

# The Baird Star

Our Motto—"Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But The Get-Up-And-Get That Makes Men Great."

FIFTY-SIXTH YEAR

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1943

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## Tire Quota For January Reduced

Ralph Ashlock, Chairman of the Callahan County War Price and Rationing Board reported today that the Board will have to use extreme care in dispensing tires under the county's January quota for passenger cars and trucks.

"We have been cautioned by the Office of Price Administration that it is better to err on the side of giving too little rubber than too much," he said. "Granting too little rubber can be corrected but a certificate for too much rubber means that this rubber is gone forever.

"We are being reminded frequently by officials in Washington that the only hope of making our meager rubber supply last is by reducing average driving to the points recommended in the Baruch report to the President. We are told that if the mileage and speed requirements are not met strictly, further restrictions may be necessary. It seems evident from this that only if the Board does its job with the greatest efficiency can we expect to see further restrictions, and very hard restrictions, avoided."

The entire state's allotment of Grade 1 passenger tires for January was increased to 9,964 as compared to 8,094 for December, but the grade 11 quota for January was reduced to 10,654 from the 17,520 allotted for December and the Grade 111 allotment was cut to 32,907 for January as compared to 44,254 for December. The passenger car recap total was reduced to 41,141 for January from the December total of 42,052. The passenger car tube quota in the State was increased from 16,880 for December to 35,895 for January. The January truck, farm tractor and implement allotment of new tires was increased to 28,887 from a December total of 27,024; truck recaps were stepped up to 24,637 for January from a total of 9,986 in December, and the truck tube allotment was jumped to 25,258 for January from 11,040 for December.

"There has been no change in the status of tire eligibility for most people under the new regulation," "The board will continue to give rubber first to those whose use of it will do most for the war effort and the safety and well being of the country."

## Ranger NYA Offers Opportunities

Mrs. Helen Shaw, Supervisor of the Girls Dormitory at the NYA Work Center at Ranger was in Baird Tuesday to talk with girls who are interested in this work which gives training in essential war industries, air craft factories and civil service positions.

Each youth enrolled in the NYA is paid a wage sufficient to cover costs of housing, food, medical attention, laundry, etc. plus \$11.00 for their personal use.

The NYA will furnish work uniforms, linens and towels. Each youth will furnish their own shoes, dress clothes and toilet articles.

It takes six weeks to three months to complete the course and any girl 16 years and 9 months up to 25 years old are eligible.

Mrs. Shaw will be at the court house (first floor) Tuesday, Jan. 19th from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. to talk with any girl or boy interested in this work.

Mrs. Shaw is a former resident of Baird where she has many friends.

P. T. A. WILL MEET JAN. 21st.

P. T. A. will meet Thursday, January 21st at 3:30 in the High School Auditorium.

The following program will be rendered:

Democracy should begin at home Mrs. Irvin Corn and speakers. selected from Misses West and Myers room and the Over-flow room.

## Sheriff Brame Recovers Stolen Car And Jails Thief

Sheriff, B. O. Brame and Deputy Bill Ray did some fast work Monday afternoon, Monday afternoon Mike Pyeatt, grocery man at Clyde called the sheriff's office by phone and told them his car had been stolen from his store on highway 80, and was headed toward Baird, driven by a Mexican boy. Sheriff Brame and Deputy Ray hurried to intercept the thief and had hardly reached the underpass in West Baird when they saw the car coming down Mt. Airy at a fast speed but they succeeded in stopping the car within a few blocks. The Mexican was placed in jail and the car returned to Mr. Pyeatt.

This is the second car recovered by Sheriff Brame since his appointment as sheriff, some two months ago. The first one was Olaf G. South's car which was stolen from in front of the High School in the mid afternoon some few weeks ago. The car was found on a side road near Abilene the next day. There is no clue to the thief or thieves.

## Will Celebrate The President's Birthday

Celebration of President's Roosevelt's 61st birthday in the fight against infantile paralysis is being planned on a broad scale for Callahan county by Olaf G. South, Baird, county chairman. This announcement by the county chairman comes along with the appointment of a staff consisting of Mrs. Melba Foy, county vice chairman in charge of women's activities; Earl C. Hayes, Clyde; Leo Varner, Cross Plains; H. L. Gay, Putnam; Ione McIntire, Oplin; Jack Ashlock, Baird; Blain Odum, Rt. 2; J. H. Jillett, Rt. 1, and Roy Kendrick, Rt. 2, Clyde, community vice-chairmen.

The fund raising campaign will be conducted from county headquarters and will be carried to the separate communities through local organizations. Celebrations may take on any form decided upon by local committees and will be held the day and night of January 30.

Spread of the dread disease, according to the county chairman, demands an all-out support by the people in every city and county of the nation. Local chairman will receive the support of national press and radio appeals to come from leaders of national importance.

Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, will open the campaign January 14th over a nation-wide network by Columbia Broadcasting System. The same night the Mutual Network will present a dramatic show featuring celebrities. January 15th National Broadcasting Company will stage a musical show. At other times President O'Connor will speak again and before the campaign closes Eddie Cantor and California's new governor will be featured by the Blue Network and National Broadcasting Company.

## I. O. O. F. Rebekahs Install Officers

The Oddfellows and Rebekah will have a joint meeting Tuesday evening January 19th to celebrate Thomas Wilde's birthday, founder of the Oddfellow Lodge.

All members are urged to attend. Oddfellows and the Rebekahs may bring their families.

Claude Flores returned Wednesday from Fort Worth where he visited his niece Mrs. Charles Reasud and family during the holidays.

