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THE BAIRD STAR

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SUPPORT YOUR HOME TOWN

SWEET N' SOUR

By A. Dill

Are ya' havin' any fun? Well, why not? July's the time for it, the Hometown's the place for it, and you are the one for it -- looks like all the ingredients are there and all you have to do is work at it a little bit.

Maybe the best place to start that "operation summer fun" is our own municipal pool and next Friday Manager Cliff Patton has a real cool shindig planned for you -- "Old Fogle Night". You have to be 25 years old to qualify (that will exclude Jerry Loper, poor kid) and there's no limit after that. There'll be contests, prizes and fun for everyone whether he's a participant or a spectator. Some fancy suits of the gay ninety vintage will be in use -- and this we gotta' see.

Were you on hand for the gala opening of M. L. Hughes new Sporting Goods store in West Baird? It is a beautiful place, attractively decorated (we bet Earlene's artistic hand in this this part) and well supplied. It is an addition to the town that we can well be proud of.

Congratulations to Beverly Ann Koneczak whose outstanding work in Girl Scouting won her a trip to the National Girl Scout camp being held this year in Detroit, Michigan. Beverly left Monday for the first leg of her journey which was to Fort Worth to join her team partner. It will be a wonderful trip for the young lady and she'll meet and exchange ideas with scouts from all over the United States and from many foreign countries.

Our very best wishes to Tommy Vines who is in the hospital recuperating from a knife accident which severed leg arteries and necessitated surgery -- but you know the kind of a tough buckaroo Tommy is -- and this accident has only slowed him down a mite and he's doing the quickest recovery act you ever saw.

The "Brush 'n' Bucket Boys" -- Superintendent Bill K. Ford and Coach Jefferies, are still hard at it. Their job of redecorating the interior of the grade school is nearing completion. A new library has just been installed with plenty of shelf and closet space to accommodate a really fine school library. Superintendent Ford is justly pleased with this addition to the school facilities and we all agree with him that it's just what we've been needing. Perhaps happiest of all is Mrs. McElroy, librarian, who now has a spacious work room and places for planters and displays to make the place pleasant and attractive.

Mr. Virgil Hughes is one fella who has really put in the summer in behalf of better schools for the September term. He has polished, waxed, cleaned, painted, mowed, and watered and we'll just bet there isn't a school plant or ground anywhere in better repair. Mr. Hughes does it, not because it's his job but because he loves those youngsters of yours and school is close to his heart. (Love that man).

Excellent news from Weatherford, Okla., has it that our friend, Frank Gardiner, is on the mend and will return in about three weeks, and we'll all be on hand to welcome him home when that glad day arrives.

Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds entertained visitors this week, her mother, Virginia Huguely, Kay and Bubba of Hughes, Arkansas, her aunts, Mrs. Sally Eastham of Fort Worth and Mrs. Alice Black of Phoenix, Arizona.

When -- things are looking good at Glenn Rockey's new Ford building on Highway 80 -- real snazzy we'd say and should be ready for occupancy very soon -- but the think that's really attracting attention at the Ford house is that new Thunderbird -- racy lines and last minute word in high styling, it's got all of us going by for a second look.

Here's another one of those "guest editor" articles which we include to keep peace in the family. It's complete and unbridled and for fear of giving the little dear inhibitions or some of those other dreadful things they threaten parents with this day and time, we offered no suggestions, criticisms or other interferences. We let the axe fall where it would, knowing full well what the target would be -- and so -- here it is -- (If you like it, tell us, we'll glow like a neon sign, but don't tell her majesty -- it's hard enough to get along with her now).

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New and Renewal Subscriptions

Mrs. W. L. Ray, Baird
Lula Dixon, Putnam
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Mrs. Homer Driskill, Baird
W. L. Miller, San Bernardino, California
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Mrs. Harry Berry, Baird
Fred Cook, Putnam

Dates, Sites, Set For Camps

The District 8 Boys 4-H Club camp will be held at the Baptist Encampment Ground at Lake Brownwood July 16-17-18, and the 6 county camp will be held at Lake Cisco July 23-24, County Agent Glen Green announced this week.

Green said only six or seven Callahan County boys may be accepted at District 8 camp, and he urged those interested in attending to notify him by card or letter immediately. The cost will be \$4.00 per person.

Cost of attending Lake Cisco camp will be \$1.50 each, Green said, and no limit is placed on the number of boys who may be accepted for this camp. Those intending to attend should notify the county agent.

Each boy from Callahan County is asked to take with him one large loaf of bread, one large potato, one-half cup of pinto beans, a quarter of a pound of bacon, four eggs, and a large onion.

Each boy should also take a swimming suit, baseball cap, bat, glove, change of clothes, toilet articles, insect repellent, bedroll, knife, fork, spoon, tin plate and cup.

Other counties in the 6-county group are Jones, Shackelford, Stephens, Palo Pinto and Eastland.

Soil Bank Forms Now Available

Agreement forms for the new soil bank program are now available to farmers at County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation offices. They must be signed not later than July 20 if the farmer wishes to take part in the Acreage Reserve during the 1956 crop year, according to ASC State Chairman R. G. Shrauner.

Wildcats Staked In This County

Two wildcat locations have been staked in Callahan County while Coleman drew one test project.

Deeper of the Callahan tries will be Sojourner Drilling Corp. of Abilene No. 1 Tom Windham, four miles northeast of Oplin. Slated for 4,000 feet with rotary, it spots 330 feet from the south and east lines of Section 4, Block 3, SP Survey.

Four miles south of Clyde, L. A. Hedrick of Wichita Falls will drill No. 1 I. N. Jackson as an 1,800-foot rotary test.

Location is 2,197 feet from the south and 1,337 feet from the east lines of James O. Young Survey.

Two wildcats were staked in an old abandoned area two and a half miles southwest of Putnam by John H. DeFord, Trustee, of Abilene. They are slated for 750 feet.

No. 2 Arthur Beasley will spot 1,950 feet from the south and 1,640 feet from the east lines of Section 25, D&DA Survey.

No. 3 Beasley will be 1,990 feet from the south and 830 feet from the east lines of Section 25.

Sidney Harville of Ovalo, was a Baird visitor Monday.

Mrs. Bill W. Jones and children, of Lubbock, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord.

Baird Teachers Attend School

Several of Baird's 19-teacher faculty are attending various colleges during the summer, some to earn additional credit toward degrees, and others to broaden their command of the specialties, Superintendent Bill Ford said this week.

