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By Lucy Burfield

In the absence of the editor of this newspaper we find it very hard to take over her job, but as people say in show business, "The Show Must Go On," so must the newspaper business.

IS THIS BAIRD

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been holding a series of meetings in an effort to assist small towns to overcome a trend of losing population with the resultant decay of property.

The WTCC was trying to find the answer to many problems that beset the small towns throughout the area and if possible assist in solving them.

The WTCC arranged for good speakers who were well qualified to speak on the subjects assigned them. The speakers got right down to the core of the problems and the reports in the press following the meetings they stressed that federal and state assistance is available on many problems but almost every speaker laid at the door of local leadership the responsibility of solving the problems in each community. The meeting held at Glen Rose had Leadership as its key word and the way the report was given in the Star-Telegram it sounded like every speaker was pointing his finger at the leaders of the towns in West Texas (especially Baird) and admonishing them to "get on the ball" and get things done for their town. One of the speakers at Glen Rose was Dr. Reagan Brown, extension specialist at Texas A&M University, who emphasized that a nucleus of active citizens can make a town prosper. Every community, he said, has some strong points that can be strengthened. He and other speakers emphasized that the leadership for solving any problem must be local, including financial.

If Baird expects to benefit from the WTCC efforts her leaders must "lead" and the rest of us must "follow." One of the speakers said it should be the slogan of every citizen in every small town to "EITHER LEAD, FOLLOW OR GET OUT OF THE WAY."

(This column was written by J. W. King, who writes a column for us in another newspaper).

Baird Star Travels Far And Near

A list of Bairdites now living in California still remaining on the Baird Star mailing list are: Mrs. Harry Beck, Selma Dwight L. Blair, Los Angeles Mary E. Coulter, Canoga Park John V. Boatwright, Alameda Ray Clemmer, Chowchilla Mrs. Guy Edwards, Fresno Mrs. W. E. Franklin, San Jacinto H. M. Gibbs, San Diego Mrs. L. L. Ford, Torrance Mrs. B. D. Hampton, Jr., Upland Mary L. Hoston, San Diego Mrs. C. E. Hill, Long Beach Catherine Louis, Los Angeles Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, San Francisco Charles Lucas, Glendale Mrs. J. R. Mason, Taft R. H. Montgomery, Burbank Frank J. Norris, Torrance Mrs. Don McLaughlin, Ventura J. C. Merrill, Whittier Bill Nobles, National City O. O. Richardson, Santee Donald Webb, Yucaipa Ralph B. Snow, Fresno Cecil Stroppe, Calexico Lonnie Windham, Potter Valley Mrs. B. H. Uzell, Croville

BAIRD MEETS CROSS PLAINS FOR BI-DISTRICT TITLE FEB. 28

Two girls basketball teams from Callahan County will battle it out for the title of Bi-District Champions in the Abilene High School gym at 8 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Track Begins With 15 Boys

High school track workouts began Tuesday, with 15 boys indicating they will represent the Red and White of Baird High School this Spring.

This group will be led by Seniors J. D. Faircloth, Robert Green, Kenny Townsend, Bobby Voigts and Dyed Windham. This is the 4th year for Faircloth, Townsend, Voigts and Windham, with Voigts going all the way to the State meet last year in the high jump.

Juniors are Travis Higgins, Allen Lovell and Butch Smith, with Sophomores Franklyn Alexander, Jerry Barron, Mike Matson and William Higgins. The Freshman class sends Howard Gordon, Donnie Rowe, and Tommy Townsend. Manager will be Freshman Johnny Voigts.

The track schedule for 1967 includes: March 11, Bulldog Relays at Ranger; March 18, Tariaton Relays at Stephenville; April 1, Goldthwaite or Saginaw; April 8, District meet at Dublin; April 15, Aspermont or Comanche; April 22, Regional meet at Denton. The State meet this year in Austin will be on May 4, 5, 6 as the final meet for those who qualify at Regional.

