6. Jackson, Barnes and Windham were batteries for the game.

Thursday night, Aug. 15, the Little Leaguers journeyed to Gorman, winning this game 12-2. Barnes and Windham were Baird batteries.

Ed Davis, Admiral, Dies Thursday

Edmund Davis, 79, resident of the Admiral community for the last 76 years, died Thursday at 4:15 p. m. after a brief illness. A retired farmer, he was born Dec. 29, 1877 in Mississippi, and moved to Admiral at the age of three. He married Annie Jones in 1907 at Admiral.

Funeral for Mr. Davis was held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the Admiral Baptist Church, of which he was a member. Rev. Roy O'Brien of Big Spring officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Henry Causey, former Admiral pastor, and Rev. Ted Johnston, present pastor.

Burial was in Admiral Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Survivors include his widow; one daughter, Mrs. M. H. Joy of Baird; one brother, J. C. Davis of Portales, N. M.; two sisters, Mrs. Albert Smith of Grand Prairie and Mrs. R. B. Harris of San Antonio; three grandsons and one great granddaughter. Pallbearers were Joe, Qlin and Walter Jones, Bill Hatcher, Milton Shelton, J. D. Cauthen, Roy Higgins and Joe Higgins.

LITTLE LEAGUERS' PARTY

Wallie Harris and Richard Windham hosted a party Monday evening, Aug. 26th for Little League Baseball Team No. 2. The affair was held in the backyard of the J. T. Loper home.

The team presented their manager, Vance Stephenson, with a gift.

Five members of this team were selected for the All-Star Team.

COKE PARTY HONORS MRS. LESLIE NICHOLS

A Coke party Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. N. L. Diekey, honored Mrs. Leslie Nichols of Austin. Mrs. Nichols is the former Beverly Konczak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Konczak.

Informal decorations of garden flowers were used throughout the house. School friends from Clyde and Baird attended the party.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Duncan of Sundown visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price and other friends here over the week end.

Ex-Baird Woman Dies At Fort Worth

Mrs. Manie L. Halley, 84, of Fort Worth, former Baird resident and sister of Lowney Bibb of Baird, died Wednesday night in a Fort Worth rest home after a short illness.

Mrs. Halley, a native of Columbus, Miss., resided in Baird before moving to Fort Worth. She was a member of the Baptist Church and wife of the late M. R. Halley who was County Surveyor of Callahan County for many years.

Funeral was held in Fort Worth Friday morning and the body was brought to Baird for graveside rites at 2:30 p. m. Friday at Belle Plain Cemetery.

Other survivors include a son, Henry, of Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. W. C. Perry of Fort Worth; five grandchildren, one great-grandchild and several nieces and nephews including Mrs. Clifford Curtis of Baird.

Mrs. Velma Ingram Dies At Putnam

Mrs. Velma Ingram, 78, died at 6 p. m. Thursday at the home of her son, Steward Bently, in Putnam.

Mrs. Ingram, who was born Feb. 13, 1879, in Kentucky, came to Texas when she was a child and had resided in Callahan County since 1908. She had been living with her son since her husband, Frank Ingram, died Dec. 29, 1939.

She was a longtime member of the Putnam Methodist Church. Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Friday at the Scranton Methodist Church. Burial was in the Scranton Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Survivors are the son; one daughter, Mrs. W. D. Brown of Coachella Valley, Calif.; three step-daughters, Mrs. Jess Haradin of Eastland, Mrs. Ben Matthews of Eastland and Mrs. Barbara Woods of Amarillo; one step-son, Miles M. Awalt of Longview; three brothers, John and Lester Fleming, both of Cisco, and Edward Fleming of Maple; 11 grandchildren, 31 great grandchildren, and five great great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Ray Hickman of Slaton is visiting relatives here this week.

Roy K. Blakely Dies Suddenly

Funeral services for Roy K. Blakely, 55, who died Friday of a heart attack in Callahan County Hospital, were held at 3 p. m. Sunday in Wylie Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Herbert G. Markley, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, officiated, assisted by Rev. T. G. Craft, pastor of the Baird Methodist Church. Burial was in Ross Cemetery, under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Mr. Blakely operated a welding shop here, and was a lifelong resident of Callahan County.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spike Blakely; one brother, Wallas, of Odessa; one sister, Lillie (Sig) Blakely of Baird. Pallbearers were C. B. Snyder, Howard Barton, Oran Warren, James Dyer, A. E. Dyer Jr., Earl Blakely, Frank Cunningham and Lee Ivey.

Legion Elects New Officers

The American Legion Post No. 82 met for a regular business meeting Tuesday night. After the business session, an election of post officers was held.

Newly elected officers are: Commander — George Warren
1st Vice-Com. — Charles Hounschell
2nd Vice-Com. — Gene Finley
3rd Vice-Com. — James Eubanks
Adjutant — Orlan Barton
Sgt.-at-Arms — M. M. Caldwell
Chaplain — Rev. Markley
Service Officer — B. H. Freeland
Asst. Service Officer — Darrell Young
Historian — Tom Ivey
Medical Officer — Dr. Leland Jackson
Child Welfare — Glenn Green. The new officers are to be installed at the next meeting on Sept. 10. All Legion members are urged to be present.

BLOOD NEEDED!
For David Stanley, Type A Positive. Contact Bobby Stanley at Wylie Funeral home.

