

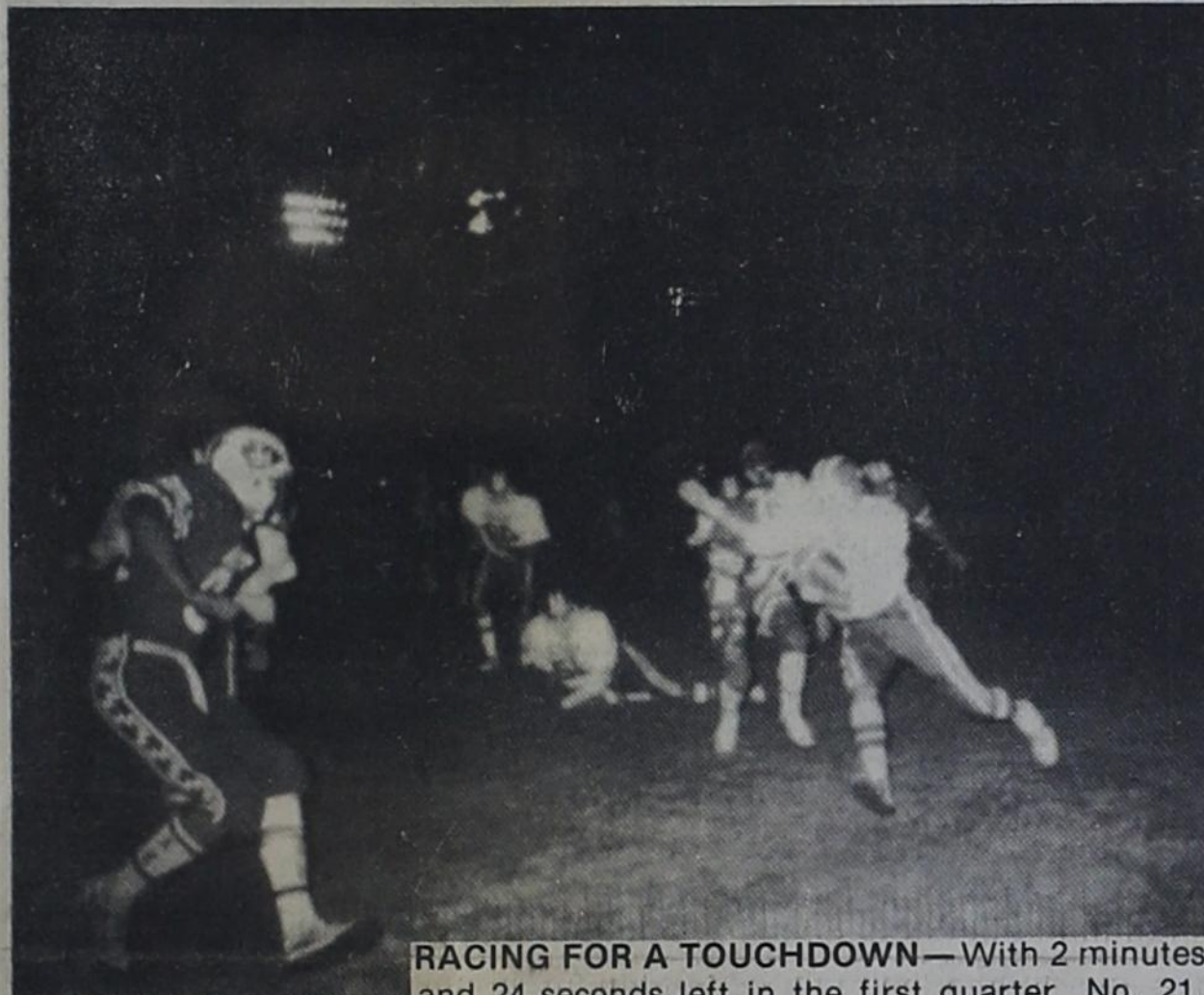
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RACING FOR A TOUCHDOWN—With 2 minutes and 24 seconds left in the first quarter, No. 21, Jody Turnbow goes for a touchdown from the 35 yard line in Friday nights game between the Bears and Jim Ned.

Bears Lose To Jim Ned 22-19, Disappointment Looms

Te Howard hit 11 of his 18 passes in the Bears game between Jim Ned Friday. Bears were ahead at half-time with a 12-8 lead. Jim Ned was down 19-14 in the fourth when the Indians took over at their 24 yard line.

Coach Conley said this was the first time all year the Bears have come up with some big plays, but they had a mental breakdown on 4th down plays.

There really disappointed in losing this game as they had set a goal to win all the remaining games.

Friday the Bears will play Winters here, while J.V., 7th and 8th will play Winters Thursday night in Winters.

JIM NED DOWNS 7th GRADE

The 7th grade lost to Jim Ned 12-0. Playing well for the Cubs were A.J. Mendez, Eddie Neal Gunter, Chris Lynn, Gene Hanley, Jimmy Herrera, Elias Rodriguez, and Loyd Thurman.

8th GRADE FALLS TO JIM NED

The 8th grade lost to Jim Ned 20-8. Dwayne Burns scored the touchdown on a 62 yard run. Codie Parkhill passed to Boone Gilliland for the 2 extra points. Also playing well were Craig Brock, Jamie Tijerina, and Jeffrey Segura.

City Council Meets, Three Issues Discussed

The City Council met Monday for the last time in October until November 8th. With only three issues on their agenda the meeting was over by 8:30.

First on the agenda was a request for a 10% raise in salary by Glenn Curtis, night watchman and constable. Mr. Curtis was not present. The council decided to contact the local business and see if they would be willing to make up the difference being the City budget had already been set and approved and could not make any changes at this late date.

Buddy Boulton appeared before the council requesting that they apply to the Texas Highway Department for a permit

for him. The City agreed on the stipulation the work be done on their specifications.

Aubrey Loper, a Washington resident, but who owns property here, came before the council requesting that a street be closed off. The street, located between Race and Market, is growed up and the creek runs down through it is not in use and hasn't been for sometime. Mr. Loper, who was not present, will be advised by the Council to acquire the signatures of surrounding landowners on a petition agreeing to the closing of the street.

Accused Found Guilty On Resisting Arrest, Awaits Sentence

Carol White-Editor/Staff Writer

Roger Eric Robertson, of Cross Plains, charged with assaulting a police officer and resisting arrest was found guilty in 42nd District Court Tuesday on charges of resisting arrest, by a jury of 4 women and 8 men with Judge Don Lane presiding.

The jury deliberated about 1 hour before

coming to a unanimous decision of guilty when they returned at 2 P.M.