E. B. Posey, high school principal, is working at the University of Texas, on his doctor's degree in education.

Dan Overman, elementary principal, is earning credits at McMurry on a masters degree in education.

Mrs. H. G. Hamrick, home economics teacher, is at Hardin-Simmons taking work in art-crafts.

Mrs. Sidney Foy, elementary teacher, is doing additional work at McMurry.

Mrs. Ruth Bowlus, elementary teacher, is at McMurry working on a master's degree in education.

Mrs. Roberta Ross, elementary teacher, is also working on her master's degree in education. She is at Abilene Christian College.

Another teacher working on her master's degree in education is Miss Isadore Grimes.

Mrs. Lee Ivey is doing additional education work at McMurry.

Edwin L. Reese, agriculture teacher, is working on his master's degree at Texas A&M.

Ford said the entire faculty is under contract. He will have the same staff he had last year.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to acknowledge and express appreciation for the kind words and deeds rendered during the recent illness and death of our loved one.

The G. L. Harper Family.

Cafe To Be Added To Pioneer Lodge

Plans for an ultra-modern cafe to be added to Pioneer Lodge are nearing completion, Bill Weakley, owner, said this week.

The new cafe will have 2,400 square feet of floor space and will be designed to accommodate 80 persons. Rooms will be provided for private parties, the use of clubs, and similar groups.

Six Spend Holiday In County Hospital

Six persons spent Independence Day in Callahan County Hospital, but the condition of each was reported to be "good."

The unfortunate half dozen were Roy Rutledge, Mrs. E. D. Bowne, Mrs. Annie L. Brinson, H. Bailey, Mrs. G. E. Sutphen and Mrs. Frank Cunningham.

When you stop to think of it the common phrase, "friends and neighbors" seems rather incongruous. But on second thought, you know, there sometimes is a difference.

Farmers May Get Gas Tax Refund

Abilene area farmers may obtain a refund of the Federal excise tax on gasoline which is used for farming purposes by filing claims at any time after June 30 and before Oct. 1, 1956, A. E. Fogle, Jr., Administrative officer of the Abilene office, Internal Revenue Service has announced today.

Forms are available in Abilene at the Internal Revenue office, from county agents, and at some banks and post offices.

Former Clyde Man Heads Rotary Club

Olaf G. South, formerly of Clyde and former superintendent of schools at Baird, was installed as president of the Sweetwater Rotary Club this week.

Other officers installed were: George Leonard, vice president; Charles Paxton, secretary-treasurer; Davis Clark, assistant secretary-treasurer; Rev. C. A. Holcomb Jr., chaplain; Ed Darley, sergeant at arms; M. C. Manroe, assistant sergeant-at-arms.

Insurance Reform Author Announces For State Senate



Floyd Bradshaw

In announcing as a candidate for State Senator of the 22nd district composed of Callahan, Clay, Denton, Eastland, Jack, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Stephens and Wise counties, I humbly submit the following information concerning my eight years experience as a member of the House of Representatives from Parker County.

I have served on the appropriations, public health, insurance and many other important committees. I have been honored with the position of chairman of education, claims and accounts; chairman of sub-committee of appropriations committee that provided money for the operation of our many state-supported senior and junior colleges.

During the past six years I have sponsored many insurance reform measures. Seven of them have been written into law and played an important part in bringing about proper safeguard for the investing public. As a member of the education committee for eight years, and having served as chairman, I have authored many bills necessary for the economic operation of our schools.

It has been my opinion that a member should be aware and as well informed as possible on all phases of state government. I was author of the constitutional amendment allowing Texas as Soldiers in the armed forces the right to vote; two bills last session that repealed several hundred special conflicting laws that caused our county officials and attorney general department confusion and expense.

As your Senator I would try at all times to uphold the honor and trust bestowed on me and continue to work for constructive legislation to adequately provide for the multitude of necessary state services in a sound common sense manner.

I am a graduate of a Senior college, a veteran, married, have four children, member of Christian church, 46 years of age and physically fit to carry on an active campaign for that which is right and honorable both in and out of the Texas Senate in so far as my duties are concerned.

I will deeply appreciate your help, vote and confidence and will make every effort to visit with you.

Floyd Bradshaw
Weatherford, Texas

Rites For Daughter Of Mr.-Mrs. Freeman

Mrs. L. V. Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Freeman of Clyde, died in a Gorman hospital Monday after an illness of several months.

She had lived in Rising Star eight years, where she had been employed by Kizer Telephone Co. until she became ill six months ago.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with G. A. Dunn, Church of Christ minister, officiating. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery.

SPANISH-IRISH
One of the strange phenomenon of history is the ancient affinity between the Spanish and the Irish. The history of many a Central and South American country is brighter for Irish names. From 1767 to 1770 Texas had a Spanish governor named Hugo O'Connor, and when it was too late to do any good, Spain sent Juan (John) O'Donohue (Odonohu) to be viceroy of New Spain (Mexico).

Lions Have New Officers

When the Baird Lions Club resumes meetings, following the Independence Day recess, a new corps of officers will be directing the organization.

The new staff of officers, installed by Deputy Governor Charles Hogsett of Merkel, includes:

Ray Black, president
Randall Jackson, 1st vice president
Leslie Bryant, 2nd vice president

Irvin Corn, 3rd vice president
Steve Warren, secretary-treas.
Lloyd Jones, tall twister.

Vance Stephenson, Lion Tamer
M. A. Clise, one-year director
Terrell Williams, one-year director

Roy Gilbreath, one-year director
M. C. McGowen, two-year director

L. C. Cash, two-year director.
Directors will meet after the next regular session of the club to discuss the organization's program for the coming year.

Mary Robbins Family Unites

Mrs. Mary Robbins, of Austin, and her children held a family reunion in the home of her son, W. A. Robbins and family in Baird Sunday.

At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shackelford, Tommy and Dan, of Mesa, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Goodman, and Reta Ann, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Waggoner, David, Beverly and Billy, from Texas City; Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Golladay, Mary and Roy, from Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davies, Mrs. Mary Robbins and Sidney A. Robbins, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robbins and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Robbins, Ronald and Thomas of Baird.

Guests present were: Mrs. Della Waggoner of Baird, Mrs. N. H. Hatley and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hatley and children of Abilene.

Four Clyde Youths Enlisted By Navy

Enlistment of four Clyde men in the Navy has been announced by the recruiting substation at Abilene.

The new sailors are: Jack Allen Goble, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goble, Route 2, John Edward Presley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Presley, Box 35, Howard Wayne Henson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Henson, John Marvin Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris, Route 2.