Gridders Start Practice Monday

Football began Monday morning with 29 hopeful turning out. Practice is being held twice daily at 7:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. according to Coach H. R. Jefferies.

The first scrimmage session was held Wednesday afternoon with Cisco. Jefferies said that the offense was led by Norman Smith and Roger Corn in the backfield. Jimmy Barnes sprained an ankle in the Wednesday morning workout and was held out of play. He will be ready by Sept. 6 for Cross Plains. Gary Gilliland likewise was held out because of his injured foot.

Robert Suniga suffered a broken nose with Cisco, but is expected to be able to play in the Cross Plains game.

Leonard Payne, Terry Joy, Johnny Rodriguez, Buddy Maxwell and Bobby Curtis looked good on defense against Cisco. As for freshmen, Tabor Bearden and Mike Odom showed favorably. Bill Edwards and Larry Corn also looked good on offense.

The team takes to the field in another scrimmage session again Friday against Ranger at 4 p. m. in the Bear's Den.

Quarterback Club Hold First Meeting

Baird Quarterback Club met Tuesday night at the Cafeterium to elect new officers for the coming year. Seventeen were present for the meeting.

New officers elected are: Arthur Young, President; Ray Black, 1st Vice President; Lowell Boyd, Secretary. New directors are Jackie Corn, L. C. Cash and Lynn Ault. Hold-over directors are Garvin Jones, Vance Stephenson and Ray Black.

After the election of officers, Coach Jefferies showed a film of the last year's Texas-TCU football game.

NOTICE!
Miss Estelle Freeland will speak at the Sunday night service, 8:00 p.m. at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Matson and children of Pampa returned to their home this week after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Dunlap Jr. and family.



Top row, left to right: Joaquin Abernathy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy; Carley Carrico, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carrico; Kathy Reeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeves. Second row: Pansy Tedford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Tedford; Byron Ray and Delores Jean Arnold, children of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Arnold; Jerry Nettles, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nettles. Third row: Sharon Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Scott; Jeri and Craig Pruet, children of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet; Rena Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Black. Fourth row: Wesley Leon Kanady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanady; Barbara Jo Gilliam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilliam; Shelia Kay Smedley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smedley.

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FOR SALE — Air conditioner pads, fittings, floats, hose pumps, copper tubing, belts, etc. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas 21-tf-c

OIL PRODUCING royalties wanted. Write full details. G. M. Howard, Box 2436, Wichita Falls, Texas. 28-8-p

NOTICE TO PARENTS
I would like to stress the importance of your knowing where your youngsters are with .22 rifles. I lost a fine calf last Thursday, shot with a .22, just south of town across the RR tracks. Please keep your youngsters with rifles out of my place. Thanks. Dale Brown.

FOR RENT — Attractive 4-rm. apartment, in back of Lawrence Drug Store. See C. W. Sutphen for key. Ph. 24 or 36. 34-tf-c

LOST — Sunday night, a billfold containing \$5, driver's license, social security card, etc. Finder keep money but return card to Joe Lynn Ault, Jr., Baird Star.

FOR SALE — Venetian blinds size 29x60, in good condition. A bargain. See Mrs. Connie Brown. 35-1-p

LOST — 7 keys on chain Wednesday afternoon. Finder please bring to Star office. 35-1-c

FOR SALE — 3,000 cu. ft. Air cond. \$35.00; 5-horse Elgin outboard motor \$30.00; Tape Recorder, \$30.00; Electric Lawn Mower \$15.00; Couch \$20.00; Typewriter \$10.00; China Closet \$15. Phone 71. 35-tf-c

TO GIVE AWAY — One Female dog and ten puppies, 8 males and 2 females. 524 Girard. 35-1-p

FOR RENT — 4-room furnished apartment. Mrs. M. L. Neithercutt, 341 W. 6th. 35-1-c

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FOR SALE — 4-drawer chest, reasonable. Mrs. W. T. Payne, Phone 208. 35-1-c

I will be in Baird Thursday, Friday and Saturday to sell items of household goods belonging to the late C. L. Stallings. Mildred Herrington. 35-1-p

NOTICE — I have added a complete Welding Service to my Radiator Shop. Both Arc and Acetylene. Coley's Automotive Repair. Ph. 138. 35-tf-c

Soil Conservation District News . . .

John D. Isenhower has about 12 acres of Sorghum Alum on his ranch south of Putnam. He plans to harvest seed from this grass in the near future.

The grass was planted in May of this year and has grown off extremely well. Mr. Isenhower is well pleased with his Sorghum Alum and plans to seed several acres next year.

W. T. Moore has cut and shocked about three acres of Sorghum Alum on his farm 1 1/2 miles northeast of Eula. He plans to thresh seed from these bundles. These seed will be used to plant several acres to this new grass next year.

C. L. Brandon has about 40 acres of Blue Panic and 22 acres of Sorghum Alum growing on his farm east of Putnam. These grasses were seeded this past spring and have made excellent growth.

Many farmers are now making preparation for the seeding of fall and winter cover crops. Vetch and winter peas will be used in most instances, either with or without small grain. The cover crops will be seeded to protect the land against wind and water erosion and as soil conditioning crops.

Vetch and winter pea seed are available from most of our local seed dealers.

Hospital News . . .

