

This n That

By Lucy Burfield

The building of a community often begins in the local bank. The stagnation of a community may also be the responsibility of the bank.

Following the parable in the New Testament, the banker may "bury his talents or us them."

In burying his talents he loses them and the whole community suffers. The banker who fully uses his talents (money) brings a blessing in the community and receives multiplied benefits.

The progressive banker is more interested in lending than in hoarding. His own income from loans for building is great. His income from hoarding is miserly, and as a simple money changer he is a drag to his community.

Few institutions can gain as much from the prosperity of the community as the local bank. The bank shares the profits of every local business. The progressive bank gains greater profit when it contributes to the development of all local institutions.

Such contributions cannot be maximum unless the services of the bank are understood by the people. Few people realize that a bank is more interested in lending than in savings. Few people understand what "full service" banking means. Only consistent advertising can educate the citizen as to the important place of the bank in community development.

This means, of course, that a strong and independent newspaper is the best support of the local bank, and vice versa.

And in communities where a good newspaper has not been established, farsighted bankers are the first to look for a competent newspaper publisher to help in the leadership of community building.

COUNTY RECORDS

The following new vehicles were registered in the Courthouse since Feb. 28:

- Ablene Concrete Co., Chev. pickup
- Donna K. Brasher, Chevrolet
- H. L. Haynie, GMC pickup
- Clifford D. Park Ford
- B. A. Luttrell, Ford
- W. W. Burrow, Ford
- W. G. Pair, Ford
- Jon G. McLain, Chevrolet
- J. E. Pierce, Chevrolet pickup

Annual Kendrick Easter Pageant To Be Held Again This Year

Make plans to attend the annual Kendrick Easter Pageant on Easter Sunday, March 26, beginning at 3:30 a. m. and ending at sun-up.

The entire Life of Moses from the birth through the Ten Commandments will be added this year to complete Life of Christ from the birth through the resurrection, being portrayed in fifty scenes by a cast of approximately 135 people of all walks of life, who donate many hours of their time for rehearsals and the presentation. The towns represented in the cast include: Abilene, Hamilton, Rising Star, Eastland, Breckenridge, Carbon, Cisco and Mineral Wells.

This year's presentation will be held in the Kendrick Amphitheater to an expected attendance of 50,000. The theater was constructed to accommodate 100,000. The stage of the theater is 325 feet in length and houses twelve separate stages built on a crystal white aggregate stone finish. Included on the stage is a running River of Jordan, the Sea of Galilee, and the Mount Calvary.

This pageant will be the most complete performance presented in this state or surrounding states as included with the cast will be live animals consisting of a gray donkey for the Mother Mary, a white donkey for the Triumphant March of Jesus, a camel for the Wise Men, as well as the regular animals for the manger scenes, and the sheep for the shepherds in the field.

PUTNAM HOMECOMING TO BE HELD SATURDAY MARCH 25

The Putnam Homecoming on Saturday, March 25, 1967, will be a memorial to R. F. Webb, who was a former Superintendent of the school there.

The reunion will be held at the local school building. Registration will begin at 9:30 a. m. and the morning will be spent in fellowship.

Eubanks of Breckenridge will cater the dinner. Price per plate will be \$1.35. For reservations send check or money order and self-addressed stamped envelope to Mrs. L. B. Jones, Rt. 2, Moran, Texas 76464, or see LaVerne Rutherford at the Putnam Post Office by March 20th.

The group will assemble in the school auditorium at 2 p. m. for a business session and program.

Mr. R. W. Reynolds, Superintendent of Putnam School, will

CofC Banquet Tickets On Sale

Final arrangements for the Baird Chamber of Commerce banquet, to be held March 24 at 7 p. m., are now near completion.

Tickets for the banquet are now on sale and may be purchased at the chamber office or from any chamber member.

Guest speaker will be Judge Jim C. Langdon, Texas Railroad Commissioner, of Austin.

The banquet will be catered by Lavender's Cafeteria of Abilene and will be served in the Baird School Cafeteria.

Baird Star Travels Near and Far

A list of Bairdites living in the State of New Mexico, still remaining on the Baird Star mailing list are:

- Martha Betcher, Cloudercroft
- S. C. Bradford, Jal
- O. L. Coats, Portales
- Mrs. C. P. Correll, Melrose
- Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, Cedar Crest
- Mrs. Ross Finley, Farmington
- Willie Kennedy, Santa Fe
- Elsia Lehw, Socorro
- Mrs. Delmar Jackson, Artesia
- Dr. B. L. Russell, Clovis
- F. E. Stanley, Carlsbad
- Rollie Ted Gunn, Jal
- John E. Brown, Jal
- C. L. Armstrong, Jal

be master of ceremonies for the program.