HOLIDAY NOTICE

The First National Bank of Baird will be closed February 22, in observance of Washington's Birthday. This is a legal holiday for the bank.

PLANS PROGRESSING FOR COFC BANQUET TO BE HELD MARCH 24

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The Baird Bearettes, champions of District 10-A and the Cross Plains Buffetes, champions from District 9-A will meet in the elimination contest of the feminine division contest.

The Bearettes have a rating of 8-0 in district play, and Cross Plains, 7-1, having been defeated one time in district games by Rising Star.

Both teams have excellent records in past years of girls basketball teams. Cross Plains reached the State Class A Tournament in 1966. The Baird girls carried the State Champion title in 1964 and returned in 1965.

Admission charge will be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children at the game between these two County Champions, as one of them will carry the winning title into Regional playoffs at Denton.

Lunchroom Menu . . .

MONDAY
Steak and gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, salad, bread, milk and plums.

TUESDAY
Hamburgers, sliced cheese, tomatoes, lettuce, Fritos, milk and raisin cobbler.

WEDNESDAY
Meat balls, English peas, buttered rice, celery, hot rolls, milk and jelly.

THURSDAY
Barbecue chicken, green beans, potato salad, pickles, bread, milk and apple sauce cake.

FRIDAY
Fish sticks with mustard, buttered corn, blackeye peas, tomatoes, lettuce, bread, milk peanut butter cookies and peach halves.

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Green, Collins Crowned King, Queen February 9

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO STUDY HOME BUILDING PROJECT

President Jimmy Godfrey and the Board of Directors of the Baird Chamber of Commerce started on a program to attract prospective Home Builders and Owners to Baird, in their Monday morning meeting. A committee was appointed to start the project, composed of Charles Walker, Dick McNabb, Perry Jennings and Clifton Burfield.

Meyer's Home Receives Heavy Damage Sat.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman L. Meyer, in North Baird, received heavy damage by an explosion and fire Saturday morning, Feb. 11, about 9:45 a. m.

The bath room, received the heaviest damage, apparently caused by an accumulation of gas. Sheetrock from two walls of the house, one in the bath room and one directly behind, the kitchen, was blown completely off and scattered throughout the house in small pieces. The ceiling was lifted from two to four inches in places, and a picture window glass was shattered. Glass was scattered throughout the living room, where two of the Meyer's sons, Tim and Pat, sat watching Saturday morning cartoon on T. V. The boys were unhurt and ran immediately to a neighbor's house and called the Baird Fire Department.

The Meyer family will move into the old Church of Christ parsonage until their house can undergo a complete remodeling.

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The Baird Schools Coronation was held Feb. 9, at 7:30 p. m. in the High School auditorium. A large crowd attended the annual crowning of the school's King and Queen, and students chosen from each room to play their part in the Royalty Court.

Baird School King, Robert Lee Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, and School Queen, Mary Jo Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Collins, both Senior students, were presented first and took their place on a lovely decorated stage of bright red lace-trimmed hearts, and watched the remaining parade of their royal court.

Crownbearers were Liza Vines and David Sorrells. Trainbearers were Connie Eubanks and Gregg Carnes.

Junior Class Duchess, Cheryl Weeks and Duke, Bun Barry; Sophomore Class Duchess Linda Cason, and Duke, Chris West; Freshman Class Duchess, Rea Corn, and Duke, Tommy Townsend.

Headlight Queen, Marie Petty and Headlight King, Hal Miller. Most Beautiful Girl, Dianne Petty, and Most Handsome Boy, Tommy Bearden.

Football Sweetheart, Cathy Townsend and Football Tri-Captain Dickie Hass.

Best All Round Girl, Peggy Gordon and Best All-Round Boy, Kenny Townsend.

Band Sweetheart, Carlie Carrieco and Band President, Billy Bollinger.

FFA Sweetheart, Nadene Shelnut and FFA Duke, Rickie Joy. Beta Club, Kerry White and J. D. Faircloth.