The following are patients in Callahan County Hospital:
Mrs. Perry Hughes
Fred Farmer
Mrs. J. W. Shelton
A. L. Price
Dr. H. H. Ramsey
Molton Simms
Mrs. J. R. Cowen
S. P. Sprouse
Fred Wristen
Mrs. May Sunderman

Mrs. Olin Jones
Mrs. Grover Berry
Recently dismissed are:
Mrs. S. L. Canada
Mrs. D. F. Tollett
A. L. Hock
R. C. Speegle
Darrell Young
Sharon Kay Jarrett
Mrs. S. M. Eubank
Mrs. Edna Yonge
Mrs. Bell Fulton
Mrs. Lee Henson
Mrs. Beatrice Deal

Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford
Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stanley, Mrs. Melvin Betcher and Sharon visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford and baby in Arlington the past week.

The Dolph Hodges family planned to leave Sunday afternoon for Temple where Dolph will enter the hospital for surgery, scheduled Monday or Tuesday.

Recent visitors in the Hodges home were Mrs. Flora Mae Bailey of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Chess Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell, Mrs. Beacher Smith of Mrs. Darcus Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hodges and children and L. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Crawford of Denton Valley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod, of Abilene, visited Sunday in the L. V. Harris home. Joe Charles Crawford, of Abilene, has been visiting the past few days with the Harrises.

CARD OF THANKS
Had God not blessed us with the most magnificent friends on earth, life could become unbearable. Thank you for your physical and spiritual aid when we needed you and may each of us always remember to love, understand and give ourselves to the fullest capacity.
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SWEET AND SOUR

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and Arkansas for shows there. Mrs. Cap Rich, of Richmond, was a visitor here in Baird last week to see the All-Colored Radio. Mrs. Rich is Marianne Estes' mother.

Roberta Ross put on cap and gown last week to receive her Masters degree in education at ACC. Congratulations.

Congratulations too, to Miss Isadore Grimes who received her Masters from Hardin-Simmons. Another who deserves congratulations is Loraine (Shine) Henry Griffith, who received her M.A. at Hardin-Simmons last week.

Best wishes to Billye Mae Bollinger who is recuperating from major surgery. She isn't completely back in the swim, but she's able to straw-boss the work on her mother's new home which is nearing completion. Mrs. Maltby's brand new house is being erected in the Bollinger yard and she will move into it in the very near future.

Baird will gain another family just any day now when the Roy Higgins family moves in from Admiral. They haven't completely decided on the new home but that should be settled in the next few days.

The offices in our high school are getting more luxurious by the moment. Both the superintendent and principal's offices have lovely custom tailored drapes to add to the decor and protect the furnishings from the blistering West Texas sun.

Freddie Foy is visiting relatives in Midland as a last fling before school begins Tuesday.

That smile on E. B. Posey's face is due to the fact that his band is shaping up into one of the largest and best ever. You'll watch them in action September 6th at the first football game of the season (that's in Cross Plains, remember) and also September 9th at the West Texas Fair parade in Abilene.

Mrs. Simmons, on old highway west of town, would have you know that she's looking for a home for a wire-haired fox terrier and a chihuahua, both young dogs but not puppies.

Congratulations to Marilyn Gilliland voted queen of the Callahan County Fair Bureau — a high honor for a lovely girl.

Mack and David Sutphen have been entertaining some special guests — they — for a week.

Eager's youngsters, and all of them enjoying themselves immensely.

Rosalyn and Bill Dunlap have had guests this week — the Matson children.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Anderson are preparing to travel this week — way up to Iowa to visit daughter Reba Jane and family.

It has been an especially fine week for Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield — son, Dr. Bob and his family have been here for a visit, also daughter Frances and Jack Bishop, all of Dallas.

Welcome to Baird to Nancy Williams, young niece of Mrs. George Carille. Nancy comes from Oklahoma and will attend school here this fall, entering high school as a sophomore.

A very special get-well to our dear friend and neighbor, Mrs. Olin Jones who underwent surgery Wednesday in the local hospital. We do hope, with all our heart, that this finds her well on the road to recovery.

The Shelnutts, Rosco, Florene and the youngsters, Suzy, Dolores, Yvonne, Nadine and Doris Ann, are home after a vacation trip to Carlsbad, N. M.

New and Renewals

Joe Gilliam, Baird
Clovie McCollum, Moran
W. E. Millhorn, Clyde
Jane Weathers, Baird
George Snure, Baird
C. W. Matson, Pampa
Mrs. S. E. Settle, Baird
Mrs. Minnie Burnam, Lubbock
Max A. Miller, Childress
Mrs. G. G. Gregory, Ft. Worth
B. Thompson, Baird
J. C. Weidon, Baird
Mrs. J. J. Gibson, Clyde
T. M. Allen, Clyde
Edwin L. Reese, Baird.

MY APPRECIATION

To you for your patronage at the Swimming Pool. Our association has been a pleasure. Mon. Sept. 2, Pool open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. and closed for season.
Alvis Dill, Mgr.

Mike Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Turk Reynolds of Monahans, returned home Sunday after visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Elliott and family and R. L. Elliott Sr. visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott Jr. of Dalhart last week.

Mrs. A. R. Kelton visited relatives in Eula a few days last week.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The T&P Friendship Club held their annual watermelon supper Aug. 15, at the Roadside Park east of town. After the supper, the group returned to the D. J. Anderson home for two tables of 74.

ROWDEN TO HOLD PARTY

The Rowden people are sponsoring a "Back To School" party at the Community Center Saturday, Aug. 31 at 8 p. m.

