

Bear Facts

The Baird High School Paper

SPORTS

Harry Varner and Sam Gorman

The Baird Bears went to Roscoe Thursday November 23, to play their last game of the season. The Bears received the yard line, where they were stopped by a fumble. The Roscoe Plowboys then took the ball and ran two plays, but they made a fumble and Sam Gorman, right tackle, covered it. Again the Bears took the ball, but they fumbled once more, and Roscoe recovered it. They were unable to make their plays work, so they lost the ball to the Bears again. No scores were made in the first quarter, and the Bears kicked to the Plowboys at the beginning of the second quarter. Roscoe started passing, but Buddy Brame intercepted a pass and ran to the nine yard line, where he was tackled. Then Corky Cook ran over for the touchdown. The try for the extra point failed. The Plowboys took the ball and marched down the field for their first touchdown, that was made by a pass. They didn't make the extra point. The Bears received the ball, but were unable to move, so they kicked. Roscoe started passing and scored again, but their extra point failed. The half ended with the score of 12-6, favor the Plowboys. After the half the Bears were unable to make any scores, as they made many errors. The Plowboys made three more touchdowns, but the extra points failed. The Bears played very good ball the first half but Roscoe outweighed Baird very much, as the Plowboy's line averaged 205 pounds to the Bears 150 pounds.

Junior Barner was the Bear's outstanding player. The Bears played without three of their players; Oscar Jones, who received a knee injury in the Merkel game, Jone Swinson also injured in the Merkel game, and Harry Tom Varner, injured in the Cross Plains game.

Merkel won first in the district, and Roscoe won second place. The Bears were fifth, winning six games and losing four. The Bears had eighteen lettermen this year, and several of them will be back next year. The line-up of these eighteen boys are as following:

Left end, Harry Tom Varner; Left tackle, Junior (Red) Barner; Left guard, Jone Swinson; Center, Charles Walker; Right guard, C. J. Sampson; Right tackle, Sam (Big Red) Gorman, Right end, Tom Odum; Quarter-back, Don Gorman; Left half-back, Corky Cook; Right half-back, Buddy Brame; Full-back, Oscar Jones;

Substitutes, Left-end, Jimmy West; Left tackle, Earl Lee Hinds; Left guard, Coleman Nichols; Center, Bill Ray; Right guard, Clayton Taif; Left half-back, T. A. White; Full-back, Benny Pierson.

The coach was Eddie Bullock, who was coach last year and the year before. The manager was Bobby Wagner. The only player that was never substituted is Sam Gorman, who played very well and was never knocked out or hurt seriously this year. The captain was Don Gorman, who was elected the most valuable football player, and the co-captain was C. J. Sampson. Eloise Grant was elected football sweetheart.

WHO'S WHO

T. A. White was born in August 16, 1928 at Baird and he has lived here since. He entered Grammar school at the age of 6 and has attended school ever year here. He is a senior this year and has come out for football all four years of high school. He has worked on the railroad for about one year; with the other boys that work on Saturday. He is President of the senior class and everyone likes the work he has done in that office. He isn't very particular in his favorites, and has no certain one.

SOCIETY NEWS

Four thousand years ago Aesop said: "A bird in the hand is poor table manners."

Nine Points of Advice to Girls:
1. Keep away from track men; they are usually fast.
2. Never make dates with biology students; they enjoy cutting up too much.

3. The football man is all right, he will tackle anything.
4. You can trust a tank man; he will dive in and do his best.
5. The tennis man is harmless, but he enjoys a racket.
6. Watch out for the baseball man; he hits and runs.
7. Be careful of the member of the Dramatic club, he usually has several good lines.
8. Don't play cards with a civil engineer; he's a bridge specialist.
9. Always let the member of a band talk about himself; he enjoys blowing his own horn.

A poem composed by Jo Mess Miller;

Rain is wet
Dust is dry
Life is short
But so am I!
Student: "I just thought of a good joke."
Teacher: "Aw, get your mind off yourself."

ANNOUNCEMENT

The seniors are sponsoring a show "All Around the World" featuring Kay Kaiser and Mischa Auer, Tuesday December 5 and 6, at the Plaza Theatre. Please buy your tickets Saturday from any member of the senior class, and come to see a good show.