Bear Facts, Joyce Howard and Bobby Voigts.

Spanish Club, Evelyn Smalley and Robert Lee Griggs.

Princesses and Princes representing Baird Grade School are as follows:

First Grade, Cathy Dyer and Jeff Burleson.

Second Grade, Tammy Holland and Freddie Dupont.

Third Grade, Lynn Favor and Kevin Waldrop.

Fourth Grade, Eva Black and Jay Ringhoffer.

Fifth Grade, Myra Lanham and Mike Tollett.

Sixth Grade, Daria Morrow and Guy Curtis.

Seventh Grade, Donna Collins and Gary Goble.

Eighth Grade, Kay Barron and Johnny Robinson.

Royal entertainers for the evening were: Mrs. Ed Cotton, vocalist, Mrs. Viva Peak, accompanist; Ada Black, Rea Corn and Marian Odom, Mrs. Melba Foy, accompanist; Nancy Deal, Peggy Gordon, Joyce Howard, Marcia Petty, Nadene Shelnut and Kathy Townsend, Mrs. Melba Foy, accompanist.

Ending with the song, "Goodnight Sweetheart," led by Mrs. Cotton, the Royal Court descended from the stage.

Silas Alfred Moore, 94, died in a Comanche hospital at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral was held at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Comanche Funeral Home Chapel with grandsons, the Revs. Ronnie Moore of Brownwood, Jimmy Poy of Bertram and Donald Daniels of San Antonio officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

He was born Dec. 23, 1872 in Fayette County and had lived in Comanche 80 years. He was a retired farmer and rancher.

He married Ella Ann Doss in 1894. She died in March 1951. He married Mrs. Claudia Jones on Jan. 10, 1953.

Mr. Moore was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church. Survivors include his wife; three sons, Jerrell of Dripping Springs, Raymond of Moorings Port, La., and Seth of Brownwood; four daughters, Mrs. Lee Reagan of Comanche, Mrs. Donald Salsbury of Edinburg, Mrs. Roy Armstrong and Mrs. Erwin Schuman, both of San Antonio; one brother Will of Brownwood; 10 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Mr. Moore was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Ann Mayfield of Baird. She attended the funeral in Comanche.

The Baird Bearettes will play a practice game with Wylie in the Wylie gym Saturday, Feb. 18 at 8:00 p. m. Winters and Eula will play at 7 p. m.

Another practice game for the Bearettes will be Tuesday night, Feb. 21, who and where they will play has not been established at this time.

The 1967 United Fund personal solicitation campaign has been completed for this year.

If you have not been contacted for a donation to this very worthy cause, you are urged to make your contribution to Lucy Curtis at the First National Bank of Baird.

The following new vehicles were registered in the courthouse since Feb. 7:

F. M. Churchill, Ford
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Baird Junior High Girls Co-Champions of 10-A

The Baird Junior High basketball team ended their 1966-67 season Monday night by defeating Merkel by a score of 33-8 in Merkel gym.

This ended district play, in which the Baird Junior girls hold the title of District Co-Champions, being defeated only once in district play, by Wylie. Both teams now hold the same title as ruled by the District last year that any teams ending in a tie, it will remain as such.

The Baird team defeated Wylie girls by 17 points earlier in the season in their first district game on Jan. 6. Wylie came back and defeated Baird on Jan. 30, in a two minute overtime by 4 points. At the end of district play, both teams have a 5-1 standing.

Co-Champion trophies will be awarded to both Baird and Wylie, at a later date.

Baird Jr. High girls end their season with a very successful record of winning 19 out of 22 games, losing three games

to Wylie. In the six games played with Wylie, Baird scored 206 points to Wylie's 182.

During the season, Baird has scored 760 points, an average of 34.5 points a game of the 24 playing minutes.