## Lieut. Tom Barton Escapes Injury In Plane Crash

Lieut. Tom Barton, of Clyde, flight instructor at Randolph Field parachuted to safety Tuesday before his plane crashed north of Rockport. Lieut. Barton who was alone in the plane walked into Rockport and telephoned to Randolph Field officials of the crash.

Lieut. and Mrs. Barton spent the past week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barton of Clyde and Mrs. Barton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch of Baird.

## THE WEDNESDAY CLUB

The Wednesday Club met Dec. 30th in the last business session of the year.

The following program was given:

Roll Call, Current Events, Election of Officers, Report of Standing Committees, Discussion of Study Course, Reading of the Constitution. The club has been sending boxes to Boys in Service who are members of the club's families. It is time now for the fourth bunch of boxes to be sent. This is done every three months with five club members serving each time.

## BANK HOLIDAY NOTICE

The First National Bank of Baird, will not be open for business January 19, 1943, (Robert E. Lee's Birthday) being a legal holiday.

Customers are requested to be governed accordingly in the transaction of their banking business. All paper maturing on above date will become legally due the next business day.

The First National Bank of Baird

## B. H. S. DRAMATICS CLUB

The Baird High School Dramatics Club met January 12. A short business meeting was held and then the meeting was turned over to their program chairman.

The program consisted of members from the second year Public Speaking Class. Each one giving something the class had learned.

On the program were: George Fred Walls who gave Porters Scene from "Macbeth" by Shakespeare.

Phonelle Dean who read "The Bride's Parable."

Ben Franklin, Dr. Gibbs from "Our Town."

Bill Cutbirth, Mr. Webb from "Our Town."

Bobby Wagner, Stage Manager "Our Town."

Bettye Lidia, Juliett from "Romeo and Juliett by Shakespeare."

Sally Gay Corn, "How Do I Love Thee."

Sally Gay Corn and Bettye Lidia "Mary and Elizabeth."

Betty Lou Louis, "Elizabeth the Queen."

Patsy Wagner, Marmec from "Little Women."

Katherine Newman, Jo from "Little Women."

Pickard Wagner, Jacques from "As You Like It" by Shakespeare.

Bobby Wagner and Katherine Newman "Victory Regina."

Lillie Frances Bajas, Aunt March from "Little Women."

The next meeting will be held January 20, 1943. The club will be open for new membership.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Callahan County, Texas, will consider bids for a County Depository for County funds, School funds and Trust funds, at its next regular session to be held on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1943, same being the 8th day of February, A. D. 1943.

B. H. Fresland, County Judge, Callahan County, Texas. 6-St. Callahan Co., Texas.

## New Books In County Library

The following new books have been received at the Callahan County Public Library.

"Drivin' Woman", Chevalier This is another story of the "Gone with the Wind" type.

"The Mexico I Like", By J. Frank Dobie.

A collection of 'yarns' of Old Mexico "See Here Private Hargrove. By Hargrove. This is a very funny account of life in the army.

"Streets of the City" By G. L. Hill.

"Apple For Eve" By Kathleen Norris.

"To Have For Keeps" By Jane Abbott.

"Stars Still Shine", By L. Larrimore.

"Tar Paper Palace" By L. Larrimore.

"Sgt. York", By Sam Cowan.

"Bob, Son of Battle" By Oljvant.

"Pollyanna Grows Up", "Little Lord Fountleroy",

Bambi's Children, Adventures of Superman.

A Book of Modern Plans, Five Little Peppers Midway, Five Little Peppers Grown Up.

## 13 Selectees Left For Training Camp Monday

Thirteen Callahan County Selectees left by bus Monday for Camp Walters--as follows:

Raymond E. Thompson, Rt. 1, Baird, Acting Corporal. Horace A. Freeman, Cross P. Walter Y. Webb, Rt. 1, Clyde. Joe A. Clark, Baird. Dorice Potter, Rt. 2, Cross P. William R. Sanders, Baird. Billy F. William, St. Rt., Baird. John C. Merrell, Jr., Rt. 2, Clyde. Harold R. Oliver, Cross Plains. Francis J. Redford, Rt. 1, Cisco. C. Wilson, Rt. 1, Baird. Newton H. Kennard, Cross P. Carter D. James, Rt. 2, Abilene.

## Visits Childhood Home

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Miller of South Pasadena, Calif., visited Mrs. Miller's aunt, Mrs. W. G. Bowlius and family Tuesday of last week. They were enroute home from Corpus Christi where they visited their only son, Ensign James E. Miller and wife Ensign Miller is an instructor in the flying field at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Miller is the former Claribel Bowlius, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowlius, former residents of Baird, where Mrs. Miller was born and spent her early childhood. Mr. and Mrs. Bowlius are now living in Glendale, Calif. Mrs. Bowlius is the former Mary Whitley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitley, deceased, who were among the first residents of Baird. Mr. Whitley being employed by the Tand P Ry. Co., Mr. and Mrs. Whitley also operated a two-story hotel, the Whitley House which stood on the corner now occupied by the P. V. residence.

## Bargain Rates On Abilene Reporter-News Extended

The bargain rate of \$6.85 for the Abilene Reporter-News has been extended to January 31st.

Club with The Baird Star and get both papers for \$7.65. The sooner you get your subscription in the more you will get of the Reporter-News with a full year for The Star. Send or leave your subscription at THE STAR OFFICE.

Mrs. Bessie Henry has moved to Dallas to make her home. Her son, Travis will remain here to continue his studies in Baird High School.

## Clifford Jones Left Wednesday For Duty With U.S. "Seabees"

Clifford V. Jones received his call to duty as Petty Officer, First Class in the store department of the construction regiment, or the "Seabees" Naval Reserve with orders to report in Dallas yesterday and accompanied by Mrs. Jones and their only child C. V. Jr., left Wednesday afternoon for Dallas. From there he will go to Camp Perry, Va., for his basic training of some six weeks, after which he probably will be sent outside continental United States.

