

# The Baird Star

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

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BOOST BAIRD IN 1954

## LET'S CLEAR IT UP SOME!

Since publishing an editorial in the August 13 issue of The Clyde Enterprise and The Baird Star, I have been accused and blamed with every thing in the County. I would like to explain right here that I am wholly responsible for said article. It was not necessarily the policy of the papers, Mr. Isenhower, the publisher, or any other employee. I work for Mr. Isenhower but I still retain the right to think and vote as an individual. I signed the editorial and I am responsible for it in its entirety.

I have no political angles in this Hospital business. If I had, I would have published the article before the first primary election, when it could have hurt some rather deeply. I vote for whom I please.

I am not and never have been a member of "The Old Fashion Citizens Committee." We have done some \$150.00 in printing from them, which we appreciate. Printing is our business, and we would do the same for anybody.

I have been asked repeatedly for the last 3 months to publish the payroll of Callahan County Hospital so here it is:

July payroll for our Hospital was \$2,564.40, broken down as follows: Mabel Barnes, \$150.00; Daisey Steel, \$124.40; Patricia Windham, \$150.00; Eloise O'Connor, \$275.00; Hilda Whittle, \$250.00; Goldie Nichols, \$150.00; Jim Hill, \$120.00; Alta Presley, \$110.00; Nell Curtis, \$120.00; Carrie Koonce, \$135.00; Johnnie Weldon, \$110.00; Thomas Yarbrough, \$150.00; Donald D. O'Connor, \$450.00; Donald D. O'Connor, \$50.00; Viola Atwood, \$150.00; Marquata McQueen, \$70.00.

The August payroll will amount to about the same, except two new nurses have been hired since Aug. 1; which will make the payroll approximately \$3,000.00.

J. L. AULT

## SWEET 'N SOUR

By A. DILL

Tomorrow is the big day—the day when you go down and exercise your American privilege of voting for the candidates of your choice. It has been a "hot" campaign both state and locally and although we've had a dry summer there was no shortage of political mud for slinging purposes. This part we regret for we wish that candidates would have enough respect for your intelligence as voters to allow you, in a quiet and dignified manner, to choose your man and support him, however, that will all be "water under the bridge" come Saturday. It has been toul water and we will be glad to see it go and peace restored to our politically bombarded world.

Here is some good news and some you have been waiting for. Supt. Bill Ford announces that a Home Economics teacher has been hired for the High School. She is Mrs. H. G. Hamrick. Mrs. Hamrick is a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College and has seventeen years of teaching experience. She comes to us from Lawton, Texas where she has been on the faculty for the past two years. Mrs. Hamrick's husband is on the teaching staff in the Abilene schools and Mrs. Hamrick will commute from Abilene to Baird in taking care of her position here.

Mr. Hubert Ross and son Danny left for Marshall early this week where Mr. Ross will enter the T&P Hospital there for surgery. Danny will spend the time visiting with his grandparents in Marshall. Mrs. Ross, Bobby and Kitz, will join their family this weekend and return home Monday. Add to this that the Ross' have two birthdays to celebrate this week (Danny and Kitz) and you'll see that they have some rather full days ahead.

The Frank Gardiner's are expecting guests over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gardiner and family of Oklahoma City.

Frank Gardiner, by the way, is "stewing up" a real nifty for the school youngsters next week and if plans proceed and he finds the cooperation he is in need of we may have a jim-dandy announcement to make next week.

The Rays had some important guests last week. Jack and Virginia Ray and children, Brett, Kurt, and Courtney of Ft. Worth were here to see their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray and other friends and relatives.

Good to see department—Jackie Prue's School Band shaping up so wonderfully. There are a number of youngsters out for practice these days and something really nice should be said about them for it certainly speaks well for the energy and spirit of both instructor and students to see them getting into the swing of things so early.

(P.S. The August heat doesn't help one bit but it didn't slow this peppy gang down one whit.)

Here is a cheerful note to close on—there will be a Baird Bear Cub Football Team for Grade School youngsters Coach Jefferies has managed to squeeze in a practice period for them in his already full schedule and if you are as much of a Grade School fan as we are you'll look forward to the coming season.

Linda would have you know that the brass dogs on our clock, the "clockies" are standing the weather fine, are anxious for school to start, will probably be in "Smiff's" room and were mad as the diceus because they didn't get a ride on the Borden Train last week after we had been led to think that they would.

The C. C. Poe family spent a part of their vacation visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

## A's Invade Local Field Next Tuesday

The Baird Firemen play host to the Abilene A's, or Hamby, in the local park next Tuesday night in a game that could mark the end of the current softball season.

The A's are considered the hardest team to beat in this area. They won the Major League Championship in the Abilene City League play and the playoff tournament last week at Abilene. They also won first place in the softball tourney held in Brownwood recently and earned the chance to play in the state tournament at Mineral Wells.

Baird has an 18-4 won-loss record on the year and copped 1st place honors in the 4th Annual Baird Invitational Softball Tourney held recently here.

In the only contest between the two clubs this year the A's won 7-0.

Game time is 8:30 and admission price is 10 and 25 cents. Everyone be sure and attend and see a very good ball game. Remember this may be the last of the season.

## Moran Resident Dies At Snyder

Mrs. Lou Ellen Plummer, 83, of Moran died at 9:45 a.m. Saturday in the Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Sunday in the First Christian Church at Moran with Rev. Arthur Merrill, pastor, officiating.

