



**OFFICIALS PARTICIPATE IN SWEARING IN CEREMONIES**—Monday, January 1, marked the swearing in of several county officials. Judge Don Lane presided over the activities.

Officials participating in the ceremonies included: Justice of the Peace Lee Savell, Constable Glen Smith, County Clerk Darlene Walker, County Treasurer Dora Hounshell, District Clerk Cora Mae Payne and Justice of the Peace Bobby Curtis.

## Judge Don Lane Swears In County Officials Here Monday

BAIRD—Judge Don Lane swore in seven Callahan County officials Monday, Jan. 1, at 10 a.m. in the District Courtroom in the County Courthouse.

Justice of the Peace Lee Savell, Constable Glen Smith, County Clerk Darlene Walker, County Treasurer Dora Hounshell, District Clerk Cora Mae Payne,

County Judge Mack Kniffen and Justice of the Peace Bobby Curtis participated in the swearing in ceremonies.

Commissioners Franzel Odom and Lowell Johnson and Justice of the Peace Ida Mae Waddell were to be sworn into office Wednesday by County Attorney Don Wilson.

## Baird To Host Junior High Tourney Jan. 11, 12, 13

BAIRD—Baird Junior High will host its annual basketball tournament January 11, 12 and 13 in the new gym.

A schedule of the tourney follows:

### GIRLS—

Moran vs. Clyde Thurs-12  
Eastland vs. ACHS Thurs-2:30  
Winners of the above games will meet at 11:30 a.m. Sat.

Losers of the above games will meet at 1 p.m. Friday.

Anson vs. Eula Thurs-5 p.m.  
Baird vs. Lueders Avoca Thurs. — 7:30 p.m.

Winners of the above games will meet at 2 p.m. Sat.

Losers of the above games will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday.

Consolation Finals-4:30 Saturday  
Championship Finals-7 p.m. Saturday.

### BOYS—

Moran vs. Clyde-Thurs. 1:15 p.m.

Eastland vs. ACHS-Thurs. 3:45 p.m.

Winners of the above games will meet at 12:45 p.m. Sat.

Losers of the above games will meet at 2:15 p.m. Friday.

Anson vs. Eula-6:15 p.m. Thurs.  
Baird vs. Lueders Avoca- Thurs.— 8:15 p.m.

Winners of the above games will meet at 3:15 p.m. Saturday.

Losers of the above games will meet at 10:15 a.m. Saturday.

Consolation finals-5:45 p.m. Saturday  
Championship finals-8:15 p.m. Sat.

In other basketball news, the Baird 5th and 6th grade teams will travel to Eula Wednesday, Jan. 10. Action will begin at 1 p.m.

Also, due to hazardous road conditions Monday, Jan. 2, the Baird basketball teams did not travel to Roscoe.

## First Bad Winter Storm Visits Callahan County

BAIRD—Freezing rain and sleet visited the area at the close of 1978, and lingered on to welcome 1979.

Below-freezing temperatures through the entire weekend coupled with moisture and snow Saturday and Sunday to help put the county in a "deep freeze" situation.

A six-degree reading was recorded early Monday morning to delay an immediate thaw. Warmer temperatures and sunshine Monday, however, helped begin a gradual break in the blustery weather.

Baird residents could be seen sliding and fish-tailing along city streets as driving conditions worsened. The sheriff's department reported that there were probably 20 to 30 minor wrecks during the holiday weekend due to the hazardous road conditions. To name a few, a truck jackknifed on the Teepee overpass on I-20 near Putnam, however, guard rail stopped the truck from leaving the interstate. A van reportedly flipped over east from there.

A wreck in Cross Plains sent people to the Brownwood hospital.

During Friday night's freezing temperatures, a tragedy occurred in Callahan County when a single-engine plane crashed on a Elmdale ranch, half a mile inside

the county.

Bryant Hansen, 23, and his two-year-old son, Phillip, of Blanket were killed in the accident.

