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A LAKE—No only the corner of Arch and 6th street where the drain is stopped up. We received 1.3 inches of rain here Friday from 5 a.m. til 12:00 noon, by Monday morning we had measured 1.5 inches of rain.

West Texas Utilities to Consider Using Solar Energy

BAIRD- The possibility of using solar energy to generate electricity at one or more of West Texas Utilities Company's power plants will be examined in a study being conducted by the Company's Plant Operation Department in cooperation with the Energy Systems Group of Rockwell International.

The study will take nine months and will be completed in June or July, 1980.

Targeted for the study is Unit Number Four at WTU's Paint Creek Power Station, which is located on Lake Stamford, between Haskell and Stamford. The unit was completed in 1971 and is the largest and newest of Paint Creek's four generating units. All are presently powered by natural gas, with oil used as a back-up fuel.

If results of the study are favorable, a proposal will be submitted to the Department of Energy for a grant to aid in constructing the equipment needed to re-power the unit with solar energy. WTU officials, however, emphasized that the program in its current stage is strictly a research project.

"At best, the project is several steps away from becoming a reality," said Randal Meador, WTU Vice President and Director of Engineering.

Meador said six similar studies are being made with United States Department of Energy funding and support, and that only two projects will be granted funds to aid in construction. The cost of constructing the two projects will be shared by

DOE and the winning utilities.

By funding these demonstration plants, the DOE hopes to lower the cost of the solar equipment by mass production to make solar electric generation economically feasible in the near future. The selection of the projects to be granted construction funds will be based on the percentage of the cost to be shared by the utility and the engineering quality of the repowering system.

Paint Creek Unit Number Four has a generating capacity rated at 110,000 kilowatts. For purposes of the study, the unit would be converted to allow 60,000 kilowatts to be generated at full load on solar power, with the remaining 50,000 kilowatts generated with natural gas or fuel oils. This would allow about 55 percent of the electrical output of the unit to be generated on solar power during the day.

The solar system developed by the Energy Systems Group of Rockwell International consists of a solar collection system, a solar receiver, and a heat exchanger system. The solar collection system consists of more than 9,000 mirrors, or heliostats, which would be installed in an area of 385 acres surrounding a 410-foot solar receiver tower.

The heliostats would be computer controlled to track the sun and reflect the rays of the sun onto the solar receiver located at the top of the 410-foot tower. The reflected sunlight would heat liquid sodium

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Service Improvements Cancelled By Continental Telephone

BAIRD- Over \$3/4 million in telephone service improvements slated for Continental Telephone's Baird exchange have been cancelled by the company. The announcement was made by Loma O. Allen, Jr., director of public affairs for the firm in Dallas.

The change in plans came about after telephone company engineers determined that utility poles in Baird could not safely handle the additional cable which was to be the backbone of its service improvements program. Allen says that it is common industry practice to share the use of the utility poles. Joint attachments of telephone cables, power lines and cable TV facilities reduce the investment required of each utility and reduce clutter on city streets. He says that most poles in Baird are 30 to 35 years old and are not tall enough to meet National Electric Safety Code requirements.

Telephone company officials say that they have explored alternatives for stringing the larger and heavier cable. One plan would have called for Continental Telephone to replace all poles in the city where safety infractions exist. City officials rejected the plan, reportedly because of the cost of transferring electric power lines.

Continental also considered burying its cable underground. But Allen says the cost would be prohibitive and practically every street in town would have to be torn up.

One of the cancelled projects would have upgraded all telephones in the city to one party lines. Rural customers served from Baird would have been given a choice of one or four party service. The proposed cable would also have made more circuits available for growth.

Largest of the cancelled projects is the digital switching office for Baird numbers. Allen says that the computerized switch has been delivered and has been awaiting completion of the cable project which is

now aborted. He added that the company can no longer afford to allow the nearly \$400,000 switch to sit idle with no prospect of placing it into service.

"An investment of that size must be committed to service," he said, "so we are diverting it to another exchange in our Texas operations where it can be put to use in the reasonably near future." The new switching center would also have provided local switching for Moran and Putnam phones. Through computer technology, it would also have made available to Baird customers many of the sophisticated calling options previously available only in large cities.

Allen explained that the phone company would continue to meet its obligation to provide service and that present levels would be maintained wherever possible. "We suspect, however, that there are locations where the condition of poles or clearance between facilities of each utility create safety hazards so grave that we can no longer in good conscience allow employees to work at these spots. Individuals customers will be notified if this situation affects their telephone service," he said.

The telephone company's service improvement plans were an outgrowth of discussions which took place between the city and company officials in 1976. Projects have been evolving from the drawing boards since then. The order for the computerized switching center was placed with the manufacturer in April 1978 in anticipation of resolving the cable problem.

All emphasized that cancellation of the projects does not mean that service improvements to the telephone network in Baird are off indefinitely. "It does mean," he said, "that the long, lead-time planning process must begin anew, once the decision is made to proceed again. The process normally requires several years".

Excise Tax Drops 1 Percent on Telephones

COUNTY- Consumers have a special reason to be cheerful. They will save an estimated \$429 million because the federal excise tax on telephone bills declined on Jan. 1, Continental Telephone announced.

In an annual process set in motion by Congress several years ago, the tax has been declining by 1 percent each January. This time it drops from 3 percent of the phone bill to 2 percent. The levy will be eliminated on Jan. 1, 1982.

The estimated difference between what telephone customers would have paid at the 3 percent rate, and what they actually will pay at the new 2 percent level, makes up the tax savings for consumers.

Some \$69 million of the total \$429 million will be saved by customers of the nation's 1,500 Independent telephone companies, according to estimates by the U.S. Independent Telephone Association. The remainder of the savings, some \$360 million, will go

to Bell System customers. The Independent companies serve more than 33 million telephones, one of every five in the country.