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

Born April 27, 1871 in Ellis County, Mrs. Plummer had been a resident of the Moran community for 77 years.

She was married to the late S. R. Plummer in Moran on Oct. 28, 1891. Since her youth she had been affiliated with the First Christian Church.

Mr. Plummer died in January, 1954.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Marcus H. Ward of Moran, four sons, W. A. Plummer of Abilene, G. A. Plummer of Midland, S. R. Plummer, Jr., of Odessa and R. H. Plummer of Strawn; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and Kay visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Penn in Mercury last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Corn and family are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Corn and other relatives.

The Sylvian McCoy family of Paris, Calif., visited his sister, Mrs. M. M. Caldwell and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Kelley and children of Ajo, Ariz. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley and her relatives the Corn families this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill visited their uncle, Mr. Pomp Cutbirth, and their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill at Lake Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burton of Olney visited their daughter, Mrs. J. V. Smith and family here the first of the week.

Mrs. Mattie Balthrop and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Davis and daughters, all of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Gloster King last weekend.

Mrs. Hut Moore and son, Joe of Sonora visited her sister, Mrs. Glen Green and Mr. Green last weekend.

Mrs. Jim Barton of the Dudley Community is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Wise and family.

Bill Michaels of May visited Miss Melba Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glasson and daughters last weekend.

Mrs. J. E. Brown and son, Corky, of Gorman visited her daughters, Miss Melba Brown and Mrs. Dale Glasson and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olton Pool visited his mother, Mrs. Beulah Watts and a sister, Mrs. Renalee Farnely in San Angelo last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander last weekend.

## NOTICE

Regarding my signing a paper for County Judge J. L. Farmer, which is being circulated over the County, I want to say I don't know about the Hospital business in Baird, don't know who runs it or anything about its troubles and what is going on there when I signed this paper.

R. I. Hestes  
Clyde, Texas

## NOTICE

I wish to withdraw my name from letters being circulated in County. Too much confusion for me.

Earl Hays

## James B. Tunnel, 79, Buried Wednesday

James Berry Tunnel, 79, former Olpin resident, died at 5:30 p.m. Monday at his home in Midland.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Olpin Baptist Church. Burial was in Olpin Cemetery.

Mr. Tunnel was born in Bell County on Oct. 25, 1874.

His survivors are his wife of Midland; five daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Dean of Kerman, Calif., Mrs. Violet Hartley of Arvin, Calif., Mrs. Ruth Kaiser of Winnetka, Mrs. Bonnie Hodges of Olpin, Mrs. Rena Smith of Midland; two sons, Ray Tunnel of Kerman, Calif., and Clyde of Midland; a brother, J. L. Tunnel of Van Nuys, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Sarah McGill and Mrs. Clara Stone, both of Coolidge, Ariz., and Mrs. Martha Houghton of Ranger; 22 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

## Equipment Needed For Polio Patients

Iron lungs and other respiratory equipment have meant the difference between life and death for 1,000 polio patients so far this year and thousands more will need these breathing machines to keep them alive before the end of the year.

This was disclosed today by Dr. Kenneth S. Landauer, assistant medical director of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, in explaining "one of the underlying reasons" behind the current Emergency March of Dimes campaign which will run until Aug. 31.

Dr. Landauer, revealing that the percentage of severely paralyzed patients had been increasing during the last few years, gave these two reasons for the rise:

1. Many critically paralyzed patients, who in former years would have died, now survive because of improved care and treatment.

2. Polio is attacking more adults and a higher percentage of these patients suffer severe paralysis.

"While many of the new polio patients requiring iron lungs and other breathing aids this year will need them only for a few days or weeks, many will become long-term prisoners of their iron lungs. They will join the almost 2,000 respirator patients from previous years whose horizons are still limited to their six-by-three-foot machines. These polio prisoners must not waste away their lives dependent on mechanical breathing to keep them alive.

"Fortunately, improved techniques of treatment and rehabilitation have been developed—largely through March of Dimes grants—that now offer real hope of freeing the majority of such respirator patients. But it is an expensive process and more funds are urgently needed to do the job," Dr. Landauer emphasized.

"Soaring treatment costs for such long-term polio patients have done much to exhaust March of Dimes funds this year. This is a major reason why an Emergency March of Dimes must be held Aug. 16-31."

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denney and Linda Sue and Mrs. Warren Fillmore and children Jerry Lou and John of Midland visited in San Antonio and Delmita last weekend. In Delmita they visited Mr. and Mrs. Dub Fisher, brother of Mrs. Denney.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Seate and sons, Michael and Pau, of Long Beach, Calif. visited her brother, Roy Gilbreath and family the first of the week.

## New Scenicruiser On Display Saturday

The Greyhound Lines' Scenicruiser, a revolutionary motor coach which is expected to set new standards of luxury in highway travel, will be on display Saturday, August 28 between 10:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at the Lawrence Drug Store, Baird.

"The public is cordially invited to inspect this entirely new type of bus," said J. T. Lawrence, terminal manager. "This is one of the first of 500 Scenicruisers being built for Greyhound at a total cost of nearly \$25,000,000. Within a few weeks, these motor coaches will be in service on principal routes throughout the country."

The Scenicruiser is a 43-passenger motor coach with a raised level for improved sightseeing through six-foot windows of tinted, glare-resistant glass. The interior is decorated in modern-design fabrics, with roomier individually-controlled reclining seats. The 40-foot length of the bus makes possible the inclusion of complete lavatory facilities.