The forwards were two eighth graders, Vickie Varner and Kathy Reeves, and seventh grader Paula Petty. All three forwards played in all 22 games. Reeves scored 179 points, Petty, 180, and Varner, the only girl on the squad with any experience from last season, was the team's leading scorer, with a total of 349 points, an average of 15.9 per game. Vickie Varner and Kathy Reeves were the team co-captains.

The guards were all eighth graders, Charlene Black, Wilda Williams, Vickie Griggs, Sharon Wilson and Kay Barron.

Also finished with a job well done were the three substitutes in the forward position, Kathy Barton, Debbie Hass and Leonna Burleson.

Each girl is to be congratulated for the fine way they have conducted themselves throughout the entire season, under the coaching ability of Mrs. Jessie Odom, who once again hangs the old blue score book up among so many great memories and successful years in the sport of basketball.

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ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Mrs. Ralph Trevey of Snyder visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon Sunday while her husband was on National Guard duty in Abilene.

Mrs. Truitt Hollingshead and Mrs. Elveda Sikes of Abilene came by Mrs. Leila Gibbs' home Wednesday to take her to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose's home in Cross Plains. The four sisters plan two birthday events a year. This one being Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mrs. Elveda Sikes birthdays in February. They are all daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, who lived in this community for years.

Mr. Gene Mauldin is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene, and has been seriously ill, but the report on him today was that he was improving. All of his children have been at the bedside. Carl Mauldin of Houston, Mrs. Willie Masters of Snyder, Mrs. Danny Brown of Littleton, Colo., Donnie Mauldin of Denver, Colo., and Roland of Abilene.

Stirling Odom attended the funeral services for Mrs. C. R. Steele last Monday in Coleman.

Mrs. George Blakley spent part of last week in Abilene with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parson and new great-grandson, Larry Joe. Visitors in the Blakley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Smith and Gary Childers of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman and Earl Blakley of Baird. Also Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Owen of Abilene.

Herbert Glaze of Tarzan visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Warren Price attended funeral services in Coleman last Thursday for Mrs. Mary Lee Duncan.

Those from here attending the quilting in Mrs. J. D. Cauten's home in Admiral Friday were: Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. Leila Gibbs, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price and children of Putnam visited his father, Alza Price Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry of Baird visited their daughter, Mrs. James Reynolds Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge spent Sunday night in Abilene, sitting up with her uncle, Mr. A. D. McWhorter, who is ill. Raymond Gibbs visited Jessie Bowers Sunday.

Those visiting in the Roy Thornton home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thornton and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Long, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Sherrill and two children, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge and Mrs. Effie Holloway.

Mrs. B. Crow of Baird visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs Monday.

Visitors in the Ray Boen home during the week were Mrs. Effie Holloway, Roy Thornton and George Blakley.

Friday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Odom and Penny of Cross Plains.

Mrs. John Adair took her mother, Mrs. Bob Merryman home Monday morning from the hospital in Baird.

Jerry McDonald visited his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Childers and family Friday.

Rain gauges around her measured 2 of rain Saturday. The clouds, bring some snow and rain were welcome. We just wish it could have lasted longer. Mrs. Leila Gibbs received a

letter Fonday from Mrs. Lou Mahan in Andrews. She reported her brother, Bill Hazle was in the hospital there. Mrs. Mahan is staying in Andrews to be at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parmer in Abilene last Thursday night. The occasion was a birthday dinner for Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited her brother, Wiley Smedley in the hospital at Baird, Monday.

Mrs. Weldon Gary visited with her brother, Mr. Dan Luttrell of Dallas in her mother's home in Cross Plains Saturday night. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gary made a trip to Weatherford to see Audrey Gary and family, who have just moved to that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawrence of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence and boys of Cross Plains, were visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence Sunday. James and family have moved to Cross Plains to work in the store with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell attended the Baird - De Leon basketball games in Baird Friday night. Mrs. Duke McIntosh of Baird spent the day Thursday with the Don Harrises.