Mrs. V. H. Cowan is among our renewals.

We are glad to add J. H. Hughes to our list of renewals.

Lloyd Hughes renewed his subscription to the paper this week.

At Church of Christ



LLOYD CONNEL, EVANGELIST

FAITH

Only one of three things could cause a person to fail to follow the directions of his physician: 1. Inability to do so; 2. failure to understand him; or 3. a lack of confidence in him. The same is true of our obeying God. But we can do what he says, for God requires no impossibilities. And as we have God's revealed will, it is not necessary to disobey through ignorance. Your disobedience is attributable to lack of confidence in God.

To set aside the physician's directions for your salvation is to take the matter out of his hands and become your own savior. What we need is full confidence in God's love, mercy, grace, and wisdom. This would eliminate all desires to depart from his way.

Faith is essential in all the relationship of life. Business is conducted, and credit is extended, on the basis of faith. Should we lose confidence in our financial institutions, withdraw our money from the banks and refuse to extend credit, chaos would follow. An element of faith enters into all our business transactions. Our social relations are dead on faith. There can be no satisfactory association with another without faith. Men have faith in their wives, wives have faith in their husbands. Destroy this faith and the home is ruined.

Harmony with God is necessary to salvation, and there can be no harmony, no walking with God, without a whole-hearted faith in Him. A lack of faith in God has been the cause of all departures, sin, and disobedience of all ages. "Take heed, brethren, lest haply there shall be in any one of you an evil heart and unbelief, in falling away from the living God" (Heb. 3:12).

That faith is necessary to salvation is hardly questioned by

those who profess to believe the Bible. Faith is clearly demanded as a condition of salvation.

"He that believeth not shall be damned" (Mk. 16:16). "Without faith it is impossible to be well pleasing unto him; for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is rewarded of them that seek after him" (Heb. 11:6). Go to church Sunday. We invite you to attend the services of the Church of Christ. Send letters and comments to the Church of Christ, Baird, Texas. (Adv.)

Leota Alexander spent last Saturday evening in Abilene.

E. S. Mauldin of Rowden has renewed his subscription to the paper for another year.

Miss Joyce Hunt, Farm Security Administration Clerk, recently returned from a weeks visit with friends in Kansas.

Miss Betty Lou Lewis is the new clerk in the Sheriff's office. She is taking the place of Mrs. Bates Baulch who joined her husband who is in service in Colorado.

Mrs. Vado Bennett returned last week from a visit with her sister, Miss Thelma White in Los Angeles, California.

We enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Ella Thornton who was here from Brady Saturday. We are glad to add her name to our subscription list.

SONS COMING HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Anderson were in town Wednesday from Abilene Route 2, and told that their two sons, Lieut. Bob Anderson and Major Lanoy D. Anderson are on their way home. The lieutenant has been serving in the Pacific and the Major has been a squadron commander in the European theatre. Both of the sons have won high recognition from the Army for outstanding accomplishments.

J. T. Gibson of Clyde came in Wednesday and paid up his subscription for another year.

We enjoyed a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hays Saturday, at which time they renewed their subscription to The Star.

Barney Stockton, who is serving on the Aircraft Carrier Lexington, writes his wife that he recently went ashore to see one of the big shows by American artists. He saw Peabody and his group of entertainers. The island was interesting, he stated, but there was nothing but native huts and wild hens to look at.

Mrs. Stockton's brother, Sgt. J. C. Earp, has not written since October at which time he was due to go to a rest camp. Another brother, Corporal James Earp, left with his B-29 squadron last week from Kansas.

BUYS BAIRD PROPERTY

S. L. McElroy purchased six lots in Block 37 in Baird from the Lones Estate on November 18.

LIKES THE STAR

Johnny Joe Walker S 2-c, care West Galley No. 1, USNATB, Coronado, San Diego 55, Calif., writes his mother, Mrs. Joe McGowen, that he likes The Star and wants her to keep sending it to him.

SINGING AT ROWDEN

An old fashioned gospel singing will take place at Rowden Church of Christ on the 2nd Sunday in December.

Mrs. Georgia Landers and daughters, Joyce and Janice left here Monday for Los Angeles, Calif. to join her husband, Onis Landers, who is serving in the Seabees.