The improved air-conditioning system, with vents above each seat, enables passengers to smoke without annoying others.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly have returned from a two week trip through the South and East. Their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Friery, Betty Ann and Mary Louise of Palacios made the trip with them. They visited such places as Baton Rouge and New Orleans, La.; a friend in Mississippi City, Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss. and then up through the deep South and on to Philadelphia, Pa., and Atlantic, N. J. It was too cold to go in swimming in Atlantic City. They also visited in Washington, D. C. and Baltimore, Md. and enjoyed going over the battlefield at Gettysburg, Pa. All in

are glad to be back in good old "Texas." They also visited in Houston and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield are back home from a trip through New Mexico, a part of Colorado and to several points of interest in Old Mexico, as well as West Texas.

Mrs. B. W. Womack of Colorado City is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Newton of Marshall visited Mrs. Joe McGowan here this week. They are former Bairdites and still have many friends here, who they send greeting to.



Grady Allison



David Whitaker

## Revival At Admiral

The Baptist revival will start Friday night, Aug. 27 and continue through Sept. 5. Our pastor, Bro. Ray Dunovant of Brownwood will preach. Bro. Homer Stephens of H-SU will direct our singing and lead the Booster choir, Miss Gussie Jones of Cross Plains will be our pianist.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to come and attend each service.

Servives will be held as follows: Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.; Evening Worship at 8:15 p.m.; and Prayer Service at 7:30 p.m.

## Baird Lions To Host District Governor

District Governor Roy Weaver, of Olney, will make his official visit to Baird Lions Club next Tuesday night, Aug. 31. All Lions are urged to attend to hear what Dist. Gov. Weaver has to bring to Baird Lions Club members.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hart returned to his home in Escobedo, Mexico, after visiting his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

James Schaffrina of Lovington, N. M. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaffrina, and sisters, Dorothy and Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Walls attended the 30th wedding anniversary of his sister, Mrs. Byrd R. Lewis and Mr. Lewis in Abilene on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rouse and Bonnie of Ft. Worth spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. Felix Mitchell and other relatives.

## Baptist To Begin Meeting Sept. 1

The coming Revival campaign of the First Baptist Church of Baird is to be led by Grady Allison, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Grandfalls, Texas and David Whitaker, associate pastor of the First Baptist Church in Baird. The twelve-day series of meetings with the theme "Something Wonderful Happens to You" is to begin Wednesday, Sept. 1 at 8 p.m.

Grady Allison is a noted youth evangelist in Baptist Churches. He is a B.A. graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene and a B.D. Graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth. He is now the successful young pastor of the First Baptist Church in Grandfalls. He is married and a father of one boy.

David Whitaker is also a B.A. graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and a B.D.-M.R.E. student at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He is the son of the late O. E. Whitaker, of Baird. He also is married.

## QUARTERBACK CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

Baird Quarterback Club will hold their first meeting of the year at Baird Grammar School Monday night at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend and everyone interested in boosting and aiding our football team are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Caldwell made a trip to Graham last weekend to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCoy. Their daughter, Yvonne returned home after spending ten days with her grandparents.

No.

## SAMPLE BALLOT OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the Nominee of this Primary.

### FOR GOVERNOR:

Allan Shivers of Jefferson County  
Ralph W. Yarbrough of Travis County

### FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 1:

Few Brewster of Bell County  
Alfred M. Scott of Travis County

### FOR JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:

Lloyd W. Davidson of Travis County

### FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 76TH DISTRICT:

Paul Brashear  
Omar Burkett

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

Lester Farmer  
Joe Pierce

### FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1:

J. A. McKee  
Scott Bryant

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 6:

E. E. Shelton

### FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT NO. 17:

Lee Straley  
Sidney Harville

No.

Callahan County  
Democratic Primary Election  
August 28, 1954

NOTE: Voter's signature to be Affixed on Reverse Side

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35-1-p

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS**  
The heirs of the Estate of James Harrison Hammans and of the Estate of Lula Ida Hammans (Mrs. James Harrison Hammans) wish to request that those who may have any debts against these estates to present their statements. Those who incurred debts to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hammans during their lifetime may pay the debts at this time.

Please address your communications to Mrs. W. A. Hunt, Baird, Texas, and to Mrs. A. V. Meigs, P. O. Box 1025, Baird, Texas.  
35-3-c

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OF WEST COUNTY  
BAIRD, TEXAS

August 16, 1954

Re: Eloise Keller O'Conner

We do not find a card in the files of Registered Nurses under the above captioned names.

We are today communicating with Mrs. O'Conner for further identification.

Thanking you, we are

Sincerely yours,

BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS

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Secretary

BRJ:bc

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Court Room, in the County Court House of Callahan County, Texas, as the time and place, when and where such application will be heard, and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

Alma Dora Logan (Alma Dora Logan) a widow, Executrix and Sole Devisee under the Will of Max L. Logan, Deceased.

**Mrs. Trowbridge Honored With Shower**

Mrs. J. A. Trowbridge was honored with a pink and blue shower Friday evening, Aug. 7th, in the home of Mrs. Roy Gilbreath.

The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts which were displayed so that the guests could see them as they arrived.

Refreshments were served from a linen covered table centered by pale green tapers. The punch bowl was surrounded by yellow roses and green fern.

Hostesses were Mes. Lynn Ault, D. C. Cox, Raymond Corn, Roy Gilbreath, Rosco Shelnett, Hubert Ross, Terrell Williams and John Towler.

Use The Star for Classified Ads.