Clifford Jones enlisted and was sworn into the Naval Reserves, Aug. 16, 1942 at Dallas, but continued his duties as Assistant Cashier at The First National Bank until receiving his call Tuesday.

Clifford is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil F. Jones of Baird where he was born and reared. Graduating from the Baird High School in 1919. He worked two years as yard clerk for the T-P Ry. Co., later worked for The First State Bank. He began work with The First National Bank in April 1922 and has been Assistant Cashier since January 1930, being very efficient and faithful in the performance of his duties.

Heading the county war bond sales, he had sold \$185,114.25 in bonds and stamps up to the time of his resignation. As county chairman of the President's Birthday Ball, he raised Callahan county funds for fighting infantile paralysis. He served as county chairman of the War Fund Committee of the American Red Cross and was a member of the camp and hospital service committee, Camp Berkeley.

For thwarting an attempted bank robbery and displaying unusual coolness resulting in the capture of the bandit, Clifford was awarded a medal by the National Surety Corporation for conspicuous bravery on Sept. 25, 1936.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil F. Jones had all their family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford V. Jones and son, C. V. Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones and son, Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones at home Wednesday for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones and son left for Dallas by automobile. From there Mrs. Jones and C. V. Jr., will drive through to Franklin, Tennessee, where they will reside while Clifford is serving his country.

Mrs. Jones will be missed in the P. T. A., the Garden Club, but especially in the Red Cross sewing room where she was a faithful and efficient worker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Johnson have moved into the Jones home.

## Ladies Auxiliary Fire Dept. Elect Officers

The Ladies Auxiliary Fire Dept. met in regular business meeting January 11 and elected the following officers:

Dorothy Barnhill, Chief  
Lillie Belle King, Ass. Chief  
Katherine Hinds, Secretary  
Mildred Stiffler, Treasurer  
Mrs. W. B. Hicks, Chaplain  
Billie Lambert, Foreman No. 1  
Archie Coats, Foreman No. 2  
Mayonelle Cline, Guardette.

The next meeting will be Jan. 25 and all members are urged to be present as members will receive new instruction on Fireman Training.



## Clyde Yarbrough And Russell Chatham Will Graduate From A and M

Clyde W. Yarbrough and Russell L. Chatham of Baird, are among the 642 young men who will graduate from Texas A and M. College January 22nd, instead of June 1st, which was made possible by streamlined program providing for three sixteen-weeks semester yearly instead of two, as in the past.

By attending school this past summer these graduates have been able to complete their training a full semester ahead of the normal time. Clyde will receive the degree Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering and Russell Bachelor of science in chemical engineering.

Final military review for the graduates will be held Saturday morning, Jan. 23, and then practically the entire class will report to their various branches of service training camps to complete the work toward their commissions as second lieutenants.

## Little Boy Killed In Car Crash

Darrell Glen Densman, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Densman of Sebastian, was instantly killed Monday afternoon in a car accident. The child was killed when the car in which he was riding, driven by his mother, overturned near the Taylor store at Rowden on highway 36.

The car turned over twice and the boy was thrown from the car the first time, crushed beneath it the second, reports of State Highway Patrolmen Paul Oder and W. A. Garrison showed.

Mrs. Densman 24, and her husband, 27, received minor injuries of cuts and bruises and Densman had a fractured right hand. A smaller son, year and a half old was unhurt. The family had been in Sundown and was enroute to Sebastian.

## Red Cross Sewing Room Needs More Workers

There is a pressing need of help in the Red Cross sewing room in the county court house. A reporter from The Star visited the room Wednesday and there were only two ladies there. Mrs. Colonel Dyer who was cutting the garments and Mrs. Edna Yonge who was sewing them. Mrs. Dyer told us that they have a quota of fifty convalescent robes for our armed services to be made immediately. These garments are to be cut out in the Baird sewing room and workers from all parts of the county to help in making the garments. Help is needed to cut out and make these garments

## Save Old Silk Hose

Old silk and nylon hose can aid the war effort. Turn yours in at McElroy's store.

Many have inquired as to whether silk and nylon hose that have been cut into strips for weaving into rugs are of any value to the salvage program. The material is salvageable and will be gratefully received if turned in.

The whole process of salvaging silk is to break it up into fibers, remake into thread, throw into yarn, weave into silk material and manufacture into powder bags. The fact that the stockings have been cut or badly torn in no way detracts from the salvage and reclamation process.

The Junior Wednesday Club is sponsoring the campaign to gather silk and nylon hose and have placed a box at McElroy's store where these articles may be placed

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**SUBSCRIPTION RATES:**  
(Payable in Advance)  
One Year (In Callahan Co.) \$1.50  
(In Callahan County)  
One Year - - - - - \$1.50  
Six Months - - - - - 1.00  
Three Months - - - - - .50  
(Outside Callahan County)  
One Year - - - - - \$2.00  
Six Months - - - - - 1.25  
Three Months - - - - - .75



**News of Our Boys  
In The Service**

Sgt. George Crutchfield with the engineers at Camp Gordon, has been advanced to Staff Sgt.

Frankie Crow, former student of Baird High School has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Ben Glover son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Glover went to Dallas the first of the week where he enlisted in the Marines.

Robert L. Blackley with the Army Air Force, formerly stationed at Duncan Field, San Antonio, has been transferred to Miami, Beach, Florida.

Sgt. Wilbert Voshelle, Jr., recently returned home from the jungles of Java in the far Pacific after spending a fifteen-day furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Voshelle here, has gone to Idaho, where he will report for duty.

