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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1956

SUPPORT YOUR HOME TOWN

Old Settlers Re-Visit Baird Enroute To Annual Reunion

The Callahan County Old Set-tlers' Reunion at Cross Plains last week brought several pion-eers back to Baird to renew old acquaintanceships. Among them acquaintanceships. Among them was Bob Hearn, a 92 year old youngster from Amarillo, former student of Belle Plain College. He arrived in Baird by bus at 5:30 a. m. Friday, and continued the trip from here with Mrs. Vida Gilliland Hill. Hearn came to Baird in 1876 and re-mained here until 1892; he is exceptionally active for one his age, his hearing and sight are excellent.

cxcellent.

Mrs. Laura Stratton, of McLean, accompanied by her
daughter, Mrs. Vina Melers of
Amarillo, arrived Thursday to
visit with Mrs. Stratton's sister,
Mrs. H. W. Walker (of the MeFarlane Ranch) and to attend
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Mrs. Stratton arrived in Callahan County in 1879, with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John Rice, and three brothers and three sisters from Denton County. Mrs. Stratton remained in Callahan County until 1908, when she and her husband, John Stratton and family moved to McLean, where she has since resided. Mrs. Viria Meiers is a native of Callahan County; she was born in 1906 at Belle Plain.

Also here visiting Mrs. H. W. Walker and other relatives and to attend the reunion was Mrs. Otho Carter of Shafter, Calif. Mrs. Carter was born at the old home place near Belle Plain in 1884, and resided there until 1909 when she and her family moved to Oklahoma. In 1937 she moved to Callfornia to be near some of her children.

Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Walker, and one brother, C. S. (Vet) Rice of McLean are all that remain of the large family of 13 children of the John Rice's. C. S. Rice and his wifewere unable to attend this reunion, due to their health.

The oldest native born old settlers attending the reunion were Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, 77, and H. L. Harris, 76. Both have lived continuously in Callahan County.

S. M. Eubank of Cross Plains was elected president to succeed Bob Norrell of Baird. Mrs. L. L. Blackburn was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

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Three former students of the old Belle Plain College were able to attend the reunion. They were B. F. Austin of Abilene, Hearn, and Tom Dawkins of San Anto-

nlo.

Like Hearn, Spike Blakley of
Bålrd came to Callahan County
in 1876. They were the oldest
settlers. Mrs. J. A. Jackson, 98,
came here a year later to be
named the earliest woman settler.

The oldest old settler present.

The oldest old settler present was Sam Gilliland, 98, of Cole-man.

Request for Birthday **Data Not Made Clear**

Last week The Star invited readers to report birthdays of -relatives and friends that they might be congratulated publicly. The invitation brought this re-

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"I wish to turn in a birthday, frs. W. E. Gillet, Dec. 30, 1870, ame to Callahan County at the ge of six. Resides at 424 Spruce treet, Baird, Texas. Star subcriber many years. A. E. Young, let. 24, 1876. Subscriber to Star Joycars."

The Star is grateful for this sponse which brings to light

Graveside rites for Mrs. Vernon R. King were held at Ross Cemetery here Tuesday, follow-ling services at the Southside Church of Christ in Mineral Wells. She died Sunday. Mrs. King was born at Rising Star March 13, 1910, and was married in 1942 at Winters. She had been a resident of Mineral Wells since 1954. The invitation brought this response:

"I wish to turn in a birthday, Mrs. W. E. Gillet, Dec. 30, 1870. Came to Callahan County at the age of six. Resides at 424 Spruce Street, Baird, Texas. Star subscriber many years. A. E. Young, Oct. 24, 1876. Subscriber to Star 50 years."

response which brings to light the fact that the invitation published last week was neither clear nor complete. What was intended was a report of birth-days occurring during the week of publication; from one Friday to the next

Harwell Transferred To State Hospital

Raymond Harwell, 24, was transferred from the Callahan County jail to the State Hospi-tal at Rusk Tuesday by Sheriff

tal at Rusk Tuesday by Sheriff Homer Price.

Harwell was recently tried in 42nd District Court for assault with intent to murder. He was found not guilty by reason of in-

Half of the families in the nation made \$5,520 in 1955.

Soil Bank Acreage **Now Being Measured**

Measurement of acreage placed under the soil bank plan by Callahan County farmers is under way and should be completed within two weeks, B. B. McPherson, county office manager of the Callahan County ASC announced.

Forms upon which to pay farmers taking advantage of the soil bank program has been roccived he said, but his office has not yet been advised as to the payment procedure.

ment procedure.

The total Callahan County acreage in the program is 8,424 and payment to farmers will be more than \$64,608.

E. B. Mullican **Rites Wednesday**

Funeral services for E. B. Mullican were held at the Presbyterian Church Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. Herbert Markley officiating, under direction of the Wylle Funeral Home. Burial was in Ross Cemetry.
Mullican, who na'd been a resident of Baird 45 yesn, and a farmer employe of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, died at his home Monday.

former employe of the Texas & Pacific Raliroad, died at his home Monday.

He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and of the Masonic Lodge.

He was married Dec. 5, 1888 to Mary Pepper, who survives him. Other survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Eva Fitzgerald of Wink, Mrs. Elvira Stinson of Tucson, Ariz., and Mrs. Catherine Wardlaw of Locksburg, Ark.; one brother. Jim Mullican of Lansing, Mich.; eight grandchildren and 13 great grandchilden.

Three daughters and two sons preceeded him in death.

Pallbearers will be members of the Masonic Lodge. Honorary pailbearers will be Virgil Jones, Arthur Johnson, Harry Ebert, Ernest Hill, Justin Anderson, T. D. Boyd, Joe Alexander and Lee Ivey.

City Buys New Hose, Pumper Battery

The city council has authorized the purchase of 300 feet of new fire hose and a new battery for the pumper. The hose is replacement for equipment the fire department reported to be unserviceable. The council was informed it had been necessary to start the pumper by hand.

VOTING SLOW

Callahan County voters still refuse to get excited over poli-

By mid-week, only one ab-sentee vote had been cast in the county clerk's office. Mrs. Chas. 7. Robinson, county clerk, said she has supplied four applica-tions for absentee ballots.

Mrs. Vernon King **Buried Tuesday**

Her survivors include her husband; three brothers, H. H. How-ell of Dallas, Alton Howell of Denver, Colo., and Clifton Howell of Gardena; Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Lee Cannon of El Paso.

Property Owners Accept Tax Levy

The city council set as a board of equalization Monday night and no one appeared to protest 1956 city tax assessments.

Major J. E. Bullock said that as far as he knew this is the first year no protests have been stand



Rev. Lenard Hartley

Hartley To Hold Rowden Revival

Rev. Lenard Hartley, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Baird, will conduct revival services at Rowden beginning Friday and continuing through Aug. 28. He will fill his pulpit at Baird Sunday as usual.

The Rowden services will be held at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Rev. Dan Applin is pastor of the Rowden church.

Old Settler Recalls Show

My memory sometimes takes me back, to the summer of 1898. That I went to a vaudeville show at Admiral and we started early so we would not be late. There was an old man and his wife and a boy, who we supposed to be his son. And when we got to the school house, the little show had just begun.

The boy was all fixed up like a nigger boy, and he sure could sing and dance, and he would cut those dark brown eyes at the girls when he had a chance. They traveled around in a covered wagon, and would make small country towns top play. They had a little organ, a fiddle, a guitar, and a lot of funny things to say. We thought the little show was mighty good, but one thing they did that was not right.

They asked for sweethearts to

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They asked for sweethearts to be nominated, and voted on that night. Two of the most popular girls were in the race, and the show commenced to make money fast. The older folks began to wonder, jut how long that it would last. Some of the older men throught the context should end up in a draw, for the feel-

men throught the contest should end up in a draw, for the feeling among some of the fellows was getting kinda' raw.

So each of the girls got the same kind of prize, but some did not think it very funny. For that old man left the little Admiral town, with a pocket full of money.

Benefit' Value

Seems Doubful

A new benefit of doubtful value has been devised by the federal government for the benefit of drouth-ridden ranchers and farmers, a recent news hand-out announces.

Under a law approved in June the sale of stock because of drouth conditions may be considered "involuntary conversion" and the revenue from the sale of such stock is exempt from income tax.