### New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Wise are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Dana Gay on Sunday, Aug. 22, weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly, Jr., of Midland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly, last weekend.

George Walls and Billy Manning were visitors in Fallington last Friday.

We invite all our old friends to come by and see us. We appreciated your business in the past, and want to continue to serve you.

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Color by Technicolor  
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**PIPER LAURIE**  
**VINCENT PRICE**

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stanley and children visited relatives in Carlsbad, N. M. and El Paso last week while on vacation.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bellamy and children of Roswell, N. M. are visiting Mrs. Felix Mitchell and other relatives this week.

WE FEATURE



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Baird

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# WARNING!

## TEXAS FARMERS-RANCHERS WARNED OF CIO LABOR PLANS

AUSTIN, Tex., Farmers and ranchers of Texas were warned this week that the CIO plans to organize the farm workers of Texas if its candidate wins the Governor's race.

This warning came from Governor Allan Shivers who charged that the backers of his opponents "want to turn the state government over to the same bunch that is trying to wreck Port Arthur." "One of the first things they would do is put one of their red-hot organizers from Port Arthur in as labor commissioner. Then every time a farmer or rancher wanted to hire someone he would have to go through the CIO."

Governor Shivers said there was no doubt in his mind that the aim of the CIO after the job of organizing industry in Port Arthur and along the Gulf Coast is finished is to begin organizing farm labor in all parts of Texas.

"You can imagine what will happen

when the CIO starts dictating how many laborers are needed to plow ten acres of land, refusing to allow a man to work more than thirty-five hours a week during the harvesting season and telling how much a farmer can charge for his crop," he said.

The Shivers administration, the Governor said, has worked hard to help preserve and protect the rights of the working man.

"But as long as I am Governor, the professional labor bosses who have been sent to Texas from the East — specifically those in the CIO and its Political Action Committee — are not going to run our State Government," Shivers promised.

Shivers said the average working man in Texas appreciated good government and that they were not going to let CIO bosses and professional organizers from the East do their thinking — and voting — for them.

## A VOTE FOR ALLAN SHIVERS IS A VOTE FOR TEXAS

# TEXAS COMES FIRST WITH ALLAN SHIVERS

# The Putnam News

## Young Women's Circle Planned

A group of young women met last Tuesday night in the home of Rev. and Mrs. De Witt Chandler.

The meeting was planned for the purpose of organizing a young women's circle to study missions.

Topic for the evening was a discussion on Indonesia given by Mrs. Chandler.

Rev. D. W. Chandler read from the Bible the first seventeen verses in the third chapter of the Book of John.

Refreshments of cream, cake and coffee were served to Mes. Walter Francisco, Earlene Clark, Muri Reed, Aileen Davis, Graham Gunn, H. T. Wagley, Emmet Williams, John D. Isenhower and Mrs. Chandler.

## Putnam Personals . . .

Mr. Adolph Brandon of Thurber visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon, Monday.

Gayle Williams was a business visitor in Baird, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sunderman and son Donny of Ft. Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCarver of Iran visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Reed and family Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Wallace of Tyler is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Yeager.

Mrs. James of Abilene visited Mrs. Lill Williams Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn of Abilene spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Gunn.

Mrs. Lill Williams and daughter Gayle visited in Dallas last Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. C. I. Powell, and daughter Patsy returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Visiting in the W. A. Everett home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jim Everett of San Antonio and John Everett.

Nat Williams of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Louie Williams and Mrs. Lill Williams and Gayle last Friday.

There was a called business meeting of the Lone Star Study Club in the home of Mrs. Muri Reed Wednesday, August 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and children Jerry and Bill stopped by Friday for an over-night visit with her parents enroute to Colorado where they will spend their vacation.

Mrs. Earlene Clark was a business visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson and granddaughter Linda, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Smith last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Shackleford and children visited relatives in Seymour last week. Her sister, Mrs.

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C. R. Morris and children, Vickie, Russel, and Reed, returned home with her to visit for a few days.

Mrs. R. L. Buchanan spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Smith.

Mrs. Mabel Carrico and Betty and Ruth Mobley drove to Santa Anna last Thursday to visit their cousin, Mrs. Moore, who is in the hospital there.

Jim Yarbrough received a card from his daughter, Roma, saying that Mrs. Gerald Carter and son James, and Mrs. Veda Yarbrough arrived in Salt Lake City, Utah, last week and were having a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Parks, Mrs. S. M. Eubanks, and Vella Sandlin were TV guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Smith Monday night.

Mrs. Mabel Carrico and Mrs. Tex Herring were business visitors in Baird Monday.

Mrs. R. D. Williams drove to Colorado City last Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzeck. Their daughter, Robin, came home with her. She returned home Sunday.

Nettie Lu Donaway spent the weekend with Marjorie Bailey.

Bro. De Witt Chandler is holding a revival in Sabanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway and children visited her sisters, Mrs. Bob Coates and Mrs. H. E. Donaway and families in Odessa three days last week. They also made a trip into the Davis Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser and La Verne Rutherford, who spent the last week fishing at Buchanan Lake returned home Saturday.

La Verne and Betty Rutherford were business visitors in Baird Monday.

Mrs. Fred Heyser was a business visitor in Laird Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols were preparing for the beginning of school Monday by working and cleaning the first and second grade room.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jim Everett left Monday morning for their home in San Antonio, after a week's visit with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Everett's mother, Mrs. Fred Cook, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buchanan and children, Donna and Robert and Mrs. Serena Stakes and daughter, Linda, spent Friday night with her mother.