There will be an ice cream supper, music and fun for all. Everyone is invited, and all local talent is urged to attend and take a part in the program.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Dr. Stubblefield and the Nurses at Callahan County Hospital, to everyone for the flowers, food, cards and encouraging words during the long illness and death of our beloved husband and brother. May God bless you.

Mrs. J. H. Weeks
George Weeks
Mrs. May Williams
Mrs. Ida Lincecum

RECEIVES DEGREE

Loraine Henry Griffin was one of the students to receive the Master of Education degree at Hardin-Simmons Friday, Aug. 23. Her major was elementary education and her minor sociology.

Mrs. Griffin is the wife of Joe W. Griffin of Snyder and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larmer Henry of Baird.

Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Jack Sims, and Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds of Albany attended the commencement exercises.

Mrs. Herman Harper of Abilene visited her father, W. D. Boydston Tuesday.

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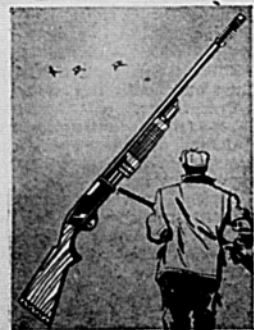
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WILL D. BOYDSTUN



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Atwell News

Mrs. Roy Tatom

Rev. Bill Richie of Abilene preached at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday. His wife and children accompanied him. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shaw and son, from Levelland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes last Thursday.

Those visiting Maggie and Myrtle Wilson last week were Mrs. Leona Gary of Rowden, Mrs. Jessie Edwards of Denton Valley, Mrs. J. D. Goble and children and Mrs. Bobby Dillard and baby of Abilene, Mrs. M. E. Rouse, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hutchins and children and Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mills and children, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady over the week end.

Maggie Wilson visited Mrs. Ann Mayfield of Baird Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle and Leola, and Maggie Wilson attended the funeral of Mrs. Velma Ingram last Friday at Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewes, S. A. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black and children, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and

children, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom and children all went to Brownwood Lake last week fishing. They were accompanied by friends and relatives from other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and children, of Bronte, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest and baby, of Texon, Mrs. Bobby Dillard and baby, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse over the week end.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster and children of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Farley and children of Brownwood, S. N. Foster of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kim, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd in Cross Cut Saturday night.

Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys of Cross Plains, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. Stella Johnson, of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Maud Yerton, of Coleman, visited one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Joy.

Mrs. Kinman, of Eden, and Mrs. Smith, of Odessa, visited with the Mel Bowmans.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson and Mrs. Mattie Allen, of Oplin, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner and at the Respass home.

Rev. Floyd Newberry was rewarded last Thursday night for those long nights of study when he received his B.A. Degree from Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Crozier, of Grand Prairie, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newberry of Millsap were present for the exercise.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Albrecht and family visited last week end at Comfort with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Albrecht.

Mrs. W. B. Gilleland visited Mother Bailey, near May, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ace Gill and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin, of Abilene, have just returned from Alamogordo, N. M., where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gill

and new baby. Mrs. Roy Edwards, of Midland, returned the two Martin girls and Miss Beth Gill home Sunday from a visit in Midland.

Rev. McCowan, of Abilene, preached at the Church of Christ, Sunday. His mother, Mrs. Frasier accompanied him.

Mrs. Wanda Hannah and two children, of Virginia, are visiting her father, E. E. Weaver and sisters. Her first visit home in five years. She spent most of the time in England where her husband was stationed. She will soon be going to Germany to spend more time.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser are fishing at Buchanan Lake this week. Rev. C. R. Myrick is taking care of the store.

Mrs. Danny Myrick and son, of Midland, visited Sunday afternoon with Rev. and Mrs. Myrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Bowman

spent the week end in Odessa visiting relatives.

Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Stephenville, spent Monday night with Mrs. J. F. Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy attended the funeral at Admiral for Mr. Ed Davis Saturday afternoon.

Rowden Round-Up

Mrs. B. Crow

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom and Marian attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Kniffen Saturday night at Clyde. Mrs. Kniffen was the former Carolyn Johnson.

Rev. W. E. Norvell and Dicky and Don Mauldin had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lelew, Lynn and Dennis of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary of Abilene, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Adair, Bobbie and Gina, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Mr. and Mrs. Odé Berry, of Baird, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom, Mike and Marian.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Barr and family at Eula Sunday evening.

Mrs. George Sanders was resting some better the past few days.

Stephie Lineweaver, of Abilene, spent several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin.

There will be a musical and ice cream supper at the Community Center Saturday night, Aug. 31. The ladies are to bring cake and cookies. Every one come out and enjoy this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brown and Cynthia, and Miss Irene Mauldin spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin, Roland and Don. Mrs. Bob Merriman spent last week with her daughter and

husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Mr. Noah Smedley has returned to Merkel after spending a few days at home.

Mrs. B. Crow and Mrs. Dalton Lelew visited Mrs. John Adair, Mrs. Bobbie Merriman and Bobbie Adair Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy Friday evening.

Weldon Gary and Don Mauldin made a trip to Colorado City the past week.

Civil Rights Does Not Protect Newspapers

The Civil Rights Bill, as amended, protects several categories of rights, but it does not protect freedom of the press, radio and TV. The bill provides for a fine of \$1,000 or imprisonment for one year for anyone releasing or using information taken by the Commission in Executive Session.