However, this exemption from tax seems to be qualified by general terms of the law and an agricultural expert here questions the value, in the end, to the farmer or the rancher.

The government hand-out read: "No tax is due on the sale of property due to an involuntary conversion if the property is replaced with like kind withan a specified period, generally before the end of the following year."

"This looks like a man will performance with the "Chinese ported that plans are complete for the eighteenth annual meeting of the membership of the membership

year."
"This looks like a man will have to buy more stock within a year to be qualified from that tax exemption." the authority said. "What good will it do a man to buy more stock if he had to sell because he couldn't feed what he had? And if he does have to buy more, they'il probably cost him more than he got for his disaster stock,"

Most people do what they are requested to do, successful people do a little more.

Pest Control Meet Called For Saturday

A meeting of farmers and ranchers interested in the control of predatory animals has been called for 2 p. m. Saturday, by Gounty Agent Glen Green.

The movement has the sup-port of A&M College, and Green said, "It is important that we have a good number of people at this meeting so that plans may be made for carrying on the control work next year."

Workers Sought To Clean Park

Civic-minded residents of the city have been asked by the park board to turn out Monday and Tuesday to clean up Bell Legion Park.

Park.

A bulldozer has been over the approximate five-acre area, but Ray Black, who with Curtis Sutphen will be in charge of the work, said a great deal of hand work remains to be done.

Black suggested those willing to work report at 4 p. m. or a little later equipped with shovels, axes, picks, mattocks, and other tools.

As soon as the

tools.
As soon as the area is cleaned of underbrush, a beautification program will get underway.
Some members of the park board were in Putnam Tuesday to check on fence posts reported to be there, but Black indicated the price was too high.

4-H Clubs Hold .22 Rifle Shoot

Members of i-H Clubs held their first and noot Wednesday of last week on the Edgar Albrecht place, with County Agent Clen Green in charge.

High scores among the boys were fired by Billy Bennett and Tommy Purvis. High for the girls were Jeannie Albrecht and Susan Albrecht.

Eighteen club members participated and Green divided them into four groups, boys less than il and more than 11, and girls less than il and more than 11.

Green is planning another

Oreen is planning another shoot for the near future at a time and place yet to be decid-

ed.

The county agent spoke highly of the conduct of his youthful shooters. They realize, he said, that shooting is a highly dangerous sport, and they carefully followed the rules he lay down as safety precautions.

Comanche Co. Co-op To Meet

that this is a meeting where the owners should come to take care of their business.

In addition to the business there will be fun and entertainment for all. Hoffman the Magician has entertained crowds from coast to cosst with his magic — making bouquets or bowls of fire appear from nowhere.

Fred Whitaker, juggling artist, is another top attraction to be seen this year. He-will climax his performance with the "Chinese Devil Stick" performance which has amazed audiences all over the nation.

For musical entertainment there will be Billy Wimberley and his "Drifting Texans" with their favorite Hillbilly tunes.

Also by Sopular demand, Johnnie Robinson of Gustine will be back this year with his beautifus. Havailan music which everyone enjoyed so much last year.

Also exhibited on the midway

46 Children **Learn To Swim**

Under the sanction of the Red Cross, three Marines are teaching 46 children of Clyde and Baird to swim this week at the Baird swimming pool. The classes began Monday and will continue through Saturday.

The instructors are Capt. Charles Schmidt, S/Sgt. Eugene

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Bodra and Sgt. Robert Pace.
Children taking advantage of
the free lessons are:
Carol Lynn McGowen, Baird
Bob Strange, Baird
Doyle R. Hooper, Clyde
Larry Fred Conlee, Clyde
Gay Nell Wilson, Clyde
Dale Autry Owens, Clyde
Linda Craig, Clyde
Jo Ann Wilson, Clyde
Janis Abernathy, Baird
Linda Abernathy, Baird
Leon Abernathy, Baird
Taber Bearden, Baird Taber Bearden, Baird Karen Bearden, Baird Shirley Allman, Baird Raymond Allman, Baird Paula Kay Corn, Baird Betty Lou Corn, Baird B. P. Stevenson, Baird B. P. Stevenson, Baird Nancy Gardiner, Baird Jane Ann Gardiner, Baird Mike Odom, Baird Nannez Coley, Baird Martha Coley, Baird Jerry Barnhill, Baird Linda Bryant, Baird Darline Marie Musselman, Baird Patricia Ann Musselman, Baird Linda Patterson, Baird Sharon Jeter, Baird

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Anna Schaffrina, Rt. 1, Baird
Dale Coley, Baird
Jeraldeen Neal, Baird
Mary Lynn Hodson, Baird
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Dana Corn, Baird
Linda Parsons, Baird
Bobby Jack Sims, Baird
Bobby Jack Sims, Baird
Cheryl Sue Sims, Baird
Lula Mae Walker, Baird
Lula Mae Walker, Baird
Janet Ross, Baird
Richle Crow, Baird
Rollie Green, Baird
Alo Jane Boyd, Baird
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Former Baird Girl Dies In Seattle

Word has been received here of the death in Seattle, Wash, of Mrs. Mary Elaine Richards, who has been in ill health for some time.

some time.

Mrs. Richards, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Cummings of Big Spring, was born in Baird July 14, 1921, attended school here, and made her home here until 1940. Her parents moved to Big Spring in 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings had recently returned from a visit to their daughter in Seattle, and were unable to return for the funeral.

funeral.

In addition to her husband and her parents, Mrs. Richards is survived by one child and by two brother, Kenneth and Durward Cummings, both of big

Former Tree Army To Hold Reunion

To Hold Reunion

The second annual Ex-CCC Co.
849 reunion will be held Sept. 2
at old camp site. Lake Brownwood State Park club house, Ira
"Frog" Gull'liams of Brownwood,
Texas President of the Ex-CCC
Co. 840 has announced.
All former members of Lake
Brownwood CCC Co. and their
familles are invited. The meeting will last all day with each
Iamily to bring a box lunch.
New officers will be elected
at 3 p. m. for the year of 1957.
The first reunion was held in
Oct. 1955, with about 20 members and their families present.
All ex-members are requested
to bring any snap shots you have

to bring any snap shots you have of the camp.

The American Psychlatric Association has formally opposed the uncontrolled use of tranquilitzing drugs as a "public danger."

Dad worked for 18 years to keep the wolf away. Then daughter up and married one, and brought him home to stay!

will be an appliance showing of all the latest in home appliances sponsored by local merchants and area distributors.

Manager Parks urges all mem-bers, their families, and anyone interested to come out to this big meeting.

T&P Will Publish Elliotts' Picture

The picture of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, which appeared in The Star last week, will be published in an early edition of "T&P Topics," the house organ of the Texas & Pacific Railway.

Alan T. Myers, editor of the railroad's magazine this week asked The Star for permission to use the picture. It was mailed to Dallas with the consent of Mrs. James Asbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott.

Elliott is a retired employe the Texas & Pacific.

Rites Held For F. E. McAuley

Floyd Edward McAuley, who was killed in an automo-bile wreck near Colorado City last Saturday, was burled here Monday. J. T. Bristow, minister of the Church of Christ, offi-ciated in the service at the Wylie Funeral Home Chapel, Burial was in Ross Cemetery under diwas in Ross Cemetery under di-rection of Wylle Funeral Home.
McAuley was born Aug. 13,
1902 in Brown County, He had
lived in this community appro-

lived in this community appro-ximately 27 years.
Survivors include his mother,
Mrs. Darthola Mackey of Baird,
and a brother, Raymond Mc-Auley of Hobbs, N. M.
Palibearers were Blondy Mc-Intosh, Buck Gilmore, Jackle
Benson, Carl Maner, Coonle All-phin and Mitch Mitchell.

Negro Fined In Auto Crash

ed an interesting, informative, ed an interesting, informative, well-written, well-edited paper of dignity and honesty, the paper will have the respect and confidence of the community. Such a paper automatically becomes the best advertising medium available to commerce and industry.

Funds Received For Polio Victims Care

The Callahan County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has received a check for \$800, Fred Goble, chairman, announced this week. The money will be used to eare for polio patients in this coun-

The less one has to do, the less time he finds in which to do it.