Pruet. They were enroute to Lubbock where they visited his mother, Mrs. Will Buchanan, who is ill in the Lubbock hospital.

They stated that Mrs. Buchanan was feeling somewhat better when they stopped here Sunday night on their way home in Orange.

Mrs. W. A. Everett received word Sunday afternoon that her nephew, Malcom McKeehan, was killed in a car wreck, Sunday morning in Dallas. He was buried at Cottonwood Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and son Gary visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor, over the weekend.

Visiting last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman were: Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sunderman and children Sandra and Rita, of Ft. Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sunderman and daughter Ann, of Morgan.

Miss Mildred Yeager of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. J. S. Yeager, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and baby in Abilene the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Renfro of Odessa stopped by Saturday afternoon for a short visit with his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Isenhower.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and children of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet. Their sons, Gary and Kenneth stayed to spend several days with James Isenhower and Beth Isenhower returned to Abilene to visit Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell.

Terecia Speegle, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Bob Coates and Mrs. H. E. Donaway, returned home Saturday.

Dan Reed spent last Wednesday and Thursday fishing at the San Saba River.

Chris and Donny Mitchell of Midland visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon, a few days last week.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton is visiting her niece, Mrs. Troy Wadzeck in Colorado City this week.

Mrs. Mary Keilner was preparing for school Tuesday morning by fixing her room, the fifth and sixth grade room.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brandon and children, Linda and Gwen, spent 10 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon. He attended the coaching school in Dallas. The family has now moved to their new home in Coahoma where he is employed as coach there.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Jobe and son Larry who are stationed at El

Paso are spending ten days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon.

Mrs. Mary Ranney drove to Cisco Saturday night to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Isenhower. She attended the birthday supper given in honor of Mr. Isenhower.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Evans and boys, Mike, Jack and Danny, of Kermit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon, Sunday.

Donald Bowne celebrated his 21st birthday, Sunday, in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. D. D. Jones. Those present were: Mrs. Dove Gunn, Mrs. D. D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet, Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Jones and family, and Mr. Annie Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and son Craig drove down from Baird to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pruet.

The main attraction this week was the Borden train which came through last Thursday.

Mrs. Dovie Pruet states that her niece, the former Retha Jones, has moved to Florida, where her husband is stationed.

Scout Troop No. 17 met in regular meeting Monday night, in the home of the Scout Master, Mr. Lloyd Butler. Those present were: Jack, John Doyle, Pete, David, Dan, Billy Frank, Mr. Butler and assistant Scout Master, Mr. Sam Hedrick.

Mrs. Josie Taylor was a business

visitor in Abilene Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wagley and children, Billy and Stella, spent Tuesday through Saturday vacationing in Galveston.

## Oplin Observations

By Mrs. Daphne Floyd  
Odds and Ends Opportunity Offered in Open Order

(Held Over From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller were honored with a surprise visit last week with her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Neeley and children, Leo and Sue of Weatherford. Weekend visitors in their home were their youngest daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby and daughters, Darlene, Shirley, Karen and Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frymire and son, Kenneth of Jal, N. M. have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betcher, Jr. Grandpa Betcher was released from the hospital and has been at home the past week.

My brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barrett of Lawn accompanied Ray and I for a dinner invitation with another brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Barrett of Abilene, last Sunday.

I received Stork News last week and learned that a baby girl had arrived at the home of my sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Geisinger of Dobbin.

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My sister is the former Erlene Barrett and they have two other daughters, Sandra and Sherre. Now all of you guess where I want to go on my vacation.

Nancy McIntyre visited last week in Brady with her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray McIntyre and Patty and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell McIntyre and children, Buddy and Pam. She returned home on Sunday when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack McIntyre went down over the weekend for a visit.

Ed and Thad Buchanan are visiting with their sister, Aunt Chris Johnson and with their niece and son, Mrs. Mallie Johnson and Lowell.

Mrs. E. L. Wood, Floyd Wood and family attended the Caperton family reunion at Ballinger Park on Sunday, Aug. 15. Present were five sisters, five brothers, 114 grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Relatives registered from twenty-eight towns.

Todd Newton and Larry Hoffman of Corpus Christi visited Mrs. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey last weekend.

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A-1-C Norris Baulch and wife are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Releigh Conner at Rule. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McBeth and family at Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Revell at Las Vagas, N. M.

The John Shraders spent part of last week fishing at Possum Kingdom Lake.

Mrs. C. O. Pass is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Max Morris in Glen Rose.

Aaron Thomas, Jr., son of Mrs. Mary Thomas of Moran is completing Air Force basic training at Lackland A.F.B. near San Antonio.

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## Political Announcements

**Dudley Dabble**  
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To Dabble and Delight  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberson and boys from Los Angeles, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberson over the weekend.  
Janis and Marca Linda Burns visited Betty Coughran Sunday.  
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armer Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Coughran, Abilene, Sunday.  
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crane Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wallock from Eula.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howe and Mr. Howe's mother visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson Saturday night.

**Denton Deings**  
Jean Farmer  
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Caldwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gotcher Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Winford Scott and Roberta visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Farmer Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Anderson and family left last Sunday for a two week's vacation in Ind.  
Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Farmer and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farmer and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Scott and boys, and Kenneth Shipman.  
C. M. Peek visited his daughter, Mrs. J. B. Roach, and family in Crane last weekend.

The Baird Star is authorized to publish the announcements of the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary election.