The Homecoming is held every two years, on the odd year.

Plan now to attend the Junior-Senior play "Bolts and Nuts," at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Station Robbed At Putnam

Cunningham Mobil Station in Putnam was burglarized Thursday night, March 2. The burglary was discovered when the operator of the station, Tood Cunningham, opened for business Friday morning.

Entry into the station was gained by prying open the front door. The cigarette machine was broken into and approximately \$28 was taken from the machine. A .380 pistol, a large knife and a Stetson hat were also missing. The burglary is still being investigated by Baird Deputy Sheriff C. S. McGowan, assisted by Texas Ranger Sid Merchant of Abilene and Texas Highway Patrolman Bob Favor.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS GRADE SCHOOL PROGRAM HELD MON.

A large crowd of MFT members and guests gathered in the High School auditorium Monday night to watch the students, from grade 1 through 8 perform in a very entertaining program.

Master of ceremonies Jim Hatcher introduced the 1st grade students in the rhythm band, who were dressed like bunnies and kept perfect time to the sounds of tambourines. Combining the two 3rd grades, they gave their version of the Virginia Reel, under the supervision of Mrs. Dick Vestal and Mrs. Robert Barnhill. The grade school band, under

Hospital Notes . . .

The following are receiving medical care in Callahan County Hospital:

- Fabian Bearden, Baird
- Mrs. Henry Pierce, Clyde
- Mrs. Blanton Freeland, Baird
- Mrs. Joe Reed, Clyde
- Charles Lauw, Clyde
- Mrs. Alba Falkner, Clyde
- Joe Higgins, Cross Plains
- Cleo Joy, Cross Plains
- Rick Dennis, Clyde
- Lester Jaggars, Baird
- Mrs. Ova Moore, Baird
- W. G. Black, Clyde

Dismissals

- The following were dismissed from the hospital since Feb. 28:
- Rudd Swan
 - Mrs. Bill Windham
 - Howard Appling
 - Mrs. Felix Mitchell
 - Garland Rutherford
 - M. C. Wolfe
 - M. D. McElroy
 - Mrs. Laura Riley
 - Mrs. Cecil Greer
 - Mrs. Loyd Beck
 - Arno Roggenstein
 - Mrs. Amanda Moore
 - L. S. Conley
 - S. O. Whitmire
 - James Alexander
 - Mrs. Mollie Brandon
 - Mrs. Bob Merryman
 - Mrs. J. J. Jolly
 - Mrs. Verna P. Young
 - Donna Abernathy
 - Mrs. Effie Holloway
 - Garvin Jones
 - Mrs. Melba Walls
 - Arthur Reese

School Administrators Get Contract Extensions

Two Callahan County Teams Advance To Regional Playoffs

Two Callahan County teams competed in Regional Basketball playoffs last weekend. The Cross Plains Buffettes advanced to the State meet, to be held this weekend in Austin, by winning the Regional Class A

Championship at Denton. They defeated Pilot Point by a score of 44-33, and sealed the title by a one point margin over Archer City, 46-47 in the finals.

The Buffettes will play George West, of South Texas, at 1:45 p. m. Friday, March 10, for their first game in the State tournament in Austin.

Championship games will start at 3:50 p. m. Saturday and consolation game will begin at 9 a. m. Saturday.

The Buffettes left Cross Plains at 10:30 Thursday morning.

Eula girls brought home the second place trophy in Class B Regional Tournament, held in Stephenville. They defeated Milford in semi-final action by a score of 42-35. But they ran into a sizzling-scoring Cathy Horn, who scored 43 points for Brock to lose the final 65-46. Miss Horn's total was only three points under the total Eula score. Brock will play in the State Tournament in Austin this coming weekend.

For the past four years, Callahan County has been represented at the State meet in Austin in Class A. Lots of good luck will be packed with the Buffettes, as win or lose they always know we have been there.

Boy Scouts Place Second

Baird Boy Scout Troop 24, entered a team of four boys in the Southern District Archery Meet at Coleman, Sunday March 5.

The four boys were: Brian Hughes, Roger Mitchell, Eddie Dehnell and Johnny Crites. The team placed second with a score of 51, in a field of seven teams entered in the scout division.