This is an abridgement of the public right of freedom of information, as well as an abridgement of freedom of the press.

Under the bill, the limit of punishment for violating a court's injunction for criminal contempt is six months imprisonment, but a newspaper, radio or TV reporter could lie in jail a year for printing the news.

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Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cline were Mrs. Laura Smith of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robinson of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Smith of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skaliky of Big Spring.

Becky Griggs and Billie Beth Bell, of Fort Worth, spent last week end in Baird visiting their parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Atwood and Donnie spent last week end visiting in Ballinger.

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Insurance Benefits To Disabled Children

Some disabled children over age 18 received their first monthly social security checks in February, according to C. M. Vaden, Jr., Field Representative of the Abilene Social Security office. Recent legislation provided for these payments to start for the month of January, 1957. A number of applications have already been filed, and more are being received.

Under the new provisions, children who are disabled may receive social security benefits after they reach age 18, if they were disabled before age 18, are unmarried and dependent upon a deceased insured parent. The term "parent" includes natural parent, and in many cases, step-parent or adopting parent. It is not necessary that the child himself have any record of work under the social security law to be eligible for benefits as a disabled child. However, he must have a disability severe enough to prevent him from engaging in any substantial gainful activity. The disability must be medically determinable.

Disabled children over 18 who believe they qualify or persons caring for them, should inquire regarding benefits by writing the Social Security Administration, P. O. Box 1641, Abilene.

Week end visitors with Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Griggs and family were Mrs. Nora Copeland and Mrs. Nettie Kershner of Dallas, and Mrs. Walter Bowler of Tyler.

Mrs. J. S. Baulch and John Trotter visited relatives in New Mexico and West Texas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Baulch, of Wichita Falls, spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baulch.

Cleo Ivey returned to his job at Arlington Sunday after spending a week vacationing with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manion and other friends and relatives.



AUSTIN — New faces, new jobs enter the Capitol scene as laws passed in the last legislative session go into effect.

A consolidated Texas Securities Board swung into action with a statement by newly-appointed Chairman Maurice Bullock of Fort Stockton that "all doubts (about securities issues) will be resolved in favor of the buying public."

Also appointed to the board by Gov. Price Daniel were Jay A. Phillips of Houston and Pete Rodes of Emory. An attorney, Bullock is former president of the State Bar of Texas. Phillips is a certified public accountant, former president of the Texas Society of CPAs and present chairman of the State Board of Public Accountancy. Rodes is president of the First National Bank in Emory.

Board members selected William King to be acting securities commissioner, a full-time \$10,000 a year job. He is a former assistant attorney general and had charge of securities in the secretary of state's office.

Approving or disapproving proposed issues of both general and insurance securities will constitute the prime duties of the new agency. Formerly, these functions were divided between the Insurance Department and Secretary of State's office. It also will supervise the licensing of securities dealers and salesmen.

Governor Daniel called the new law on "outstanding measure for protecting the public against fraud and swindling."

Youth Council — Frank M. Wilson of Waco will be chairman of the new Texas Youth Council. Other members named by Daniel are Louis Henna of Round Rock and Robert Kneebone of Houston.

New agency replaces the old Youth Development Council. It will have charge of the three state correctional schools for young people and the Corsicana State Home, the Waco State Home, and the Blind, Deaf and Orphan School at Waco.

Wilson is a Waco attorney and instructor at Baylor University School of Law. Henna, a member of the old Youth Council, was one of the founders of the Baptist Children's Home at Round Rock. A banker, Kneebone has been active in youth work in Houston.

School Study Panel — Six legislators and two private citizens are early appointees to a new committee to study the growth problems of Texas public schools.

Named by Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey were Sens. George Parkhouse of Dallas, A. M. Alken Jr.

of Paris and Floyd Bradshaw of Weatherford, plus former Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd of Odessa and Laredo school superintendent J. W. Nixon.

House Speaker Waggoner Carr named Reps. Scott McDaniel of Fort Worth, L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi and Malcolm McGregor of El Paso.

Full committee will number 24. Ramsey and Carr were directed by the law to pick up three legislators and three laymen. Governor Daniel and the State Board of Education are to pick six more each.

One proposal made during the session was to have the state build school buildings and lease them to districts. Numerous Texas officials have opposed federal aid for school buildings.

House Committees — A long list of groups has been set up by Speaker Carr to study basic state problems and report to the 56th Legislature. They include:

Legislative Budget Board — Reps. Max Smith of San Marcos, Frates S. Seeligson of San Antonio, William S. Heatly of Paducah, J. T. Ellis Jr. of Weslaco.

Legislative Council — Reps. Robert Hughes of Dallas, Wesley Roberts of Lamesa, A. R. Schwartz of Galveston, Tony Koriath of Sherman, James M. Cotton of Weatherford, R. H. Cory of Victoria, Menton J. Murry of Harlingen, Alonzo W. Jamison Jr. of Denton, Don Kennard of Fort Worth and Harold B. Parish of Taft.

State Tax Study Commission — Reps. Seeligson, Richard C. Slack of Pecos and John A. Huebner Sr. of Bay City.

Full list includes 12 committees — even a committee to study the committees.

Harvest Time — Typical hot, dry August weather has been good for harvesting, but hard on pasturage and late crops.