Congress first imposed the excise tax during World War I as a "temporary" measure. It was repealed briefly after the war, but was reinstated during the Depression. It has continued ever since. Rates have ranged as high as 15 percent on local service and 25 percent on long distance calls. The tax stood at 10 percent from 1954 to 1972.

West Texas Utilities—

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within the solar receiver vessel to a temperature of 1100 degrees Fahrenheit. The hot sodium would be pumped from the solar receiver vessel to the plant, where the sodium would be used in heat exchangers to heat water into steam. The steam would power the existing turbine generators.

After the sodium goes through the heat exchangers, it would be pumped back to the solar receiver to be reheated and used again.

Sodium was chosen for a heat-transfer agent because it has great heat transfer capabilities and because it is readily available. The use of sodium as a heat exchanger fluid will make it possible to store surplus heat throughout the day and to allow the turbine generator to operate at full load during the daylight hours and for up to three hours after sundown.

Another plus for the sodium cycle is that all of the heat exchangers and pumps that would be used in the sodium cycle heat exchange system have already been

built and tested. The test work was conducted by Rockwell International in conjunction with the nuclear Clinch River Breeder Reactor Plant Project in Ohio.

The Paint Creek study will be WTU's first in-depth look at solar power generation, although the Company has been involved in other areas of research. For many years WTU has contributed to nuclear fusion research by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation at the University of Texas. With other members of the Central and South West Corporation, its parent company, WTU is involved in a coal gasification project in South Texas, and in geothermal research in West Texas.

All eight of WTU's existing major generating units use natural gas as a primary fuel with oil as a backup fuel. WTU is beginning to diversify its fuel resources as preliminary environmental and engineering work is now being done for Oklahoma Power Station, a proposed coal-fired plant near Vernon, which is scheduled for commercial production in 1987.

Meals on Wheels Musical, Jan. 4

BAIRD- The musical will be held at the American Legion Building this Friday night, Jan. 4. Be sure to make plans to come to this one as it will be the very best one that we have had, and we sure have had some good ones.

There will not be a drawing for the quilt this musical as we have been short of help and did not get the tickets sold. We will save it for the next one.

We will be serving hot-dogs, hot chocolate, coffee cakes and dessert at the musical so come on and eat with us.

Santa Claus came to see us and brought us 4 turkeys and all the trimmings, so I guess it pays to be real good.

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ones that so generously donated cash for the Meals on Wheels: Bill Harris Transport and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tollett.

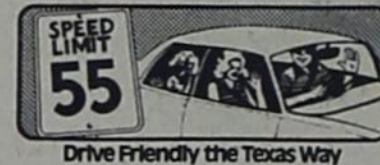
Thanks so very much for your help.

Don't forget that we are still having quilting here so don't just stay home alone, just come on down and join us.

Look for the date real soon for BINGO.

The Meals on Wheels wants to wish everyone a Happy New Year.

Ferne Lee
Director



Carrie Morris Succumbs Sun.

COLEMAN- Mrs. Press D. Carrie Morris, 85, of Coleman, died Sunday at the Morris Ranch in Coleman County. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at the Stevens Memorial Chapel.

The Rev. Pat McClatchey of the First Methodist Church of Coleman, officiated. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery.

She was born Aug. 19, 1894, in Callahan County. She married Press Morris, who preceded her in death in 1947. She was a pioneer ranch woman of Coleman County.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ed (Patsy) Graves and Mrs. Zeno (Joe) Hemphill, both of Coleman; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Commissioner's Mother Dies

BAIRD- Vena Ellen Shackelford, 87, of Baird died at 3:45 p.m. Thursday in Hendrick Medical Center after a two-week illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Parker Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Bill Perkins of First Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in Putnam Cemetery.

Born Oct. 23, 1892, in Rogers, she had lived here six years, moving from Putnam. She married F.P. Shackelford in 1917 in Cross Plains and the couple operated the John Deere dealership in Putnam for

many years. She was a Methodist.

Mr. Shackelford died September of 1943.

Survivors include a son, F.P. "Jiggs" of Baird; a brother, Tom Scroggins of Temple; three sisters, Mildred Reagan, Mrs. Bill Burger and Mrs. Bill Childress, all of Temple, three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Alwilda, died in 1935.

Pallbearers were Nathan Foster, Benton Pruet, Wilburn Carrico, John Doyle Isenhower, Weldon Isenhower and John Petty.

Clyde Man Found Dead Dec. 21

CLYDE- Hollis A. Howlett, 57, of Clyde was found dead at his home Friday, apparently the victim of a heart attack. Graveside services were at 11 a.m., Monday, Dec. 24, in the Clyde Cemetery.

The Rev. Don Conner, pastor of the Cherry Heights Baptist Church, officiated.

He was born Dec. 3, 1922 in Abilene. He lived all of his life in Abilene and Clyde. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Mabel McCranie of Sweetwater and Mrs. Kathryn Brown of Abilene; four brothers, Ed, John of San Angelo, Joe of Del Rio, and George of Pennsylvania; and several aunts and uncles.

His parents and a brother, Henry Howlett Jr., preceded him in death.

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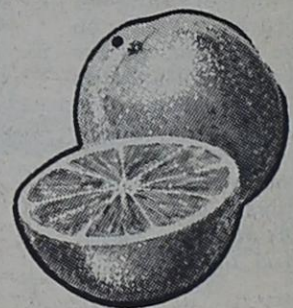


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Lydia Hardwick Enters Rodeo Pageant



Lydia Hardwick

BAIRD- Miss Lydia Hardwick, age 19, has entered the Miss Rodeo Texas Pageant. Lydia is entering under the title of Callahan County Rodeo Queen and is from Baird. She is being sponsored by the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse and is five foot six inches tall and has brown hair and blue eyes.