Scout Master Wayburn Mitchell received a participation ribbon along with the troop receiving their red ribbons.

Others attending the meet from Baird were: Mrs. Wayburn Mitchell and Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hughes and daughter Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dehnell and daughter, Charlotte, Mark Matson, Frankie Fleming and Lonnie McIntosh.

Thursday, March 9, five of the Scouts will leave on a trip to San Antonio.

A "Family Affair" Revival At First Methodist Church

Beginning Sunday, March 12, revival services at First Methodist Church. Sunday hours are 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Monday through Friday, 7 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Monday night will be WSCS night. Tuesday and Thursday night will be Children's nights. Wednesday night will be Youth night, and Friday night will be Official Board night.

Morning services will be sponsored by the five Adult Sunday school classes, with coffee and donuts at 6:30 a. m., and the worship service at 7. Monday morning will be The Men's Class, Tuesday morning, the Los Amigos class; Wednesday morning the Friendship class; Thursday morning, the Leader Class; and Friday morning, the Fellowship class. Each of these will be in charge of the coffee and donut time, and will be recognized in the service at 7.

Though we say a "Family Affair" revival, yet as all families are, we will be delighted to receive all visitors who will come. The pastor will be preaching, and the choir has done a lot of work on the music they will be presenting each night. The children will sing on their nights, and the Youth will have a special on Wednesday night. There will be a reception in Fellowship Hall after the service Wednesday night, sponsored by the Youth.

We would like to invite the whole community to enter into this time of spiritual emphasis, and pray that a blessing shall come to every individual.

SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise birthday party was given for Eddie Curtis Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Burleson.

Cake and punch were served to guests, and passes to the local theater were given to game winners.

Anne Mae Dyer Buried Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Anne Mae Dyer, 83, was held at 2 p. m. Saturday, March 4, in the Lawn Baptist Church. Rev. Robert J. Elkins of Brownwood, assisted by Rev. F. R. Cole of Abilene, officiated. Burial was in Midway Cemetery.

Mrs. Dyer passed away at 11:13 p. m. Wednesday in the Clyde Nursing Home.

She was born September 14, 1883, in Kendall and moved to Goldsboro in 1915 as a teacher. She married Henry Jeff Dyer June 26, 1917 in Novice. She was a substitute teacher in the Lawn and Novice school until 1960. She was a member of the Lawn Baptist Church.

Survivors are four sons, Lance L. of Midland, Henry Carter of Reseda, Calif., Pat L. of Carlsbad, N. M., and Jeff of Lawton, Okla.; one brother, Ross Carter of Fort Worth; 14 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

GRADE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED FOR 4th SIX WEEKS

The following students have been named to the Honor Roll, for the 4th six weeks period, according to Kermit Sorrells, Principal. The students averaged 90 or above.

- 5th GRADE**
 - Karen Barton
 - Ellamae Evans
 - Vanessa Favor
 - Cheryl Greenway
 - Angi Holland
 - Junior Myers
 - Larry Newton
 - Vickie Ringhoffer
 - David Smauel
- 6th GRADE**
 - Gay Sadler
 - Bill Hatchett
 - Roger Mitchell
 - David Barron
 - Jo Kennard
 - Brian Hughes

In a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Baird Independent School Thursday night, March 2, contracts for three school administrators were renewed for two years.

Those receiving renewals, which extended their contracts through the 1969 school year, were Superintendent L. B. Howard, High School Principal Ed Cotton and Elementary School Principal Kermit Sorrells.

Mr. Howard has served in his present position as Superintendent of Baird Schools since 1959, coming here from Trent. He received his B.S. and Master of Education degrees from McMurry College in Abilene. In addition to serving as Superintendent, he also teaches related math and coaches the High School girls basketball team.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard have three daughters, Mrs. Bobbie Elliott of Abilene; Sue, a student at Texas Tech; and Joyce, a senior student at Baird high school.

Mr. Cotton, who received his B.S. degree at Abilene Christian College and his M.E. degree at Hardin-Simmons, has served as High School Principal for six years. He also teaches math and served as assistant coach for five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotton have two children, Joe and Carlyn, both pre-schoolers.

Mr. Sorrells, who joined the Baird school system in 1965 as Elementary School Principal, attended Sul Ross State College, Texas Tech, Hardin-Simmons, Abilene Christian, and received his B.S. and M.E. degrees from West Texas State University.