Lawyers gave their arguments, after the Judge read the possibly sentence and probation regulations, to the jury on what they hope to be a fair sentence or probation.

Jurors then recessed to liberate on sentencing. They had not returned at press time.

Voters Await Opening Of Polls To Cast Thier Ballot

Candidates running for state offices have picked up their pace in campaigning the last few weeks, since the finish line is in sight, and gotten down to the nitty-gritty. With all of the accusations and innuendos flying back and forth between party candidates, voters are taken back just a little with doubt on who to cast their votes.

November 2, just less than a week away, voters will go to the polls and reveal just how much they believed or ignored.

Candidates listed on the ballot are as follows: United State Senator—Jim Collins-R, Lloyd Bensten-D, John E. Ford-L, Lincaus Hooper Lorette-C; U.S. Representative, Dist. 17—Charles W. Stenholm-D, James A. Cooley III-L; Governor—Wm. P. Clements-R, Mark White-D, David Hutzelman-L, Bob Potiet-C; Lt. Govenor—Geo. W. Strake Jr.-R, Bill Hobby-D, Laurel Kay Freeman-L; Attorney Gen.—Bill Meier-R, Jim Mattox-D, Katherine S. Youngblood-L, Com. of Pub. Accts.—Mike Richards-R, Bob Bullock-D, Janet Tiapek-L; State Treasurer—Allen Clark-R, Ann Richards-D, Alma Kucymbaia-L; Comm of Gen. Land Office—Woody Glasscock-R, Gary Mauro-D, Charles Fuller-L; Comm. of Ag.—Fred Thornberry-R, Jim Hightower-D, Stanley Keen-L; Railroad Comm.—John Thomas Henderson-R, James E. (Jim) Nugent-D, Dick Bjorn-

seith-L; Justice, Supreme Court, Pl.1—John L. Bates-R, and Ted Robertson-D; Justice Supreme Court, Pl. 2—Bill Kilgarlin-D; Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3—Charles W. Barrow-D; Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals—John F. (Jack) Onion-D; Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1—Charles F "Chuck" Campbell, Jr.-D; Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2—Ray Moses-R and Chuck Miller-D; State Senator, Dist. 30—Ray Farabee-D and Dan Dotson-L; State Rep., Dist. 64—Joe C. Hanna-D; Member, State Board of Ed., Dist. 17—Carol Hunter-R, and Jewell Harris-D; Chief Justice, Court of Appeals, 11th Dist.—Austin McCloud-D; County Judge, Mack Kniffen; County Attorney—Robert E. McCool; District Clerk—Cubelle Harris; County Clerk—Darlene Walker; County Treasurer—Dora Hounshell; Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1—Bobby Curtis; J. of the P, Precinct 2—Jess Henley, J. of the P. Precinct 6—L.P. Mitchell, J. of the P. Precinct 8—Ida Mae Waddell.

Polls will open at 7 A.M. and close at 7 P.M. County residents will vote at the following places; Baird—Community Center; Clyde, Precinct 2—Lions Club, Precinct 8—Fred Newman Bldg.; Cross Plains—City Hall; Putnam—Community Center; Eula—Old School Auditorium; Denton Valley—First Baptist Church; and Oplin—Community Center.

25¢ Fine Charged To Get Out Of Jail At Halloween Carnival

Members of the Baird MFT are asking that all children please Trick or Treat on Saturday nite Oct. 30 rather than Sunday. We feel that this will make for a safer Halloween.

The annual Baird Elementary and Junior High School Halloween Carnival will be held Saturday Oct. 30th beginning at 7:00 P.M.

We will have the food booth, Cake Walk, Poize Walk, Face Painting and Fortune Telling in the cafeteria. The Old

Gym will have the Jack-O-Lantern Toss, Go Fishing, Balloon Dart Throw, Lollipop Tree, Duck Dip, Tic-Tac-Toss, Grab Bag, Ring Toss, Football and Basketball Throw.

One important note we also have a Jail House this year. All persons regardless of age who doesn't wear a madeup face or costume will be put into our jail and it will cost 25¢ to get out. Be sure and come down and join in on all the food and fun.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor,

The November General Election is only a few days away. Again, we are being asked to vote "for" or "against" every candidate running for office. The newspapers, televisions, and radio stations remind you to exercise your privilege as a Texas and vote on November 2nd. Candidates are spending many millions of dollars to convey their message to the voters. All of this is happening while the agricultural economy of Texas suffers from the worst depression since the 1930's. Low commodity prices, combined with bad growing conditions, have made 1982 the last year in business for thousands of Texas producers.

It doesn't have to be this way. We don't have to sell grain overseas at a loss. The commodity credit corporation's (CCC) loan rate for storable commodities doesn't have to be set at less than the cost of production. This year the United States of America has one of the cheapest selling price for any country that is exporting wheat. Worldwide, wheat prices range from \$3 per bushel to \$22 per bushel. Why do our producers have to sell their wheat for \$3 per bushel when the cost of production is over \$5 per bushel? Well, they don't and with a workable farm program this situation can be changed in one season.

There is only one candidate running for statewide office in Texas who is speaking to the problems of agriculture and that's Jim Hightower, the democratic nominee for Texas Agriculture Commissioner.

Jim proposes to organize producer groups to sell grain direct into overseas markets and by-pass the international grain companies who normally make all the profits on grain sales. Jim has promised to work with me to promote the alcohol fuel industry in Texas. As a member of the Texas Energy Advisory Council, the agriculture commissioner plays an important role in shaping the energy policy of Texas, and thus, the nation. Jim will ask the Texas Legislature to fund the Family Farm and Ranch Security Act which will allow farmers and ranchers to buy land through long-term, low interest loans. I helped pass this bill in the 1979 Legislature, but it's never been funded. Jim has also promised to support some type of

minimum commodity price legislation in Texas, if Washington continues to do nothing about the problems facing Texas agricultural producers.

That's why I'm supporting Jim Hightower for Texas Agriculture Commissioner. I believe that a vote for Jim is a vote for family farming and ranching in Texas.

Thank you and may God bless you all,

Dan Kubiak
State Representative
Rockdale

Father-In-Law Of Clyde

Woman Buried

Leon Copeland, 89, a Lawn resident since 1916, died at 11:50 p.m. Friday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene apparently after suffering a heart attack at his home. Services were at 3 p.m. Sunday at Lawn First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Price Mathieson officiated. Burial was in McBee Cemetery, directed by Fry Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 12, 1893, in Oklahoma, he had lived in Durant, Okla., and Pott-

boro before moving to Anson in 1906. He married Artie Blankenship June 21, 1921, in the Rogers community. He farmed on the same farm since 1916 and was a member of Lawn First Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by a son, Morris.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter; a son; a daughter-in-law, Doris Harrell of Clyde; four grandsons; two granddaughters; and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Mike Tim, Randy and Gilbert Copeland, Mike Bedford and Oran Moody.