She is a May, 1979 graduate of Baird High School and is presently a freshman at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

She was an honor graduate and was a member of the National Honor Society, served four years in the Baird High School Band, two years as cheerleader, lettered in track, Runner up for Most Beautiful and was named two years in Who's Who American High School. She is a member of the Beta Club, FHA, Callahan County Rough Riders, Tech Horseman's Association, Tech Rodeo Association and the Alpha Chi

Ranches Become Permanent Members

BAIRD- Clark's Big C Ranch, owned by W.D. and Billie Clark and Lazy SB Ranch, owned by Stephen Bowen, have recently become lifetime members of the American Simmental Association.

Founded in 1968, the ASA now numbers more than 12,000 life members and the ASA herd book has exceeded 525,000 in the number of animals processed for registration.

Simmental cattle originated in the Simme Valley of Switzerland, and have been in North America only since 1967.

The breed currently ranks fourth among U.S. beef breed organizations in the number of animals registered annually.

Omega Sorority. She competed on the Abilene YMCA Gymnastic Team three years, placing Third all Around at the State Meet in 1978 as Class III Gymnast. She is a certified swimming instructor and life guard and has con-

ducted swimming lessons for beginning and intermediate swimmers. She was 4H Horse Show High Point winner for two years, 1978 All Around Girls Champion at Jr. Rodeo in Olney, Ozona and Coleman. She was the 1979

All Around Girls Champion at Jr. Rodeo in Graham and Coleman. She is now serving as the 1979 Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Queen and rides with the Texas Tech Rodeo Team.

The Miss Rodeo Texas

and Miss Rodeo Texas "Teen" Pageant is being held in San Antonio Jan. 30 thru Feb. 3, with headquarters being at the Oak Hills Motor Inn. Horsemanship competition will be held at the Joe Freeman Coliseum and the Coronation will be held at the Jersey Lilly with the Bubba Luttrell band serving as

the official coronation band. The winners will receive many wonderful prizes, including hand made saddle, buckles, scholarship and complete western attire. Winners of both division will be traveling throughout the state of Texas representing the sport of rodeo and promoting western attire.



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Art Display at Eastland C of C

EASTLAND- The Eastland Chamber of Commerce is happy to have for the month of January, 1980 the artistic works of Eugene R. Swinson who is a very proficient historical illustrative artist. Along with a few contemporary western painters. Eugene presents an original, realistic style that is distinctive and almost oriental in nature.

During World War II Eugene rendered many illustrations and paintings for the 8th and 9th Air Force. He flew on many combat missions to gain knowledge and technical data for these painting. After the war, he attended Hardin-Simmons University where he won many awards of excellence in ceramics, wood carving and painting. He also studied with "Art Instruction Inc." where one of his paintings was obtained by the school for permanent display. He also won a place on the Latham Foundation International (for human education). This exhibit traveled throughout the United States and several European countries.

Eugene has shown paintings at "The Old Town Gallery" in Albuquerque, New Mexico, the Fine Arts Museum in Abilene, Texas, The Harvest Gallery in Wichita Falls and throughout the southwest. Collectors from nearly every state have his paintings.

Eugene has done illustrations and paintings for many historical books and magazines and has been associated very closely with the Boy Scouts of America, designing many emblems and patches worn by them. He also has done illustrations for the 3D and Humble Oil Companies. His paintings are done in all

medias, but he said that he could express what he sees more implicitly in water colors. In his paintings he does not just try to create an impression but rather a story within. He said he is what you might call a "Detailist." It is interesting to note that in everyone of Eugene's works, he paints in some obscure place a "Lizard" typical of the paintings location, as his trademark.

Eugene showed his paintings at Abilene Fine Arts Museum with three well known Western Painters last spring. He will also

have a two man show in the fall at Harvest Gallery in Wichita Falls.

Eugene won numerous awards, he won first place in the professionals division of acrylic paintings last year in the Eastland County Art Exhibit.

We urge everyone to be sure and come by the Chamber of Commerce and view this great collection of paintings while they are in Eastland.

The artist lives with his wife and children at 341 West 2nd Street, Baird, Texas where he paints and teaches art.

Roy Allen Dies Sunday

BAIRD- Roy E. Allen, 70, of 1382 College St. died at 2:45 p.m. Sunday at Hendrick Medical Center. Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Faith.

The Rev. H.B. Terry, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, and the Rev. Oscar Fanning, pastor of the Wylie Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Potosi Cemetery.

He was born Feb. 13, 1909 in Comanche County. He married Violet Davis in Abilene May 25, 1950. He moved to Colony Hills from Oklahoma in 1919. He

worked for the city for 25 years, and retired in 1974. He was a member of the Temple Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Cecil of Rt. 5 and Harold Dean of Rt. 6; one daughter, Elizabeth Ann Knorr of North Dakota; two stepsons, Delmer Davis Jr. of 3110 Primrose and Gene Davis of Rt. 8; two stepdaughters, Mrs. J.C. (Tana Lee) Fangman of 917 Ballinger and Mrs. Ollie (Maxine) Dewberry of Midland; one brother, B.F. (Buddy) Allen of Mineral Wells; two sisters, Mrs. Ella

Thorn of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Bonnie Booth of Baird; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Robert Foller Visits Relatives

BAIRD- Robert Foller, J.D. and Lila Sprawls spent the Christmas holidays at Sulphur Springs with Wesley and Vonnie Rutherford and at Mt. Pleasant with Charles and Evelyn Maughon. The Rutherfords and the Sprawls spent the New Year's Holidays with Robert.