**State Representative, 76th Dist.:**  
Paul Brashear  
Omar Burkett  
**For County Judge:**  
J. L. Farmer  
Re-election  
Joe Pierce  
**For Commissioner, Prec. 1:**  
J. A. McKee  
L. S. (Scott) Bryant

## Midway Musings

Joel Griffin  
Miscellaneous Melange and Musing  
Men and Women

Mrs. Hazel Allen and daughter Pam and Mrs. Robert Morton left Monday for a trip to points in California where Mrs. Allen will attend a class reunion and Mrs. Morton will visit her parents. Enroute home the party will visit friends in Phoenix, Ariz.  
Mr. and Mrs. Webb are in Ark. this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Martie Batley and Mr. Batly. Martie is on the sick list and the Webbs will stay with her until she is improved.  
Mrs. Dick Griffin was called to the bedside of her father in Oklahoma City last week. Mr. Myers underwent an operation and is improving slowly. Mrs. Griffin has returned home.  
Lynn Mosley has returned home from a 4 week visit with relatives in various points in West Texas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Griffin and Mrs.

Ava Foy and Nancy and Jimmy have returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prestige and Tommy in Farmington, N. M. The party visited places of interest in Colorado and New Mexico. Tommy, Prestige, age 2 weeks, is the first great-grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Griffin.  
Mrs. Arch Parisher and children of San Antonio have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parisher the past week. Her 6-year-old son has been visiting his grandparents for the past six weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks and family are living in Mrs. R. W. Cook's house while their home is being renovated. We are enjoying the Hicks family a lot.  
L. M. Scroggins of Lubbock, visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Scroggins Monday night.  
Miss Mabel Hall of Sidney is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. V. Thompson, Mr. Thompson and Mary Jo.

## Rowden Round-Up

By Theida Crow  
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter

There will be a party at the Rowden Community Center Friday night, August 27. Everyone come and bring a cake. The ice cream will be there.  
Mrs. B. Crow and girls and Mrs. Dale Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cutbirth and Mrs. Cutbirth's sisters, who are visiting her from Waco.  
Our school is a week off. We're ready to go.  
We had a little rain last Thursday night, August 27. Everyone is wanting more.  
Misses Theida and Velda Crow visited Miss Lynda King in Cross Plains Monday and Wednesday evenings.  
Mrs. Blain Odum and Marian visited her folks in Cross Plains Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Tatom.  
Mrs. Claude Stephens visited with Mrs. B. Crow Sunday night. Members of the Rowden Baptist

Church are planning to attend the Worker's Conference, being held at the Baird Baptist Church Wednesday night.  
Miss Velda Crow attended a birthday supper honoring Mrs. Harold Stephens and Weldon Stephens at Cobb Park in Abilene Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Scarpelli and children have returned to their home in Midland after visiting her mother, Mrs. Felix Mitchell and other relatives.  
Cpl. and Mrs. Dale Park of Killeen visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Park and Robert last weekend.

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## An Open Letter To Omar Burkett

If I had known in advance what an irresponsible attack you would make upon me personally in this campaign for State Representative, I would probably have never entered it. However, Mr. Burkett, I am in it now and intend to see it through to the very end—until the very last vote is counted. And if I am honored by the people of this District with a seat in the State Legislature, I will devote my efforts to service—first, to the people of this District in particular; and, second, to the people of the State of Texas in general—to the end of making our State a better place in which to live. I will not grind my own axes and use my position to fight my personal feuds at the expense of my constituents.

I have never understood your purpose in circulating copies of my service discharge. I know I was no highly decorated war hero—but I went when they called me, made the army a hand while they wanted me and came home with an honorable discharge when they released me. How can you blacken me with that? I am proud of my service record.

And then you have circulated some statements from some clerks in Austin tending to brand me as a slacker in my duties as an employee of the Legislature. To that I can only say again that I am proud of my work record and the letters from the Assistant Secretary of State, and others, that I have exhibited to the public show that I have a right to be.

And, oh yes, you have spread the rumor that I was against R.E.A. and a captive of the big utility companies. If you have stumbled through the dark on a farm with a coal oil lamp as often as I have, even you would know that such a story is ridiculous and utterly false.

In the first place, a member of the State Legislature has nothing to do with the R.E.A.—that's a federal project. Finally, being for or against the R.E.A. or big utility companies has not entered my mind. Both the R.E.A. and the utilities are serving in their fields and both are contributing to our State's progress. Paul Brashear owes no obligations except to be a good citizen of a good community and State, and these obligations he intends to fulfill.

Once again, I want to make the statement, Mr. Burkett, that I made at our first campaign rally held in Kokomo: "I want to conduct a clean campaign and, if elected, be a clean representative." I still do not choose to engage in mud-slinging and have the greatest confidence in the voters of the 76th District on August 28.

I anticipate that there will be other half-truths and twisted facts before election day. I am proud of the fact that every item you have brought up could be easily and completely answered.

You have been asking me to answer some questions, Mr. Burkett. I am happy to say that I can answer them all—that I have no axes to grind, and no hidden agenda. My campaign for the office of State Representative is based on an ambition to be of service to my district and my state.