City Employes' Pay Increased

After considerable discussion and unanimous agreement that it was deserved, the city council Monday night voted a salary increase for all city employes.

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Two employes were given minor differential increases, after which the council ordered increases of \$25 a month for all.

The movement to increase salaries was begun by Mayor J. E. Bullock, who said he would not make a motion to that effect but would recommend it. It was the concensus of the council that city employes have been under-paid, but that the city's financial condition had not permitted higher salaries in the past.



Church Of Christ Meeting Sept. 2-9

William M. Morris, California negro, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of failure to control speed to avoid a collision with another vehicle, and was fined \$25 and costs by Justice of the Peace Lawrence Bowlus Monday.

The collision upon which the charge was based occured about three miles west of Baird Sunday night, and sent Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wagner of Abilene to an Abilene hospital in serious condition.

The incident occured about 7:30 p. m., and a second collision in the same locality was reported about two hours later. The same charge was brought against Lloyd Taylor Davis, address not given.

A Cisco ambulance passed the scene of the wreck and took Mrs. Wagner was transported to Abilene to a Clyde ambulance.

Wagner was reported to have compound fractures of the legs. Mrs. Wagner's injury was said to be a severe hip injury.

Morris, his wife, and another

Meeting Sept. 2-9

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Morris, his wife, and another negro woman were given first aid, and Morris was brought to de Callahan County Hospital and treated for minor injuries.

Editor Addresses

Club Membership

To justify its existence, a newspaper must render a definite and positive service to the community, V. H. Torrance, editor of the Baird Star and Clyde Enterprise, told members of the Callahan County Luncheon Club at their semi-monthly meeting Wednesday noon.

"The primary function of a newspaper," the editor said, "is to publish news. A secondary function is to provide a respected and trusted advertising medium.

"When an editor has produced an interesting, informative, well-written, well-edited paper."

Marker is am Angelo, died last Wednesday in a San Angelo cilnic, at the age of 78.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the 10 o'clock Fr

nieces.

His immediate family and brother, Bud, were with him when the end came.

Walker was born in Robert-

son County, Texas, Dec. 18, 1877.
Palibearers were: J. M. McWilliams, Ed Lambert, L. S. Walker,
J. W. Shelton, Irvin Shelton, ali
of Baird, and Lawrence Jones
of San Angelo.

Eastern Star Rite To Be Held Aug. 30

Callahan Chapter No. 242 Or-der of the Eastern Star will cel-ebrate Rob Morris day with a plenic supper at the Clyde White home Aug. 30, at 7 p. m. All Masons and their families are invited to be guests of the Fastern Star

Eastern Star.

Eastern Star members asked to bring a picnic lunc

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FOR SALE — 6-rm. house and bath, 544 West 1st St., Baird. Contact R. O. Gilmore at Cot-tonwood. 17-tf-c

WE service and repack air conditioners. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. 17-tf-c

WANTED — Ladies to work part or full time. \$50.00 to \$100.-00 per week. Car necessary Write to Box 1118. Give name, address and telephone number.

FOR RENT — My farm south of Baird. Cash rent. Fence will be up in due time. See Miss Pauline Terrell at Ebert Apts.

30-tf-c

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FOR SALE — Gas cook stove, elec. refrigerator, electric lawn mower, hand lawn mower, bed-room suite, 30-06 Springfield rifle, walnut dining table, walnut china closet, Mrs. George Warren, 411 East 3rd., Baird,

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FOR SALE — 1947 Pontiac, good condition, Cheap. Can be seen at 525 Eugenia St. Phone 1921. 33-2-c

LOST — 2 ewe sheep, reward. W. Powell, Clyde, Texas. Ph. 03. 33-2-p 9103.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 18 cubic ft, deep freezer, 2 compartments, See at Buster George Ranch or call 276. 33-tf-c

Who Recalls When **Baird Star Founded?**

Anyone know certainly when

he Star was founded?

In the folio lines at the top In the folio lines at the top of page one of The Star is printed "Volume 71." In newspaper language a volume is the publications of a year. Therefore, The Star should have been founded 71 years ago or in 1885.

But, directly under the Page One title plate is printed," Cal-

Dr. and Mrs. Steen, Visiting at Clyde

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Steen, College Station, visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steen and Sharon Sunday, Dr. Steen is professor of history at A&M College.

He has recently finished writ-ing a new book on the history of the United States. Dr. Steen was assisted by his wife, who is supplying the teaching ald at the end of each chapter.

Dr. Steen is author of several books on the history of Texas and on civic government.

Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith
let us, to the end, dare to do our
duty as we understand it.

—Abraham Lincoln

Man has invented a waxed paper raincoat, to be sold in vending machines, which you wear in sudden showers, then toss away if you wish.

We Americans eat an average of 65 million pounds of meat every day—enough to fill 2,500 rallroad refrigerator cars.

The Callahan Abstract Company, Inc.

Mre and Casualty Insurance Complete Abstracts to All Arthur L. Young, President

VOTERS!

Vote for B. H. FREELAND, of Baird, for

Callahan County Democratic Chairman.

Former County Judge - Lifelong Demo-

crat - active supporter of Lyndon John-

son - Sam Rayburn policies.

Attends Reunion Members of the W. R. Potter

Members of the W. R. Potter family met for a reunion at Burfalo Gap State Park Aug. 11-12. Mrs. W. R. Potter, known as Granny Potter, age 84, was present for the two day reunion. Other members of the family attending were: Mrs. Bertha Stanley, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gay, Wanda and David Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bilfrey, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Potter and Curtis Ray, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Potter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pupp, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fortune and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pupp, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fortune and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bilfrey and family, Mrs. Eisie Ford, Mrs. Alice Mae George and children, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fortune and family, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin and family, A. L. Smith, of Edgewood; Mr. and Mrs. Bilfrey and family of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Potter and family, San Angelo: Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gennard Potter and family, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gen-try, Sweetwater; Virginia, Katie Mae and Pearlie Faye Bilfrey of

A. J. Burks Family Reunion Held Sunday

The A. J. Burks family reunion was held last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mor-rison. Nine of the eleven sons and daughters were present. They were: Mrs. Roy Neff of House, N. M.; Mrs. Lenard Wells. House, N. M.; Mrs. Denard Weils of Oyalo; Mrs. Susie Mauldin, Rowden; Mrs. W. R. Johnson, Abilene; Mrs. John Morrison, Baird; Miss Lizzie Burks, Row-den; Joe and William Burks, Abilene; John Burks of Girard.

Abliene; John Burks of Girard. Also three cousins were present: Troy Renfro of Hamilton, Joe Fisher of Brownwood and Emma Fisher of Hamilton. Others present were: Mrs. Bonnie Poole and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Burks and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Barslow and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cross and son, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Shagula and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burks, Mrs. Andy Shagula and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burks, Mr. and Mrs. De Price, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burks, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Pansy, Carrol Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burks and children, all of Ablene; Mr. and Mrs. Vandon Thomas and Stevie, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Holt and Wayland, all of Lameas; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Neft and children, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Neft and children, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Jim King and family, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Neff, Rowden; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neff, House, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. John Burks, Girard; and Mrs. John Burks, Girard;

One title plate is printed," Callahan County Clarendon Established November 15, 1879." If that is correct the current year should be volume 77.

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Mrs. A. L. McIntosh Circle Hostess

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The Pearl Berry Circle of the Clyde WSCS met at 3 p. m. Aug. 13 in the home of Mrs. A. L. McIntosh of Denton Valley, Mrs. Henry Jones, circle chairman, opened the meeting with a song service with the group singing several old favorites including "Amazing Grace" at the hosts request.

For the devotional the 11th chapter of Hebrews was the basis for Mrs. E. J. Barton's talk on "Faith." In closing, Mrs. Barton gave each one an opportunity to express her own ideas of faith for daily living. A group of prayers were offered by Mrs. Kate Shelton, Mrs. Joe King and Mrs. Dick Gray.

During the business session, the more important items included filling out the circle's new year book dates; the selection of a skit for presentation at the Beptember joint meeting and further promise to support the building program of the church.