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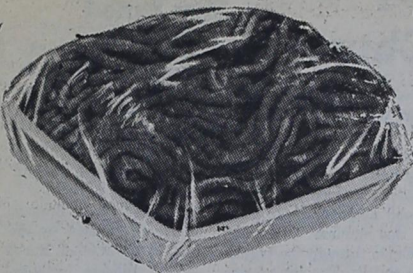
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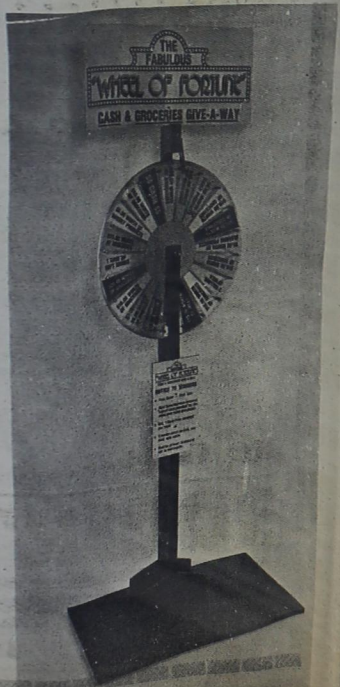
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The featured personality is Dr. James Dobson who is said by many to be the leading authority on marriage and the family in the United States. The type of

counseling benefits that one might receive from this film would cost hundreds of dollars to find.

These films are being made available to the community free of charge. It is the hope of First Baptist Church that many of our friends and neighbors will come and join us in this seminar. Children's classes are available through the regular program of the church. The church nursery will also be available.



COURTHOUSE NEWS

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Michael Dean Wilson, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

C.B. Farnes, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

Terri Deanne Tomlinson, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

Kimberly Ann Stayton, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

Gregorio G. Herrera, DWI, Sentence

Michael Lee Cullins, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

James Harold Allen, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

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Winston J. Hendenheimer, Motion to dismiss

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Kyle Howard Coleman, Motion for continuance and waiver of speedy trial

Peter Scott Ruiz, Motion to extend time, Guilty plea and application for deferral of judgement on misdemeanor traffic offense

William Fry Jr., Motion for continuance and waiver of speedy trial

A.L. Deand Jr., Motion for continuance and waiver of speedy trial

James Hayden Hargett III, Motion for continuance and waiver of speedy trial

Charles Lee Archer, Order deferring judgement and granting probation

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Robin Dianne Akers, and Douglas Wade Akers, Divorce

Linda Dianne O'Bannon and Kyle Edward O'Bannon, Divorce

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Father Of Clyde Brother Of Clydite Buried Man Buried

Robert Leon Tuggle, 57, of Snyder, a retired oil field worker, died at 6:55 a.m. Tuesday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Thursday at Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

The Rev. Ken Branam officiated, assisted by the Rev. Larry McAden. Burial was at Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Born May 14, 1925, in Munday, he married Jewell Cumbie Sept. 25, 1948, in Wink. She died Dec. 10, 1975. A World War II veteran, he was a member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter; two sons, including Robert Dean of Clyde; five brothers; and seven grandchildren.

James M. Lane, 38, of Anson died after a sudden illness at 7:15 p.m. Friday at Anson General Hospital. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Northside Baptist Church, directed by Lawrence Funeral Home.

The Rev. Haston Brewer officiated. Burial was at Mount Hope Cemetery.

Born May 24, 1944, in Gorman, he was reared

in Eastland, where his father, Roy L. Lane Sr., was district clerk for 29 years. The family moved to Anson in 1981. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Anson.

He was preceded in death by a niece.

Survivors include his parents; six brothers, including Bob of Clyde; four sisters; and 26 nieces and nephews.

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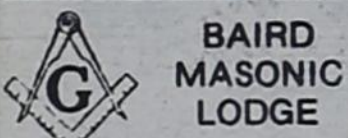
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The planned 4,250-foot test is located on a 36-acre lease.

It spots 350 feet from the north and west lines of Lot 24, A.T. Burnley Survey, A-10.

Another wildcat will be drilled in the county two miles northeast of Oplin as Spencer Petroleum Co. Houston, No. 1 Straley-Windham.

Slated for 3,700 feet, it is located on a 320-acre lease.

Drillsite is 2,300 feet from the south and 850 feet from the west lines

of George W. Denton Survey 37, A-147.

Keith D. Rising, Wichita, Kans., will drill No. 1 Howard in Callahan County Regular Field eight miles southwest of Eula.

Slated for 1,850 feet, it is located on a 958-acre lease.

Location is 150 feet the south and east lines of the northeast quarter of Section 10, Block 6, SP Survey.

SCHOOL MENU


- MONDAY
Beef-A-Roni, buttered corn, carrot sticks, hush puppies, milk, and pears.
- TUESDAY
Veg. soup, sandwiches, balogna, and peminto cheese, milk, and apple crisp.
- WEDNESDAY
Sausage w/gravy, homony, pinto beans, bread, milk, and wonder bars.
- THURSDAY
Tacos in bowl, tossed salad, milk, and cobbler.
- FRIDAY
Hamburgers w/cheese, french fries, lettuce, tom-

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Former Co. Artist Exhibits Work

Mildred Foster Jackson of Austin, Texas has been selected for the fourth year to exhibit her paintings at Cisco Junior College during the month of October as the artist of the month. Born in Comanche county, she subsequently lived in Callahan, Coleman, and Eastland counties. She has been a frequent visitor with friends and relatives in Cisco and several surrounding towns for many years.

In addition to frequent showings in her home studio, she periodically exhibits her paintings at the Municipal Auditorium and several banks in Austin. She will be showing in Wichita Falls in November, and will have a special exhibit in Austin following that.

Mildred's paintings, in oils, include such things as landscapes, flowers, birds, animals, windmills, butterflies and country scenes. One of her special joys is being commissioned to paint memorable scenes from descriptions of photographs.

All artist of the months are directed by Mrs. Oleta Shirley, Cisco Junior College Librarian. The exhibits are open to the public in Maner Memorial Library from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fridays. The public is reminded to watch for continuing exhibits. The November exhibit will feature Mrs. Annetta McNair of Avoca.

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Parents Need To Help School Bus Riders With Care And Understanding

Texas students need help getting to and from school safely on buses. Texas Safety Association's vice president for schools and colleges, Dr. Jerry Ramsey, Associate Vice President, Texas Tech University in Lubbock, today reminded motorists and school bus riders of several safety considerations for the coming school year.