Arvin Thornton entered the hospital in Baird Monday morning.

Visitors with Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird and Mrs. Effie Holloway.

Chester Derrick of Odessa visited in the James Reynolds home and N. V. Gibbs home Saturday night.

Hospital Notes

The following were receiving medical care at Callahan County Hospital Wednesday:

- Mrs. Blackstock, Moran
- Mrs. Henry Brown, Clyde
- Andrew Mendez, Baird
- Mrs. Melba Walls, Baird
- M. C. Hughes, Baird
- Mrs. Joe Reed, Clyde
- Charles Lauw, Clyde
- Clyde Slaughter, Cross Plains
- Mrs. Clyde Slaughter, Cross Plains
- Mrs. Jeffie Morgan, Baird
- Mrs. Velma Waiker
- Arvin Thornton, Baird
- Mrs. Verna P. Young, Clyde
- Mrs. Sandle Coley, Clyde
- Mrs. Ada Miller, Baird
- Mrs. Nettie Busby, Baird
- L. H. Welch, Clyde
- Wiley Smedley, Baird

Dismissals

- Recently dismissed from hospital care are:
- Mrs. Henry Pierce
 - Barb Collins
 - Joe Canada
 - Mrs. Rob Dugan
 - Rob Dugan
 - Lou Ella McLoud
 - Mrs. Maude Doty
 - W. E. Norwood
 - Mrs. Fred Mendez
 - J. E. Rogers
 - E. S. Mauldin
 - James Tyler
 - Mrs. W. H. Kelly
 - Mrs. E. G. Huckabee
 - Mrs. Lois Fowler
 - Mrs. Vida Hill
 - Pearl Hoggins
 - Dan Smith
 - Arno Roggenstein
 - William A. Terry
 - Mrs. Bob Merryman

Attending Game Warden School

Terry Edmund Joy, 26, of Baird, is attending game warden training school at Texas A & M University, College Station.

Upon completion of the five-month training program, he will be commissioned a game warden for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Joy graduated from Baird High School and later attended Abilene Christian College, Cisco Junior College and South Plains Junior College. Prior to entering the game warden school, he was a patrolman for the Lubbock Police Department.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Joy and is married to the former Lenora Bates, all of Baird. They have two boys, Greg, 6, and Mark, 2.

Joy was selected to attend the 33-man class from a field of 550 applicants.

Putnam Group Gives Dictionary To Library In Memory Of Fred Cutbirth

Callahan County Library recently has received a new library-size Random House Dictionary of the English Language, given in memory of Fred Cutbirth by a group of 15 friends from Putnam. This dictionary will be placed on a stand so it will be easily available to library patrons.

Another new memorial book is Fifty Years on the Old Frontier, true reminiscences of a famous frontiersman, Capt. James H. Cook, compiled by his son, Howard Cook. This book was given in memory of Claude Morse of Oplin.

A book and Peruvian Literature will be ordered for the Memorial Shelf, to be inscribed

in memory of Paul Hay of San Diego, Calif., the brother-in-law of Mrs. M. C. McGowen of Baird. Other titles received recently are: The Autobiography of Andrew Carnegie; Albert Schweitzer, Genius of the Jungle, by Joseph Gollomb; a little book for children, called Horses and Horses, by Norman W. Rousset of Sonora, Texas; and new and up-to-date World Almanac and Book of Facts for 1967.

For the Texas Shelf, the monthly issue of Texas Parade provides much interesting information about Texas.

The Wednesday Club of Baird has sponsored the Library and Pioneer Museum for 30 years. Mrs. Rosa Ryan is Librarian.

"WEEKLY MEDITATIONS"

THE WAY OF ENDURANCE

II Corinthians 4:16-18

"So I never give up; although my outward nature is wasting away, my inner nature is constantly renewed from day to day. For this slight and momentary sorrow continue to accumulate for me a solid and eternal glory far beyond any comparison, because I do not keep my eyes on things that are seen but things that are unseen. For things that are seen are temporary, but things that are unseen are eternal."