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Punch and cake were served to nine members: Mmes. Jones, Tarrant, Sherrill, Gray, Mayfield, C. E. South, J. F. Berry, Damewood and Shelton; the sponsors, Mrs. John Berry and Mrs. Tom Plemons; and visitors Mrs. Esker Crawford, Mrs. Joe King and Miss Evelvu Blakely.

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W. E. Clardy Marks Birth Anniversary

W. E. Clardy and Mrs. Clardy were hosts last Sunday at a family gathering at their home in Clyde. The occasion was Mr. Clardy's 89th birthday. A native of Grayson County, he was born Aug. 11, 1867. He can remember when his father drove an ox wason.

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Mr. Clardy has engaged in farming east of town, coming here 29 years ago. He retired and moved into town five years ago. Father of eight sons and daughters, seven of whom were present to help celebrate his birthday. One son, Roy, of Temple, was unable to attend.

Present were: Terrell Clardy, of Rochester, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Cerll Clardy of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clardy of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clardy of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Clardy of Houston. The two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yater and daughter of Stanton; Mrs. Margaret Brooks and Buster of Midland; a grandson and family, Mr, and Mrs. Arless Yater of Big Spring; Mrs. Clardy's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clemmer of Ablene.

Mrs. White Honors Mother on Birthday

Mrs. Ashby White was host

for a dinner Sunday honoring her mother, Mrs. Lula Bryant, on her 82nd birthday. Present for the occasion were: Mrs. Rosa Bently, Mrs. Lula Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Ashby White of Abilene, Mrs. W. H. Bryant, Mrs. Vada Bennett of Baird, Lt. Jim Cole, Big Spring, Pat Bou-chette, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mil-ler and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bouchette.

Party Surprises **Howard Sullivan**

Howard Sullivan was honoree at a surprise birthday celebration Sunday when relatives gathered at his home to join with the family in paying tribute on his 65th birthday.

Those attending were: Mr. Mrs. O. H. Rohde and children of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Norton and sons, Abliene; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bourn of Brownwood; Glen Sullivan and daughter, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Chaste Ratiff, Beownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Chaste Sullivan and children, Lubbock; Mrs. Annie Potts, Lubbock; Lester Sullivan, El Paso; Mr. and ter Sullivan, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Carson Sullivan, Dallas; Mrs. Ruby Colbert, Fort Worth. This the first time in 28 years

that all have been together at the same time.

Kenneth Shipmans Have New Daughter

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shipman Aug. 9. She has been named Rhonda Sue, and weighed six pounds 14 ounces. The Shipmans have two other children, Kenneth, Jr., and

Dayy.

Rhonda Sue's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Holder of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shipman of Denton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Riley and son, Joe Mack, of Levelland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Riley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drossman and three children, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. Dross-man's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. Winkelman

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Pruet and son, Craig, have returned from a vacation trip to Arkan-sas, Kansas, Missouri and Illi-

Edison Sembritzki and son, of Texas City, spent last week end visiting his father.

Jonell Williams and Carol Gaddy of Abliene visited their uncle Joel Griffin several days last week.

King and Miss Evelyn Blakely.

Mrs. McIntosh was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Barton in entertaining the Circle and the Circ

WHo's Doing What In Clyde

Mrs. A. H. Nelson went to San Angelo for a visit with her son and his wife, Capt. and Mrs. Allen Nelson and family, returning home Monday, She was accompanied home by grandsons, Gary and Bill. Capt. Nelson who has been stationed at the San Angelo Air Base five years, has been transferred and Hickman Field, Hawail, and will leave about the first of October for 3 years overfirst of October for 3 years overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Everett, who spent their vacation in Clyde and Putnam, spent a week of their vacation in Ft. Davis and El Paso. They also visited Ruidosa and Carlsbad Cavern. They returned to their home in Alice, accompanied by their sons, David and Bobby, who had been visiting their grandnarbeen visiting their grandparents, the John Baileys.

Ben Sammons, of Ohio, is here for a visit with his brother, Jack Sammons and Mrs. Sammons.

Recent visitors with Mrs. R. H. McEirath were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore of Clarendon, Mrs. Lindsey Johnson and daughters of Pampa, and Miss Callie Fogal of Spearman.

Miss Tina O'Neal went to Big Spring last week for an extend-ed visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. R. Harris and daughter, Miss Pansy, visited with re-latives and friends in Clyde and Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hagar, Gwen, Kathy and Ronnie visited friends in Merkel and Sweetwater Sunday. Mrs. L. F. Pat-terson accompanied them and visited her son, the A. O. Pat-tersons in Sweetwater.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vernon were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vernon, Jr., and Candi Sue, of Houston: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferree of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Surver of Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Surver were returning from a vacation in Colorado.

Visiting recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks were Mrs. Roy Palmer of Abliene, Mrs. H. C. Lewis and Miss Ida Ship-H. C. Lewis and Miss ida Ship-man of San Antonio. Mrs. Lewis went by plane to Florida to at-tend graduation exercises for her son, Roland, who received a Ph D degree at the Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baulch, Jr., who have been at Santa Fee two months on sick leave, visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baulch. Sue Ellen and Mrs. Jim Baulch. Sue Ellen and Martha Jo, who had been with their grandparents, accompanied their parents back to Santa Fe where they will be for two weeks before returning to their home in Jal, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fleming, Jackie Wayne and Dennie Alton have recently moved to Clyde from Burkburnett and are living in the Bob Martin home on US

Ernest Huckaby of Abilene was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hansen one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Emmerson

Mrs. Pearl Hodges of Clyde and son, A. J. Hodges and family of Winters, attended the Hodges family reunion at Roaring Springs over the week end. They visited relatives and friends in Matador before returning home late Sunday late Sunday.

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Murfresboro, Tenn, where they were guests of Lt. and Mrs. Jin Gustafson.

John Poole, student at NTSC at Denton, visited with his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Poole during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cooper returned Sunday from a visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd and other relatives in Brownwood. R. E. Hansen returned Satur-day from St. Paul, Minn. He had been on a-business trip and also visited relatives there.

Mrs. Tom Cooper of Weather-ford and Miss Lots Cooper of Dallas, were week end visitors in the C. J. Loyd home.

T. D. Dawkins, of San Antonio and Miss Dolly Summer of Ad-miral, were guests in the J. A. Coffey home Saturday.

Mrs. G. G. Bowen of Wichita Falls and her son and family, Capt. and Mrs. Glenn W. Bowen, Gay, Glenna and Geri, of Kessler AFB, Miss., visited Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Bowen's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mc-Intosh. Capt. Bowen is on leave enroute to Lowry AFB, Denver, where he will be stationed.

Mrs. Orva Pearson of Fort Mrs. Orva Pearson of Fort Worth, who visited here during the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stover, was accompanied home by her daughter Miss Beatrice of Weatherford, who had been visiting with her grandparents here for 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Christian Mr. and Mrs. John Christian
Sr. returned from Leesville, La.
Wednesday, where they had been
visiting with their daughter,
Mrs. Vernon J. Banks. Her husband, Sp3 Vernon Banks stationed at Fort Park La., had a
three day pass and joined the
family at Leeville on the week
end for a family get-to-gether.
Mrs. Banks accompanied her
parents home for a visit.

Guests of Mrs. J. H. Bailey one day last week were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Parker of Houston, Jimmy and Peggy Parker of Monterey, Calif. Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Bailey of Abilene. Jimmy and Peggy, who had been visiting in Houston with their grandparents, were on their way home accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Frazier, Beth and Janie, of Weatherford, visited Mrs. Frazier's parents, Mr, and Mrs. S. W. Hutchens. Joan, Beth and Janie remained for a longer visit. Phillip, who had been here six weeks with his grandparents, returned home

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Two Baird Students In McMurry's Band

The Baird students and one from Moran at McMurry Col-lege will be members of the col-lege's world-traveled Indian Band this fall.

They are Yvonne Caldwell, junior; Mariland Gilliland, sophomore; and Nancy Williams, junior. Miss Caldwell will play clarinet with the band, and will also be a member of the "McMurry Maidenettes," a featured twirling group. Miss Gilliland will play clarinet and Miss Williams, flute.

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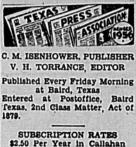
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vacation.
. and Mrs. Tom Barton, Ann
Tommy, have returned:
. after spending several
in El Paso, Carlebad and
a Fe, N. M.
ace Bell and son spent sevdays last week in New
nfels.