Poindexter Rites Held Dec. 20

CLYDE- Annie Lee Poindexter, 69, of Clyde died at 3 a.m. Wednesday at Care Inn Nursing Home of Abilene. Graveside services were at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Tecumseh Cemetery near Oplin.

Bill Easom, minister of Oplin Church of Christ, officiated.

Born April 24, 1910, in Callahan County, she moved to Abilene from Oplin about a year ago.

Her husband Tom, preceded her in death.

Survivors include two brothers, J.C. Grantham of Cremona and G.W. Grantham of Fredericksburg; two sisters, Maggie Bell Lidon of Chico, Calif., and Vira Setliff of Bishop; and a number of nieces and nephews.

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Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN- Along with Christmas came the good rain. Most of us were awakened early Friday morning by rain falling on the roof, even pouring off the roof. A few flashes of lightning and thunder accompanied these rain clouds. Some gauges were up side down and guesses are around one to one and a half inches of moisture.

This has been a wonderful week, with Christmas and families and now the rain. We are so thankful for all our blessings.

And this grandma has learned this week to not mix up what Santa and Mama and Daddies brought for Christmas. For instance, on a visit this writer and granddaughter made a trip to see Granny, this writer remarked that Santa had brought her a doll, record player, etc., when the granddaughter quickly said what Mama brought and what Santa brought. There is a difference!

Company in the Gene Mauldin home Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin, Kenneth and Douglas of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Masters, Charlott and Melinda of Snyder and Bob Maninger of Tonca City, Okla. Also Sissy and Sheri Mauldin and Jolene Wilson all of Kolfax, Ohio, and Lisa Nuckols of Abilene. Other visitors in the home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauldin, Russell and David and Jackie Mauldin all of Houston.

Those enjoying Christmas day in the Sterling Odom home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey, David, Scott and Jennifer of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde and Mrs.

Ivon Odom of Cross Plains. Christmas Day visitors of Mrs. Ray Boen were her sister and brother, Christine Bower of Abilene and Jesse Bower of the community.

Janet Reynolds was in Glorietta last week with a group of young people from the Cross Plains First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMillin and children of Abilene had supper with the Robert Watson family Sat. night. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, Cody and Wyatt were in Wichita Falls Friday where they visited his brother, Dutch Watson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell and the Frank Harrells had the misfortune of losing one of their barns which was filled with fresh alfalfa cubes, by fire on Christmas Eve night. They were not at home when the fire broke out. Fire imposes great losses to any family who lives any distance from fire stations. Tommy Dye happened to see the fire and notified the family in Abilene.

Those visiting Mrs. Russell Dye on Sat. night before Christmas for dinner and Christmas tree were all her children and grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye and Lori Ann of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dye and Douglas.

Christmas Eve dinner was served in the N.V. Gibbs home to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele, Tonya, Bill and Connie, Grannel Gibbs of Sonora and Stephen Gibbs of Odessa. On Christmas Day, Mrs. Leila Gibbs visited in the N.V. Gibbs home, along with Grannel and Stephen.

Those visiting Mr. and

Mrs. Warren Price during the week were the Bill Coots family of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde, Leon Chelf of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smedley and daughter of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason had a fine day trip to Houston where they spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Winger. Other members of her family were there from Calif., South Dakota, and Mexico City. She reported a good visit. On returning home they stopped in Austin for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Richard Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky has as their guests on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Terrel, Troy and Tonya, and Nisty and Paul Davis, Terry Harris and daughters, Balndye of Pioneer and Tessa of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris, Jared and Joanna of near Cross Plains and Vicky Huff of Eastland. Visitors on Christmas night were Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds.

Mrs. Russell Dye spent Christmas in Breckenridge with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sayre and Mrs. Mary Sayre.

Gene Dye and his friend, Terry Willingham of Cisco spent Christmas with

Genes parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dye. A friend of the family, Steve Minihan of Irving visited in the home during the week. Douglas Dye had a friend, Russell McDonald, of Abilene out to spend a night with him.

Mrs. Elveda Sikes and Ernest Sikes of Abilene visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs Thursday and Ernest Sikes also visited in the N.V. Gibbs home. The two had come from Dallas where their family had met at the Bob Sikes home for the holiday.

The Tony Steele family had Christmas day dinner with his grandmother, Mrs. Adria Cook and family in Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dye, Gene and Douglas were in Abilene Christmas night enjoying dinner with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J.D. Strickland.

OIL NEWS

COUNTY- Callahan Co. has gained an Ellenburger gas discovery in the area one mile north of Baird.

It is Jones Co. of Albany No. 1-110 Dugan, spotting 2,328 feet from the south and 2,149 feet from the east lines of Section 110, BBB&C Survey.

Absolute, open flow was 1,730,000 cubic feet of dry gas daily from perforations at 4,334-38 feet. The pay was treated with 250 gallons of mud acid.

Operator set the 4½-inch casing at 4,362 feet, one foot off bottom.

Wednesday Club Holds Meeting

BAIRD- The Wednesday Club met in the home of Mrs. Lee Ivey on Dec. 19 for a Christmas party. Eight members answered roll call by naming a woman of the Old Testament.

Miss Isadore Grimes gave the invocation, and Mrs. Frank Cunningham led the Pledge to the U.S. Flag and Salute to the Texas Flag.

Mrs. A.E. Dyer, Sr. presided for the meeting, and announced that gifts had been sent by the club to

residents of Abilene State School.

For the afternoon program, Mrs. B.L. Russell spoke on the Lyric Legacy of Christmas; Mrs. A.A. Manion's subject was Why Frankincense and Myrrh.

During the playing of Christmas Carols, gifts were distributed from the Christmas tree.

The next meeting will be on January 9 with Mrs. Frank Cunningham as hostess.