We enjoyed a visit by Mrs. H. H. Ramsey and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. V. Ramsey when they were here from Abilene Tuesday. The senior Mrs. Ramsey spoke highly of the Star editor's efforts in making the paper newsy, and stated that she read the Baird paper long before it was The Star.

WE STAND SHOULDER TO SHOULDER WITH OUR FIGHTING MEN

CALLAHAN COUNTY Has Never Failed To Meet
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In The War Effort.

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The 6th War Loan Rally

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 7:30 P. M.

Major David J. Evans

Will Be In Charge As Usual With Special Entertainment.
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Citizens Are Requested To Do Their Saturday Shopping As Early As Possible.

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Ray Motor Company
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Glen Boyd Grocery & Market
C. J. Redwine's Rock Rooms

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Ashlock Insurance Agency
McElroy's Dry Goods
Tom French's Gulf Station
Magnolia Service Station
G. W. Crutchfield Service Sta.
The First National Bank
Ramsey Variety Store
A & P Tea Company
Brashear's Red & White Store
Octane Refining Company
Holmes Drug Store

Thanksgiving SEASON

Time yet for those pumpkin pies even if you did miss them Thanksgiving Day.

We have them, fresh ones, 10c and 20c. Also two and one half size can Good fruit cocktail.

Plenty of No. one fresh country tomatoes, enjoy them before they are gone and be thankful for a late abundant crop.

Soft shelled pecans, English walnuts and almonds, all on sale and it is time of the year to warm your toes by the fire and eat nuts and grow fat.

We have a shipment of new East Texas ribbon cane syrup in gallons and halves. Also honey in the comb, yum, yum.

Bacon is still scarce, but we have plenty of A A grade steaks of all sizes and descriptions and what is better—who wants to eat a hog anyway?

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Given up to be the best Spark Plugs money can buy. Only 65c in sets. Now is the season to change. Save gas, get better mileage.

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Soon we will have a complete stock for most all cars. Better reserve yours now.—Famous "Blue Bonnet." Tailored to fit.

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SALES - SERVICE
BAIRD

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Baby beef turkey toms. \$10.00 each. Mrs. Earl C. Hays, Clyde, Texas. 3tp

When you get cold these nights think of those nice warm quilts the Presbyterian Ladies have for sale—wool tops, outing lined—\$6.00. Proceeds to be used to buy rocks, cement, or pay labor on recreation building starting January 1. 1tp

FOR SALE—Clarence Young place in west Baird, six room house, double garage.—Homer Driskill. 1tp

Several keys on holder left on fountain at Holmes Drug Store are at The Baird Office. Owner pay this ad and describe keys. 1tp

FOR SALE—25 White Leghorn pullets, 6 months old. \$1.00 each at my farm 2 miles north of Rowden postoffice on Route 2, Box 33. Mrs. Watson Tikes, Baird, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—My home in Baird for sale. See B. F. Andrews at Lone Star Buick Co., Abilene, Texas. 4tp

FOR SALE—Bright peanut hay one and half miles west of Baird on highway. O. H. Conlee. 2tp

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Hospital Notes

Mrs. Jaunita Harris underwent Major Surgery Saturday and is doing nicely.

Mrs. W. R. Patterson from Indiana entered the hospital Saturday as a medical patient.

Billy Doris Harris was an XRay patient Saturday suffering a fractured foot.

Mrs. Leroy Maner came to the hospital Saturday with a badly lacerated arm.

Dave Witherspoon is a hospital patient suffering a dislocated shoulder, and chipped shoulder joint.

Mrs. Lon Haley of Cross Plains, who has been a medical patient two weeks is doing nicely and will be going home soon.

A. Rister who has been a hospital patient the past two weeks, suffering high blood pressure, is seriously ill.

Laquita Joy Shelton is a medical patient in the hospital.

Jim Gibson went to his home after being in a few days with high blood pressure.

Jim Allphin who has been in the hospital several days with a broken shoulder and pneumonia is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Lillie Merrell a medical patient is improving rapidly.

Julian Maudlin, suffering kidney trouble, is still in the hospital.

Tereise Espinosa left the hospital Monday night after being in several days as a medical patient.

Dorse Odum went to his home last week after being in the hospital three weeks with high blood pressure.

Davey, 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cole Boutwell, was a hospital patient Monday.