Ramsey emphasized safety laws regarding buses of which automobile drivers should be aware. For instance, Ramsey pointed out, Texas law required motorists to give the right-of-way to school buses.

"If you approach a school bus from either direction and the bus is displaying alternately flashing red lights, you must stop and not pass until (1) the school bus resumes motion, or (2) the driver signals you to proceed, or (3) the red lights stop flashing," Ramsey said.

State law also directs school buses when carrying passengers, to stop at all railroad crossing to check for oncoming trains.

"Motorists should be patient while buses make these extremely important

safety checks," he said. Ramsey alerted drivers to watch for young people running to catch a bus. These youngsters may be so preoccupied with reaching the bus that they fail to look out for oncoming automobiles.

National Safety Council studies show that school buses are a safe form of ground transportation, but school bus safety is still a continuing concern, especially at bus stops. Over three-fourths of school bus transportation-related fatalities occur outside-the-bus, so bus stops are the most dangerous place children will be at all day. More than 21,000,000 pupils are bused to school in the U.S.

Parents can help keep order by being present at every stop, Dr. Ramsey says. They should warn their children to keep out of the roadway and discourage them from games or horseplay. Tragedies occur when children run or are inadvertently pushed into the path of an oncoming car.

Besides his advice to motorists, Ramsey listed

safety tips for students who ride school buses:

Take a safe route to the stop and get there on time.

Wait for the bus out of

Wait for the bus out of the street.

Take your seat quickly when boarding the bus.

Stand only if seats are unavailable.

If you must stand, hold onto the seat handholds.

Refrain from throwing objects out of the windows.

Don't be loud or participate in any horseplay.

Don't eat on the bus.

Maintain silence at railroad crossings.

When leaving the bus, don't cross in front of it, and be alert for oncoming traffic.

"School buses are a vital part of Texas' educational

system. Students must have a way to get to school before they can take advantage of the learning opportunities offered. All who come in contact with school buses must realize the importance of this transportation system and act safely and responsibly to ensure its smooth operation," Ramsey concluded.



There is no such thing as a "vintage year" for California wines because the weather there is consistently sunny and dry in the growing season.

To The Voters Of Callahan County

For most Americans, the good citizen is a person who contributes actively to the political life of the nation, rather than just passively complying with its rules.

On November 2nd we will again go to the polls to vote our convictions as a citizen of this great Nation. Although we do not have a contested local race, we do have important races in our State and Federal Governments.

The local Government is an arm of the State and Federal Government, therefore it is certainly important that we take part in selecting the individuals we desire to represent us.

I encourage all eligible voters of Callahan County to exercise this privilege guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

Sincerely,

Mack Kniffen
Callahan County Judge

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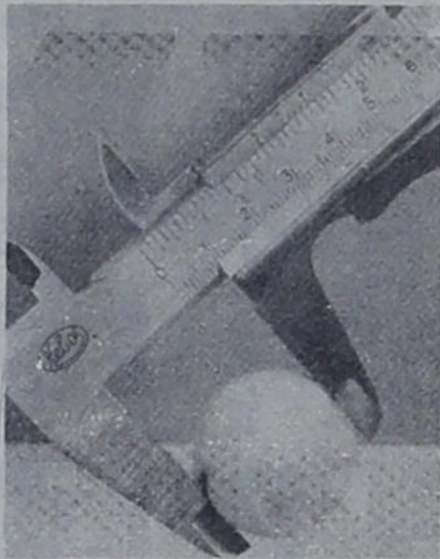
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48 Study Club Meets

The Baird '48 Study Club
met October 18 in the
home of Mrs. Lloyd Ray
Hughes. Mrs. Floyd Smau-
ley, co-hostess, opened the
meeting with a poem.

Following a short busi-
ness session, the club
enjoyed a program on
"Pastimes".

Karla Gilliland spoke

on "Smocking" and showed
beautiful samples of the
handwork. Guest speaker,
Mrs. Etta Warren, demon-
strated the various stages
in completing fabric angels
and displayed samples of
the finished statues. Carol
Williams spoke on the art
of "Crochet" and showed
a variety of lovely items,
both new and old.

Refreshments were ser-
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**NOVEMBER 14th
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Film 4—Preparing for Adolescence:
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**NOVEMBER 21st
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**NOVEMBER 28th
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Film 6—What Wives Wish Their
Husbands Knew About Women—
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(DATE TIME)

**DECEMBER 5th
6:00 p.m.**

Film 7—What Wives Wish Their
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Pageant Seeks Contestant For Miss American Co-ed

Any girl between the age of 14 and 18 who would like to receive an application and pageant information should write:

Miss Texas Co-Ed, P.O. Box 218267, Houston, Texas 77218 or call 713-556-8114. When writing, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for prompt reply.

Girls who enter and are accepted as contestants will be judged in 4 categories: application, interview, interview appearance, and evening wear appearance. The winner will be named Miss Texas

Co-Ed for 1983 and will receive her crown, banner, trophy, a \$1,000 cash award, and other gifts at the pageant which will be held Saturday evening in the Grand Ballroom of the Adams Mark Hotel. The four runners-up will also win cash awards and trophies.

There will be optional swimsuit and talent competitions with cash awards for the winners. All girls will compete for the Miss Co-Ed Academic Achievement Award, the Miss Co-Ed Volunteer Service Award, the Miss Co-Ed

Modeling Award, the Miss Co-Ed Photogenic Award, the Miss Co-Ed Personality Award, and the Miss

Texas Co-Ed Hostess Award. All winners of these competitions will receive recognition and awards.

Dinner Theatre Opens New Season

The award winning Roof Garden Dinner Theatre in Cisco will open its 1982-83 season with "Dark of the Moon", a drama by Howard Richardson and William Berney set among the superstitious mountain folk of the Smokeys. The story is based on the legend of Barbara Allen and is a blend of comedy, serious

drama, and fantasy in which music and dance play an important role. Performances will be given Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, October 28, 29, and 30, with dinner served at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$8.00 for dinner and show. For reservations call 817-442-2567 during business hours or 442-2589 after 5 p.m. and on weekends.

Pageant week-end will be exciting and full of fun, rehearsals, making new friends, gaining poise and self-confidence, and most of all, winning recognition and awards for outstanding achievement in the many areas of competition.