Absentee Voting To Begin Monday

The calendar will cut one day from the period for absentee voting this year. Absentee votes may be cast between July 8-24 inclusive, but July 8 is Sunday.

Mrs. Charles L. Robinson, county clerk, said Monday is the first day ballots will be accepted at her office. Ballot mailed to her will be accepted if postmarked July 8.

Mrs. Steen's Mother Dies In Louisiana

The Harry Steens received word Friday of the death of Mrs. D. Levy, 94, mother of Mrs. P. C. Steen. Mrs. Steen went to Rayne, La., more than a year ago to care for her mother, who had been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. Levy was buried in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Saturday.

METHODISTS MEET

Northwest Texas Conference Methodists youth will gather at McMurry college at Abilene for their annual youth assembly, July 9, to July 14.

Theme for the assembly is "For The Facing Of This Hour." Assembly hymn is "God Of Arise And God Of Glory."

Baird Girls Sign For Summer School

Three Baird students have registered for McMurry College's eighth annual summer band and twirling school to be held on the McMurry campus July 15-23.

They are Louanna Ault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ault, Rt. 1; Virginia Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barnes, 607 Vine St.; and Sarah Ellen Hatchett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hatchett of Star Rt. 1.

Yvonne Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Caldwell of 445 Walnut St., will again serve on Bynum's staff of 22 instrumental music and twirling teachers. Miss Caldwell, a junior at McMurry, will give instruction in twirling.

This Explains How Come It

Texans have a right to be three times as independent as the rest of the country; Texas has three Independence Days, two gained by force of arms and one by joint resolution of the Congresses of Texas and of the United States.

Historically, Texas' first Independence Day came Sept. 16, 1810 when Father Miguel Hidalgo Castilla, parish priest of Dolores, began the war which, nearly 11 years later, made Texas independent of Spain.

Next came an incident in an ramshackle farm building, with a cold wind driving the rain through the cracks, when two Texans and a delegation of colonists from the United States declared Texas independent from Mexico. That was March 6, 1836. That involved a lot of shooting, too.

Ancient Swim Suits Fogey Night Feature

Prizes for the oldest bathing suits and to the oldest swimmers will be among the awards made at the municipal swimming pool Old Fogle's Night July 13, Cliff Patton, manager said. These prizes, as in other categories, will be presented to both men and women.

The pool will be closed, for that occasion, to persons under 25. Those admitted will be divided into four groups, men and women between 25 and 40 and those older than 40.

Yes sir, things sure change. A president of the United States once questioned whether the federal government had a constitutional right to build roads. He was a top-hand lawyer named Andrew Jackson.

Candidate Sees Gulf Water As Dust Bowl Preventative

Lack of water is a real threat to the 17th Congressional District. Dust bowls are on the way back, Dan Kralls, Candidate for Congress believes.

We are going to run out of water if we don't act. There is a critical shortage in this district. Dust storms follow a period of sparse rainfall, that produces dry soil and critical water shortages. The water table is getting lower and lower. Our underground water supply are being seriously depleted.

Water conservation storage in our streams must be more fully and better developed with better flood-control reservoirs. Since we cannot rely on our fast-diminishing underground water reserves in this district, we must store and conserve the surface water in our streams and rivers. In this district flood-control and water supply storage can both be accomplished by one properly designed dam. Our first step will be found in an expanded reservoir building program. Water is the first prerequisite to continued economic growth in our district. Small dams are not the answer to our problem. The water in these dams evaporates and reduces the amount that can come downstream and sink into the soil and charge the earth downstream.

A water resource program is necessary not only to meet the present needs but also the future needs of this district. This program will go hand in hand with bigger and better soil conservation program.

The final answer lies in making fresh water out of sea water from the Gulf of Mexico and piping it into our district and other parts of the dry West.

The French are using some of our tax dollars to purify five million gallons of sea water daily for irrigation purposes. We can do it too. We can do this on a basis whereby it can be made very reasonable and economical.

We can not move forward without water in this region and there is an unlimited supply waiting to be used in the Gulf of Mexico.

This is not an impractical answer, but on the contrary the only practical solution to our whole water problem. The initial investment will be costly, but what isn't these days.

Race Costs Report Filed

Running for public office can run into money.

Reports of campaign expenditures by candidates for nomination in the July 28 primary, filed this week with the county clerk, showed expenditures to date by candidates run from the top of \$633.50, spent by Tee Baulch, to the flat nothing reported by Bert Brown, running for constable at Cross Plains.

Other expenditures reported to County Clerk Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson were:

Clovie McCollum, candidate for county commissioner, precinct three, \$234.22.

L. B. Lewis, candidate for county attorney, \$562.49.

Homer Price, candidate for sheriff, \$604.49.

I. G. Mobley, county commissioner, precinct three, \$211.52.

Scott Bryant, county commissioner, precinct one, \$417.44.

L. D. Maynard, constable at Putnam, \$5.00.

Joe C. Alphin, constable at Baird, \$5.00.

Mrs. Robinson said candidates are required by law to file a second report of expenditures a short time before election day.

Callahan Gets Field Producer

Jack Speed of Abilene completed No. 3-A John Berry as a new Callahan county regular field producer two miles north of Clyde in Section 69, BBB&C Survey.

Daily potential was 22.35 barrels of oil, pumping from six perforations at 1,641-55 feet. Total depth was 1,993 feet, with casing set at 1,691.

V. C. Perini, Jr., and J. D. Sanderfer, Jr., No. 1 N. H. Stephenson, wildcat two miles northwest of Falls in Section 32, Block 8, SP Survey, was plugged at 1,394 feet.

Six miles west of Clyde, Paramount Oil Inc., of Abilene, plugged No. 1 Ray A. Young at 2,010 feet. It is in Section 6, Block 8, SP Survey.

Candidate Visits With Baird Voters

J. Evetts Haley, rancher-historian, who is running for the Democratic nomination for governor, paid a flying visit to Baird and community early this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Haley. He is the first candidate for governor known to have visited this section of the state.

Haley, an ardent states-righter and a bitter enemy of federal encroachment upon local affairs, expressed optimism of his chances for nomination.

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The first commissioner of the General Land Office was John P. Borden, brother of the man who invented condensed milk, Gail Borden.

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17-tf-c

FOR SALE—2 lots. Roy Bryant.
23-tf-c

FOR SALE—125 cage layers with 17 and 9 week old replacements, 168 cages. T. H. Patterson. Phone 9145.
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25-4-P

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FOR RENT—Dwelling with bath and Texaco Service Station. See Jack Nobles anytime after 6 p. m. or on Sunday.
24-tf-c

Rowden Round-Up

Thelda Crow

The Rowden Baptist Church honored Miss Mary Alice Applin with a surprise bridal shower and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and sons with a surprise going-away party Wednesday night. Mary Alice received many nice gifts and the Lovells were given a beautiful bedspread, towels and pillow cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary, of San Angelo, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda Sunday night and Monday.