Dry weather and insects stunted the cotton in central, south-east and coastal counties, U. S. Department of Agriculture reported, but better yields are expected in the northern half of the state.

However, USDA noted northern crops are two to three weeks late and could be damaged by an early freeze.

Egg Dealers Get Licenses — State Agriculture Department is in the process of licensing some 39,000 egg producers, handlers and sellers.

New egg grading law will be in effect Oct. 22. Enforcement will begin Feb. 17, 1958.

Exempt from the license requirement are retailers who sell less than a case of eggs a week to persons other than consumers and producers who do not claim a certain grade for their eggs.

Texas Leads In Roads — Tex-

as is out front in the interstate highway building program with 293 miles of roads "in the mill." These are projects which are either under construction, contracted or advertised for bids. Cost will be \$86,000,000 with \$76,000,000 coming from federal funds.

California is ahead of Texas in cost of projects, but second in mileage. It has 95.5 miles underway at a cost of \$96,000,000.

Planted Fish in Farm Ponds Grow Rapidly

Farm ponds in Texas this year will produce some wonderful fishes, according to a report just issued by the Director of Inland Fisheries of the Game and Fish Commission.

For instance a fry bass planted in an unstocked pond during May, 1957 under proper conditions, may reach 9 inches in length by November, 1957. By the time it is a year old it will weigh 1½ pounds, according to the Director.

Not all the planted fish will do this, he points out, but such growth is possible where conditions are right.

There has been a great deal of farm pond study on the part of the Commission biologists. Thousands of small impoundments have been created by putting dams across small dry stream beds within the state during the last several years.

Invariably the Game and Fish Commission is called upon to stock these ponds through its hatchery program. Some 13 million fry have been produced by the Texas hatcheries for this year. Most of them have been bass.

Another favorite fish for restocking is the channel cat, according to the Director. Fingering cats will grow at the rate of one inch per month, again under favorable conditions.

"The history of the average farm pond is good growth from initial stocking, with a decreased growth rate of subsequent spawns," he says. "When sunfish are stocked in a pond they usually will dominate the population composition of fishes present by the third year, presenting a stunted aspect and causing fishing to become poor."

The Director pointed out that hatchery restocking will not help such conditions because the survival of the restocked fish will be practically nil. They either will be eaten by the other fish or they will starve.

He warns that no matter how many fish are restocked by a hatchery they can only begin to approximate the number that will be produced by natural spawn. A pair of good brood bass will produce some 24,000 baby bass, many more than might be stocked from a hatchery in any given pond.

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Catfish, however do not spawn so well unless special conditions have been provided. For that reason the Commission advises the restocking of catfish ponds after several years. This depends however upon a survey of the pond fish population.

Sarah Parks and Floy McCaw are vacationing in New Mexico this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray and daughter, Michelle have returned to their home in Rome Ga., after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Margie Ray.

Mrs. J. W. Hairspon and daughter, Lea, of Lubbock have been visiting in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Cora Work, who is very ill.

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By Veda Yarbrough

Hi neighbors! The weather is very hot and dry.

Last Friday morning, we had a very pleasant surprise. Uncle Lige Burnam and wife came out and visited with us a while. It's been a long time since they had been out to see us. We were so glad to see them. They promised to come back and spend a day with us when the weather gets cooler and I hope they keep their promise. They live in Cisco.

Chesley Pruet and daughters, Paula and Ann, of El Dorado, Ark., spent the week end visiting his Dad, Grady and Mrs. Pruet. As usual, he came in his plane. Chesley, you have two lovely little daughters. I saw them in Putnam Saturday afternoon.

The Mark Burnams attended the funeral Saturday afternoon in Putnam for Mr. Henry Weeks. Jim and I also attended the funeral. Our sincere sympathy to the family.

John and Roma McIntyre spent the week end with John's parents at Oplin. Glad to hear Mr. Mc is feeling better. Sorry Mrs. Mc is sick. Roma brought us a mess of blackeye peas from the McIntyres. Thanks. I cooked them today and they were real good.

Roma and I went over to Moran to wash this morning. Stopped by the Cafe and had lunch. Maurine McCollum came in for lunch so we visited with her for a while. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson of Snyder spent Friday night with Maurine and Enoch McCollum. Mrs. Davidson is the former Muzette Jones Skiles.

We were pleasantly surprised Saturday morning when Frank Coats stopped by to visit with us a few minutes. Was good to see him, as he was our mail carrier for 30 odd years. Just retired from this route about a month ago. He said he was stopping by to see as many as he could Saturday morning.

Little Boy Jim went to Abilene Sale today. Didn't take anything to sell. Just wanted to go so I let him.

Sandra Wood, of Iowa Park,

is visiting her grandparents, the Roggensteins, and her aunt, Mrs. Joe Hurley a few days before school starts.

Mary Everett and girls, of Abilene, spent the day with the Mark Burnams Monday. Gayle Burnam went home with them to spend the rest of the week.

Vacation is most over for the youngsters as school starts next week.

Heard from Mrs. Ped Yarbrough Saturday. She was moved home last Tuesday from

the Rising Star Hospital, and was doing very well, and so happy to be home after being in the hospital so long.

Good morning. John, Roma and I went to church in Moran Monday night. Hope to go some more.

The Mark Burnams had dinner with Mrs. Mary Ramsey Sunday.

Walter Francisco, who had major surgery about three weeks ago, is feeling some better. We hope he soon gets well and able to be up and about again. We miss him so much.