He formerly served as Elementary Principal in Smyer. In addition to serving as Principal, Mr. Sorrells teaches 8th grade American History, a section of 8th grade math, and coaches Jr. High girls track.

The Sorrells' have three children, Sandra, who is in the third grade, and Phillip and David, both pre-schoolers.

R. L. (Bob) Clinton Appointed To County School Board

R. L. (Bob) Clinton of Putnam has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Fred Cook, on the Callahan County School Board.

Before his death, Mr. Cook had served as a member of the board for 29 years, and as president for the past 15 years.

Members of the Board extended their sympathy to Mrs. Cook in the form of a resolution and expressed their appreciation and gratitude for the service Mr. Cook rendered to the schools of Callahan County.

GIRL SCOUT WEEK PROCLAIMED

March 12 to 18 has been proclaimed as Girl Scout Week.

The proclamation pays tribute to Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. on its 55th anniversary, and highlights the organization's new triennial theme: "Values to Hold - Worlds to Explore." It reads in part:

"Within this theme Girl Scouts have a twofold purpose: to strive to apply the verities of character, conduct, patriotism and services in an age in which these verities can so easily be lost; and to more vigorously explore the worlds of home, community, nation and other lands -- thereby bring further understanding to their own lives and the lives of others."

The citizens of Baird are called upon to give Girl Scouting "their continued interest, cooperation, and support so that increasing numbers of girls ages seven through 17 may benefit and, in their turn, bring greater benefit to the lives their lives touch."

Baird Birthdays . . .

- March 10:
 - Tracy Corn
 - Peggy Gordon
- March 11:
 - Heien Lanham
 - Mrs. Bess Driskill
- March 14:
 - Marian Odum
 - Tammy Hunt
- March 15:
 - E. P. (Pop) Whitaker
- March 16:
 - Gary Smith
 - Billye Tally
 - Mark Baum

SERVING JAIL TERM

Frank Jones Evans, 41, of Waco is serving a 90-day jail term in Callahan County Jail.

Evans pleaded guilty in 42nd District Court for a second offense drunk driving charge.

ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mrs. Sterling Odom visited with Mrs. Ivon Odom in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Those from here attended Mr. Loyd Bryan's funeral in Cross Plains Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence. There may have been others whose names we did not get.

The Sunday night rain was spotted in our community, some gauges measuring from 20 to 50 of an inch. Some even slept through the thunder and lightning without knowing that it rained. Every little shower helps and we are thankful for it.

Visitors in the George Blakely home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parsons and Larry Jo of Abilene, spending Thursday night. Their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird came cut Wednesday to help celebrate Mr. Blakely's 84th birthday. On Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Owen, Mrs. Sharon Parsons and Larry Jo of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Smith and Gary Childers of Cottonwood; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blakely of Baird.

Visitors in the Roy Thornton home this week were Mrs. Ann Campbell of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge, Jessie Bower and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Mrs. Effie Holloway returned to her home Sunday from the hospital in Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird entertained with a 42 party in their home Saturday night. Guests from here were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy.

Visitors in the Weldon Gary home Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parsons and Larry Jo of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. George Blakely.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price last week were: Virgil Smedley of Big Spring, Mrs. Mary Outlaw of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cauthen and children and Christie Gibbs of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Washburn of Sipe Springs visited her father, Jerry McDonald Sunday. They had also visited with her sister, Mrs. Jake Childers and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Franzel Odom and Penny.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Terry Harris and Miss Vanda Anderson of Cross Plains attended the Cross Plains-Archer City baseball game played in Denton Saturday night. We are so glad our girls are going to state this weekend.

Attending the Cross Plains-Baird basketball game in Abilene Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy, Ivon Odom and Patricia Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Stauder of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutzenburger of Cross Plains attended a dairy meeting in the J. T. Watts home at Wylie Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevy of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer of Abilene visited their parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon Saturday. Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Judy also visited in the home Saturday.

Guests with Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain, and George Blakely from here; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird and Chester Derrick of Odessa.

Ray Boen visited Doc King and Emory Sunday. Mr. King has been sick with a cold the past week.

Visitors in the Ray Boen home Sunday were Miss Christie Bower of Abilene and Mrs. Roy Thornton and Arvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited patients at Hendrick Memorial Hospital Monday. They reported that Gene Mauldin will be released Tuesday. He will convalesce a few days at his son's home, Roland Mauldin in Abilene. They also reported that Mr. J. D. Cauthen of Admiral had improved, but would still be in the hospital a few days.