And since you started it, I would like to ask a few questions:

- (1) It is a matter of record that you sought through the introduction of House Bill 269 to have the 91st District Court of Eastland County abolished and that this action was taken on your part as a complete surprise to the people of your district. In view of this, was the action based on a personal grudge you had for someone in Eastland County? And could the people of Callahan and Shackelford Counties trust you to be THEIR representative?
- (2) Is it not a fact that you are now seeking your 5th term in the Legislature?
- (3) Is it not a fact that you are now drawing a State Pension for having been on the state payroll for a specified number of years?
- (4) Isn't it a fact that you voted against raising the salaries of Texas school teachers and was a leader in the opposition to school legislation during the recent Special Session?
- (5) Did you not introduce (HB 255) a bill in the Texas Legislature during the last regular session that would have permitted DWI suspended drivers to drive their cars?
- (6) While you were trying to abolish the Eastland County District Court, the records show that you voted for the establishment of a number of our courts elsewhere in Texas. Was this consistent with your "economy" explanation?
- (7) While voting against raising teachers' salaries, you introduced legislation to raise the salaries of other public workers. Was this consistent with your "economy" explanation?

In my frank opinion, Mr. Burkett, you will be a magician if you can satisfactorily answer these questions and justify the position you took. I believe that the voters of the 76th District are entitled to an explanation, if you can give them one.

I sincerely believe that the voters will approve my first bid for public office on August 28. In any event you can be sure that Paul Brashear's conscience will be clear, that he can hold high his head and take pride and comfort in the knowledge that he has fought a clean fight—the type of fight he will wage throughout all of his life.

Yours very truly,  
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Mrs. W. Y. Cleveland of Baird celebrated her 87th birthday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore at Rockwood where the Cleverlands lived 37 years ago.

Children of Mrs. Cleveland who attended were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McBride, Baird; Mrs. Murray Lea Dickens; Mrs. J. L. Box and R. L. Forman, Abilene. Mrs. Alfred Newman, a daughter, was not present.

All of the Moore children, except one daughter, Mrs. Hal

Haynes of Corpus Christi, attended. They were Mrs. Rosa Bill Hellman, Lonzo Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes, and Raymond, and R. W. Rockwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Snodgrass and son, Killeen.

The Moores and Cleverlands were neighbors and reared their children together.

Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Mrs. Marshall Campbell and son, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler, and family, Mrs. J. W. Wise, Mrs. Claude Box, all of Rockwood.

**Miss Middleton Is Wed To Lt. Dallas**

Yellow gladiolus arranged before a picture window, was the setting Tuesday night, Aug. 17, at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh C. Middleton, 2314 16th St., Lubbock, when their daughter, Miss Carol Middleton, became the bride of Lt. Gerald C. Dallas, who is stationed at Reese Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dallas of Baird are the bridegroom's parents.

Rev. Reeves Steward, pastor of Oak Hill Baptist Church in Dallas, read a double ring service.

Recordings of traditional wedding music included "Because", "The Lord's Prayer", "Evening Prayer" and the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of cotton satin in avocado green styled with a fitted bodice and deep V neckline. The street-length skirt was flared and fully gathered. Her accessories were brown, and she carried white carnations atop a white Bible.

Miss Viola Stinson of Olton, the bride's only attendant, wore a dress of dark green cotton satin fashioned similar to that of the bride. She carried white carnations.

Roy Middleton, her brother, served as best man.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth over aqua, with decorations in the bride's chosen

colors of shades of green and brown.

The couple left immediately for a wedding trip to Corpus Christi and Old Mexico. They will be at home in Haringen after Aug. 28.

The bride is a graduate of Lubbock High School and Texas Tech, where she received a B.S. degree in home economics. She has been teaching in Amherst High School.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Baird High School, attended Tarleton State College and was graduated from Texas Tech with a B.S. degree in agriculture. He is now a pilot in the U. S. Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams visited her brother, Johnny Stewart and family in Abilene Tuesday night.

The Bates Baulch family of Coleman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baulch and other relatives here last Sunday.

Miss Sylvia Frances Brummett of Denton visited Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hampton, Jr. and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr., this week.

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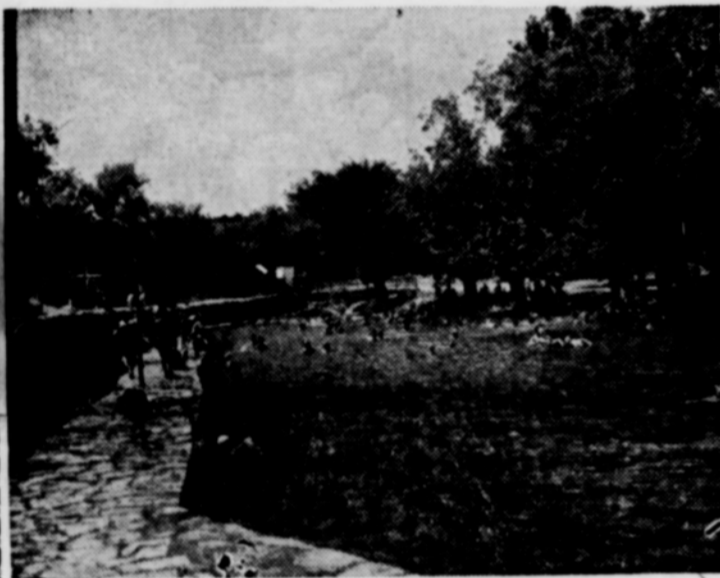
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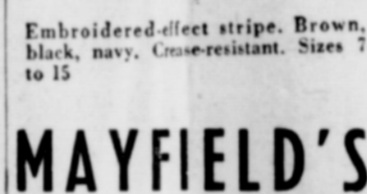
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**CLUB STEAK, lb. .... 49c**