We are supposed to have services Sunday morning at 11 at Putnam Baptist Church. Everybody come.

Guess I better get busy, so be good and I'll be seein' you next week.

Putnam Personals . . .

Putnam school opens Sept. 3, according to Supt. R. W. Reynolds. They have elected three new teachers, Artie Perry, Mrs. John McIntyre and Jimmy Van Dick. Other teachers are Mrs. R. N. Cluck, Mrs. Northrup and Mrs. Roland Nichols.

Gene Cook celebrated his 80th birthday Friday at his home. His daughter, Mrs. Cotton and children of Dallas, and son, Valentine and wife of Plainview, were present to enjoy the occasion.

Mrs. Markwood and son, Lublin, of Junction, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom Sunday.

Chesley Pruet and two daughters, of El Dorado, Ark., were week end guests of his parents, G. S. Pruet and wife. Also Reuben Brooks and son of El Dorado, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Mabel Hooper in Abilene.

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Jr. and children, were visitors with her parents in Seymour Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and family, of Clyde, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Francisco and son, Jimmy, of Grand Prairie, were week end guests of their parents, the W. R. Franciscos and Mr. and Mrs. Chatham of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Sargent went to Midland Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wayland Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway and family, of Abilene, were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Dr. Royce Pruet and family were Saturday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

Mrs. Dock Isenhower, of Cisco visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cochran, of Breckenridge, were week end

guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett and son, of Colorado City, were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook.

Sandra Dood, of Archer City, is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arno Roggenstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tatom and son were Sunday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom.

Mrs. E. E. Sunderman is in Callahan County Hospital. She underwent surgery Friday. Her sons, Chris and Earl of Fort Worth, Edward of Clburne and Eugene, of Corpus Christi, have been with her.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher Sunday were Mrs. Grover Maxwell and family, Mrs. Roy Denny of Baird, Mrs. Borden Heslep and son Borden Jr. and family of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. O'Brien, of Oiden, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rutherford and baby, of Grand Isle, La., spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Mrs. Glenn McWhorter and three sons, of Throckmorton, visited her sister, Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, Jr., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Cunningham's grandmother in Madill, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle have returned home after visiting relatives in Sheffield, Iraan and Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln File and son visited in Cross Plains Sunday.

Bennie Abernathy of Ft. Sill, Okla. was a week end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ell Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ural Holder of Big Spring spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sprawls in Scranton.

F. P. Shackelford Jr. made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday. Hubert Donoway and friend John Buchanna of Monahans were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donoway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Finley and daughters of Waco were week end guests of Mrs. R. D. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton visited his parents in Granbury and his brother in Thorp Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cudwell Jr. and son, of Arlington, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cudwell.

Guy Caldwell, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Little are visiting his mother, Mrs. M. M. Little.

Some out of town people here for Mr. Henry Week's funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunt of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lincecum of Holiday, Mr. and Leslie Brison of Vincent, Mr. and Clarence Keith, Lewis and Morris Harper of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Williams, Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harwell of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bishop of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Loy Williams of Ranger.

Mrs. Henry Weeks has as her guests Sunday, her grandchildren, Jackie, Eddie Fay Jordan of the Hendrick's Home in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruyle, of Dallas, were week end visitors with Mrs. Mitt Cook. Mrs. Artie and Bruce Boliek of Abilene were Saturday visitors with her mother, Mrs. Cook.

Parties and Teas

Honor Miss Martin

Martha Ann Martin, bride-elect of Wamon Upchurch of Santa Anna, was complimented with a tea Thursday evening, Aug. 22, in the home of Mrs. Frank Nevins of Abilene. Co-hostesses were Mrs. J. Carl Hensley and Mrs. A. S. Gill of Fort Worth. Friends of Baird were among the guests registered.

Miss Martin was honored with a gift shower in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon. The WSCS hosted the party in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Watson.

Miss Martin and Mr. Upchurch were honored with a luncheon Friday in an Abilene restaurant.

Miss Martin and Mr. Upchurch will be married Friday, Aug. 30 at 8 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Martin.

Sgt. Bob Markley and family of Earlington visited Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Markley this week.

Mrs. Lillie Swofford has returned to Baird to reside after living in Abilene for several months.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their help, words of sympathy, flowers, and food during the illness and death of our loved one. They were deeply appreciated. May God bless every one of you.

The Steward Bentley Family

CARD OF THANKS

I sincerely want to thank the many friends for the money donations, blood donations, flowers, gifts and the many cards and letters of cheer during my illness. May God bless you.

Jessie Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Russell and daughter, Mrs. Drew Hampton and children, of Dallas, left last Friday for a week's vacation to Ruidosa and Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Work and daughter, of Amarillo, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Work and Patsy last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth George and children have recently moved to Midland where they will make their home. Mr. George is employed at the Air Terminal and Mrs. George will teach in the Midland schools.

Mrs. Bartley Eager and children, of Amarillo, visited during last week with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sutphen and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parks are announcing the arrival of a daughter born at 8:55 p. m. Sunday at St. Ann Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. and is named Teresa Diane.

Mrs. Terrell Williams attended a Farmer's Home Administration Policy meeting in Mineral Wells Thursday and Friday of last week. Mr. Williams, Willa and Debra accompanied her to Mineral Wells and spent the day Thursday in Fort Worth at Forest Park Zoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kunze and son Randy of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Curtis and son and Mrs. Lena Bibb Sunday, and attended the funeral of Roy Blakely.