Mr. Duke McIntosh of Baird visited her daughter, Mrs. Don Harris and family Sunday.

Mr. Bill Hazle is still a patient in the Andrews hospital. His many friends here are thinking of him and hope he will be improving soon. Cards and letters could be sent in care of his sister, Mrs. Lou Mahan, Box 1155, Andrews, Texas.

Mrs. Annie received many nice gifts and lots of pretty birthday cards, and she expresses her thanks to all who took even a small part of their time to make this another happy birthday for a lady who has been a resident of Callahan County for 79 years.

Mrs. Annie, who has celebrated two of her birthdays at the Nursing Home, always enjoys this day, making sure each one plays some part in enjoying the day with her.

She had lunch in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Asbury, and they all returned to the Home in the afternoon for the celebration.

Mrs. E. R. Beck and Mrs. Mark Kehr visited Mrs. Asbury in the afternoon. The three ladies have been very close friends for many years.

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Atwell News

MRS. ROY TATUM

(Held over from last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Quinn of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith of Fort Worth and Mrs. Vee Maher of Cisco visited Mrs. Ethel Hewes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatum and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatum were in Abilene Friday where Ray had a checkup from his doctor. Then on Sunday night he entered the Cox Memorial Hospital and is to have surgery Wednesday afternoon. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Moran visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatum spent Thursday at their cabin on Lake Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Turner of Cisco spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatum, Beverly and Kim, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children of Baird, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Thursday night.

Herbert Ellis was in Clyde

Saturday for a checkup from his doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutchins and boys of Burkett visited Mrs. Roy Tatum late Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ethel Hewes attended the funeral for John Holder at Cisco Thursday afternoon.

Maggie Wilson visited Mrs. Mary B. McLeod at Cottonwood Sunday.

Two Host Delphian Club Meet Tuesday

The Delphian Club met Tuesday, March 7, with Mrs. Homer Driskill and Mrs. Blain Odom as co-hostesses.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, president, presided for the meeting. Mrs. James Snyder introduced the program, The Texas Day.

The invocation was given by Mrs. James Asbury and Mrs. Buster Hatchett led the group in the Pledge to the Texas Flag. Roll call was answered by each member with Historic Landmarks in the Community.

Mrs. M. Carroll McGowan reviewed, "How Amelia Secured the Tie that Binds with a Very Loose Knot," by Loova Novak.

Other club members present were Mmes. B. L. Boydston, L. C. Cash, A. E. Dyer Sr., Billy Henry, J. Bruce Jones, Bob Norrell, Sterling Odom, C. B. Snyder, M. L. Stubblefield, Frank Windham and C. H. Siadous.

Guests were Mrs. Lynn Williams, Mesquite District President, and Mmes. Ray Black, Irvin Corn, Lee Ivey and Ode Berry.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Meiba Walls last weekend were Gene and Rocky Walls of Houston, George and Johnny Walls of Shawnee, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Davis and daughter, Windy, all of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. James Walls of Abilene.

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FIRST EASTER SEALS — Texas Governor John Connally receives the first sheet of 1967 Easter Seals from representatives of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. Miss Stacy Dowdy, four, and Luther Loflin of San Antonio, Easter Seal Campaign adult and child, got State Appeal Chairman, Stanley Marcus presented the Governor the first sheet of Easter Seals on behalf of the 16,031 crippled children and adults helped during 1966 by the Texas Easter Seal Society. Governor Connally signed a proclamation declaring February 20 through Easter Sunday, March 26 as Easter Appeal dates and urged the generous help of all citizens of Texas in the Easter Seal Campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson of Eula visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson of San Angelo Monday, where they enjoyed fishing and a fish fry.

Mrs. Shorty Wilson of Clyde was a visitor at the Callahan County Library Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Conley, Pat and Dana of Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Conley this week.

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READY - MIX CONCRETE
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Wallace J. Bennett Serving in Vietnam

Army Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Wallace J. Bennett, son of Mrs. Alta L. Bennett, Route 1, Cross Plains, was assigned to Headquarters, I Field Force, Vietnam, Feb. 14.

Col. Bennett entered the Army in January 1948, and was last stationed at Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

He was graduated from Cross Plains High School in 1942 and received his commission through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program. He attended Texas A&M, College Station; Texas Wesleyan, Fort Worth; and SMU, Dallas.