S-Sgt. Robert Jones, MotorBase Baltimore, Md. spent Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Jones in the Midway community. Another son Beryle Jones of the United States Navy is also at home for a short stay. He is from the east coast.

A. T. Vestal, Jr., who has been employed with an oil company at Longview for some years has resigned and enlisted in the U. S. Navy. He visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Vestal and family and his little son and daughter, here the past week end.

Ensign Clifton Hill, of Houston with the Naval Reserve, who has been visiting his parents Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Hill the past week left Wednesday for Tuscon, Ariz. for six weeks training and will then go to the Naval Academy at Annapolis for his post graduate work in aerological engineering.

Mrs. Ada Uzzell had a letter the past week from her son, Captain Minter Uzzell, now in Alaska, saying that they arrived in time to help with the Christmas preparation, that the Red Cross had gifts for all the boys and the holidays were very pleasantly spent. Capt. Uzzell is with the Coast Artillery.

Horace Elliott who enlisted some weeks ago with the Construction Battalion of the "Seabees" with a rating as First Class Petty Officer, left last Friday for Norfolk Va., to begin his duties. He resigned his position with the Baird Refining Company of Baird to enlist.

Cadet Welden H. Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bryant of Baird, arrived at the Air Forces Weather Training School at Grand Rapids, Mich., a unit of the Army Air Force Technical Training Command, Major General Walter R. Weaver, commanding, on Jan. 3 to start his training as an aviation cadet. Cadet Bryant graduated from McMurry College, Columbia University, Juilliard Foundation. He received his basic training at Amarillo, Texas in the Air Forces. In civilian life, Cadet Bryant was a concert pianist.

**Callahan County  
Can Save Steel**

FOR 1,061 MACHINE GUNS Housewives Are Urged To Buy Fresh Foods To Conserve Can-Metal For War

Callahan County housewives can save enough steel for 1,061 machine guns simply by replacing one can of fruit or vegetables a week during the next year with fresh or home-packed produce, a leading food distributor estimated today.

"This substitute, urged by the War Production Board, will not only save steel but also conserve food by using extra supplies of fresh produce made available by increased production, canning restrictions and reduced storage facilities," according to Earl R. French, marketing director of A and P's produce-buying affiliate, the Atlantic Commission Company.

A number two "tin" can averages .235 pounds of steel plus a small amount of tin, and a single family can save 12.2 pounds of steel in a year by the can-a-week reduction, French said. Thus Callahan County's 3,044 families can save 37,136 pounds of steel enough to make 1,061 thirty-caliber machine guns, each requiring 35 pounds of steel for manufacture, he pointed out.

"Reduced buying of canned produce doesn't mean reducing food consumption. Housewives can balance their family diets by serving more fresh produce, and our records show that many families are already doing this. Aerician farmers last year moved 142,372 carlots of fresh fruits and vegetables to consumers through the Atlantic Commission Company, 10

per cent more than in 1940 and an all-time high record, and present indications are that they will move as much or more his year," French said.

The program would save 20,594,954 pounds of steel if carried out by all of Texas' 1,688,111 families it was brought out. On a national basis, America's 31,000,000 families could save enough steel to make 5,000 medium tanks or 38 Liberty freight ships, and enough tin for 360,000 75mm howitzers.

**ESTRAY NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that O. D. Allen, County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 of Callahan County, Texas has this day legally estrayed the following animal.

One yellow brindle Heifer, about 2 years old, small crop out of left ear. Said animal has been running at large on the G. W. Crutchfield farm about 1 mile west of Admiral, Texas.

Said estray will be sold for cash to the highest bidder at the G.W. Crutchfield farm about 1 mile west of Admiral, Texas on the 1st day of February, 1943 between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 11th day of January, 1943.

Leslie Bryant,  
Clerk County Court,  
Callahan Co., Texas.  
6-3t.

**Don't Wait Until  
"Pyorrhoea" Strikes**

Look at your "GUMS", everyone else does - Are they irritated? Druggists refund money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

CITY PHARMACY

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF  
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
OF BAIRD, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS**

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, ON DECEMBER 31, 1942

Published In Response To Call Made By Comptroller Of The Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

<b>ASSETS</b>		
Loans and discounts (including \$286.93 overdrafts)	-----	\$303,621.86
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	-----	614,275.68
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	-----	64,362.35
Corporate stocks (including \$2050.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	-----	2,950.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collections	-----	808,476.39
Bank premises owned \$11,594.78, furniture and fixtures \$7,341.19	-----	18,935.97
Real estate owned other than bank premises	-----	1,900.00
Other assets	-----	130.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	-----	<b>\$1,813,752.25</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	-----	\$1,341,245.34
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	-----	169,247.51
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	-----	39,411.75
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	-----	185,945.87
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	-----	2,875.64
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	-----	<b>\$1,688,727.11</b>
Other liabilities	-----	270.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	-----	<b>\$1,688,997.11</b>
<b>CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>		
Capital Stock:		
(a) Class A preferred, total par \$18000.00, retirable value \$18000.00	-----	50,000.00
(Rate of dividends on retirable value is 3 %)		
(c) Common stock, total par \$32000.00	-----	18,600.00
<b>Surplus</b>	-----	<b>18,600.00</b>
Undivided profits	-----	47,055.64
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	-----	9,099.50
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	-----	<b>124,755.14</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	-----	<b>\$1,813,752.25</b>
<b>MEMORANDA</b>		
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):		
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	-----	218,789.07
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounts and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	-----	3,118.49
(c) Total	-----	221,907.56
Secured liabilities:		
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	-----	166,382.21
(d) TOTAL	-----	\$166,382.21
State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss: I, Bob Norrell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.		
BOB NORRELL, Cashier.		
Correct--Attest: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1943. (SEAL) B. L. Russell, Jr., Notary Public.		
A. R. Kelton		
Ace Hickman		
Henry James		
Directors.		