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s. Sallie Eastham of Fort

man.

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and Mrs. Sam Black of Worth spent the week end her mother, Mrs. O, B. Jarand other relatives.

and other relatives.

and Mrs. Terrell Williams in relatives in Piainview Thursday and Friday.

and Mrs. W. R. Williams is secondido, Calif., attended reunion at Cross Pialns and relatives and friends last in Baird, Clyde and Eula.

and Mrs. H. F. King, Jr., daughters, of Piainview, tlast week with her brother, in Edwards and family, and visited her parents, Mr. and T. J. Edwards at Eula.

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and Mrs. J. T. Simons of lies, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avery and children of Dailas, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parks and children of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avery of Detroit, Mich., were all week end visitors in the G. C. Avery home.

Mrs. R. A. Webtesr is visiting her son, Bob Webster and family in Lurkin.

Mrs. Homer Driskill and Mrs. B. L. Boydstun are visiting relatives in Okmulgee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Elliott, Jr., and family, of Dailart, spent the week end in Muleshoe with his mother, Mrs. Neil Oap last week.

The James Price family attended church camp at Buffalo Gap last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rockey with his mother, Mrs. Neil Oap last week.

with his mother, Mrs. Nell Rockey.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clark of Abliene spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stiffler.
Mr. and Mrs. Oslanes Short and Barbara, of Abliene, spent Sunday evening with Mr. Short's mother, Mrs. Bessie Short.
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox spent the week end in Dallas.
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Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ross of Marshall spent the week end with their son, Hubert Ross and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Powell of San Angelo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
R. L. Elliott, Sr., and also visited other relatives in Baird.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lewis spent last week in Hubbard City with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lewis.
The Aden Atwoods return to spend a month with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fetterly of Midland spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. A. Fetterly.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kerry of Derry, La, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood.

Lewis.

The Aden Atwoods returned home Monday after a two weeks vacation in various cities in California.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walls of Snyder spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls.

Walls.
Mrs. Gilbert Hinds returned home Monday after spending the past two weeks in California with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walls of Frederick, Okla, arrived last Thursday for the reunion at Cross Plains and to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Walls. They all attended the Walls-Sikes family reunion at Cob Park, Abilene, last Saturday.

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Saturday,

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roach and
son, Dennis, of Crane, spent the
week end with her father, C. M.
Peek and Mrs. Peek.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Driskill of
Dallas spent the week end with
his mother, Mrs. Corrie Driskill.
Sterling Reynolds is in Dayton, Ohlo, where he is attending
a training school. He plans to
be gone about six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Boyd and
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McWilliams
and children, of Abilene, returned home Tuesday after spending
the past week in Ruidosa, N. M.
Mrs. U. J. Arretteig of Lafayette, La., is visiting her brother,
C. H. Siadous and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell
spent Sunday in Hamby visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melton Williams.

P. D. Williams of Putnam was

R. D. Williams of Putnam was a business visitor in Baird Mon-

day.

Mrs. L. W. Randall of Beaumont spent the past week with her mother and brother, Mrs. E. L. Wood and Floyd Wood.

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Mrs. Roy Tatom

Several persons from the At-well community attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Cross Plains last Friday.

Plains last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom,
Beverly and Kemberly, visited
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bagley and
baby in Abilene Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dupriest
of Texon visited Mr. and Mrs.
Ebb Rouse over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Blend Stewart
and girls, from Blanco, visited
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Foster last
week.

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Several ladies of the Atwell community took lunch to the Baptist Church Sunday as that was the last service for Rev. Don Love. He and Mrs. Love and Rhonda are moving to Califor-

nia.

Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Lamb, of Houston, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster last week.

Mrs. B. F. Hutchins, Lenette, Bobby and Beth, visited Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom, Beverly and Kemberly Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom in Cross Plains Friday. Mrs. Roy Tatom also visited her mother, Mrs. J. C. Foster.

also visited her mother, Mrs. v. C. Foster. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear attended the Brashear reunion at Lake Cisco Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys left Sunday for ten days vacation in Colorado and other places. other places.

Oplin Observations By Daphine Floyd

Ouests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd last Wednesday night were, her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bar-

night were, her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barrett and son, Sammy, of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Barrett of Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack MyIntyre and Nancy have registered a '56 Pontiac this past week. It is a two-tone green with all the trim. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd attended the Rising Star Riding Club's rodso last Friday night. They were on the cheering line when a neighbor boy, Hal Windham made his ride on a tough, fast pitching bronc.

Workers Conference met at the Baptist Church Monday night of this week. The theme of the program was Stewardship. Swpper was served by the host church to approximately 85.

E. L. Turner has been hospitalized in the Callahan County Hospital at Baird for the past two weeks. Doctors have diagnosed his trouble to be an abdominal tumor and it is likely surgery will be required. His sons J. D. and Harlan have been at his bedside.

Mrs. Alice Hopkins visited last

J. D. and Harlan have been at his bedside.

Mrs. Alice Hopkins visited last week with her sister, Mrs. Blair of Abliene.

Margaret Armor visited the first of the week with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville.

"Maybe the country is in good shape, after all — a lot of people want to be President.—J. E. Jewett.

Soil, Water Loan Made Available

with the loan service made available by the Farmers Home Administration for soil and wa-ter conservation. This is the first of a series of articles based on information supplied by Hers-chel A. Lynch, Callahan County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration. Another will ap-pear next week.

Soil and water conservation loans encourage and help farloans encourage and help far-mers in the improvement, pro-tection, and proper use of farm land by providing adequate fin-ancing for soil conservation; wa-ter development, conservation, and use; and drainage. The loans help farmers and ranchers make good use of land diverted from the production of surplus crops, protect their land resour-ces against adverse weather conces against adverse weather con-ditions, and improve their eco-nomic circumstances.

A series of question and answers explaining the details of the soil and water conservation lean program follow:

Who May Borrow?
To be eligible for a soil and water conservation loan an applicant must—

1. Be a citizen of the United States.

2. Be a farm owner or operator.
3. Be unable to obtain the necessary credit on reasonable terms and conditions from private or conservity sources. vate or cooperative sources

Women can keep a secret just as well as men, but it generally takes more of them to do it.

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as incorporated water users associations, mutual water and
drainage companies, irrigation
and drainage districts, soil conservation districts, and grazing
associations are eligible for a
loan when they are unable to
obtain adequate credit elsewhere and meet certain other
conditions. For example, associations to be eligible must be
primarily engaged in extending
to their members services directly related to soil conservation; water devolpement, conservation and use; or drainage
of farmland.
For what purposes are loans

For what purposes are loans made?

Loan funds may be used to pay the cash costs of making imprements directly related to soil

prvements directly related to soil conservation; water devolpment, conservation, and use; forestation, drainage of farmiand, and related measures.

This includes such improvements as construction and repair of terraces, dikes, ponds and tanks, ditches and canals for irrgation and drainage, waterways, and erosion control structures. Also sodding and subsoiling, pasture improvement, brush removal, land leveling, basic application of lime and fertilizer, fencing, tree planting, well drilling, and the purchase of pumps, sprinkler systems and other irrigation equipment.

gation equipment.

Loans will not be made for Loans will not be made for annually recurring costs that generally are considered farm operating expenses. Loans will be made to carry out only the types of soil and water conservation practices that are in accord with recommendations made by the Extension Service and Soil Conservation Service.

vate or cooperative sources.

4. Have enough experience or training to indicate reasonable prospects of carrying on successful farming operations.

5. Plan to improve a farm on which the operator is engaged primarily in farming.

Nonprofit organizations such

Midway Musings Mrs. Joel Griffin

Lawrence and Zetoch Pridgeon, of El Paso, spent last Wednesday night with their mother,
Mrs. Parisher and Mr. Parisher.
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parisher'
this week is his daughter, Mrs.
Florence McDonald of Maryneal.
Kay Nell Niccolls of El Paso,
who has been visiting her grandparents the past two months,
returned home by plane last.
week.

week.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moon of Waco spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Faircolth.

Faircotth.