(Williams Translation) Here Paul sets out for the Corinthians the Way of Endurance. The Corinthians desired to know what it was that kept Paul and his company from being overcome when faced with strong opposition.

All through life a man's bodily strength is in a continuing process of fading away, but all through one's life it is intended by God that a man's soul continue to grow. The fact that a man may suffer much pain in life which may leave him with a weakened body, may be the very thing that adds great strength to the soul. Although we realize that time can take away physical beauty, time should add to one's spiritual beauty. From the physical point of view life could appear to be nothing more than an inevitable slipping down a slope to death and the grave. However, from the spiritual point of view, life is viewed as a climbing up the hill that leads to the presence of God. Time then is not to be feared for it brings man nearer to God.

Paul was convinced that regardless of what he had to experience, being hated and persecuted, beaten and flogged and imprisoned, if all this borne with resignation to God's will, it would accumulate for him and any follower of Christ a solid and eternal glory in the hereafter. Paul's stand in all this opposition to his life surely is based on the fact that in all the Gospel story Jesus never foretold his death without fore-

telling His resurrection. Therefore, he who suffers for Christ will share Christ's glory. Paul is straining to the utmost to express the truth that our glory in Heaven will be all out of proportion to the slight suffering we will experience on earth for our Savior.

Therefore, Paul urges man to fix his eyes not on the things that are seen, but on the things that are unseen. The things that are seen, the things of this world, have their day and cease to be, the things that are unseen, the things of Heaven, last forever.

Rev. Carrol Green
First Baptist Church

Girl Scout Service Team To Attend District Meet

Volunteers who make up the local Girl Scout service team will attend a district meeting Thursday, Feb. 23, at 9:30 a. m. at the Brown-towner Motor Inn in Brownwood.

The function of the Girl Scout service team is to organize and maintain troops and to see that girls have a quality program at all age levels. Direction and help for carrying out this function is provided by the Heart of Texas Council at district meetings. This month's meeting will be devoted to making plans for Girl Scout Week, scheduled for March 12-17; to interpreting upcoming projects and activities; and to planning for spring outdoor and camping activities.

Southern Biscuit Co., supplier of the 1967 Girl Scout cookies, will host a special noon luncheon honoring local cookie chairmen. Service team members will also be guests for the luncheon. Reservation are to be made through the Council office prior to the meeting.

District II is made up of the following towns within the council's jurisdiction: Albany, Baird, Ballinger, Brady, Brownwood, Cisco, Clyde, Coleman, Goldthwaite, Lampasas, Lometa and San Saba.

UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

BY VEDA YARBROUGH

Hi neighbor! Hoy are you? I went to Temple last Sunday to go through the Clinic. I did and got a good report. The doctors didn't say I was getting too plump and I was very pleased.

I am here in Vernon visiting with Mildred and Gerald Carter. We had a little rain here Saturday morning, but not enough to amount to anything.

Mildred and I visited one afternoon last week with Mrs. Mary Ramsey at the Rest Home in Baird. She is doing real good it seems. We went to see D. A. Yarbrough. He is doing fine.

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Refreshments were served to guests and members.

Next meeting will be March 7 in the home of Mrs. I. E. Warren.

Three Host Garden Club Meet Feb. 7

The Baird Garden Club met Tuesday, Feb. 7, at the Presbyterian Church. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Clyde White, Mrs. J. T. Loper and Mrs. B. H. Freeland.

Mrs. I. E. Warren, President, presided for the meeting. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. D. J. Anderson. Many interesting stories of Historic Trees of Texas were heard as members answered roll call with this subject.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Mr. Jerry L. Lackey, County Agent of Callahan County. He spoke on Trees, their planting and care. After the program Mr. Lackey answered questions on trees and other garden problems.