MRS. FETTERLEY VISITS DAUGHTERS IN PALACIOUS

Mrs. C. W. Ross of Rockspring spent two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. A. Fetterley. Together they went to Palacios to visit Mrs. Fetterley's daughters, Miss Ida Louise Fetterley who teaches in the public schools there and Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Friery and daughters, Betty Ann and Mary Louise.

Mrs. Grace Reynolds is visiting her sister in Arlington.

Jack Ashlock joined friends of Abilene for a hunting trip, in South Texas last week.

Mrs. Vida Tucker had as her guest last weekend, Com. W. L. Nelson of Camp Berkeley.

Miss Burma Warran is now head draft board clerk.

Marian Vestel has returned to her duties in the ration board office after a weeks absence due to illness.

Tea Bauch ordered The Star to come to his address for another year when he dropped in at the office Thursday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH A. A. Davis, Pastor

Next Sunday we begin our seventh year as Pastor of the Church. It was six years ago on that date that we began our work here. In most every way the stay has been pleasant and I trust the work lasting. Really we are grateful for the many fine things the Lord has done for us, the strong friends he has given us and as we think of these things we are humbled and Thankful that the Chief Sheppard has given us a place of labor. We have come to appreciate more fully the labors of Baird Church and have sought, as best we knew to help in the solution of their problems and to lead them to Higher ground. To our many friends, within and without the Church we say we are happy that we came this way. We do not consider the past six years as wasted at all yet we see so many things that we wanted to do and should have done that we have not gotten to at all.

We invite you, one and all to attend our services. A fine spirit prevails and we want you to come. Services Sunday Morning and evening with Sunday school at 10 A. M.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Rev. A. A. Davis met with the W. M. U. at the church Monday at 3:30 for Bible Study. The first chapter of 1 Cor. was finished.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, Mrs. W. T. Payne and little son, Mrs. Jack Jones, Mrs. Kate Foy, Mrs. Ada Uzzell, Mrs. J. P. Davis, Mrs. W. L. Lewis, Mrs. Perry Hughes, Mrs. Pruitt, Mrs. R. H. Sinclair and daughter, Mrs. Medford Walker, Mrs. Cummins, Mrs. Izzard and Mrs. B. L. Russell.

The Lottie Moon week of prayer will be observed at 3:30 each day next week at the Church. The offering taken will be sent to foreign missions. The public is especially invited Wednesday night to a special service in connection with the prayer meeting.

Salas Lawrence came by Saturday for another year.

A. Petty of Clyde is a new subscriber to the paper. We hope he will enjoy reading about his many Callahan friends.

Church of Christ (Lloyd Connel, Evangelist)



Bibleclasses, 10:00 A. M. Come and bring your Bible.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m., and at 8:00 p. m.
Communion at 11:45 a. m.
Wednesday Bible Study, at 8:00 p. m.
You are welcome at all services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

A. A. Davis, Pastor
W. L. Lewis, S. S. Supt.
Preaching services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
B. T. U., 6:30 p. m.
W. M. S., Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.
Church Conference, each first Wednesday night.
General public invited to all services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. S. P. Collins, Pastor
Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Sundays. Sunday School, 10 a. m.
S. I. Smith, Superintendent.
Ladies Meeting, Monday 3 p. m., Church.
General public invited to all services.

REBEKAH NOTICE

Baird Rebekah Lodge No. 112 meets Monday evening December 4, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. We also have election of officers for the ensuing year.

Katherine Hinds, Secretary
Susie Lee Coppinger, N. G.

B. M. Baum of Clyde came in to renew his subscription to the paper this week. He has been reading the paper for fifty years. When R. M. Pyeatt, a prominent business man of Clyde, visited the editor Monday, he renewed his subscription to the paper for another year.

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- QUILTING COTTON, 3 lbs. 1 roll 99c
- COTTON BLANKET \$1.15
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- 75 % WOOL BLANKET, \$7.50
- SIX SPOOLS THREAD 25c
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PEAS, 2 No. 2 Cans 15c

Star State

COFFEE, 1 Lb. Pkg. 19c

CORNMEAL, 25 lbs. 98c

SALT, 25 pounds 29c

Beauty's Best

FLOUR, 25 Lbs. \$1.15

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