The biggest news event that has ever happened in our community was the Webb reunion, which was held Sunday at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Webb and 13.0f the 14 sons and daughters attended church together Sunday morning. Mrs. J. D. Gorman of Spokane, Wash., was too later to attend church but was present for the noon meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith spent the week end with their son Boyd Smith and family in San Angelo.

gelo,
Mr. and Mrs. Parisher and Mr.
and Mrs. Harold Pyeatt of Mid-land attended the Parisher reunion at San Saba last we

Pete Barbian, who has been working in Austin the past three months, has completed his job there and will be working in

Abliene: soon.
Edison Sembritzki and son, of
Texas City, spent last week end
visiting his father.
Jonell Williams and Carol
Gaddy of Abliene visited their
uncle Joel Oriffin several days
last week. last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor of Snyder visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday. Bub Park, of Lubbock, attendd the Old Settlers reunion Friat the Old Settlers reunion Fri-day at Cross Platins and spent he week end with his aunt, Mrs. Dell Jones. His aunts, Dell and love will accompany him as far is Spur and spend two weeks. His mother will go on with him to stay until October.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reagan f Cisco were visiting relatives ere Wednesday.

Gerald and James Carter of Vernon are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yar-brough and Mr, and Mrs. John

Mrs. Foy Jobe and two children; of El Paso, are visiting her parents, Mc. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Earl

Jobe.
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds and children visited in Hamby and Nugent Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Hump Weeks of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks over the week end.
Mrs. H. T. Varner and children of Baird were in Putnam

We had a water main break last

another sister and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Williams.

Bill, Dorothy and Gary Taylor of Weatherford were visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Gattis Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Pruet, M. S. Pruet and Ricky Sherman attended the birthday party of Craig Pruet at Clyde Thursday, He was four years old. Cake and punch

four years old. Cake and punch were served to several young-sters of Clyde.

Danny Sherman of Eastland is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. O. S. Pruet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Finley and daughter, Debbie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday

of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIntyre of Oplin and Mrs. Randall McNiece of Abliene, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre Friday.

Ora Clinton of Scranton spent

Ora Clinton of Scranton spent Friday with Mrs, Mary Ramsey, Jess Burnam of Idalou attended the Old Settlers reunion at Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rutherford and sons, Earl and Edward, of Groves, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Taylor, Bryant and Carrol and Mrs. S. T. Abernathy visited I. B. Roberson who is seriously ill in St. Paul's Hospital, Dallas. He is in room 610.

Saturday.

Mrs. Buford Allen and son, David, of Merkel, visited Mrs.
L B. Moore and Eva Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharp of Midland have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharp of Midland have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Callinton over the week end. Mrs. B, H, Yeager and Billy Bowne of Brownwood were visiting their mother and grand mother, Mrs. Deli Jones Sunday.

Benton Pruet and family of Clyde visited the Homer Pruets Sunday. and Mrs. Sharpe of Cisco.

David Chibbon was visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton over the week end. Mrs. B. H. Yeager and Billy Bowne of Brownwood were visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Dell Jones Sunday.

Benton Pruet and family of Ciyde visited the Homer Pruets Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and the Roy Lee Williams family all went to Lawton Oklahoma and visited Fort Sill and where they hold the Easter pageant.

Lee Park of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinton and family of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinton and Mrs. Robert Clinton and Mrs. Robert Park of Abliene were all visitors with the R. L. Clintons Sunday.

Turned Out To Be a Good Break

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

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Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Isen-hower made a trip to Austin and Corpus Christi last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon White and children of El Paso spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White.

Mrs. Ellen McGowen of Baird was a Sunday guest of her daughter Mrs. Pete Cunning-ham.

Fredalyn Everett and son Mike spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook and Mr. and

and Mrs. Fred Cook and Mr. am Mrs. W. A. Everett while Bill was at Lubbock attending coaching school. Crayton Sandlin of Snyder was in Putnam visiting his sis-ter, Vella and brothers, Harry and Benson. He and Vella at-tended the Old Settlers reunion.

ter, Veila and Brothers, Harry and Benson. He and Veila attended the Old Settlers reunion. Ruby Black of Abilene was in Putnam Sunday visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Buel Everett of Big Spring were visiting the W. A. Everetts Sunday. John Allen Pruet and son, Mike, were visiting the Ellison Pruets last week. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Isenhower and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allyn in Trent Sunday. Bub Park of Lubbock spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gunn. E. C. Waddell has returned home after a few days in Scott.

E. C. Waddell has returned home after a few days in Scott and White hospital, Temple. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Park of Abl-lene and Lee Park of Knox City are vacationing in Mississippi

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this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harrison
of Fort Worth spent Thursday
night with the Mobley sisters.
Lillian Cook, of Dallas, is
spending her vacation with her
mother. Mrs. Mitt Cook.

Donald Bowne of Dallas spent
the week end at home.
Several from Putnam attended the funeral of the infant
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy
Stewart at Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donoway, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clark
went to Dallas Thursday, Vernon
had measurements for his artificial limb.

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Billy Speegle left Tuesday for Colorado City where he will be working.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle visited the J. W. Speegles in Cis-

AUGUST IS THE TIME TO TRADE



General Robert And You.

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Whether it's the nomination of a presidential candidate at one of the national political conventions, or a monthy meeting of your neighborhood PTA, a set of procedural rules compiled 80 years ago by an almost-forgotten Army General usually has much to do with the way business is conducted.

You have probably heard of "Robert's Rule of Order" which was published in 1876. General Henry M. Robert ordered only 4,000 of his original edition, but since that time almost 1,500,000 copies have been printed. The rules have been modernized from time to time, but the revisions have been slight.

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Actually the rules for conducting a meeting go back to the early days of the English Parlament, although General Robert based his upon the rules and practice of the U. S. Congress.

Robert's Rules come close to being "law of the land". They are given added legal status by the fact that the charter, constitution, or by-laws of almost every organization you can name, your wife's literary society, your labor union, or the corporation you work for (large or small), ordinarily state somewhere that all meetings will be "conducted in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order" Special rules may be made by any organization contrary to Robert, but if such provisions are not in the by-laws his little book, where incorporated in such by-laws, remains the "bible" to be followed strictly.

All this means, in effect, that if a serious question arises over the legality of action taken by

Billy Speegle left Tuesday for Colorado City where he will be working.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle visited the J. W. Speegles in Clsco Sunday.

George Lee Ramsey was home Sunday from Fort Hood.

S/p3 Jerry Abernathy left for Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Tuesday,
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Donoway, Donny, Tommy and Peggy, of Odessa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donoway.

Bonnie McClesky of Cisco was visiting the Vernon Donoways Tuesday,
Those visiting the John D. Isenhowers Monday were Mr. and Lake Renfro and grandson B. F., of Merkel, and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Harrison and nephew Barry, of Monahans.

The universe appears to be expanding at the same rate in all directions from a common center, a team of scientists reported the basis of twenty years of study at California observatories.

Trotsky's widow has broadcast an appeal to the Soviet people to overthrow the "decayed Stalinist oligarchy" — the present Tremlin regime.

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All this means, in effect, that if a serious question arises over the legality of action taken by an organization, a court might have to consider General Robert's rules with the same care as it does the law to determine whether the action in question was proper.

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Mr and Mrs. Reta Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith and children and Rev. Causey were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Jones.'
Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard attended the Fulton reunion at Lake Brownwood Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday,
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Porter
and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wesson of Tulsa, Okla, visited Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs.

F. P. Porter

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanfield and children, of Monahans, and Mrs. B. L. Hock of Clyde visited with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Wendell Smith Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dallas at-

night.
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dallas attended the Marshall reunion at Tuscola Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Cole of Wimberly and John Wood of Denver, Colo, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smartt and Ruebells.

Joe Davis, of Portales, N. M., visited last week with friends and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrell and

Mr, and Mrs. J. M. Harrell and children, of Seminole, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Csuthen.

Kitty Jones spent Bunday with Barbara Higgins.

Tom Dawkins of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Hop Summers last week,

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Whitehorn of Abliene visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith,

A. R. Dallas, Claxton Jones, and Wendell Smith attended Brotherhood meeting at Lucders last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter spent last week in Tucumcarl, N. M.