The pageant's theme is: "Pride of the Present... Hope of the Future" and the pageant is looking for girls who have committed themselves to excellence and service to others. Miss American Co-Ed seeks to promote and recognize these outstanding

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October 1982		COUNTY Calendar				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
				1 Baird Sr. Citizens	2	
3 Attend Church	4 48 Study Club Clyde Kiwanis, DQ 6:45 Baird Sr. Citizens Adult Ed. Classes, Baird High School 6-9	5 Garden Club Boosters 7:30 p.m. Adult Ed. Classes, Clyde Jr. High Library 6-9	6 Baird Sr. Citizens	7 Baird Kiwanis U-U 7 p.m. Putnam Sr. Citizens Cov. Dish Luncheon Adult Ed. Classes, Clyde Jr. High Library 6-9	8 Baird Sr. Citizens	9
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24 Attend Church Monthly Florida Scramble	25 City County Meeting, 7 PM Clyde Kiwanis DQ 6:45 Adult Ed. Classes, Baird High School 6-9	26 Boosters 7:30 P.M. Adult Ed. Classes Clyde Jr. High Library 6-9	27 Baird Sr. Citizens	28 Baird Kiwanis U-U 7 PM Putnam Sr. Citizens cov. Dish Luncheon Adult Ed. Classes, Clyde Jr. High Library 6-9 J.V., 7th and 8th games at Winters	29 Baird Sr. Citizens	30 Halloween Carnival, at 7 P.M.

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Free Blood Pressure Check Clinic Scheduled In Putnam

The park in Putnam was filled with kids, big and small, Saturday evening as we had a beautiful day for a picnic and games. I do believe the older kids (twenty-five years old and up) had the most fun. We played football, baseball, and volleyball. We didn't count points we just counted bruises. The team with the most bruises won.

Melton Donaway was presented a trophy from all the kids in Putnam say-

ing thanks for maintaining the park. Melton and Annie Mae donated the land for the park.

Forty-five dollars were donated for the slide.

Sharon and Guy Curtis are proud parents of a baby boy.

Mary King has been on the sick list this week after having surgery Wednesday but is reported to be recovering nicely.

Dorothy McKinney will check blood pressure on the third Wednesday of each

month at 11:30 in the Community Center.

Georgia and Brian Martin are anxious to welcome home their mother Patty and new baby sister, Judy.

Bell Speegle and Son W.D. from Fort Stockton visited with Nettie Speegle and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn McKinney Sunday.

Visiting with Annie Mae and Melton Donaway over the weekend was Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Hazlewood and Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Hazlewood.

Hubert and Dianne Donaway from Odessa attended the picnic at the park Saturday. Hubert roa-

sted the weiners.

L.C. and Charleen Donaway and Girls visited

Sunday.

Words of thought:

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WTU Purchases Gas At Lower Cost

West Texas Utilities Co. has entered a gas purchase agreement with Haskell Gathering Co. which could result in lower fuel costs at its Paint Creek Power Station.

WTU has begun taking a small volume of low But gas, and is expected to take more when the gathering firm's pipelines are extended to additional wells in Haskell and Throckmorton counties. The Paint Creek plant is on Lake Stamford in southeastern Haskell County.

The gas is cheaper than WTU's main supply, but is of lower quality, according to Walter Meller, WTU's manager of system

production.

"Because it is a lower Btu gas, it must be blended with other gas before it can be burned in our boilers," Meller said. "But we are doing everything we can to buy gas where there is a price advantage."

He said WTU is in the process of negotiating for low Btu gas at some of its other power plants. The company's contract with its principle supplier, which was renegotiated this past year, permits WTU to purchase gas from other sources, and WTU does so when it is available. The Company has eight major power plants, all of which burn natural gas as the primary fuel.

Club Members Attend Workshop

Members of the Baird Wednesday Club who attended the Mesquite District TFWC Board Meeting and Workshop held at Stamford Oct. 23 were Mrs. Archie Nichols, Mrs. James Asbury, Mrs. A.A. Manion, Mrs. Frank Cunningham, Mrs. Tom Windham, Jr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey.

Representing the Thursday Club of Clyde were Mrs. John Berry and Mrs. Jack Chambless.

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Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

We are having typical fall weather, cool mornings and warming up in the afternoons. One half inch of moisture was gauged last week from early morning clouds.

Saturday, Oct. 30th is the regular monthly supper and visitation at the Community Center. Be there at 7:30 P.M. with your supper. We welcome guests too.

Those visiting in the Gene Mauldin home Saturday were her Uncle, Jess Mauldin, his wife and daughter Susan Nicholas and her daughter Delisa of Bangs. Also Jess Mauldins daughter Annie Ray Jones of Arizona. This was the first time Gene Mauldin had seen his cousin, Annie Ray since the family moved to Arizona in 1929.

Mrs. Russell Dye and her guest, Mrs. Dorothy Holstead of Houston spent Friday in Breckenridge Mary Sayre and Ed and Betty Sayre.

Those visiting in the Raymond Gibbs home were Gaston Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wells of Baird. Also Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West of the community.

Mrs. N.V. Gibbs and Judy Steele were in Abilene Monday and stopped at West Texas Medical Center to visit Walter and Esther Rose who are medical patients there. They are both improving. Mrs. Rose entered the hospital after suffering a light stroke in her home in Cross Plains. Mr. Rose underwent surger the same day. Mrs. Curtis Springfield spent part of last week with them in the hospital. On Sunday, Bruce and Barbara Rose of Ft. Worth visited.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs has not felt well enough to visit her sister, Mrs. Rose West but hears from her each day by her family.

Those visiting Lizzie Burks and sister, Emma Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burks of Abilene and their son-in-law, Sandy Bullock. Also Robert and Bobbie Burks of Cross Plains and Mrs. Weldon Gary visited in the home.

Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Tommie Harris attended the funeral of Mertie Jones in Cross Plains last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sterling Odom had an afternoon visit with Dorothy Reynolds Monday.

Ivon Odom visited in the N.V. Gibbs home Sunday. He will be going out near Hobbs, New Mexico Wednesday where he is harvesting Milo. He reports good crops in that

area but frost is needed to dry out the grain.

Mrs. James Reynolds, along with a quartet of singers rendered a program at the Mangum Baptist Church Saturday night.

Julie Dye accompanied the Robert Watson family to the Baird-Jim Ned football game Friday night. On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Watson attended a party honoring the "Old Timers" football players in the home of Mike Hanner in Baird. Robert was one of the "Old Timers" players.

Buren Burks of Abilene visited in the Lizzie Burks home one day last week. He reported that his brother and his wife O.C. and Fay Burks were at their home for a few days while Fay was feeling better. She is a patient in a San Antonio hospital.

Ranchers To Learn About Range Burning

Callahan County ranchers interested in getting a better handle on using fire in range management are invited to attend a special program at Goldthwaite on Oct. 28.