**If You Registered  
For Service  
Read This**

Notice To All Registrants Of  
Callahan County Local Board  
Not. 1  
Between the Ages of  
18 and 45 Years

Beginning February 1, 1943, every registrant will be required to carry with him at all times his registration card and also his classification card. All registrants of the Callahan County Board except those who registered in December 1942 have been classified and if you have not received your classification card please contact your Local Board Office and obtain a copy of your classification card.

Many registrants fail to comply with the notice on their classification cards which requires them to report any fact which might change their classification to their Local Board. Some of the facts which should be reported immediately to your Local Board are: Change of address, change of occupation, birth of a child, death of a dependent or any fact which would change the status of the registrant.

Some registrants have been inducted who had children but had failed to report the fact to their Local Board. After a registrant has been called for Induction the Board has no authority to change that classification without permission from State Headquarters and unless these facts are reported to the Board before the registrant is called for Induction the matter is entirely out of the hands of the Local Board. Your Local Board can better carry out the duties required of it if you will keep it well informed of your status at all times and the public in general will understand better the action that is taken by the Board when the Local Board is well informed on all facts concerning its registrants.

Callahan County Local Board  
No. 1

**Do "Plate-Sores"  
Bother You?**

If your "GUMS" itch, burn, or cause your discomfort, druggists will return money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

CITY PHARMACY

**Special Subscription  
Offer**

Due to advance in price of all printing materials---we are compelled to collect on subscriptions if we hope to continue publication of The Star for the duration of the war. We make this offer on all past-due subscriptions

**PAY \$2.50**

and we will clear the slate of all past-due accounts and give you credit for one years subscription in advance. We trust our subscribers will respond to this call. We have no choice in the matter and all delinquent subscriptions, not paid or arrangements made to carry same by March 1, 1943, will be dropped from our subscription list

We sincerely hope that this will not be necessary---for we appreciate every subscriber we have and hope that our appeal for paying-up will not go unheeded.


Money is plentiful, crops were good and prices are high on all farm products, cattle, wages, etc are the highest in the history of the country and we do not feel that the payment of \$2.50 to clear up all past due subscriptions will hurt anyone financially and will be very helpful to us. All subscription accounts are small, but it is our source of revenue and all together will enable us to meet our obligations.

Who will be the first to respond to our SOS Call?

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
To The Baird Star,  
I accept your Special Subscription Offer and enclose \$2.50 to pay up my subscription to date and One Year in Advance.  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Eliza Gilliland,  
Editor, The Baird Star.

**Remember-Chevrolet  
Dealers Service All Makes  
of Cars and Trucks**



**GET A SKILLED CHECK-UP NOW!**

- ✓ Check and rotate tires
- ✓ Check lubrication
- ✓ Check engine, carburetor, battery
- ✓ Check brakes
- ✓ Check steering and wheel alignment
- ✓ Check clutch, transmission, rear axle

**Chevrolet dealers have the leader's "know-how" in servicing all makes.**

**Chevrolet dealers have had the broadest experience---servicing millions of new and used cars and trucks.**

**Chevrolet dealers have skilled, trained mechanics.**

**Chevrolet dealers have modern tools and equipment.**

**Chevrolet dealers give quality service at low cost.**

HEADQUARTERS FOR SERVICE ON ALL MAKES AND MODELS



**RAY MOTOR COMPANY**  
BAIRD, TEXAS.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Floyd W. Hughes of Miami, N. M. is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Plowman at their ranch on the Bayou.

Miss Dollie Wilson of Fort Worth, spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Robinson and Mr. Robinson.

Mrs. H. N. Ebert, Mrs. R. B. Jones, Mrs. Sahey Eastham and Mrs. Joe McGowan spent Tuesday in Dallas shopping. Mrs. E. H. Collins of Dallas joined them.

Mrs. Alex Shockley, Jr., who has been ill for some time and has been under medical treatment in Dallas for some time, has been in a serious condition the past several days. Mr. Shockley and their little son, Alex the Third and his mother Mrs. Alex Shockley, Sr., are at her bedside.

Mrs. Robert Wardlow who is teaching school at Emmerson, Ark. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullican during the holidays. From here she went to Memphis Tenn., to visit a few days with her husband who is stationed at Norfolk, Va., with the Naval Reserves.

SAVE YOUR OLD SILK AND NYLON HOSE

The Junior Wednesday Club is collecting old silk and nylon hose which are to be used by the government in ammunition plants. A box has been placed in McElroy's store where the hose are to be deposited.

NOTICE

Commodities will be delivered on the following dates: Cross Plains, Thursday, Jan. 14 Clyde, Tuesday, Jan. 19 Baird, Friday, Jan. 22. W. P. Stephens, Commodity Foreman.

NOTICE OF MEETING

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church meets every Monday afternoon promptly at 2:30 o'clock. The society is starting the bible study, "Will A Man Rob God?" All ladies of the church are urged to attend. Mrs. Corrie Driskill is leader for the lass.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Miss Jannett Edmunson will give an illustrated talk at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, January 17th at 11 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended all to attend.

Former Resident Died In Lamesa

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Johnson, a resident of Cottonwood and Atwell from 1904 to 1917, died of pneumonia at the home of her son, Joe Johnson of Lamesa Dec. 10th. Mrs. Johnson who has lived in Oklahoma since leaving Callahan County, had many friends in this county. Her husband, Columbus Johnson, died at Atwell in 1916. She was 64 years old on May 11th. After the funeral services which was held at the First Baptist Church at Lamesa, the body was staken to Cyril Oklahoma for burial.