President Tito of Yugoslavia has begun talks on "friendship and peace" with Rumania.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respess

Mrs. Ross Norton of Tularosa New Mexiso spent last Saturday with Mrs. W. B. Gilleland and Saturday night with Miss Eu-nice Hembree.

Saturday night with Miss Eunice Hembree.
Mrs. K. B. Robbins was on the
sick list last week but improved
at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton attended the Fulton reunion at
Lake Brownwood Saturday and
Sunday.
Rev. Floyd Newberry is holding a revival at his old home at

Rev. Floyd Newberry is holding a revival at his old home at Milsap this week. Mrs. Newberry and children accompanied him. Several from here attended the ice cream supper at the Methodist parsonage at Putnam Saturday night, given in honor of Mrs. Wright. Those attending were Mrs. Raymond Demere, Mrs. J. M. Sparks, Mrs. W. B. Cilleland and Hazel I. Respess. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Arvin of Baird visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fay Wiseman and family of Florence visited the W. A. Oill's Saturday night. They were on their way to Buffalo Gap for the Old Settlers reunion.

Down Memory Cane

Friday, January 10, 1936 Friday, January 10, 1936
Wittmer Oil & Gas Properties of Pittsburgh, Penn., have commenced a well in the west part of Baird, being on Block No. 91, owned by W. G. Bowlus; same being located six blocks west of Market Street. The well was spudded-in on the 8th inst and they expect to drill to a depth of 1,260 feet.

Friday, March 13, 1936 The work of graveling the streets in Baird, under the WPA streets in Baird, under the WPA
plan, is far advanced. The work
has been completed on 62 blocks
and about 40 more blocks will
be done. This work has given
employment to about forty men
for the past few months, and
will continue for some time yet.
It is one of the best pleces of
work done in the city, as practically every street in the city
is being put in good shape.

Friday, July 10, 1936 The Callahan County Pioneers

Association, recently organized, are making plans for the First A recent United Nations survey found "ground for serious concern" in an analysis of economic trends. It forecast a slow-down in expansion of the de-veloped countries, with corresponding impact on the export volume of the less-developed

ones. According to a University of Pennsylvania Survey, 71 percent of married people say they are happy, and 14 percent say they are miserable. The rest, apparently can't tell the difference—Changing Times.

"The golden age of parent-hood comes when the children are too old for baby sitters and too young to borrow the family car."—Jack Still.

Annual Reunion to be held early in August of this year, A meet-ing of the officers of the associa-tion was held a few days ago and plans for the reunion dis-cussed.

Officers of the association are:
J. S. Hart, President; B. L. Russell, 1st Vice President; Mrs. L.
L. Blackburn, 2nd Vice President
and Historian; Miss Eliza Gilliland, Secretary-Treasurer.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15 proposing an unereducent to the Constitution of the blasts of Treas by association of the blasts of Treas by association of the blasts of Treas by association of the blast of Treas by association of the blast of Treas and sociations of the blast of the presentation of the blast of the presentation of the blast o

From where I sit, sometimes our obligations slip our minds. Like the responsibility we all have to our communities . . . to see that our neighbors enjoy the right to decide for themselves how to We had a water main break last Thursday, Happened early in the morning-about two a.m.—and the first thing most of us knew about it was when we tried to turn on the faucets and nothing came out but a hissing noise. work, how to vote, whether or not to enjoy a bottle of beer. Any time we "forget" we owe this right to others, we take a chance on stopping the flow of tolerance that makes this country such a grand place for us to live in. Nobody was inconvenienced much though. Repair crew went right to work—and things were fixed up in jig time.

Incidentally, the water com-pany got a flood of payments on overdue bills that day. Lots of "forgetful" folks must have figgoe Maria ured they were being warned!





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Gathering Observes 587 Years Of Life

Eight August birthdays, marking ages that total 587 years, were celebrated by friends and relatives in the Harry Ebert home last Saturday, with a birthday dinner consisting of barbecue chicken, home made angel food cake and home made ice cream.

B. F. Austin of Abilene, Mrs. Fred Hart, Mrs. George Jónes and Mrs. Harry Ebert, all of Balrd, had birthdays Aug. 2. Aug. 9 was Mrs. Mattle McGlaughlin's y was Mrs. Mattle McGiaugnin's birthday. She resides in Fort Worth. Tom Hart of Asperment was born Aug. 12 and Mrs. Goley Kimel of Big Spring and Mrs. Bob Beck, of Baird, celebrate their birthdays Aug. 22.

Other guests for the occasion were: Mrs. Tom Hart of Asper-mont, Mrs. Molile Massey of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. A. Jackson, George Jones, Fred Hart and Harry Ebert, all of Baird.

Due to illness and recent sur-gery, Mrs. Kimel was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart had planned for the celebration to be held in their new home, but due to serious illness of her mo-ther, plans were changed.

Out-of-town guests who call-ed during the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Hart and sons of Hamilin, who were unable to be here for the dinner.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends for the many beautiful floral offerings and ex-pressions of sympathy shown us pressions of sympatry silver use in the passing our our loved one, T. E. Walker, Our thanks also to those who helped prepare and serve the food. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. T. E. Walker

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walker, Jr., and Family Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones and Family Mr. and Mrs. Bud Walker and Family Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Walker and Janis

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Walker and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the friends and neighbors of Mrs. D. F. Harp for your kindness and favors shown her, not just in her last illness, but down through the years. She was always remembered in so many ways that brought cheerfulness to her. To all those who helped to make our loss easier, for the lovely flowers, food and expressions of sympathy, we humbly express our thanks.

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The sons and familles: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Webb, Barbara and Frank, of Marfa; Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Webb, and Ronnie of Marfa; their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Dingler of Brownsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Webb, Jim, Evelyn and Glenn, of Anthony, N. M.; Sam Webb of Anthony, N. M., and his children, Shirley, Sandra and Sam of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Brit Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb, Beverly and Shelly, Mr. and Mrs. Charlle Webb, Jeff and Jennifer, all of Marfa; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb, of Roscoe. of Marfa; Mr. and Mrs. Jos Webb, of Roscoe.

Daughters and families: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holbrook, Susan and Mary, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gorman, Lynda and Jay, Spokane, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Batley, Dolores, Wendell Lee and Marlene, of Judsonia, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Selan Canada, David, Dwaine, Marie, Stanley Joe, and Selan, Jr., of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Faircloth, Elaine, Linda and Judy Gay, of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Buck McClure of El Paso.

Two absent grandchildren Daughters and families: Mr

Two absent grandchildren were Jerry and Eddie Webb, of Anthony, N. M., older sons of Gerald Webb.

Mrs. Gibson Feted On 83rd Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Christian were hosts for a lawn party last Sunday evening, celebrating Mrs. Myrla Gilson's 83rd birthday. All of Mrs. Gilson's son and daugh-ters and a number of grandsons and granddaughters were pre-sent.

sent.

Attending were: Mr., and Mrs.
Aubrey Gibson of Baird; Mr.
and Mrs. Ross Farmer and C.
R., Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen,
Eula; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Humphrey, Charlotta, Patty and
Tommy, Colorado City; Mr. and
Mrs. Bteve Tarrant, Mr. and Mrs.
J. T. Gibson and Janice, Mrs.
Clile Burrow and Tom, Mrs.
Doug May and the hosts, Mr.
and Mrs. Bob Christian and
Sherry, all of Clyde.

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Reunion Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Webb Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Webb, long-time residents of Clyde, were host for a family reunion Aug. 12, at their farm ohme near town. All of their fourteen sons and daughters were present, and 30 or their 32 grandchildren. Also present were Mr. Webb's sister, Mrs. Jerry Malin and Mr. Malin of Shreveport, and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin of Baird.

The sons and families: Mr.

WHALE OF A STORY

Miss Linda Drennan

Among the 320 Panhandle and

Among the 320 Panhandle and South Plains high school musi-cians enrolled for the fourth annual West Texas Music Camp, which got underway Aug. 6 at West Texas State College at Canyon, is Miss Linda Drennan of Baird.

of Baird.

The two weeks camp, featuring band, choral and twirling instruction under some of the nation's top musicians, will close Aug. 17. Students' schedules are filled daily from 7:30 a. m. until 5 p. m., with band rehearsals, sectional practice, twirling sessions, music for fun and private lessons. Evening concerts, picnics, dances and parties are planned.