Called a Prescribed Burning Symposium, the program will be at the Mills County Civic Center, with registration beginning at 8:30 a.m., said Gerngross, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Texas A&M staff and representatives of other state and federal agencies will be on hand to discuss various aspects of prescribed burning of ranges, with special emphasis on the proper use and effects of fire. Among considerations regarding prescribed burning and brush management, forage growth and effects on wildlife and the

environment, said Gerngross.

Various types of assistance available to ranchers interested in using fire in range management will

also be discussed.

According to Gerngross, the Extension Service has conducted three similar programs during the past few years. These have been

held at Carrizo Springs, Kingsville and Junction.

Ranchers interested in attending the program should contact the county Extension office for pre-registration materials.

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GREETINGS:
You and each of you are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m., on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 29th day of November, 1982, at or before ten o'clock a.m., before the Honorable District Court, 42nd Judicial District, Callahan County, Texas, at the courthouse in Baird, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed on the 23rd day of August, 1982, the file number of said suit being #13-717. The names of the parties in said suit are:

Crosby Energy Corporation, a Texas corporation, hereinafter called Plaintiff, and Rider Oil & Gas Company, a corporation duly incorporated and if not, Rider Oil & Gas Company, a defunct corporation, W.W. Anderson, G.A. Shaffner, F.A. Shaffner, E.N. Shaffner and Ruby Shaffner, and the officers, directors, stockholders, and agents of same, and the unknown heirs of each and every one of said directors and stockholders of Rider Oil & Gas Company, a corporation duly incorporated and if not Rider Oil & Gas Company, a defunct corporation, and the unknown heirs, spouses, legal representatives, successors, stockholders, assigns of each of the herein named persons, corporations or other entity, owners under the hereinafter described land, said parties hereinafter call Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

An action requesting appointment of a Receiver of the undivided mineral estate interests owned by said Defendants in and to the oil, gas, and other minerals under the below

described tract which undivided interests and said tract is described as follows:

Being 95 acres of land, more or less, out of the W.G. Anderson Survey, No. 777, Abstract No. 2, Callahan County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the S.E. corner of the Robert Henderson Survey:

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- THENSE W. 673 vrs. to a stake;
- THENSE N. 673 vrs. to a stake;
- THENSE W. 241 vrs. to a stake;
- THENSE N. 108 vrs. to a stake;
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Defendant, RIDER OIL & GAS COMPANY, a corporation; and if not, RIDER OIL & GAS COMPANY, a defunct corporation, and if not, RIDER OIL & GAS COMPANY, an unincorporated association, owns an undivided one-eighth (1/8ths) interest in and to the minerals in and under the land described above. Defendant W.W. Anderson, individually, owns and undivided 2.5 acres of the 95 acres to equal .0263 percent interest in an to the minerals in and under the land described above. G.A. SHAFFNER, individually, owns and undivided 1/4th of 1/8th interest in and to the minerals in and under the land described above. F.A. SHAFFNER, individually, owns an undivided 1/4th of 1/8th, interest in and to the minerals in and under the land described above. E.N. SHAFFNER, individually, owns an undivided 1/4th of 1/8th, interest in and to the minerals in and under the land described above. RUBY SHAFFNER, individually, owns and undivided 1/4th of 1/8ths, interest in and to the minerals in and under the land described above.

The place of residence of each of said Defendants is unknown and that each of said Defendants have absented themselves for at least five (5) years preceding the filing of this action and have not paid taxes on such interest with said five (5) year period.

That Plaintiff, CROSBY ENERGY CORPORATION, holds valid and existing oil, gas, and other mineral

leases covering the mineral ownership of said land except as to the mineral ownership owned by said Defendants. That unless a Receiver is appointed to execute oil, gas, and mineral leases on the minerals owned by said Defendants that Plaintiff will suffer substantial damage and injury and Plaintiff possesses no other adequate remedy to prevent the same.

That such Receiver so appointed shall under orders of the Court have the power and authority to execute and deliver to a Lessee oil, gas, and mineral leases on such outstanding mineral interests upon such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Court, and all in accordance with Article 2320-b of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas.

If this Writ is not served within ninety (90) days from the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 15th day of October, 1982.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE of said Court at office in Baird, Texas, this the 15th day of October, 1982.

Cora Mae Payne
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County Ranked 143 In Oil Production In 1981

The sale of crude oil and natural gas from Callahan County wells in 1981 enriched the county's economy and accounted for \$47.7 million of the \$44 billion value placed on Texas petroleum production last year.

In a report on the economic impact of oil and gas industry operations in the significant producing counties of Texas, Dallas-based Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association said the county ranked 143rd among Texas' 254 counties on the basis of value of its marketed petroleum production. This production includes condensate and casinghead gas.

The county's wells produced 1.1 million barrels of crude oil, valued at \$36.3 million, and 6.4 bil-

lion cubic feet of natural gas, valued at \$11.4 million. Owners of royalty in the county received \$6 million as their share of the output, the Association noted.

"Although the oil and gas industry is suffering through a slowdown in drilling—attributable in large part to a worldwide decline in demand for petroleum products—it continues to be the cornerstone of the economy of Texas and many of its counties," said the Association's chairman, Avery Rush, Jr., of Amar-

illo. "Oil and gas producers operating in Texas remain committed to the drilling of every well that is economically feasible," Rush added.

In addition to paying local, county, and state property taxes, producers in the county supported state government through production tax payments estimated at \$2.5 million, according to the Association. Crude oil taxes amounted to \$1.6 million, while natural gas levies totalled \$855,663.

Based on Texas Employment Commission figures, some 168 oil and gas industry employees in the county received wages of about \$2.4 million in 1981.

In the search for new petroleum reserved in the county oil and gas operators spent a reported \$40.1 million in drilling of 375 wells, including 36 wildcat, or exploratory,

wells. This effort resulted in the completion of 173 oil wells and 28 gas wells, although some \$13.8 million was lost in the drilling of 174 dry holes. As of April 1, 1982, there were 1,607 producing wells in the county; 1,430 oil and 177 gas.

Petroleum processing also contributed to the county economy, with four natural gasoline processing plants, having a total daily capacity of 21.9

million cubic feet of natural gas in operation.

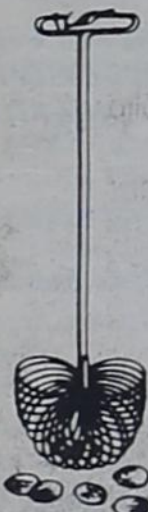
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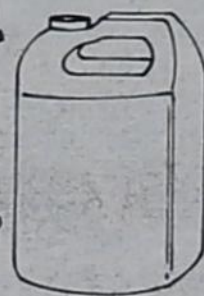
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Our organization is progressing toward our goal of \$2,700.00 to continue operation for another year. For three days, we meet, enjoying spirited games, and conversation. Sometimes no one wants to exercise, its their choice.