Guests for the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Lackey, Mrs. Al-

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News Items From The Putnam Community

WOMEN'S STUDY CLUB HOLD GUEST TEA

The Women's Study Club held a guest tea in the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Monday. Hostesses were Mmes. Fred Heyser, Jim B. Gunn, E. E. Sunderman and S. M. Eubank.

Local artists exhibited their Arts and Crafts. Mrs. John Petty, District Chairman of Fashions For Fun, was commentator for a Style Show. Five contestants of the Putnam Club were judged by Mrs. Bowden of Cross Plains.

First place was won by Mrs. John Doyle Isenhower, who made a Tangerine colored Italian silk suit; second place was given to Mrs. Douglas Fry, who made a pink silk linen suit. Approximately 100 guests from Club of Moran, Cisco, Baird, and Cross Plains, and local guests, teachers and High School students, were present.

SCHOOL NEWS . . . PUTNAM GIRLS TIE FOR 2ND IN DISTRICT

Putnam girls were defeated by Carbon Tuesday night. The final score was 62-40.

Jan Petty scored 30 points for Putnam while Miss Jackson and Miss Justice hit 28 and 24 for Carbon.

Putnam blasted Olden 59-33 Friday night in Olden gym, with Jan Petty and Marsha Knott scoring 20 and 13 points for Putnam.

The Putnam girls finished up in a tie for second place in the District with Gorman.

Members of the Pantherette team include: forwards, Jan Petty, Ellen Shackelford, Elaine Isenhower, Bonnie Nettles, and Wanda Cunningham; guards, Marsha Knott, Estaline Gilmore, Susie Wagley, Fredene Jones and Barbara Duncan.

The girls coach is Mrs. Sarah Berry.

JR. HIGH BASKETBALL

Putnam Jr. High girls were defeated by Carbon in a close game, which ended with a 12-10 score.

Shirley Purvis was high for Putnam with 7 points.

Putnam is entered in the Moran Tournament Feb. 16, 17, 18.

PANTHERS LOSE TO OLDEN

Putnam Panthers were defeated Friday night by Olden, by a score of 52-43.

Johnny Isenhower had 25 points for the Panthers, while Moore had 21 for Olden.

This was the last game for the Panthers, whose season record was 12-8.

First & Second Grades

We were very happy to hear from Lisa Ramsey and her mother. They have been living in Germany for many months, so we really enjoy hearing from them. She sends materials and pictures of her activities there. We appreciate her remembering us.

Bobby Feely had his grandparents from Arlington as visitors during the weekend.

We were sad to learn about Mr. Glen Thames death. He is R. B.'s great-uncle.

Betty and Raymond Threet have a new pet bird. Richard Wagley had guests, the Conrad Buchanans of Shamrock and the Craig Buchanans of Sweetwater.

Donald Isenhower spent Saturday night with Darrell and

Buford Green in Abilene.

Third & Fourth Grades

Saturday night, Evelyn Wagley and Mrs. Wagley went to see Evelyn's grandmother in Moran.

Kathy Hurley saw her grandfather in the hospital at Baird Sunday afternoon.

David Isenhower visited Buford and Darrel Green in Abilene over the weekend.

Roger Reynolds went shopping in Abilene Saturday.

Mrs. Purvis was a visitor in San Angelo Saturday.

All teachers will attend the Small Schools Meeting in Moran Monday night.

Veda Yarbrough is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Carter in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and son of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor and family of Snyder were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Arno Roggenstein is still a patient in the hospital at Baird. G. S. Pruet was taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Max Kennedy and family, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bernard O'Brien of Olden spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Drue Sprawls. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sprawls and daughter of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with Mrs. Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simmons of Cisco were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle.

Walter Francisco visited his mother, Mrs. W. A. Ramsey, who is convalescing in the Nursing Home in Baird, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perrine, Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Lee Donaway and son, all of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donaway of Cisco were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

Clifford Smith of Dallas is spending three days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager of Brownwood were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet. In the afternoon they all visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones.