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Williams - Ivy Exchange Vows

Couple Exchange Vows Dec. 28

Aliens Must Report by January 31



Mrs. Ivy
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COLEMAN- Debra Kay Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams, and Rodney Randall Ivy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ivy of Baird, were married Friday in Coleman Church of Christ with Dr. J. Ray Martin officiating.

Kathy Hambright of San Angelo was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Donna White of Abilene and Leann Williams, sisters of the bride. Kristi Corn of Baird was flower girl and Russell Manion of Baird was ring bearer.

Randall Ivy served as his son's best man. Grooms-men were Terry Hunter and Mark Hanner of Baird. Wayne Walker of Baird and Leon Jones of San Angelo lighted candles. Seating guests were Alan Watson of Ft. Worth and Larry Loeffler of San Angelo.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Gallery in Coleman, Texas.

The couple will live in San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of Coleman High School and is employed by Colonial Corporation.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Baird High School, is a student at Angelo State University and is employed by Winn-Dixie Super Markets.

BAIRD- Candyce Diane Newton and Marion William Perkins were married Friday in First Baptist Church with the bridegroom's father, pastor of First Methodist Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tod Newton. The Rev. and Mrs. Bill Perkins are parents of the bridegroom.

Margie Royall was maid of honor and Nita Perkins, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. Rusti Diane Cochran of Abilene was flower girl and Codie Kirk Cochran of Abilene was ring bearer. Billie Perkins, sister of the bridegroom, and Tanya

Young lighted candles.

George Johnson of Lubbock was best man and Donnie Rashke of Vernon was groomsman. Seating guests were Larry Newton, brother of the bride, Rick Gilmore of Clyde and David Smauley of Pasco, Wash.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Parents of the bride hosted the reception in the fellowship hall of the church and the bridegroom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner at U-U Steakhouse.

The couple will live at Virginia, Va.

The bride is a graduate of Baird High School and attended Abilene Commercial College.

The bridegroom, also a graduate of Baird High School, is in the U.S. Navy, stationed at Virginia Beach.

COUNTY- Richard M. Casillas of the San Antonio Immigration and Naturalization Service has again reminded all aliens to report their addresses during January.

Cards with which to make the reports are available at Post Offices and offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service throughout the country. The report must have a 15¢ stamp affixed to the card.

Parents or guardians are required to submit reports for alien children under 14 years of age.

Mr. Richard M. Casillas urges all aliens to report before the end of January, as willful failure to do so may lead to serious penalties.

Rites Held For Dayton Sessions

CROSS PLAINS- Dayton Lee Sessions, 77, died at 7:45 a.m. Monday in Callahan General Hospital in Baird following a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. A.H. Williams, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Rotan, officiated. Burial was in the Atwell Cemetery.

Born Sept. 17, 1902 in Atwell, he moved to Cross Plains in 1974. He married Etha Jones in 1919 in Atwell. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Etha; two sons, Edgar of Baird and Ted of Ft. Collins, Colo.; two daughters, Sibyl Abernathy of Baird and Shirley Ludlow of De Soto; nine grandchildren, three great-grandchildren; four half-brothers and two half-sisters.

OIL NEWS

COUNTY- HLM Oil Co. of Abilene will drill two proposed 600-foot ventures in Callahan County Regular Field two miles south of Putnam.

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CRIMINAL DOCKET
Eugene Willard Johnson, illegal parking

Ricky G. Whitlock, illegal parking

Conny M. Mills, illegal parking

Rex Forrest Pickens, Jr., illegal parking

Bonard Drake, illegal parking

Lyle Dean Floyd, speeding

William Herman Polston, speeding

Charles Conway Kidd, speeding

Rodrick Chares Egger, speeding

Bobby Dan Cox, speeding

Arnulfo Ascencio, Jr., speeding

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bill Ray Roberts, Abilene & Virginia Robbin Flint, Buffalo Gap.

Kenneth Wayne Cox, Clyde, & Gladys Maudine Fleming, Clyde.

Harold Wayne Wilde, Clyde, & Donna Elizabeth Walters, Baird.

William Franklin Champion, Jr., Cross Plains, & Nancy Jane Fancher, Rising Star.

Milton Cyrus Donaway, Eastland, & Annie Mae Donaway, Putnam.

CRIMINAL MINUTES

Eugene Willard Johnson, illegal parking, \$51, \$57cc

Ricky G. Whitlock, illegal parking, \$63, \$57cc

Billy Oric Smith, DWI, \$200, \$67cc, 3 days confinement

Bonard Drake, speeding, dismissed

Conny M. Mills, illegal parking, \$42, \$57cc

Bonard Drake, illegal parking, \$42, \$57cc

Rex Forrest Pickens, Jr., illegal parking, \$51, \$57cc

CIVIL DOCKET

William Davenport, Et al vs. Franklin Rogers Brenner, Et al, Partition of Real Property.