It is well to command again some of our loyal members and contributions without whom the program would flounder. They are Dr. R. Calvo, Pasty Clinton, Nannalu Baughman, Judy Keher, Cora Mae Payne, visitors from California, Mary and W.L. Black, also J.D. Taylor, Lee Harris, Rosa Haas, Aubrey Gibson, Judge Don Lane of Abilene, Baird Elec. by Mr. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. S.L. McElroy, W.H. Caldwell and others whose names we will mention in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gillit are on the mind and with us again as well as Kathleen Holby.

Our menus are improving well worth a morning activities as a reward.

On Nov. 3, Sheriff Bill Skinner will speak on "Rural Burglaries and Safety Tips", and DPS Patrolman Bill Russell will speak on "Senior Drivers." These talks are very impressive and artfully delivered. All members are urged to attend.

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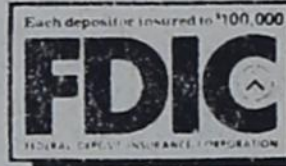


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Mattox Receives Local Endorsement From County Attorney

Jim Mattox, Democratic nominee for Texas Attorney General, has announced the endorsement of Callahan County Attorney Robert E. McCool in Mattox's race for the state's chief legal office.

"I'm glad to be supporting Jim," McCool said. "I know he will make a fine Attorney General for Texas."

McCool is among more than 140 district and county attorneys throughout Texas who have endorsed Mattox.

The endorsements represent more than two-thirds of Texas' 254 counties. District

and county attorneys in 173 counties across the state have publicly stated their support for Mattox.

"I intend to be spokesman for law enforcement in Texas," Mattox said. "We need better coordination between state and local law enforcement agencies to break out state's spiraling crime rate, and the Attorney General can be the one who leads the fight to do that."

Mattox also has been endorsed by five major law enforcement organizations in

Texas, including the statewide Combines Law Enforcement Association of Texas. He has received the endorsements of police officers' groups in Dallas, San Antonio, Abilene and Fort Worth, in the home county of his Republican opponent.

Mattox is the only candidate for At-

torney General with prosecutory experience, having served as a successful Assistant District Attorney in Dallas County.

A third-term Congressman from Dallas County, he also served two terms in the state legislature, where he was named one of the "10 Best" legislators in 1975.



HOSPITAL NOTES

BAIRD—The following persons were admitted to

Church To Hold Barbeque

The First Presbyterian Church in Baird will hold a bar-be-que lunch open to the public on November 7th from 12 noon to 2:00 p.m. in the church annex. The event is a fund raising project for the church and everyone is encouraged to take advantage of the good food and help the church raise needed funds. Plates are available for 4 adults and 2 children under 8 years of age. Tickets are available from any church member, at Young and Manion Insurance and at Harle Studio.

If you can not make it to the church, members will be delivering meals in town. Also available will be whole briskets if you are not interested in a plate lunch. For more information contact Felix Manion 854-1596 or Rev. Bob Doom 854-1914.

Callahan Memorial Hospital last week:

Albert Cline
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Elbert L. Gilmore
Dorothy Usery
Ruth Walls
Sterling Abernathy
Cecil Corley
Peal Simmons
Pauline Fulcher
Lana Park

The following persons were discharged from the Callahan Memorial Hospital last week:

Lula Lunsford
Ester South
Raynell Curtis
Ethel Vaughn

Mother Of Clyde Man Dies

Lena Means, 90, a longtime resident of Throckmorton, died Saturday afternoon at Throckmorton Hospital after a sudden illness. Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Merri-man Funeral Home.

Burial was in Throckmorton Cemetery.

Born Feb. 21, 1892, in Coleman County, she married Henry Mean Jan. 8, 1908, in Throckmorton. He died in 1959. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include three sons, including J.R. of Clyde; two daughters; nine grandchildren; sixteen great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons.



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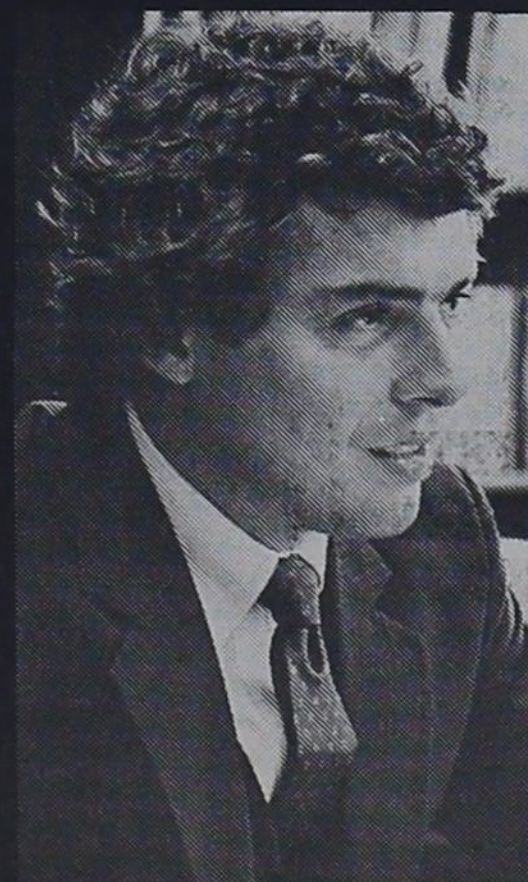
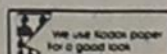
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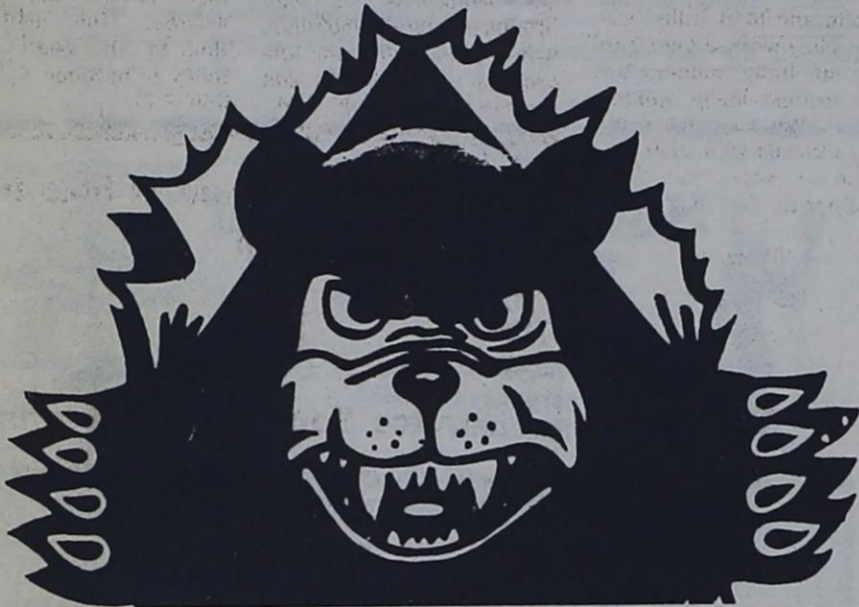
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BEAR FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Scrimmage:			
August 20	Santa Anna	There	6:00 p.m.
August 27	Roscoe	Here	6:00 p.m.
Games:			
September 4	Cross Plains (Homecoming)	Here	8 p.m.
September 10	Gorman	There	8 p.m.
September 17	Merkel	There	8 p.m.
September 24	Albany	There	7:30 p.m.
October 1	Cisco	Here	7:30 p.m.
October 8	Eastland	There	7:30 p.m.
October 15	Hawley	Here	7:30 p.m.
October 22	Jim Ned	There	7:30 p.m.
October 29	Winters	Here	7:30 p.m.
November 5	Anson	Here	7:30 p.m.
JUNIOR VARSITY			
September 9	Gorman	Here	7:30 p.m.
September 16	Merkel	Here	7:30 p.m.
September 23	Albany	Here	7:30 p.m.
September 30	Cisco	There	7:30 p.m.
October 7	Eastland	Here	7:30 p.m.
October 14	Hawley	There	7:30 p.m.
October 21	Jim Ned	Here	7:30 p.m.
October 28	Winters	There	7:30 p.m.
November 4	Anson	There	7:30 p.m.
JUNIOR HIGH			
Seventh grade plays at 5 p.m.		Eighth grade plays at 6 p.m.	
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Baird Nursing Home