Parents of Music Camp residents are invited to the camp's Grand Finale concert Fridsy, Aug. 17 at 7:30, when all bands, the choir, and twirlers will be presented in a camp-closing concert.

Miss Joy Latimer

Honored At Party

Mrs. A. N. Johnson and Mrs. Frank Gardiner were co-host-esses Thursday at a coke party in the Johnson home in Clyde, honoring Miss Joy Latimer, bride-elect of Jack Corn.

Mrs. Gardiner served from a polished table centered with a mixed bouquet of pink summer flowers.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Betcher are announcing the arrival of a son, born Aug. 14 in an Abi-lene hospital.

At Music School

OPTICAL ILLUSION

Coke Party For

Suzanne Siadous

Miss Suzanne Siadous, bride

elect of Warren Lucas of Dallas, was honored with a coke party at the home of Mrs. Randall Jackson last Saturday morning.

Mrs. Jackson greeted guests and presented them to the hon-oree, her mother, Mrs. C. H. Sladous, and her aunt, Mrs. U. J. Arretteig of Lafayette, La.

The table was white and pink with a white antique cut-work and lace cloth, Abelia and fash-

ioned roses were the center piece in silver, and other appoint-ments were of silver.

Mrs. Wright Honored By Farewell Party

A farewell party was given for Mrs. Jasper Wright at the Me-thodist parsonage, Putnam, Sat-urday night. She has served the urday night. She has served the three churches, Putham, Scran-ton and Cottonwood as a rural worker for several years. Mrs. Wright has been trans-ferred to the Cleburne District.

mixed bouquet of pink summer flowers. Miss Latimer was wearing a pink organdy dress and her corsage was of pink glads and gerba daisies. Guests were, the mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Clyde Latimer, Jackle Stanley, Jerry Lynn Jones, Louanna Ault, Mary Brown, Betty Higgins, Patsy Betcher, Suzanne Siadous, Barbara-Snyder, Martha Ann Martin and Elizabeth Ann Snyder. ATTEND REUNION Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cotton of Clyde, Mrs. Lynn Ault and Ed-win attended the Cotton family reunion held at Snyder Tuesday.

WHEN IN ABILENE, PAY US A VISIT!

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Eager Descendants Re-unite at Clyde

Sons and daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Eager, ploneer residents of the Hamby community, held their annual reunion last Sunday at the

community, held their annual reunion last Sunday at the Clyde Community Center.

Attending were: Lewis Eager, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mc-Cormick, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eager, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Clint Eager, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Henderson, Hamby; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eager and daughter, Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, Brenda Cutbirth, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Eager, Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Eager and children, all of Clyde. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lancaster,

Eager and children, all of Clyde,
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lancaster,
Retha Eager, Vivian Fryer and
Mrs. Gertie Knight, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sutphen and son, Baird; Mr. and
Mrs. Joe Eager and sons, Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Eager and daughters, Sweetwater.

Baird Brevities

Visitors in the Harry Ebert home last week were: Mrs. Sallie Eastham and Mrs. Mattie McGlaughlin of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hart, Mrs. Heist and George Watson of Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Hart and sons, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson, Los Angeles, Calif.

Linda Buckner has returned to her home in Oklahoma City after spending two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Shelnutt and girls have returned from a vacation to Colorado and New Mexico.

Those from Baird who attended the Dudley homecoming Sun-day were: Arthur Burleson, Les-ter Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Shelnutt, Ed Crawford, Sallie

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Mrs. Nellie Mills and Mrs. uby Anderson left Wednesday Ruby Anderson left Wednesday for Austin to visit a cousin, Mrs. Irene Seav Quicksall, Mrs. derson's son, Joe Hill Anderson, who has been ending his vacation with her, will return to the State school.

Mr. and Mrs. spent the week en with their daught Jones and family.

Mrs. Clifton Hord visited Miss Josephine Hamlett in Abilene last Thursday afternoon.

Recent visitor in the home of Jennie Harris were: Mrs. J. R. Harris and Pansye-Harris of

Lubbock, Tom Harris of Pare handle, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Brad-ford and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rob-inson of Jal, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hor spent the week end in Lubboc with their daughter, Mrs. Hill loses and family

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

of the members of the

COMANCHE COUNTY ELECTRIC COOP. ASS'N.

The Eighteenth annual meeting of members will be held at Lake Eanes Park, Comanche, Texas, Aug. 17 at 10 a.m.

Reports

Appliance Exhibit

Free Ferris Wheel Ride For Kiddies

Free Utility Pencil For Each Member

Magician - Juggler - Good Music

Amateur Contest

Soil, Water Loan To be eligible for a soil and water conservation loan an applicant must— Made Available

Many farmers are unfamiliar with the loan service made wailable by the Farmers Home diministration for soil and ware conservation. This is the first of a series of articles based on aformation supplied by Hershel A. Lynch, Callanan County supervisor of the Farmers Home administration. Another will appear next week.

oan program follow:

1. Be a citizen of the United States.

2. Be a tarm owner or operator. 3. Be unable to obtain the necessary credit on reasonable terms and conditions from private or cooperative sources.

4. Have enough experience or training to indicate reasonable prospects of carrying on success-ful farming operations.

Plan to improve a farm on which the operator is engaged primarily in farming.

Soil and water conservation loans encourage and help farmers in the improvement, protection, and proper use of farmland by prividing adequate financing for soil conservation; water development, conservation, and use; and drainage. The loans help farmers and ranchers make good use of land diverted from the production of surplus crops, protect their land resources against adverse weather conditions, and improve their economic circumstances.

A series of question and answers expisating the details of the soil and water conservation loan program follow:

primarily in language.

Nonprofit organizations such as incorporated water users associations, mutual water and drainage companies, irrigation servation derinings and variange companies, irrigation servation and variange companies, irrigation servation and variange companies, irrigation servation sare eligible for a lobation where and meet certain other where and remains. Nonprofit organizations such

Loan funds may be used to pay

the cash costs of making imprements directly related to soil conservation; water devolpment, conservation, and use; forestation, drainage of farmland, and related measures.

This includes such improvements as construction and repair of terraces, dikes, ponds and tanks, ditches and canals for irrgation and drainage, waterways, and erosion control structures. Also sodding and subsoiling, pasture improvement, brush

tures. Also sodding and subsoling, pasture improvement, brush removal, land leveling, basic application of lime and fertilizer, fencing, tree planting, well drilling, and the purchase of pumps, sprinkler systems and other irrigation equipment.

Loans will not be made for annually recurring costs that generally are considered farm operating expenses. Loans will be made to carry out only the types of soil and water conservation practices that are in accord with recommendations made by the Extension Service and Soil Conservation Service.

Litigation Booms In District Court

More civil cases have been filed in the 42nd district court since June first than were filed all during 1955, Mrs. Corrie Driskill, district clerk said this week. She said she was unable to attribute any logical reason for this in-crease in litigation.



Add Feminine Foibles — A portable radio built into a vanity case, to mix music with make up; gold-plated perfume container, to clip to the lining of a purse.

It's always easier to arrive at a firm conviction about a problem after you know what the boss thinks.

Approach in the Lions Club parade and then Saturday night will be the first anniversary of the Rodeo arena, with a few changes made in the rodeo.

Clyde had three contestants in riding last Saturday night, Bud Young, Don Turner and James Tucker.

Stanley Children **Respond To Care**

David and Paul Stanley, sons of Mr. nad Mrs. Bobby Stanley who have been in a Dallas children's hospital the past three weeks for further medical treatment, are reported to be responding to treatment.

The children are victims of nephrosis, a mysterious kidney disease.

Mrs. Stanley is in Dallas with her two sons while their other two children, Steve and Debble, are in Big Spring with relatives. Debble is also a victim of neph-rosis but at present is not in need of treatment.

Bud Young Winner In Bull Ride Event

Mrs. Cleve Young, was first in bull riding and first in barrel races at the rodeo Saturday night.

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BISCUITS, 2 cans 19c

MILK, 2 for 25c

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PEACHES, pound 121/2c

BLACK-EYE PEAS, 2 lbs.

LEMONS, dozen

GREEN BEANS, pound 19c





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