The Intermediate Training Union girls and boys enjoyed a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and sons last Thursday night. Games were played and ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Gibbs and son, of Odessa, visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Smith visited Mrs. Anthony Sikes Monday morning.

Everyone surely hates to have the Lovells leave our community. They will surely be missed.

Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda visited in Clyde Saturday with Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth.

The Rowden women met at the Community Center Wednesday and quilted. The day was enjoyed very much by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adair are parents of a new baby girl.

Mrs. Anny Miller visited Mrs. Warren Price one day last week.

This is probably the first time in medical history that so many people developed ulcers from one man's heart and abdominal troubles.

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If you are overweight, here is the first really thrilling news to come along in years. A new and convenient way to get rid of extra pounds easier than ever, so you can be as slim and trim as you want. This new product called DIATRON curbs both hunger and appetite. No drugs, no diet, no exercise. Absolutely harmless. When you take DIATRON you still enjoy your meals, still eat the foods you like but you simply don't have the urge for extra portions and automatically your weight must come down, because, as your own doctor will tell you, when you eat less, you weight less. Excess weight endangers your heart, kidneys. So no matter what you have tried before, get DIATRON and prove to yourself what it can do. DIATRON is sold on this GUARANTEE: You must lose weight with the first package you use or the package costs you nothing. Just return the bottle to your druggist and get your money back. DIATRON costs \$3.00 and is sold with this strict money back guarantee by:

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Melba Jean Tyson Weds William Dyer

Rev. Riley Fugitt, former Baird pastor, solemnized the marriage of Melba Jean Tyson and William A. Dyer, in a double ring ceremony at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Buford Tyson in Baird June 16.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dyer of Anson. Vows were recited before an improvised altar of white glad-toll and stock.

The bride's brother, James Ry-lee Tyson, gave her in marriage. She wore a white eyelet embroidered batiste street length dress over taffeta. Her pearls were a gift from the bridegroom.

The shoulder length veil was attached to a seed pearl coronet. She carried white glameillas and ivy on a white Bible.

The bride's attendant, Virginia Stevens, was dressed in pink acetate over pink taffeta and styled similar to the wedding gown. Her accessories were pink and she carried pink glameillas.

Candlelighter was Mrs. Mary Mae Cluskey, aunt of the bride from Midland Ray Bertrand of Stamford was best man.

Martha Payne accompanied Vergie Stevenson who sang "Bill" and "Whither Thou Goest."



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Down Memory Lane

The Baird Star July 10, 1908
MARRIED: Lambert-Williams.
 At the Baptist Parsonage Wed-
 nesday evening July 8th, 1908 at
 8:30 p. m. Mr. Ed Lambert and
 Miss Willie Williams were united
 in marriage by the Rev. J. M.
 Joiner. The Star joins the
 friends of the happy couple in
 extending congratulations and
 good wishes for their future
 happiness and prosperity. In
 the words of Rip Van Winkle,
 "May They Live Long And Pros-
 per."

The Baird Star, Friday,
 August 7th, 1908
MARRIED: At the home of the
 bride on Monday August 3rd,
 1908 at 9 a. m. in the presence
 of only a few witnesses, the mar-
 riage vows were solemnized be-
 tween Mr. M. W. Uzzell and Miss
 Ada Cooke, their pastor the Rev.
 J. M. Joiner officiating.

At the residence of Mr. and
 Mrs. Marvin Terry at 6 o'clock
 August 5th, 1908. Mr. John Cole
 and Miss Mabel Tisdale were un-
 ited in marriage by the Rev. J. M.
 Chambliss.

The Baird Star, Friday,
 Nov. 27th, 1908
MARRIED: Crutchfield-Nelson
 Mr. G. W. Crutchfield and Miss
 Alice Nelson, both of Baird, were
 married Sunday Nov. 22nd,
 1908 the Rev. J. M. Joiner offi-
 ciating; The Star extends con-
 gratulations and good wishes to
 the young folks.

MARRIED: McManis - Gillett,
 Mr. G. R. (Cliff) McManis and
 Miss Minnie Gillett were mar-

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ried at the home of the bride's
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E.
 Gillett, Sunday Nov. 22nd, 1908,
 the Rev. Watley officiating.
 The Star extends best wishes to
 Cliff and his bride, may they
 live a long and happy life.

NOTE: To those of the above,
 who are still with us, may we
 say in all candor that we feel
 that Baird had benefited by
 your presence during the inter-
 vening years, so here's a cherry
 hello to Ed, Willie, Ada, Alice,
 Cliff and Minnie.



IT'S THE LAW
 in Texas
 A public service feature
 of the State Bar of Texas

What do we mean when we
 say that in the United States
 we have a "government of law"
 and not a "government of men"?
 Basically we mean that we have
 certain individual rights, guar-
 anteed by our federal and state
 constitutions and laws, which
 may not be denied by any gov-
 erning body.

The early American colonists
 had their fill of government by
 men, and the Declaration of In-
 dependence, signed 180 years
 ago, set out their complaints
 against that type of government
 and revealed their belief in a
 principle which we now accept
 as basic to our American way
 of life.

The indictments set out in the
 document against George III of
 Great Britain charged him with
 numerous violations of that
 principle. Among the complaints
 enumerated are the following:

Wrongs Cited

"He has dissolved Representa-
 tive Houses repeatedly, for op-
 posing with manly firmness his
 invasions on the rights of the
 people."

"He has obstructed the admin-
 istration of justice, by refusing
 his assent for laws for establish-
 ing judicial powers."

"He has made judges depend-
 ent upon his will alone, for the
 tenure of their offices, and the
 amount and payment of their
 salaries."

"He has refused his assent to
 laws, the most wholesome and
 necessary for the public good."

"He has combined with others
 to subject us to a jurisdiction
 foreign to our constitution, and
 unacknowledged by our laws,
 giving his assent to their acts
 of pretended legislation . . . For
 depriving us, in many cases, of
 the benefits of trial by jury . . .

For transporting us beyond
 seas to be tried for pretended of-
 fences . . . For taking away our
 charters, abolishing our most
 valuable laws, and altering fun-
 damentally the forms of our
 governments . . . For suspending
 our own legislatures, and declar-
 ing themselves invested with
 power to legislate for us in all
 cases whatsoever."