Mrs. Johnson had been a member of the Baptist Church since 11 years of age. She is survived by six sons, five daughters and many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

The children surviving, are: O. J. Johnson, Wareka, Okla.; Joe Johnson, Lamesa, T. D. Johnson, San Diego, Calif., C. L. Johnson, San Monica, Calif., Leeman Eugene Johnson, Davisville, R. L. and J. B. Johnson, Riverside, Calif. Mrs. O. P. Mercer, Kress, Texas, Mrs. J. N. Purvis, Anadarko, Okla., Mrs. Wamie Sewell, Cyril, Okla., Mrs. V. L. Sewell, Cyril, Okla., and Mrs. Claud Long, Freer, Tex.

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BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Tolar December 22, 1942, a daughter who has been named Karen. Mrs. Tolar and baby are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Appleton west of Baird, while Mr. Tolar, a former clerk in the postoffice here is serving in the armed forces of the United States Army and is now stationed in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Melton of Weatherford were here the past week and visiting their son Donald Melton and family and other relatives.

DANCE EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT AT NOBLES NIGHT CLUB Baird, Texas EVERYBODY INVITED

Sam Driskill teacher in the Texas City high school has returned to his duties after spending the holiday with his mother her.

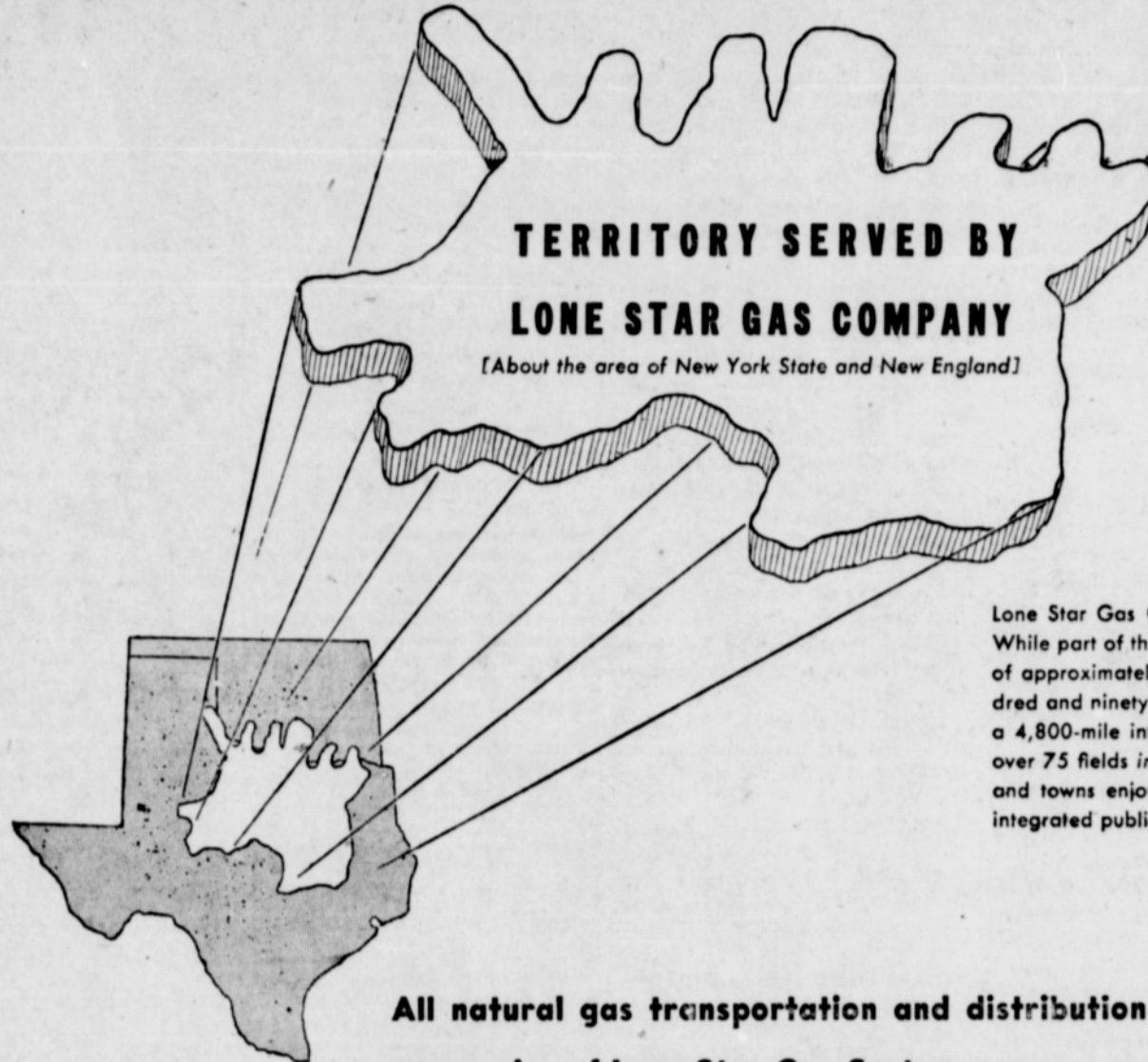
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WHERE YOU CAN REACH THEM IN FIVE MINUTES The coming year will be one of strain, uncertainty and confusion for everyone. Don't add to these hazards by keeping valuable papers where they may be misplaced. During times like these it's simply common sense to give them the protection of a safe deposit box. You have them at your finger tips the moment they're needed.

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BAIRD, TEXAS (Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation)

Mrs. Helen Fulton will leave today for Dallas where she will be in charge of her parents' business. Mrs. Harold Alexander of Wichita Falls is spending her parents' time with Mr. and Mrs. George Jones in the Midway community.