**COFFEE**

FOLGERS or MAXWELL  
HOUSE, lb. can **\$1.13**

**CRISCO**

3 lb. can **89c**

**FRO-ZAN**

VANDERVOORT'S  
(Mellorine), 1/2 gal. **49c**

**PRESERVES**

SUN SPUN Peach or  
Apricot, 12 oz. jar **15c**

**GARDEN PRODUCE**

HOME GROWN  
**CANTALOUPE, lb. .... 06c**  
CALIFORNIA FANCY  
**TOMATOES, carton .... 19c**  
IDAHO RUSSET  
**POTATOES, 10 lb. mesh bag .... 55c**  
COLORADO GREEN  
**CUCUMBERS, lb. .... 10c**

CONCHO CUT  
**GREEN BEANS, 2 No. 303 cans .... 25c**  
DIAMOND DEE  
**TISSUE, 4 roll pkg. .... 35c**  
JERGEN'S LOTION  
**SOAP, Mild, 4 bars .... 19c**

**BULK FALL GARDEN SEED**

**PYEATT'S**

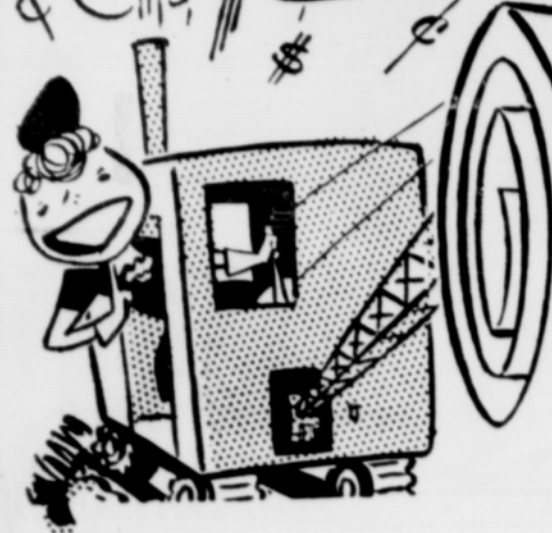
**GIVE YOUR BUDGET A LIFT  
WITH THESE**

**FOOD VALUES!**

FOLGER'S

**COFFEE**

lb. .... \$1.13    2 lb. can . \$2.19



**TIDE  
OR  
CHEER**  
regular size  
**27c**

*Finest Quality* **MEATS**



LEAN, TENDER  
**CLUB STEAK**  
pound  
**59c**

**DR. PEPPER**  
6 bottle carton  
**23c**  
PLUS DEPOSIT

ANY BRAND  
**BISCUITS**  
2 cans  
**23c**



**PET MILK**  
2 tall cans  
**25c**

SPINACH, Del Monte, 2 No. 303 cans ..... 27c

KIMBELL'S 25 lb. sack  
**FLOUR . . . . \$1.79**

PICKLES, Diamond Sour or Dill, quart ..... 23c

CATSUP, Del Monte, 14 oz. bottle ..... 17c

BAKE RITE 3 lb. can  
**SHORTENING . . . . 79c**

HONEY GRAHAM, Nabisco, 1 lb. box ..... 29c

PORK & BEANS, Van Camp, 1 lb. cans, 2 ... 25c

TISSUE, Charmin, 4 roll pkg. .... 39c

BEEF ROASTS, Shoulder Round or Chuck, lb. .... 45c

T-BONE STEAK, Cut To Order, lb. .... 65c

BACON SQUARES, Sugar Cured, lb. .... 39c

SIRLOIN STEAK, Choice, Tender, lb. .... 63c

HAMBURGER, Fresh Ground, lb. .... 39c

CHEESE, Armour's Cloverbloom, lb. .... 49c

DEL MONTE  
**ORANGE JUICE**  
46 oz. can  
**19c**

**KOOL AID**  
6 packages  
**19c**

PUREX or CLOROX  
**BLEACH**  
quart  
**15c**

**PINTO BEANS**  
2 pounds  
**19c**

*Garden-Fresh* **VEGETABLES**

U. S. NO. 1  
**POTATOES, lb. . . . 06c**

LETTUCE, Firm Crisp, 2 heads ..... 25c

GREEN BEANS, Garden Fresh, lb. .... 19c

ANY FLAVOR  
**JELLO**  
2 packages  
**15c**

**POST TOASTIES**  
giant size  
**23c**

**BLACK'S**

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**  
*By Mary Lee Taylor*

**Nut Frosted Layer Cake**

1 lb. 2-oz. package white or yellow cake mix (see note) 1 1/2 cups Pet Evaporated Milk 1/2 cup water 1 cup sugar 1 Tablespoon cornstarch 2 eggs 1 cup finely cut nuts  
Turn on oven and set at 375 (high moderate). Grease well, then dust with flour two 8-inch round layer cake pans. Put cake mix into a 2-quart bowl. Add half of a mixture of 1/2 cup milk and the water. Beat hard 1 min. Stir in rest of milk mixture, then beat hard 2 minutes. Put into prepared pans. Bake on oven rack slightly above center about 30 minutes, or until cakes pull from sides of pans. Let cakes stand in pans 5 minutes, then turn out to cool. Meanwhile, mix in a saucepan the sugar, cornstarch, eggs, nuts and 1 cup milk. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture is thickened, about 10 minutes. Cool thoroughly. Spread between the layers and on top and sides of cake.  
Note: Use a well-known brand that calls for milk on the package.

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