His wife, Carol, lives at 708 Waggoner, Arlington.

School Menu . . .

MONDAY
Fried chicken, gravy, rice, green beans, salad, bread, milk and apple sauce.

TUESDAY
Stuffed wieners, corn, potatoes with sauce, celery, bread, milk and banana pudding.

WEDNESDAY
Steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, cabbage and apple salad, bread, milk, peanut butter cookies.

THURSDAY
Red beans, turnips and tops, macaroni and tomatoes, pickles, onions, cornbread, milk and jello.

FRIDAY
Corny dogs, blackeye peas, hominy, salad, bread, milk and raisin cobbler.

Social Security beneficiaries were paid \$20,048,347,000 in 1966.

Jimmy A. Thornton Receives Promotion

Jimmy A. Thornton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Thornton of Chaton, Ala., has been promoted to airman first class in the U. S. Air Force.

Airman Thornton is an aircraft loadmaster at Dyess AFB. He is a member of the Tactical Air Command which supports U. S. Ground forces with air strikes, aerial delivery of troops and equipment and other combat airpower.

The airman graduated from high school in Chaton.

His wife, Carla, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Baird.

14,620 beds in Texas Extended Care Facilities have been certified for Medicare patients by February 24, 1967.

TECUMSEH TOPICS

Lillian Crawford

Shirley Faye Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Crawford, was honored with a bridal shower March 2nd, in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Kate Crawford.

Kate Crawford, Shirley Faye and Thomas Hall Jr. are to be married at 8 p. m. March 18, in the Denton Valley Baptist Church.

Thomas Hall Jr. is in the U. S. Navy, and will be stationed to Maryland so they plan to move there, probably soon after the wedding.

Well, it's been spring like weather enough to put the rattlesnakes out on the move. Our house cat was bitten by a rattlesnake one of those warm evenings this week.

Wedding Plans Revealed

Mrs. Lorene Carpenter of Clyde is announcing the engagement and approaching wedding of her daughter, Barbara Lynne to Billy Bollinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bollinger of Baird. A definite wedding date has not yet been set.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

It pays to read your tax instructions carefully before you claiming a dependent. You can't pro-rate a dependent. For a child born during the year you may claim the full \$600 exemption if the other dependency tests are met. You can also claim a dependent who died during the year. Read the instructions again before deciding whether to claim or not to claim a dependent you supported but who might be questionable.

News Items From The Putnam Community

MRS. FRED HEYSER HOSTS STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Fred Heyser was hostess to the Women's Study Club of Putnam, Monday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., at her home in Baird. Theme for the study was Take Time to Promote Texas. A quiz - A Famous Texan, Who Am I? was conducted by Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Guest speaker, Mrs. W. L. Ivey of Baird, spoke on Wonders of Texas. Three guests, Mrs. Whitaker of Cisco, Mrs. Frank Cunningham and Mrs. Ivey of Baird, and 14 members were present.

SCHOOL NEWS . . .

First and Second Grades
We hope all our parents will come to Community Club this evening and also come to our classroom and see some of our work. We hope they will see how our work has improved since the beginning of school. Our first guest was Linda Sawyer of Houston. She visited our class last Friday. She was here for a few days visit with Donald Isenhower and his family. Richard Wagley had his brother, Craig Buchanan and family as visitors during the weekend. Donald Isenhower had guests over the weekend, the C. M. Isenhowers, the Greens and his Aunt Dora. Martha Cunningham spent Saturday at the Trouts, near

Putnam.

Raymond and Betty Threet visited in Hamlin Sunday. R. B. Wagley visited in Abilene Saturday. His cousins and grandparents of Abilene spent the night with him. Robert Feely had his aunt, Mrs. Winchester of Munday as guest over the weekend.

Third and Fourth Grades
Kathy Hurley's aunt from Bedford visited her Saturday night. Brenda Chapman had visitors Sunday. They were her three aunts.

Roger Reynolds went to Abilene Saturday to go shopping. Sheri Price went to Abilene to go shopping. She also had visitors. They were Carol, Evelyn, Donna, Judy and Dana.

Evelyn Wagley went to Abilene Saturday, and some friends came back with her. Her grandfather and grandfather came Sunday and spent the night with her.

Mrs. D. B. Payne and son spent last week in Thomas, Okla. visiting her son Glenn and family and Mrs. Viola Tatum.

Mrs. G. S. Pruet and Ricky Sherman spent the weekend in Vernon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gibson.