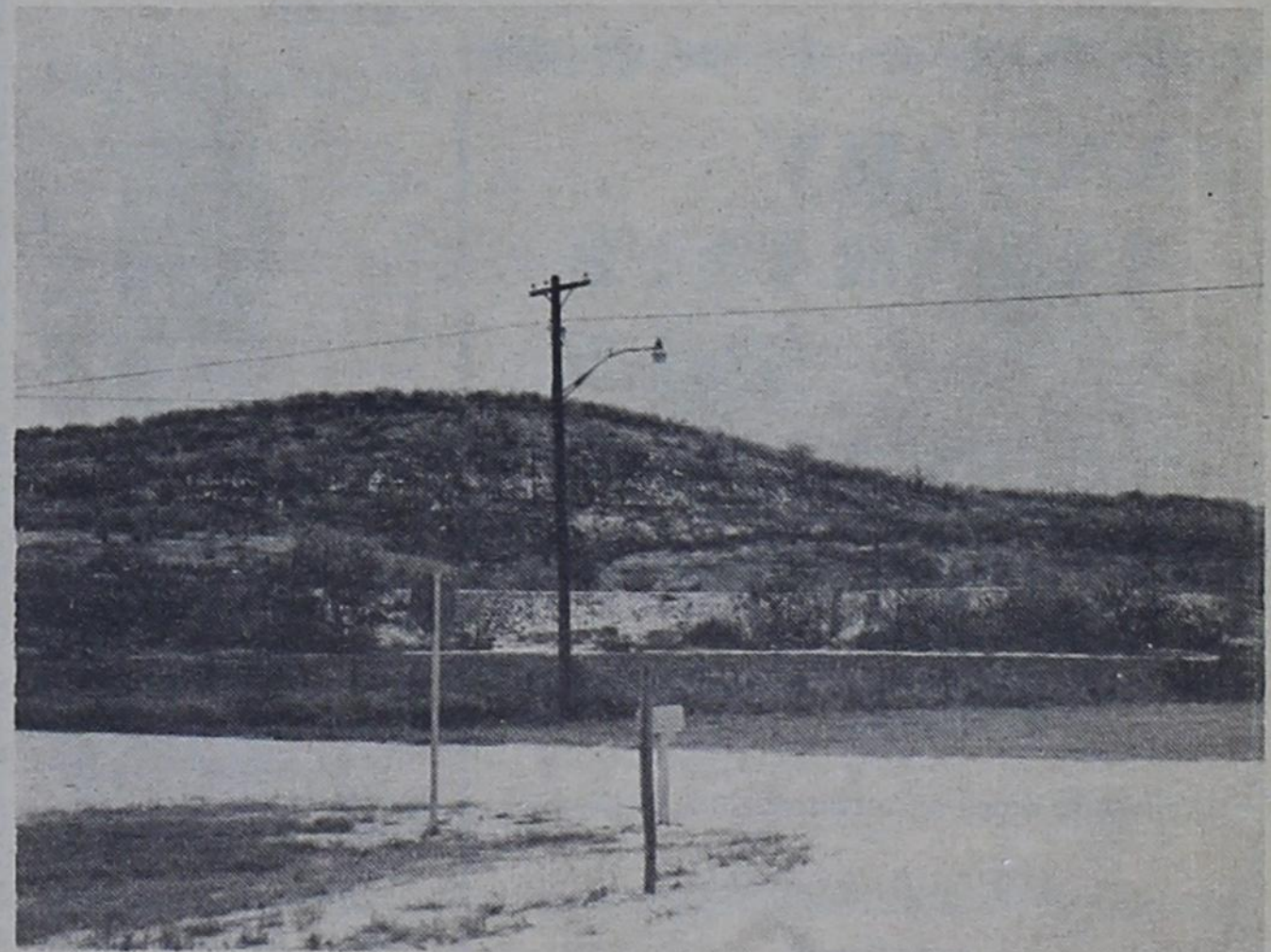
Hansen's wife, Lisa, 20, endured a nine-hour ordeal in freezing temperatures before walking to a nearby ranch house near dawn.

She was taken to Hendricks Medical Center where she was in stable condition Saturday night. She sustained a broken collar bone and lacerations in the crash.

Although the plane slammed into a tree only minutes after taking off from Abilene Aero at 10:30 p.m. Friday, nothing was known of the accident until 7:30 a.m. Saturday when Mrs. Hansen reached the Richard Johnson house.

Emergency teams arrived at the ranch shortly after 8 a.m., but found both Hansen and his son dead. Callahan County Justice of the Peace Lee Savell pronounced them dead at the scene.

During the frigid holiday weekend, three houses belonging to the Gyaos, the Summers and Delmar Burk, in the North Village Addition in Baird, were without electricity beginning at 4:45 p.m. Monday. Power was restored Tuesday, according to a plant spokesman, and a transformer was thought to be the problem.



**1979 SLIDES INTO COUNTY AFTER ICE AND SLEET STORM**—A cold front slipped into the county Saturday dropping temperatures to below freezing, and dumping sleet and snow. Roads, which were crowned by a sheet of ice, were slick and treacherous causing most people to stay in during the holiday weekend. Bitter cold temperatures slowed down the thawing process Monday, after an early morning report of 6 degrees.