Ready To Fight

Our forefathers who subscrib-
 ed to the principles of the Decla-
 ration of Independence were
 willing to fight for their beliefs.
 The Revolutionary War follow-
 ed, dragging through weary
 years of suffering and suspense.
 Each of us takes pride in their
 eventual triumph over gigantic
 obstacles.

In 1787, when the framers of
 our Constitution met at Inde-
 pendence Hall in Philadelphia,
 where the Declaration of Inde-
 pendence had been signed 17
 years previously, they set to work
 to create a system of checks and
 balances in government which
 was to perpetuate the funda-
 mental theory mentioned in the
 preamble of the earlier docu-
 ment:

"We hold these truths to be
 self-evident: That all men are
 created equal; that they are en-
 dowed by their Creator with cer-
 tain unalienable rights; that
 among these are life, liberty, and
 the pursuit of happiness.

"That to secure these rights,
 governments are instituted
 among men, deriving their just
 powers from the consent of the
 governed . . ."

Some 5 years later, the first
 ten amendments to our Consti-
 tution were adopted at one time,
 specifically detailing various ba-
 sic civil rights stemming from
 the underlying theory of the De-
 claration of Independence.

Our courts day by day guard
 these rights for us.

The public prints delight in
 having people throwing bomb-
 shells into various and other-
 wise placid public events. Just
 what is a bomb-shell?

Rescue 'Victim' Make-up Emphasizes Realism



MAKE-UP MAN Jack Newlin, an instructor at the Federal Civil
 Defense Administration's Olney, Md., rescue school, applies finish-
 ing touches to some volunteer rescue "victims." The rescue school,
 opened in August 1951, has graduated thousands of students who be-
 came rescue instructors back in their home towns. (FCDA Photo)

Rabies Epidemic Said Under Control

Fox rabies epidemics in sev-
 eral West Texas counties have
 seemingly been controlled for
 the rest of the summer, State
 Health Commissioner Henry A.
 Holle has reported.

Dr. Holle said his optimistic
 estimate of the worrisome situa-
 tion in Presidio, Kinney, Brew-
 ster and Schleicher counties was
 based on a decrease in the num-
 ber of fox heads coming into
 the State Health Department
 laboratory for diagnosis, and
 the fact that local health autho-
 rities in the counties have all
 reported "excellent" cooperation

in county-wide rabies control
 campaigns.

Increasing incidence of fox
 rabies in West Texas began early
 this spring. Prior to that time
 the area had been practically
 free of the infection.

Human exposures to mad
 foxes have occurred, and live-
 stock losses have been reported.

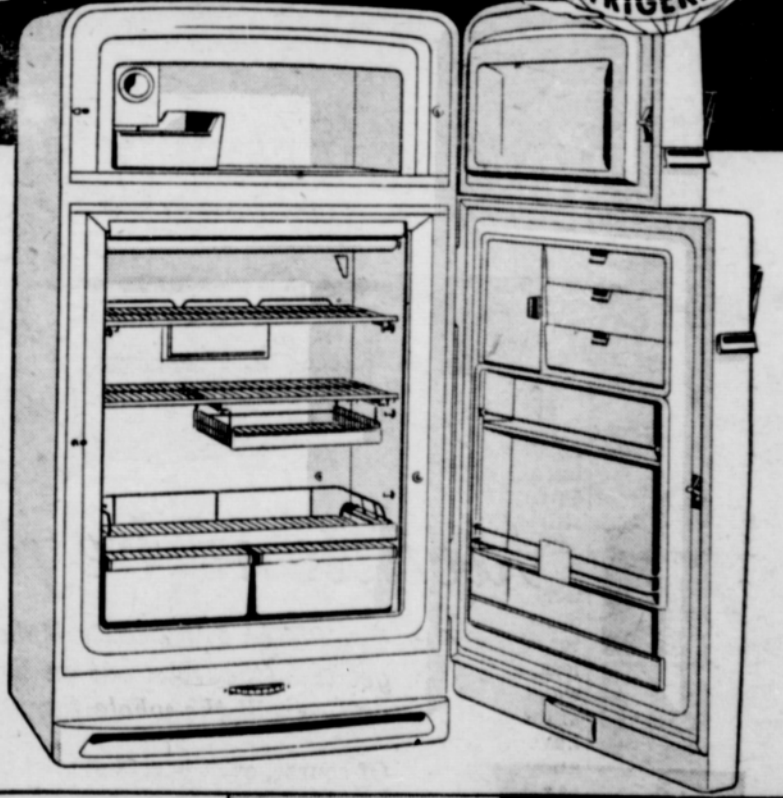
That recalls a story they tell
 about Lieut. Gen. Lewis B. Her-
 shey, Selective Service director.
 He was talking of Texas to a
 group of his officers and told
 them, "The annual rainfall of
 Texas is 10 inches. You gentle-
 men ought to be down there the
 day they have it."

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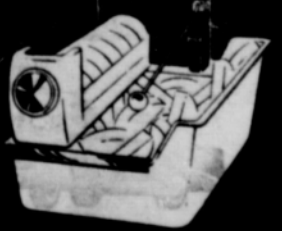
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Washington's ignorance of Texas is not a matter of recent development. The order naming Fort Sam Houston referred to "Samuel" and cited him as "first governor of the state. Gen. Houston was Texas' seventh governor.

HOME FOLKS AND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton P. Smith of Glendale, California, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Tee Baulch and Mr. Baulch. The Smiths, Mr. and Mrs. Baulch and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton, Ann and Tommy, spent the 4th in Lamesa visiting relatives.

Mrs. Will Young of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. Ella Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rice and daughter, of Taft, visited Mrs. Estelle Emmerson and Mrs. Shelton during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry, Ellen and Carl, of Chula Vista, Calif., visited in the Will Walls home last week. Gayle Walls returned home with them for an extended visit.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield, Carol and Susan, of Denver, Colorado, are visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.

The Donald Meltons of Breckenridge visited relatives and friends in Baird one day last week.

Miss Gayle Walls of Odessa spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Walls.

Mrs. Warren Fillmore and children have returned to their home in Oklahoma City, Okla., after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denney.

Sterling Reynolds and children and Mrs. Glen Boyd spent last week in New Mexico and visited Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. Roy Denney, Linda Sue, Mrs. Grover Maxwell and children spent the week end in Fort Worth. Linda Sue Denney, Mary Lynn and Buddy Maxwell remained in Fort Worth for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and daughter of Abilene visited Mrs. Jake Shelton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Payne and Leonard visited relatives in Wichita Falls during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Baulch have returned to their home in Wichita Falls after spending two weeks here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin went to Fort Worth last week

end to visit relatives. While there Mrs. Martin suffered a heart attack and is in St. Joseph's hospital. She is reported to be in serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord spent the Fourth in Sipe Springs with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Humphries.