Mrs. Annie Bishop from Cross Plains is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Mary Ramsey. Mrs. Ramsey came home Wednesday after convalescing in the Nursing Home in Baird for

the past month.

Mrs. Weldon Isenhower and Mrs. John Petty spent Friday with Mrs. Isenhower's mother, Mrs. Frank Allyn near Trent. Mrs. Bill Bennie and daughter Kelly of Mineral Wells, spent Saturday night with her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Higgs of Nugent were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds. Mrs. J. H. Bynum of Grape-land spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. B. A. Hamrick. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Parnely of

Dallas, and daughters of Abilene, were Sunday guests of the Hamricks. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Buchanan spent Saturday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Earlie Hurst.

Mrs. Henry Freeman, her son and two daughters of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Isenhower of Clifton were Sunday visitors of the John D. Isenhowers. Linia Isenhower, a teacher in Houston schools, spent most of the week with her parents. She had two days off honoring San Jacinto day.

J. R. Gunn entered the Veteran's Hospital in Big Spring one day last week. His room is 521. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis visited him Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Everett spent Thursday in Cisco visiting Mrs. Warren Everett. Charlie Everett of Sudan spent Thursday night with Mrs. W. A. Everett.

David Donaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Donaway of Midland, is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donaway of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Dorris Lee Donaway and son of Abilene were Saturday guests with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruyle of Dallas were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Fred Cook, who is still in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. Bill Everet returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brandon

"WEEKLY MEDITATIONS"

MAN'S NEED MET

"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23).

"For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." (Romans 6:23).

God takes sin with great seriousness. He refuses to be the God that the masses have tried to make him to be: an indulgent grandfather who closes his eyes to the sins of the children. Sin is rebellion at the center of the nature of man. Therefore, the plight of man in sin, from God's viewpoint, is desperate.

Because of sin man is enslaved in a depravity from which only God can free him. The tragedy of man is that, sinner as he is, within himself he is completely powerless to correct his basic problem. He may endlessly but he struggles in vain, to lift himself by his own bootstraps. Therefore, it is only within this understanding that the Gospel of Jesus Christ can be truly understood and appreciated. God has acted supremely in behalf of sinful man.

To help man in desperate need, God always takes the initiative. God is a seeking God. In the fifteenth chapter of Luke, Jesus says that God is like a shepherd who seeks after the one lost sheep; he is like the woman who searches for a lost coin; he is like a father who yearns after his lost son. To seek after lost man is not simply God's purpose; it is his very nature.

The Biblical view of man's atonement is unique at two points. First, there is the emphasis on a seeking God offering salvation as a free gift. This "pearl of great price," which a man should be willing to sell all to obtain, is offered to man as a gift. There is nothing man can do to earn or merit it. In the second place, there is

the emphasis on the costliness of this salvation. The sin-offering was the "Lamb of God" and this Lamb was God's own Son. "He . . . spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all." (Rom. 8:32). "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son . . ." (John 3:16). Therefore, the cross stands forever as an evidence of the seriousness with which God views sin. It also stands as an evidence of the desperate plight of man "out of Christ."

God has acted but man must react. God offers a free gift, but man must receive it. Because sin is personal, confession and acceptance must also be personal. Therefore, man is faced with a choice that must be made. "I have set before thee this day life . . . and death . . . therefore choose life." (Deut. 30:15-19) Man's destiny is determined by his decision.

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Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday:
Ladies Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday:
Mid-Week Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

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Carrol Green, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . . 10:55 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday:
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
MYF 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
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Leo Turner, Pastor

Sunday:
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Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
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Hi neighbor! How are you this Sunday night? We really had summer weather the past week. But cold tonight, a norther blew in this afternoon and the weatherman said temperature would get to 25 tonight, and believe it or not, it came a shower tonight a little after nine o'clock. It began like it was going to be a good rain, but was soon over. The weatherman said look for sleet, rain or snow and hope he knows.

Mrs. Mary Ramsey came home from the Rest Home last Wednesday. She had been away from home six weeks, two weeks in the hospital and four weeks in the Nursing Home in Baird. We are glad to say she is doing fine and able to stay by herself and we are so happy for her. Aunt Annie Bishop came up this afternoon to visit with her a day or so.

Bro. Larry Jordan and wife, Becky, Burette and Johnny May Ramsey, and Lucille Kelley of Cisco had Sunday dinner with me. Was good to have all of them. Lucille came home with me Saturday afternoon and spent the night with me. She is spending the night with Mark and Ollie Burnam tonight. Lucille will spend a few days visiting with us.