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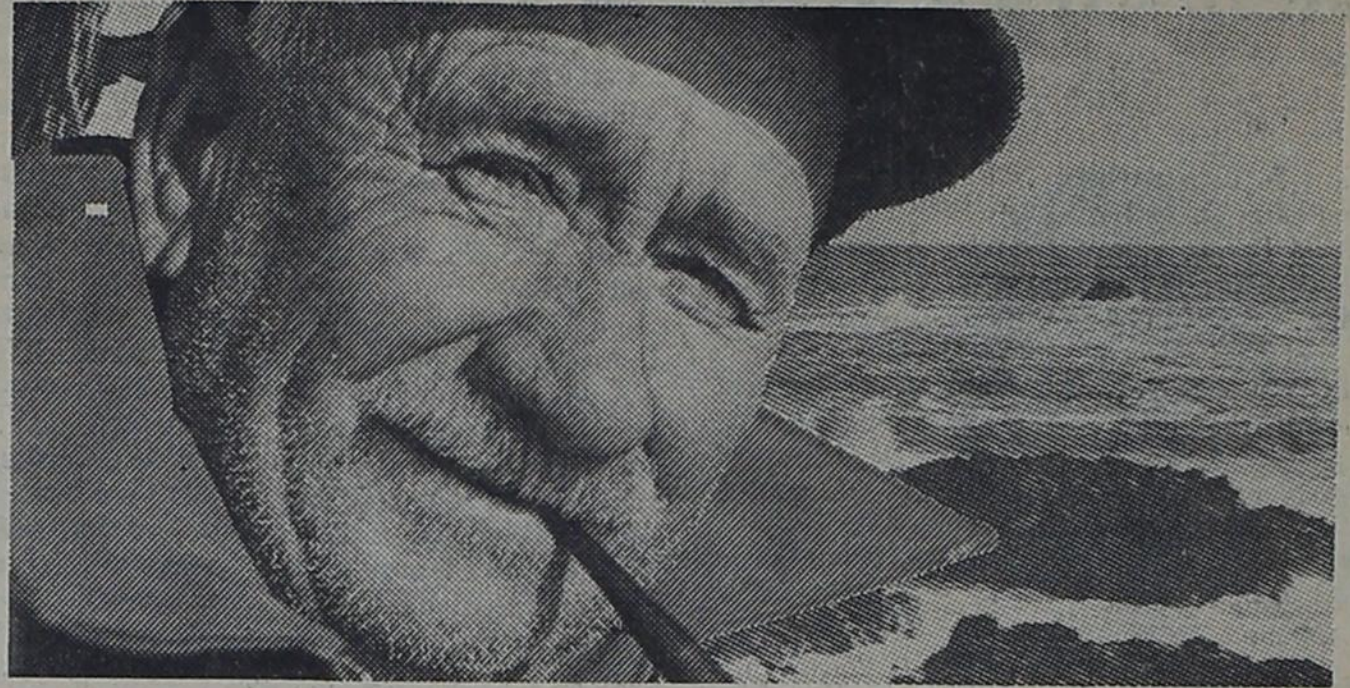
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Warford-Tabor Wed Friday, Dec 21

CLYDE- Joyce Faye Warford and Jim Tabor Jr. were married Friday, Dec. 21 in Clyde Church of Christ with Tom Knight, minister of Eastwood Church of Christ of El Paso and uncle of the bride, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Taylor Warford. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tabor, 2925 Barrow, Abilene, are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Johnny Arms was her sister's matron of honor and Janet Dugan was bridesmaid.

Victor Cantrell of Abilene was best man and Tommy Russell of Abilene was groomsmen. Johnny Arms seated guests.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Parents of the bride hosted the reception in the church fellowship hall. The bridegroom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner at Royal Inn Restaurant.

When they return from a trip to New Orleans, La., the couple will live in Snyder.

The bride is a graduate of Clyde High School. She attended Tarrant County Junior College and is a student at Western Texas College.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Cooper High School, Abilene. He attended York College, Lubbock Christian College and Texas Wesleyan College. He is a student at Western Texas College where he is also employed.



Sheri Eubanks

Sheri Eubanks TSU Graduate

BAIRD- Sheri Eubanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Eubanks was among 200 students graduating from Tarleton State University on December 16, 1979.

Attending Tarleton State for 3½ years, she graduated on the B Honor roll with a degree in Business Administration.

Sheri was a 1976 graduate of Baird High School.

Johnnie Parks Dies Monday

CLYDE- Johnnie M. Parks, 68, of Clyde, died at 2:45 p.m. Monday at Hendrick Medical Center following a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Bailey Funeral Home Chapel in Clyde.

Roy Phemister, Church of Christ minister from Ackerley, officiated, assisted by the Rev. James Powers of Winters. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger.

Born April 13, 1911 in Limestone County, she married Bill I. Parks Aug. 13, 1945 in San Antonio. She was a registered nurse for 35 years and worked in Harris Hospital and John Peter Smith Hospital in Ft. Worth. She was a nurse instructor at John Peter Smith for a number of years. She retired from nursing in 1969 due to ill health.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Burns of Abilene and Reatha Morris of Clyde; a foster daughter, Margaret Powers of Clyde; two sons, Jim White of Abilene and Ernest White of Reston, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Ferrell and Mrs. Addie Harris, both of Clyde; two sister-in-laws, Mary Rogers of Granbury and Ann Pelton of Ohio; 16 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



HOSPITAL NOTES

BAIRD- The following persons were admitted to Callahan General Hospital last week:

- Velva Mae Sharp
- Marie Jarrett
- Fred Austin
- Helen Brown
- Susan Mays

Elmer Menasco Expires Dec. 20

CLYDE- Elmer W. Menasco, 55, of Woodsboro, formerly of Clyde, died about 4:30 a.m. Tuesday in a Beeville nursing home after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday in Denton Valley Cemetery.

The Rev. Don Conner of Cherry Heights Baptist Church officiated.

Born May 22, 1924, in Spanish Fort, Texas, he married Mary Elizabeth Davis Aug. 11, 1973, in Wichita Falls. He had lived in Bowie before entering the Army in 1943, serving in World War II. He entered college after his discharge and received his bachelor of science degree from Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. He taught school for seven years in Pecos and later taught in New Mexico and Colorado. His latest teaching post was at Woodsboro. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a son, David of Rt. 2, Abilene; a brother, four sisters; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

W. A. Moore Succumbs Wed.

COLEMAN- W.A. "Butch" Moore, 80, of Coleman died at 1:35 p.m. Wednesday in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Stevens Memorial Chapel.