TERRITORY SERVED BY LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

[About the area of New York State and New England]

THE operating companies now reorganized into one Lone Star Gas Company form a highly integrated public utility system. While part of the area served is sparsely populated, having a population of approximately 1,300,000, the system is unusually compact. Two hundred and ninety-five Texas and Oklahoma cities and towns are served by a 4,800-mile interconnected pipeline which transports natural gas from over 75 fields inside the area. The natural gas service which these cities and towns enjoy today was made possible by the development of this integrated public utility system.

All natural gas transportation and distribution operations of the several affiliated companies of Lone Star Gas System are now grouped into one operating company, organized under Texas corporation laws, and which hereafter will be known as the

Lone Star Gas Company

The Lone Star Gas Corporation was among the first to register under provisions of the "Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935." Now, under a plan submitted to and approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the System is among the first to be reorganized into a more simplified corporate structure. The plan became effective January 1, 1943.

Working out details with the Securities and Exchange Commission and securing approval of our stockholders has been a big job requiring many months. We believe the reorganization will benefit our nearly 300,000 customers and our 4,500 employees.

Ever since 1909 when Lone Star struck out from Petrolia with a pipeline to Fort Worth, the System's ideal has been to build and maintain a natural gas service that would be so sensitive and responsive to public purposes and public needs that it would be a stimulant to the Southwest's development.

And the Southwest has grown. We've developed for and with it until Lone Star System up to the time of reorganization comprised:

- THE DALLAS GAS COMPANY
COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY
TEXAS CITIES GAS COMPANY
LONE STAR GAS COMPANY
LONE STAR GASOLINE COMPANY

companies whereas before there were five operating companies and one holding company. Both are new Texas corporations. The reorganization will not in any way change the basic policies or personnel of Lone Star Gas System. However, it simplifies operations, makes for considerable coordination of effort, and creates a tightly-knit organization which will be even more sensitive and responsive to your fuel service needs and wartime demands.

In it all there is just one sad note—the passing of such names as The Dallas Gas Company, Community Natural Gas Company, and Texas Cities Gas Company. We know thousands have a friendly, cordial feeling for these names through years of business transactions. But only the names pass on. The men and women who made these companies' good names remain to serve our customers.

A substantial rate reduction made last May and this simplification consummated in December were of material benefit to the Southwest and marked 1942 as a notable year in the history of Lone Star Gas System.

Now all of the transmission and distribution properties of these companies will be owned and operated as one integrated public utility system by a new Texas company named

Lone Star Gas Company

The gas field producing operations of the system, such as drilling wells and developing gas, are taken over by Lone Star Producing Company. So now, there are just two

The Community Natural Gas Company is now the

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

**NEWS** from

**YOUR COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT**  
TEXAS EXTENSION SERVICE



**CAMPAIGN TO SHARE THE MEAT ORGANIZED**

Mapping the campaign for her family to share the meat is one of the year-time assignments for all homemakers. With compulsory rationing just round the corner it's patriotic and fair to get into step on meat sharing and it's war time duty besides to see that the family is nourished for fitness.

A lot of retired cook books will go into active service in the hunt for meat allowance stretch out further. Cook meat with moderate heat until done and no longer. This way, meat is more tender, tastes better, and losses in cooking are low.

To stretch the meat allowance, try using potatoes, rice, spaghetti or bread crumbs mixed with the meat, seasoned well and cooked and served as an appetizing main dish. Here are some recipes that may help you in using your family's share of meat and to give variety to your meals.

**CURRY OF MEAT--**

Cook 1 slice onion in 3 T meat drippings or other fat. Add 3 pints of sliced tart apples or green tomatoes, cover and cook pork, veal, or beef and heat thoroughly. If the mixture is too thick thin it with meat broth, gravy or water. Season to taste with curry powder and salt. Serve with flaky boiled rice or with noodles.

**AMERICAN CHOP, SUEY**

2 medium onions, sliced thin  
1 green pepper, chopped  
1-2 lb. beef, pork or hickie  
1-4 c. rice  
c. meat or vegetable stock  
1 1/2 t. salt  
1-8 t. sage  
1-8 t. ground cumin seed  
Cook rice in boiling water until done. Brown onions and meat slightly with a little grease in the frying pan. Add chopped pepper, sea-

sonings, rice, and stock. Mix well. Place in baking dish and bake in moderate oven for one hour. Serves 6.

**STUFFED ROAST**

Stuffing is a good extender for a boned roast such as pork shoulder or a bony cut like spare ribs. Use mashed potatoes, brand crumbs, or cooked rice and season as you like it. Here is a recipe for savory stuffing: Cook 1-4 cup of chopped celery and leaves, 1 t. chopped onion, and 1 T chopped parsley in 2 T. fat for a few minutes. Then add 2 cups soft bread 1-2 t. savory seasoning, and salt and pepper to taste. Stir until well mixed and hot. This recipe makes enough for a 5 to 6 lb. pork shoulder.

**VEAL BIRDS**

Cut meat into strips 2 to 3 inches wide. Spread with stuffing given above and roll. Tooth pick into neat packages for individual servings. Brown in fat, add a little water to make a gravy. Cook slowly in a covered dish until tender. Serve with the gravy.

**SAUSAGE CASSEROLE**

A pound of sausage, some apples and cabbage and you have the "making" of a baked dish that needs only potatoes baked at the same oven heat to round out the main part of dinner. Arrange the raw cabbage and apples in alternate layers in the baking dish. Fry sausage cakes and lay on top. Add a tablespoon of vinegar to the sausage fat and pour over all. Cover and bake until cabbage and apples are tender.