Mrs. B. E. Rutherford and Laverne were Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan in Cross Plains, and Mrs. Claud Morse in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe were Thursday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Allis Williams, near Cottonwood.

Mrs. Mike Cook of Cross Plains visited friends in Putnam Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Warren attended the wedding of Ruby Kay Alvis and C. O. Holt Jr. in Haskell Saturday afternoon. Mr. Holt is a nephew of Mrs. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Hughes of Pecos visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Warren recently.

Eastern Star To Entertain Masons

The Eastern Star Chapter will celebrate the birthday of George Washington on February 22 at 7 p. m.

The Chapter will entertain Masons and their families with a supper and program at the Masonic Hall.

All Eastern Star members are to bring a covered dish.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Price were Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Price and Gaylene of Roby, Milton Van Cleave of Kerrville, Mrs. Hubert Love and Martha Gayle of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilbourne of Olden, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Vines, Debbie and Ann of Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dugan, Paula and Johnny of Clyde, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Glaze of Stanton.

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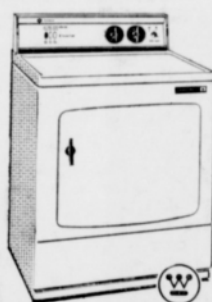
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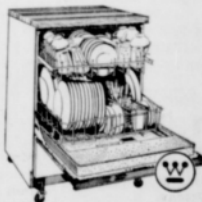
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Atwell News

MRS. ROY TATUM

Mr. and Mrs. Higginbotham from Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday. Visitors at the Primitive Baptist Church Sunday were Elder E. B. Tabor of Brownwood, John Keck of Cisco and Mrs. Sallie Brazil of Cross Plains.

Roy and Roy Nell Tatom at-tended a farmers meeting at Cross Plains Friday night.

Harvey and Virgil McKinley visited Mrs. Ethel Hewes Satur-day.

Barbara Ingram of Cotton-wood spent Wednesday night with Kim Tatom.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys of Cross Plains vis-ited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Ta-tom and girls Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Abernathy and Ruby of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Wed-nesday night.

Alton and Roy Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis attended the Singing Convention at Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre and girls Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones were visitors in Lueders Thurs-day.

Jake Carter made a business trip to Dallas Thursday. He spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter.

Our community got 3 of mois-ture Saturday afternoon. Other parts of the community got as much as 4. We had some snow but it melted as soon as it fell to the ground.

Baird Birthdays . . .

February 17:
Sue Kelly
February 19:
Janis Bell
Ada Black
Kenny Bradley
February 20:
Joyce Howard
M. L. Hughes
February 21:
La Verne Barnes
Gilbert Hinds

Mrs. Ace Hickman Host Wednesday Club

The Wednesday Club met in the home of Mrs. Ace Hickman Feb. 8th, with 14 members an-swering roll call.

The meeting opened with Mrs. Sam Gilliland giving the in-vo-cation. Mrs. Lee Ivey, President, presided over the business meet-ing.

A program on Education was presented by Miss Grimes and Mrs. Ivey. Miss Grimes talked

on Our Changing Times in the School Room, discussing in part, the new method of teach-ing math. Mrs. Ivey gave an in-teresting talk on High Educa-tion.

Those present for the meet-ing, besides the members above were: Mmes. Brightwell, Stub-blefield, Cunningham, Dyer, Hill, Russell, Young, Williams, War-ren, Billingsley.

The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. I. E. Warren, March 8th.

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Such a conclusion overlooks the contribution agriculture makes to our nation.

(1) American agriculture gives our people an abundant and nutritious supply of food at prices which are cheaper in terms of human effort expended than any other major country of the world

(2) Our farm produce is important in the leadership role of building a better world and helping to create political, social and economic structures suited to nations whose people desire freedom from oppression and want.

To attain this productivity has required sound agriculture education programs, not only for the farmers but also for those who provide his production supplies and for those who transport, process and distribute the farmer's produce.

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