The Rev. Paul Hubbard, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church of Coleman, officiated. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Born Nov. 3, 1899, in Erath County, he attended schools in Grosvenor. He married Rosetta Edmonson Jan. 8, 1920, in Coleman. He lived in Borden County 47 years and the rest of his life in Coleman and Brown County. He was a retired heavy equipment operator. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a brother, Tom of Brownwood; a nephew, Bill of Baird; and several other nieces and nephews.

A son, Fred, died in 1966.

- W.T. Austin, Jr.
- Ruben Suniga
- Walter Waggoner
- John "Jack" Gibson
- Jewel Tyson
- Roberta Smedley
- LaVern Alford
- Opal Reid
- Beverly Leache
- Finis Neel
- Eula Denny
- Lera Ernest
- Freida Long
- Charles Moreland
- Sherrye Barnett
- Lonzo Shelnett
- Hettie Price

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

- Irene Wheeler
- Luciano Mendez
- Ray Stroope
- Maggie Allman
- Velva Mae Sharp
- Susan Mays
- Fred Austin
- Maggie Archer
- Ruben Suniga
- Jewel Tyson
- Walter Waggoner
- John Gibson

Byron Long Expires Friday

CROSS PLAINS- Byron W. Long, 83, died at 2:45 a.m. Friday at the West Texas Medical Center following a brief illness. Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Cross Plains.

Officiating was Dr. Toby Irwin, pastor of the Baptist Church, and the Rev. E.V. Brooks of Abilene. Burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born Dec. 31, 1896 in Dressey, she married Fred Long Feb. 6, 1921 in Cross Plains. She moved to Cross Plains seven years ago from Dressey. She was a Baptist.

She was preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include her husband; a sister, Bera Fort of Lovington, N.M.; three brothers, Cavin Freeman of Eastland, F.B. Freeman of Baird and Harold Freeman of Benton; numerous nephews and nieces.

School Menu

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 2

Burritos, creamed potatoes, green beans, pickles, milk and ice cream.

THURSDAY

Weiners with baked beans, creamed potatoes, onions, bread, milk and fruit cobbler.

FRIDAY

Hamburgers with cheese frence fries, lettuce, onions, pickles, milk and fruit and cookies.

BREAKFAST MENU

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 2
cereal-oats, juice and milk.

THURSDAY

Cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

FRIDAY

Cheese toast, juice and milk.

TEACHERS SALADS

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 2
Waldorf salad with jello.

THURSDAY

Potato salad with jello.

FRIDAY

Fruit salad, cottage cheese with jello.

School Menu

MONDAY, JAN. 7

Steak fingers with gravy, green beans, creamed potatoes, bread, milk and cranberry muffin.

TUESDAY

Chili with beans, creamed potatoes, buttered corn, crackers, milk and ice cream.

WEDNESDAY

Lasagne with cheese, tossed salad, bread, milk and fruit and brownie.

THURSDAY

Tuekey and noodles, green peas, sweet potatoes, hot rolls, milk and apple-sauce.

FRIDAY

Sloppy Joe on bun, potato chips, pickles, carrot stick, onions, milk and jello with fruit.

BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY, JAN. 7
Cereal, Juice, and milk.

TUESDAY

Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY

Donuts, juice and milk.

THURSDAY

Cheese toast, juice and milk.

FRIDAY

Hot rolls, applesauce and milk.

TEACHERS SALADS

MONDAY, JAN. 7
Fruit salad with cottage cheese and jello.

TUESDAY

Potato salad with jello.

WEDNESDAY

Tossed salad with cheese and jello.

THURSDAY

Green pea salad with jello.

FRIDAY

Pear with cheese and jello.

Baird Nursing Home

BAIRD- Each of us have had our own special holiday this past month but now everyone is ready to get back to normal.

We have Norma Baulch, Otto Best, and William Rutledge in our local hospital.

Our home was saddened by the loss of Vena Shackel-

ford. Our sincere sympathy is extended to her son and grandchildren. She is missed here.

Our own Laura Jobe will celebrate her 105th birthday this Friday, January 4 at 4 p.m. Everyone is invited to come by Golden Holiday Care Center in Baird to help wish her a happy birthday. The Putnam Women's Study Club will host the party for her.

We have all enjoyed visiting with so many people over the holidays. We hope all of you had a nice holiday season also.

Former Bairdite Buried Dec. 27

BAIRD- Funeral services for Charlie L. Lovell, of Huntsville was held Thursday, Dec. 27 at the First Baptist Church of Huntsville with Dr. Gary Bonner officiating.

Mr. Lovell died at 1:10 a.m. Dec. 25 at Huntsville Memorial Hospital.

He was born Jan. 17, 1913 at Cottonwood.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Huntsville, and was also active with the Gideons.

He is survived by his wife, Mickey Lovell of Huntsville; two daughters, Rose Marie Carter of Conroe and Sgt. Martha Alive Bailey of Bitburg, Germany; his mother, Rosa Lovell of Cottonwood; one sister, Mrs. Frank (Nell) Landon of Abilene; two brothers, Albert Lovell of Baird and Doyle Lovell of Midland; two grandchildren, Donnell Carter and Jerry Bailey.

Greenwood Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

OIL NEWS

COUNTY- Jones Co., Albany, will drill No. 1-2294 Ray Green as a Callahan County wildcat two miles north of Putnam.

Location for the planned 4,300-foot test is on a 240-acre lease.

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Enre Corp. of San Antonio will drill a proposed 4,500-foot venture in the Enre Field eight miles southwest of Baird.