Mary Lou Estes of Wichita, Kansas is visiting this week with Mrs. Robert Estes and Misses John and Ethel Estes.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for the sympathy and words of kindness which made our hour of bereavement easier to bear. Special thanks for the cards, flowers, food and to those who helped in any way. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Spike Blakely, Sig and Wallace

Jack Sims of San Antonio arrived Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Robert Estes. Mrs. Sims, Cheryl Sue and Bobby Jack returned home with him Monday night after several days' visit here.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gwin of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lincecum of Holiday whom they had not seen in some 30 years.

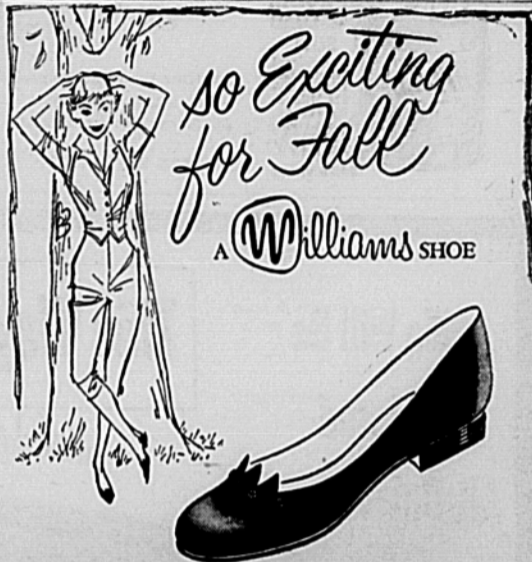
Mrs. Ida Bradshaw has returned to her home in Glendale, Calif. after a 2 months visit with her brothers, Lucian Warren of Oplin, Herbert Warren of Clyde, Joe Warren of Baird and a sister, Mrs. G. A. Gwin of Baird.

Mrs. Cap Rich of Richmond, visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. Bobby Estes and Mr. Estes.

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Virgie Mae and Virginia Stevenson visited in Dallas last week end. Virgie Mae was a bridesmaid in a wedding of friends and Virginia was a member of the houseparty.

Visitors last week end with Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield were their children, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield, Carol and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blahop and daughter, all of Dallas.



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Visiting the Cliff Curtis family Friday were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Halley and family of Fort Worth, the Bill Perry family and H. F. Bibb family of Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Swofford of Farmington, New Mexico are spending a few days visiting Mrs. Lillie Swofford and other relatives.

Mr. Bob Norrell visited several days last week with her brother, L. L. Gray and family in Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis and boys of Odessa spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls. Leslie Allen Davis remained for a weeks visit with his grandparents.

George Lee Lambert spent a day in Ft. Worth last week visiting Billie Beth Bell and Beckys Griggs.

Mrs. Troy Allen of Clyde was a visitor in Baird Wednesday. She was a guest of her son, Mr. John Allen and Mrs. Allen and children. Roy Allen celebrated his third birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allman and children of Franklin, La., are spending the week with Mrs. Allman's mother, Mrs. Eunice Brock.

Aden Atwood and Tommy Lynn Betcher returned home from Frisco, Calif. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox are vacationing in New Mexico and El Paso this week.

House guest of Martha Ann Martin the past two weeks has been her cousin, Nancy Chambers of Shreveport, La.

Billy Bob Kelly and family of Ajo, Ariz. spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly this week.

Out-of-town visitors in the A. W. Gibson home during the past week were: Mrs. Ross Farmer, Eula; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson, Denton Valley; Mrs. R. W. Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hicks, of Clyde; Mr. Albert Criswell of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Pierce and Jan of Abilene and Miss Floy McCaw.

Word has been received here of the death of Wicker I. Glass, Extension Service agent at A&M College. It was reported he died of a heart attack Wednesday. Mr. Glass was a World War I Buddy of Betah Freeland and A. W. Gibson of Baird and Albert Criswell of Merkel, Elmer Hennig of Olney. He was 60 years of age and survived by his wife, one son and one daughter and 7 grandchildren.

Betty Jean Hickman returned Wednesday to school in San Marcos after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman.

Mary Brown attended a wedding of friends in Slaton Friday night and served as a bridesmaid in the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Breeding have recently moved to Denton Valley where they will reside. Both are employed in Abilene.

Mrs. F. E. Mitchell is visiting in Midland this week with Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Scarpelli and family.

Miss Isadore Grimes was one of the graduating students at Hardin-Simmons University Friday, Aug. 23, when she received the Master of Education degree. Mr. and Mrs. Haynie Spencer of Dallas were here and attended the commencement exercises. Mrs. J. H. Grimes, Alec Nordyke, and Mrs. A. W. Burks attended the baccalaureate services Aug. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flores, Dolores and Jackie of Andrews have been visiting in Baird the past ten days with Mrs. Flores' mother, Mrs. Brumbaugh, and also her grandmother, Mrs. Cora Work.

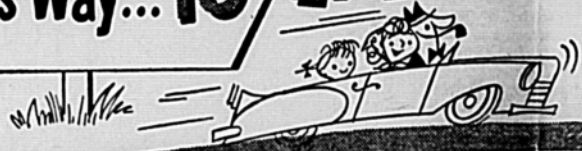


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