The Marvin Swinson family of Hamilton and the Johnny Swinson family of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swinson. Little Sue Ann Swinson of Fort Worth remained for an extended visit with her grandparents.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Fort Stockton visited friends here during the week end.

Wilburn Voschelle of San Angelo visited former classmates and friends in Baird during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bihartz left on their vacation the first of the week. They plan to visit in Mississippi.

Bill Hart of San Angelo, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

Mrs. Roy Williams returned home from Midland last Wednesday. She had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Murrle Easter and family and helping care for her grandson, Bob, who had been a patient in Midland Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sparks and son, Jimmy Dean of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Todd, Davy and Bill of Wichita Falls, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bihartz and son and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bihartz and children, all of Dallas, spent several days last weeks with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bihartz.

Word has been received in the Star office that Mrs. Othel Curtis of Austin, sister of Eldon Vines, has been in an Austin hospital for the past three weeks. Mrs. Curtis was to have undergone surgery July 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath spent the week end at Buchanan Lake.

It's really a comforting thought that no politician is as wonderful as he says he is, or as triflin', sorry, and no-count as his opponent would have us believe.



Carolyn McClenny Weds Edwin Cotton In Ballinger Church Saturday Night

Carolyn McClenny and Edwin Cotton of Aspermont were married Saturday night in the First Methodist Church in Ballinger. Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McClenny of Ballinger, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde.

A sunburst arrangement of calla-lilies centered the altar. On either side were large brass candle holders with burning candles. White candles in branched candelabra, entwined with emerald ferns and clusters of white pom-poms lighted the scene. The wrought iron prie dieu formed the focal point.

Wedding music was played by Mrs. Bob Bartlett. She accompanied Mrs. Darris L. Egger of Hamlin who sang "Because" and "O Promise Me."

Entering with her father, who gave her in marriage, the bride wore a gown of white imported chantilly lace over white crystal-ette. The bodice was fashioned with a decollete neckline, outlined by appliques of the lace in a flower and petal motif encrusted with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The brief sleeves accented the matching opera length gauntlets. From the waistline flowed an apron effect panel of the lace. The full skirt of imported silk illusion fell from the lace panels.

Her imported, fingertip length veil of white silk illusion fell from a petal-shaped cap of lace encrusted with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The bride carried a colonial bouquet of white roses and stephanotis centered with a white orchid. She wore a pearl necklace, a gift from her great aunt, Mrs. Earl Jones of Fort Worth, a pearl bracelet which had belonged to her great grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Hiner, and earrings which were a gift from the bridegroom.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Harvey Beckendorf of Alta Loma and bridesmaids were Patsy Maberry of McCauley and Geneva Knox of Fort Worth, cousin of the bride. They were identically attired in gowns of white nylon laval over pastel blue taffeta fashioned with decollete neckline. They wore circular veils with chenille dot trim and they carried colonial bouquets of yellow roses backed with blue and white lace and showered with blue ribbons.

Connie Cotton of Pecos, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. She wore a ballerina length gown of blue brocaded taffeta. Her headdress was a bandeau of blue and white carnations. Ring bearer was Edwin Ault, of Baird, nephew of the bridegroom.

Candles were lighted by Patsy Rogers of Llano, cousin of the bride, and Georgia McDonnell of Hamlin. They wore pale yellow gowns made similar to the bridal attendants, and wristlets of yellow roses.

Connard Cotton of Pecos attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Bill Teel and Wesley Robbins, both of Aspermont. Ushers were Truman Sherrod and Burl Jameson, both of Aspermont.

A reception was held in the church parlors. The bride's table was laid with a white nylon net cloth bound with white satin over pale blue satin, and was accented with clusters of wedding bells tied with yellow and blue ribbons. The attendants bouquets centered the table.

Serving the cake were Mrs. J. L. Ault of Baird and Mrs. L. C. Daugherty. Mr. Bill Stultz and Mrs. Jack Ashton ladled punch. Patsy Rogers and Georgia McDonnell registered guests.

When the couple left for a wedding trip, the bride was wearing a light blue orlon and cotton dress with a matching jacket with white trim. She wore white accessories and the orchid from the bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Cotton was graduated from Ballinger High School and received her bachelor of music from North Texas State College. She has been teaching public school music at Hamlin the past two years. Cotton is a graduate of Clyde High School. He received his bachelor of science degree from Abilene Christian College, and his masters degree from Hardin-Simmons University. He was in the 8th Air Force for 32 months serving overseas for 22 months.

The couple will be at home in Aspermont where he is head football coach. Mrs. Cotton will teach in Aspermont schools. Out-of-town guests for the

wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Connard Cotton and children of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ault and children of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Keene and daughter, Glenda, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Knox, Mr. L. B. Hiner, all of Fort Worth; Mrs. Raymond Rogers of Llano.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton were hosts at the rehearsal dinner at the Acapulco Cafe Friday evening. Approximately 25 attended.

Baird Woman's Aunt Succumbs At Rotan

Mrs. Minnie D. Poe, 81, of Hamlin, an aunt of Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield, died Monday in a nursing home at Rotan. She had been ill 18 months.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church with Rev. Darris Egger, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hamlin East Cemetery under direction of Hamlin Funeral Home.

Mrs. Poe was born in Killeen Nov. 7, 1874, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fleming. She was married in 1904 to W. J. Poe in Carbon.

She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Pallbearers were Don Lock, Ira Clemens, C. J. Hyer, Paul Goodgame, Kelly Scott and Herschel Phillips.

Survivors are nephews and nieces.

DAN KRALIS

Candidate for United States Congress United States Representative

17th Congressional District Democratic Ticket



WARNING

THE RUSSIA-CHINA AXIS

While our politicians are giving our money away to our foreign friends and taxing us to death to the delight of the Red Chinese and Russians, you might be interested in what Dimitry Z. Manvilsky stated at the Lenin School of Political Warfare in Moscow in 1931.

'War to the hilt between Communism and Capitalism is inevitable -- We shall begin (1951-1961) by launching the most spectacular peace movement on record. There will be -- unheard of concessions. The capitalist countries, stupid and decadent, will rejoice to cooperate in their own destruction. They will leap at another chance to be friends. As soon as their guard is down, we shall smash them with our clenched fist.'