I spent Friday night and Saturday with Fay and Emmett Wood in Cisco. While in Cisco, Fay Wood, Lucille Kelly and I

visited a while Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roberts. Mrs. Roberts is the former Vestal Kile of Putnam. They moved to Cisco last week. We are glad to have them. Mr. Roberts has just retired from Cosden Oil Co. Oh yes, we had some snow and sleet and rain last night. The ground had a white look when I got up this morning but most all gone by now. Maybe it will come again.

James, Gayle and Steven Isenhower of Baird visited Mark and Ollie Burnam Sunday evening and had supper. You should see Steven. He is the sweetest and cutest little boy, and a good little boy, too.

Mrs. G. S. Pruet and Ricky Sherman and Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell spent the weekend visiting relatives in Vernon.

I was glad to have Nancy Chapman visit with me a while Wednesday afternoon. She just lives around the corner from me but she works in Cisco and I seldom get to see her. Come more often, Nancy.

Guess I better get to work, so be good and I hope to see you next week.

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**Gary A. Thomas
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Gary A. Thomas, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris S. Thomas, Rt. 1, Cross Plains, was promoted to Army specialist fourth class Jan. 20 at Ft. Bliss, Texas, where he is serving with the 1st Training Brigade.

A radar mechanic in Battery of the brigade's 2d Guided Missile Group, Spec. Thomas received on active duty in Dec. 1965.

A 1959 graduate of Weatherford High School, Spec. Thomas received a bachelor of arts degree in mathematics in 1966 at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ivy and company spent Saturday in Lubbock on business.

OPLIN OBSERVATIONS

DAPIENE FLOYD

This may sound like I am turning back the pages of history, but actually it isn't history. It is romance -- you know, the kind that lasts. On March 19, 1917, Miss Mattie McKinley became the bride of Sebe Monroe, both of Oplin. The marriage was performed at Old Tecumseh by the late Uncle Tod Windham, who was Justice of the Peace at that time. The couple were also married in a buggy. Now fifty years later, Sebe and Mattie will be holding Open House Sunday afternoon, March 19, from 2 to 5 p. m. at their home, east of

Lawn, celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe lived most of their married life at, or around the Oplin community, and they are let faithful supporters of the Oplin community and dear old Callahan County. Nothing would please them more than to see their many friends throughout Callahan County on March 19. (You know, come to think of it, this marriage may work out). Congratulations, Sebe and Mattie.

Mrs. Rose Kirkindoll and Mrs. Etta Poindexter of Lawn were Oplin visitors last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Windham Jr. attended the funeral last Saturday afternoon for her aunt, Mrs. Mae Dyer, who passed away last Wednesday at Clyde Nursing Home. Funeral was held at the First Baptist Church at Lawn. Burial was in Midway Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd visited a while Saturday night in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee Floyd and daughter, Vickie of Abilene.

John Jordan, after suffering for the past 10 days or so with his back, went to the doctor on Monday. The doctor diagnosed his trouble as just his old arthritis flaring up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny J. Walker and family of Midkiff spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Abernathy and Mrs. Arthur Burleson visited in Lubbock last weekend with a nephew, Billy Roberson, who was in a Lubbock hospital.



**Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary
For The Sebe Monroe's At Lawn**

Open House for celebration of the 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary of the Sebe Monroe's will be held in their home on Sunday afternoon, March 19, between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m.

Hosting the celebration will be their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Monroe Jr. of Abilene; their daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford of Lawn, and Mrs. J. C. Carr of Abilene. House party members will be their granddaughters, Debbie Monroe of Abilene, Mrs. Chris Atkins and her husband of Abilene; a grandson, Randy Ford of Lawn; also a great-granddaughter, Stacy Atkins of Abilene.

Mr. Monroe was born March 27, 1893 at Whitney, Hill County,

and moved to Callahan County in 1900. Mrs. Monroe, the former Mattie McKinley, was born October 20, 1900 at Rising Star. The Monroes were married March 22, 1917 by Justice of the Peace H. Hindham at Tecumseh.

They have lived in the Oplin and Lawn communities all their married life, the past 23 years at their present home East of Lawn.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Lillie Swafford last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richards of Sweetwater, Odie Payne of Fort Worth, Anna Lee Miller of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford and Gina from Ranger.

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