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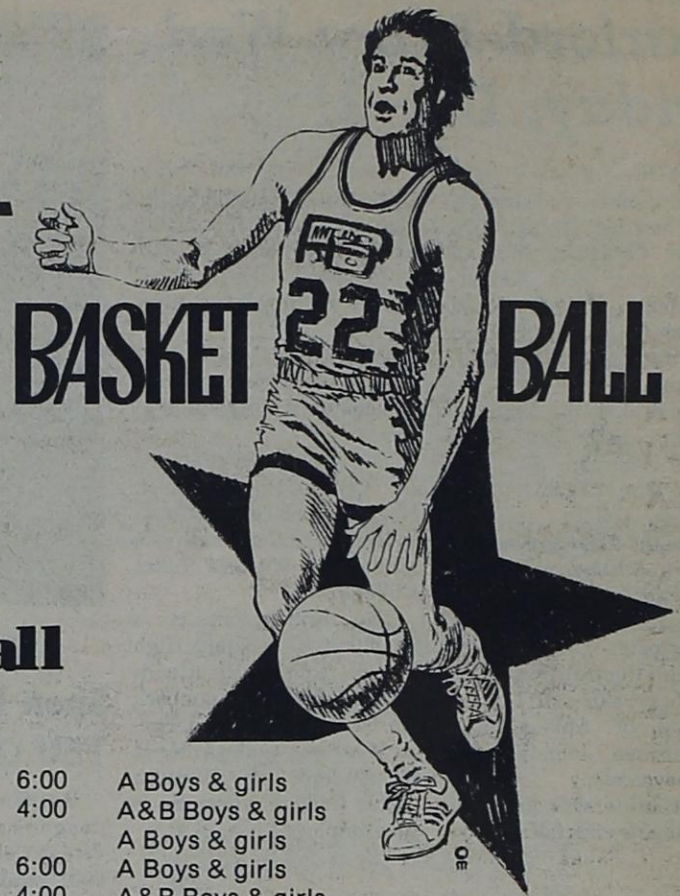
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Schedule**

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Nov. 27	Clyde	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Nov. 29, 30, 1	Albany Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 3	Lueders Avoca	Here	6:00	A Boys & girls
Dec. 4	Clyde	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Dec. 6, 7, 8	Baird Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 11	Jim Ned	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Dec. 13, 14, 15	Rising Star Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 18	Rotan	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 4	Roscoe	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 8	Hamlin	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 11	Hawley	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 15	Albany	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 22	Jim Ned	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 25	Rotan	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 29	Roscoe	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 1	Hamlin	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 5	Hawley	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 8	Albany	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls

**BAIRD JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE
1979-1980**

Nov. 26	Clyde	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 3	Clyde	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 10	Jim Ned	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 13, 14, 15	Jim Ned Tournament		8th boys & girls	
Dec. 17	Albany	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 7	Hawley	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 14	Jim Ned	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 17, 18, 19	Baird Tournament		8th boys & girls	
Jan. 21	Albany	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 28	Hawley	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Feb. 5	Zone play off			

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CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 0.000 miles of Landscape Development At Rest Area Location 3.0 Miles East of Abilene on Highway No. IH 20, covered by I 20-2(121) 296 in Callahan County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m., January 16, 1980, and then publicly opened and read. THIS CONTRACT IS SUBJECT TO THE WORK HOURS ACT OF 1962, PL-87-581 AND IMPLEMENTING REGULATIONS.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin, and further that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract

entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of N.A. Billingsley, Jr., Resident Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

NO. 4005 CITATION

To AUBREY FOSTER and MILDRED FOSTER and to all other persons and parties and each of the persons and parties, interested in the Estate of ALICE COCHRAN NEEB, deceased and the heirs of ALICE COCHRAN NEEB, deceased, whose names and residences are unknown.

You and each of you are hereby cited, required and commanded to appear before the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held in the County Court Room in the City of Baird, Callahan County, Texas, such appearance to be at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to sat at or before 10 A.M. on Monday the 4th day of February 1980, filing written answer to the application hereinafter mentioned, contesting same, should they or any of them desire to do so, which application, will, at such 10 o'clock hour and such place be acted on, said application having been filed by ERNESTINE ROBERTS in said court on the 19th day of September, 1979, and now pending there, in a proceeding on the probate docket of said court, styled Estate of ALICE COCHRAN NEEB, deceased, the file number of which application and the docket number of which proceeding is 4005, the nature of such application being for the probate of the written will of Alice Cochran Neeb, deceased, which cannot be produced in court, and such application reading as follows:

Said Will was apparently lost or misplaced or actually

could have been destroyed and cannot be produced in court. It is known that the Testatrix moved from one dwelling to another during this time and it may have been lost or misplaced or destroyed during the moving.

The officer serving this citation, who shall be the sheriff or any constable within the State of Texas, shall, in compliance with the law, serve it by publication once in a newspaper of general circulation in this, the county in which such proceeding is pending for not less than 10 days before the return day hereof, exclusive of the day of publication and the date of publication said newspaper bears shall be the day of publication.

Herein such officer shall fail not but shall have before said court at or before 10 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday after such service is perfected which will be the 4th day of February 1980, his citation with his return thereon, which will be not less than ten days after such publication, showing how he has executed the same.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after its date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness, DARLENE WALKER, Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the City of Baird, this 21st day of December, 1979.

Darlene Walker
Clerk of the County Court of Callahan County, Texas

CARD OF THANKS

In behalf of our dearly beloved brother Joe Smith, we wish to thank the many wonderful friends that prepared the delicious meal, the beautiful songs, and the ministers for the consoling message.

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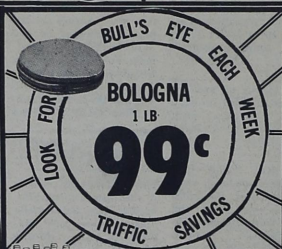
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