We want to invite all the little Trick or Treaters to come by our home Saturday from 6:00 till 7:00 P.M. Our residents will have the treats ready for each one!

Our Oct. birthday party will be Thursday the 28th at 6:30 P.M. hosted by the Women from United Methodist Church. Please remember this date and attend.

Everyone is invited to our home on Friday the 29th at 2:00 P.M. to enjoy the Star Brite Band and visit with us.

We will have a Halloween party for our residents on Wednesday afternoon from 3:00 till 5:00 P.M.

Our prayers for a speedy recovery are sent to Laura Jobe and Delia Cox this week.

We enjoyed Bible Study on Wednesday and Thursday morning this week. Bro. Dan Wooldrige and James Radford come each week to bring these studies to our residents.

Jack Tatum, Elva Payne, Jimmie Stewart, Agnes Kennard, Beatrice Deal, Leona Baggett, Addie Beavers, Lois Price, Exa Hutchins, Cora Howell, Henrietta Brankey, and Etta Mae Bales all enjoyed playing bingo on Wednesday afternoon. Carol Maddy and Ora Mae Wilson were here to help our residents this week.

On Thursday afternoon Ila Shrader came to play Dominoes with Elva Payne, Hardy Cox and Nell Curtis.

Lillie Bailey came on Friday afternoon and played Skip-Bo with some of our residents.

Dorothy Reynolds came

to sing for our residents Saturday afternoon.

Louise Joy visited and taught Sunday School for 10 of our residents on Sunday morning. Glyndol Asbury came to play the piano for singing before Sunday School.

Members of Baird's Church of Christ came for our afternoon Worship Service.

The Estelle Brewer family from Putnam came on Monday night to sing gospel songs for our residents.

Trick Or Treaters Invited To Mall

Mall of Abilene will once again host this year's Halloween Trick or Treat on Saturday, October 30th, 6 P.M. thru 8:30 P.M. Merchants have been gathering up some goodies and are prepared to greet all of the ghosts and goblins that will be visiting stores during the evening. Radio Station KORQ-FM will also be on hand in the Q-100 Haunted Castle which will be located in the Luby's entrance wing.

Son Of Clyde Couple Promoted

Marine Lance Cp. Carlson K. Bennett, son of Don E. and Carylton S. Bennett of Route 1, Box 363, Clyde, Texas, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, Calif.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor:

We have had good response to our plea for help on suggestions for continued growth of the Baird Nutrition-Senior Citizens Program. More active participation by our community any way it is able to contribute by involving each one in some of the games, just watching while conversing or exercising, then climaxing activities with a delicious meal is invited.

Our commendation to the county officials who worked so hard for our program, the meals on wheels and continuation of the Callahan Memorial Hospital, needs to be bestowed upon

Judge Mack Kniffen the county commissioners, F.P. (Jiggs) Shackelford of Baird, Franzel Odom of Cross Plains, Lowell Johnson, Oplin and M.D. Ellis, Clyde. They worked very hard for our initial moneys and we extend deep appreciation. We also thank the city officials who tried and hope to work with them again in the future.

Sincerely,

Inez Wylie

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Eddie Childs To Attend Pushmobile

The 24th Annual Cub Scout Pushmobile Derby will be held Saturday, October 30th on the Abilene Civic Center parking lot. Hundreds of Cub Scouts and family members will be on hand for the exciting races which get underway about 2:30 P.M.


The general public are invited.

Eddie Childs, owner of the Texas Rangers Baseball Team, will be on hand to present the winners their awards. The estimated time for the awards ceremony is between 4:15 and 4:45 P.M.

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September.
County towns receiving payments were, Baird, \$896.31, Clyde, \$2,956.81, Cross Plains, \$2,812.36, and Putnam, \$520.03.

Statewide figures showed the impact in border cities of the August peso devaluation. Past devaluations have had an immediate negative impact on border sales but have returned to pre-devaluation levels within a year, Bullock noted.

"These are the declines which were predicted last month. Even though the thorns have begun to show, past experience points to recovery for the border towns with no long-term effect on the rate of growth in sales," Bullock said.

Antlerless Deer Permits Available October 29

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will issue antlerless deer permits for Callahan County Oct. 29, 1982 from 8:00 A.M.-12:00 noon and 1:00-5:00 P.M. in the County Courthouse in Baird.

A map with the antlerless deer permit issuance compartments and issuance rates will be posted in the county courthouse prior to the issuance date. To qualify for permits, a landowner must

own or control acreage equal to at least one half of the permit issuance rate of the compartment where the tract is located.

After the opening of the hunting season, permits will only be available through the Austin office and will not be issued by local department personnel. Landowners or their agents are urged to pick up permits on the scheduled issuance dates.

Decline In County Sales

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent \$35.6 million to 967 Texas cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for October.

The 1982 statewide total so far this year is up 11

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