It is not too late for we the people to get more statesmen into Congress and fewer federal governmental politicians.

We cannot pin our hopes on the false friends and bogus peace promises.

We need refreshing representation in Congress. Spokesmen, for the people. Stop giving our billions away. We better have the atomic weapons, aircraft, and missiles to take care of any emergency. If we don't have, we should find out what our politicians have been doing all these years with our money and our liberties.



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 - FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE**
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 - FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**
42nd Judicial District
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 - FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:**
Tee Bauch
 - FOR SHERIFF:**
Homer Price
 - FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT ONE:**
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 - FOR STATE SENATOR**
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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

Mrs. H. A. Pruet
BROTHER OF MARK BURNAM BURIED IN SPUR TUESDAY

H. L. Burnam was buried in the Spur Cemetery Tuesday.

He was born in Hunt County in 1881. He grew up and lived in the Union community for about 35 years, moving to Spur where he resided until his death.

He is survived by his wife and four sons, Cecil, Travis and J. S., all of California, and Hoyt of Tulsa; two daughters, Mrs. Roy Mitchell of White Flat and Mrs. Mansfield of Bogalusa, Louisiana; five brothers: Lige, of Cisco, John of Stanton, Jess of Idalou, Redge of Lubbock and Mark of Putnam; two sisters: Mrs. Lennis Woods of Lubbock and Mrs. Lucille Kelly of Cisco.

MRS. ANDY MOSLEY IS SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. Andy Mosley, the former Terecia Speegle, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams.

Gall Williams greeted guests and Nettie Lu Donoway, niece of the bride, presided at the bride's book.

The table was laid with an imported white linen table cloth with cut work. White candles were at each end and the punch bowl was nestled in green ferns with sweet peas intermingling.

Betty Jo Rutherford and Jo Everet served the guests.

Hostesses were Mes. Louie Williams, L. A. Williams, Douglas Fry, I. G. Mobley, Fred Heyser, R. L. Clinton, Vena Shackelford, E. C. Waddell, R. D. Williams, Misses Betty and Laverne Rutherford and Gall Williams.

TERECIA SPEEGLE AND ANDY MOSLEY WED

Terecia Speegle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle of Putnam, and Andy Mosley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mosley of Cisco, were united in marriage June 26.

Rev. L. A. Sublett performed the ceremony at Avoca.

Mr. Mosley is serving in the Navy. They left Tuesday for Alameda, California, where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and family spent Sunday in the Nugent community visiting relatives.

Floyd and Edrie Buchanan of Anson were visiting his mother, Mrs. R. L. Buchanan Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee White and son, Carl, spent the week end in Madill and Coleman Oklahoma, visiting relatives and attending a homecoming at Coleman Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Jobe spent Sunday with her mother in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jones and family, of Moran, were visitors with the Homer Pruets Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon are in New Mexico spending several days with Mrs. Brandon's brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Abernathy and Stanley Culwell spent the week end at Richland Springs.

Mrs. Mary Ramsey was in the hospital at Baird for a few days this week, but is home now and better.

Gall Williams spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams.

Benton Pruet and family, of Clyde, were visitors with the Homer Pruets Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins of Corpus Christi are visiting his sister, Vena Shackelford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet and son, Mike, of Cross Plains, were visiting the Ellison Pruets Saturday. They were just returning from a vacation in the Ozarks.

Laverne Rutherford was a patient in the Baird hospital for a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey visited in Cottonwood Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Brown and family, of San Antonio, were week end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Culwell of San Antonio were visiting relatives and friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Brandon of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Mitchell and family, of Longview, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon Saturday night.

Mrs. William Drunin (better known as Mary Guyton and wife of Dr. Drunin) and two sons are visiting her mother, Mary Guyton. Mrs. Drunin is enroute to her home in Long Beach, California, from Boston, Massachusetts, where she and the family have been residing for a year while Dr. Drunin was in Harvard University.

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Mrs. R. L. Clinton visited her son, Robert Clinton and family of Snyder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McManus of Baird were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon.

Chris and Earl Sunderman of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman last Saturday.

Mrs. Reed Francisco and son, Jimmy, of Grand Prairie, are spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Chatham of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco of Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Williams and family, of Wichita Falls, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank.

Carl Weed, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Weed and children, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donoway visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hazelwood in Coleman last Friday. Mr. Hazelwood has had a heart attack and is in the Santa Anna Hospital.

Pvt. James Abernathy from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, visited his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Abernathy last week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Sublett and sons, of Avoca, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle Saturday.

Mrs. H. A. and G. S. Pruet were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mrs. McWhorter of Baird is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Earl Jobe this week.

Mrs. Leona Morris of Mingus visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Friday afternoon. She was a former teacher in the Putnam schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and family of Cisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Sunday.

Word was received Sunday of the death of Mrs. Jennie Stewart of Houston. She is the aunt of Mrs. Jessie Overton and the Sandlin children.

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day about noon. Roma and John moved into their new home last Tuesday. If I do say so, it is real pretty. John measured cotton last week and still measuring this week.

Alton, Clara, Patsie and baby visited a few minutes Sunday morning with Miss Dell Jones, Annie Park and Dove Gunn. They were ready to go to church, just waiting for Warlick to come for them. They looked so cute with their pretty dresses and perky hats. Makes one feel so good to see them so spry and going to church at their age, and in this hot weather. I will take them up to see Roma and John some morning soon.

They are still trying to find oil here on our home place. They are drilling a shallow well down west of our house in the cotton patch. Would be nice if they could find some oil.

Mrs. Charlie Brandon and Mrs. Shackelford came out and visited with me Friday morning and I really enjoyed their visit. Mrs. Shackelford used to live in Putnam but lives in Abilene now. Her husband was one of the early oil men of Putnam.

Little Boy Jim and D. A. are moving some cows this morning. Mark Burnam is sending a truck load of cattle to Abilene sale today.

The Mobley girls visited with us Saturday morning. We went down to see Roma and John a while. Marshall, Dorothy and Lynn Jones visited with Roma and John Sunday afternoon.

They all drove over to visit a while with Clovis and Helen McCollum, but no one was at home.

You who were not at singing Thursday night missed something. The singing will be at Scranton Baptist Church next Thursday night, July 12. Ask Homer Pruet how he enjoyed the singing. He went Thursday night and says he is going to Scranton too.

Wednesday is the Fourth of July so be careful so you will be able to read the Baird Star when it comes Friday. I guess I will stay home.

So be good till next week and I hope to visit with you then.