**MEAT TURNOVERS**

First, chop and season the meat with onion and celery or parsley. Then moisten slightly with gravy, broth, tomatoes, or chili sauce. Add salt and pepper to taste. Make a rich dough and roll out portions into rounds about 6 inches across. On each round place some of the

meat filling, roll the dough over, and pinch the edges together to make turnovers. Bake until brown in a hot oven. (These are a nice change from sandwiches in a lunch box).

**SAVORY MEAT ON TOAST**

Cook 1 sliced onion and 1 cup of chopped celery and leaves in a tablespoon of fat for a few minutes. Add 3 cups cooked tomatoes and cook for about 20 minutes. If the mixture is too thin, add 1 to 2 tablespoons of flour mixed to a smooth paste with an equal quantity of cold water. Cook until smooth and thickened. Add 1 1-2 cups chopped cooked meat (left-over), heat thoroughly, season with salt and pepper. Serve hot on crisp toast.

**TECUMSEH NEWS**

Tecumseh H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Lottie Preston January 4th. The meeting was called to order and business matters taken up with club members plans for the coming year was discussed and study of the program book was carried out.

Members present were: Mrs. Lottie Preston, Mrs. Sarah Magill, Mrs. Nellie Wilkerson, Mrs. Willie Lewis, and Mrs. Bonnie Hodge.

Quite a number of young people visited home folks and friend here through the holidays.

Orian Barton, soldier from Eagle Pass and Albert Magill from El Paso visited with their parents during the holidays.

Miss Janis Ruth Barton was at home during the holidays. Miss Janis is in defense work at Corpus Christi.

Quinn Wilkerson who has been ill for several months is improving.

Lieutenant Jack W. Chapman visited Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges Christmas day. He was enroute to Miami Fla.,

Mr. and Mrs. Allen S. Hodges of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Whitley during Christmas. Pvt. Albert Magill of Fort Bliss and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Magill were guests of their mother, Mrs. Sarah Magill Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neal have moved to the Mollie Gardner farm in the Potosi community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf have moved to the J. P. Tunnell farm.

Mr. Brooks of Oplin has moved to the Alice Tunnell farm.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis have moved to the T. H. Dix farm.

King Betcher who has been a patient in the hospital in Baird for several weeks is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerby Meyers of Dudley have been notified that their son, Cale has landed safely overseas.

**Stations To Get Increase In Pay For Gasoline**

Gasoline service station operators may now correct their retail prices so they can realize a gross margin of three cents per gallon, it was announced today by the Callahan County War Price and Rationing Board.

Where an operator of a retail service station selling gasoline adjusts his prices in this manner, he is required to file a statement with the local War Price and Rationing Board.

This report must set forth the service station's delivered cost, its maximum selling price per gallon before a margin adjustment was made, and the new maximum selling price.

Each time a service station operator's delivered cost changes and he increases or decreases his maximum selling price he must refile this information with the local war price and rationing board.

The board chairman explained that when gasoline rationing was established, the Office of Price Administration recognized that the consequent reduction in volume would create hardship to service station dealers and other sellers of gasoline at retail who operated on narrow margins and who depended on large volume sales and low cost marketing operations in order to realize a profit.

To provide relief to those operators, an amendment to Maximum Price Regulation No. 137 has been issued. This amendment permits dealers whose gross margin was less than three cents per gallon to increase their selling price so they can realize a three cent gross margin. As an illustration of how the provisions of this amendment apply, we might

assume that a service station operator's maximum price for gasoline on December 1, 1942 was 19 cents per gallon and the cost of that gasoline delivered to his station was 17 cents per gallon. That left him a gross margin of two cents a gallon. Under this new amendment he may increase his maximum price to 20 cents per gallon, thus giving him a three-cent gross margin. However, if his delivered cost is reduced at a later date, he will then have to reduce his selling price by a corresponding amount.

**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

The tradition of American cavalry threads back to Indian warfare days and although modern armies are largely motorized today, the cavalry still plays an important role. Sturdy, well trained horses and excellent equipment and trappings are necessary.



When men are in the saddle for hours, their saddles, saddle rolls and other equipment must be made to stand the wear. Complete with carbine and helmets, the equipment for the cavalryman runs into hundreds of dollars. You can help provide this with your War Bond purchases. If you have not done so, join the Payroll Savings Plan and put ten percent of your income into War Bonds. U. S. Treasury Department

**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**

Refrigerators are out for the duration. Manufacturers have now toolled their plants for production of war materials. Common-sense-folk, however, are saving now, not spending, and building up a fund for purchase of refrigerators and other domestic needs through investment in U. S. War Bonds.



Your Money put into War Bonds today will bring you back \$4 for \$3 at maturity. So start saving for those domestic needs when you will be permitted to buy them. Join the Payroll Savings Plan at your office or factory and let's all "Buy that Ten Percent." U. S. Treasury Department

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**FOR SALE--**Household furniture all in good condition and prices very reasonable. See Mrs. Russell Sanders at Presbyterian Manse.

**WANT TO BUY--**Section of Land in Callahan County. Will Pay Cash. T. W. Holmes, P. O. Box 801, Clyde, Texas.

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TOM WINDHAM,  
Oplin, Texas.

**CHURCH CALENDER**  
The First Methodist Church of Baird.  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Junior League 6:45 p. m.  
Young People's 6:45 p. m.  
Choir Rehearsal, Thurs, 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH SCHEDULE**  
Church of Christ  
Bible Classes 10 o'clock  
Preaching 11 o'clock  
Communion 11:45 o'clock

**LAUNDRY NOTICE**  
Due to gas rationing, we make only two trips to Baird each week to pick-up and deliver laundry. Monday's and Friday's our agency is now at the Swinson and Tankersley barber shop. Call, Phone 131 for any information in regard to laundry.

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