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Hi neighbor. No we haven't had any rain yet, just dirt and wind. This is Monday July 2.

Mark and Ollie Burnam, Reba Francisco, Burette and Johnny May Ramsey, Mrs. Leonard Alvie and I attended the funeral of uncle Hick Burnam in Spur last Tuesday. He passed away in a Lubbock hospital June 28. His wife Norma, is seriously ill in a Big Spring hospital, our sympathy to all in this trying hour.

We had a very pleasant surprise Sunday morning. My sister and husband Alton was on his vacation. They visited in Brownwood and they spent Saturday night in Cisco. Fay and Emmett came out here Sunday afternoon. Then late we went to visit Mrs. Mary Ramsey a while. Burette and Johnny, Mark and Ollie, Gayle, Mary and Jack Everett and girls were at Mrs. Mary's. Glad to say Mrs. Mary is feeling better. She spent several days last week in the Baird hospital and came home Saturday.

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SWEET N' SOUR

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OLD FOGIE NIGHT By Linda Dill

We hope all of you will attend the "Old Fogie Night" jamboree at the Baird pool. There will be fun for all. There will be contests for all people over 25 and Mrell Dill, my old lady, might be in one. Will all who can, please attend the jamboree? You don't have to be in it, but you may if you're the right age. Old time bathing suits will be worn by some of the contestants. It will be on July thirteenth, and that is not far away from now. I must quit now. It's time to call the hogs, but I'll see you again as soon as I can.

Oplin Observations

Mrs. Daphne Floyd

Monday, July 2. Dear Diary, I bet you wish that occasionally I would have something worthwhile to tell you. Oh, I just remembered that yesterday was a red letter day for Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville as they were having a family reunion at their home. They were expecting all six of their children home with

their families. Mr. Harville reported that they now had sixteen grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and that all together there were 36 of the family now. Knowing the family, I must offer my congratulations to such a nice happy family.

Then too, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce were practically beaming over the week end as their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dyson and son, Stevie, of Odessa were home. Their youngest son, Darrel, who has him a summer job in Odessa, was home also.

Happy to report that Mrs. Jess Poindexter, who underwent surgery last Thursday is doing just fine. She had thought she would have her operation a week or so ago but it was postponed until a slight cold cleared up.

With the thermometer reaching for the 100 mark every day Mr. and Mrs. Phil Yost will be enjoying that new air conditioner which they had installed last Saturday.

Diary, guess who came a knocking at our door last Saturday night? Why it was Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirkindoll, who are close neighbors but who we see very little of. We all sure enjoy a good visit when we do get together, though.

The J. B. Pierces must have been a little lonesome after their kids left Sunday night, for they came over and visited with us a while.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller will have their youngest daughter, Mrs. Terry Irby and children, Darlene, Shirley, Karen, Marilyn and Mike, of Midland, home for a visit this week.

Mrs. Edith Likens was dismissed from the hospital the latter part of last week and is at home feeling some better.

Tecumseh Topics

Mrs. Lillian Crawford

Betty Jane and our grandbaby visited with us through Friday and Saturday while our boys were at Fort Hood.

Nancy Rogers, of Clyde, also came to visit Lynda Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod of Abilene, myself, Ira and Lynda Jean visited in the L. V. Harris home today. Van seems to be feeling better than he did last week.

Charlie Yost and Charlie Stephenson came one day last week and put a fence through Van's field so he could use a fence charger and turn his cows in on the stubble field.

Cottonwood News

Hazel I. Respass

Mr. and Mrs. Tate of Tatum, New Mexico, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett last week.

Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass of Brownfield visited here and in Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryant of Odessa were here last Friday renewing acquaintances.

Mrs. Della Mae White and son of San Diego, California, are visiting the Chuck Woodys.

The Cottonwood 4-H Club will hold its regular meeting Monday night, July 9. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Boise Baker and children and Miss Wanda Baker of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bennett.

Margaret Gill returned to her home from a short stay in Abilene.

Miss Francis Wilson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Templin in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumby Green of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. James of Seranton, were visitors in the Talmage Green home Sunday.

Visitors in the Respass home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifton of Dallas, Mrs. Hazel Coppinger and Gaylon of Abilene.

Mrs. Coppinger and Gaylon returned home with the Walter Cliftons for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schofer and daughter of Tyler, are visiting mother, Mrs. Herman Heine.

Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Wirz of Seymour visited in the Floyd Ellis home Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Coats is much improved and is up and around again.

ADMIRAL NEWS

Mrs. Roy Higgins

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Gracy and children, of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Higgins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter visited relatives at Waco over the week end.

Rev. Causey and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gary Sunday.

Virginia Gary, of Albany, is spending the week with Barbara Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cauthen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins, Bertie and Ethel Eastham visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Higgins at Carbon Sunday afternoon.

The Adult Women's Sunday school class honored Mrs. Claxton with a handkerchief shower last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. P. Porter.



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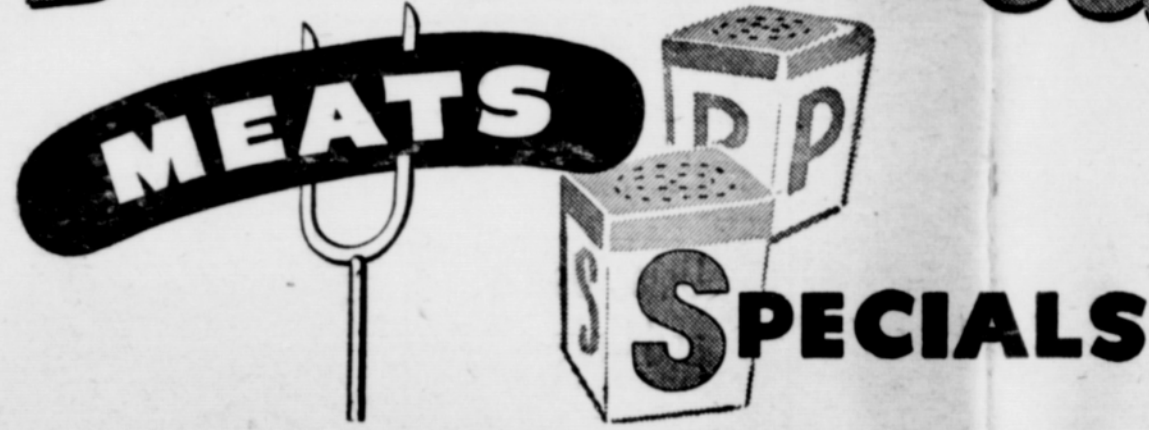
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