# COURTHOUSE NEWS

**COUNTY COURT**  
 County Judge presiding:  
**CRIMINAL DOCKET:**  
 Donnie Wood Young, speeding  
 Charles Thomas Sellers, speeding  
 Kelly Dean Scott, speeding  
 James Dillard Womack, Jr., speeding  
 Joseph Albert Bueno, DWI  
 Arthur Dowison Kelly, DWI  
 Travis Odell Clifton, Sr., DWI  
 Harvey Gatewood, DWI  
 James Monroe Long, DWI  
 Jack Ray Rainey, DWI  
 Donald Wesley Settle, DWI  
 Benjamin Smalls, DWI  
 Leroy Hayes, DWID  
 Ronald B. Durham, speeding  
**MARRIAGE LICENSES:**  
 Donald Wayne Reeder, Abilene, & Ruby Jordon Mauldin, Abilene.  
 William Madison Watts, Arkansas, & Tandra Ann Terrell, Okla.

**PROBATE:**  
 Application to probate the will of J.N. Harris  
 Application to probate the will of and for letters of testamentary on E.L. Pointer.  
 Application to probate the will of and for issuance of letters testamentary of Pearl L. Neal.

**42ND DISTRICT COURT:**  
 Judge Don Lane presiding:  
**CIVIL DOCKET:**  
 Ex Parte, Olis Lynn Ree-

ves, a child, writ of habeas corpus.  
 W.B. Jones, Jr., and Earlene West, Executors, vs. Ray Green, default payment in land leased.  
**TAX ASSESSOR'S OFFICE**  
**NEW VEHICLES:**  
 Brad Wilcoxon, Cisco, 79 Chev. 2 dr.  
 Clayton J. Prater, Baird, 79 Pont. 2 dr.  
 Joe South, Clyde, 79 Mack Trk.-Trac.  
 Kevin W. Thompson, Abilene, 79 Pont. 2 dr.  
 International Transportation Inc., Baird, 79 Ford 2 dr.  
 K & H Welding, Abilene, 79 Chev. PU  
 Welcome Well Service, Coahoma, 79 Chev. PU  
 Bobby Melson, Abilene, 79 Chev. SW  
 DeLys Clayton, Clyde, 79 Chev. 2 dr.

**CRIMINAL MINUTES:**  
 David Austin Lacy, DWI, \$57 cc, \$300 fine, 30 days in jail, 12 mos. probation.  
 Leon Daniel Starnes, DWI, discharged from probation.  
 Alfonso L. Chacon, poss. of marijuana, discharged from probation.  
 Joseph Albert Bueno, DWI, \$57 cc, \$200 fine, 30 days in jail, 6 mos. probation.  
 James Womack, illegal parking, \$25 fine.

## Classifieds Pay

## Harrison Hosts Eula Circle

**EULA**-The Eula Sunshine Circle met in the home of Edith Harrison for the Christmas Party. They gathered at 11 a.m., and each brought dishes of food. An old-fashioned turkey dinner and all the trimmings were enjoyed by a large group.

The regular meeting of the circle met. The circle song "Blest be the Tie" was sung, and the motto and Lord's Prayer were repeated in unison.

The minutes of the last meeting was read and approved, and the roll was called and answered with a memory verse. Cards were signed for the ill and bereaved.

Mrs. Nell Jolly brought the Christmas devotional. Gifts were exchanged from a beautiful decorated Christmas tree.

Those present and enjoying the occasion were Oleta Edwards, Marie Cox, Vivian Witte, Oleta Carpenter, Cynthia Farmer, Madge Barnes, Lorene Harris, Winnie Favor, Pidge Miller, Mrs. Holland, Ruby Tarrent, Modena Wade, Nell Jolly, Ivadell Farmer, Minnie Loving, Edith Brock, Jewel Farmer, and the hostess Edith Harrison.

Next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Vivian Witte the 2nd Wednesday in January. Edith Harrison will bring the devotional.

The circle was dismissed in prayer.

## Clyde CJC Center Registration Set

**CLYDE**-The Clyde Educational Center, an extension of Cisco Junior College, will offer a complete variety of college courses during the upcoming spring semester of 1979, CJC Registrar Olin Odom has announced.

Special registration for Clyde will be held January 9 and 10, from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and from 6:00-8:00 p.m., although students may register at any time in the continuous registration program.

The Community College Center of Abilene, an extension of Cisco Junior College, will also be holding registration on January 9 and 10, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the Registrar's Office at CJC, 817-442-2567.

The first class day is Monday, January 15.

## Callahan County Star Begins New Policy

**BAIRD**-Effective January 2, 1979, the Star will put a new policy into effect regarding holiday notices.

If you wish the Star to list your business as closing or staying open during a holiday, you must contact the Star a week before the designated holiday. After notification, the Star will run a holiday feature story.

If a business does not contact the Star office, it will not be featured in the story.

We hope this new policy will encourage businesses to help us let everyone know their intentions. We also hope to eliminate the problem of leaving someone out in our story.

## County Library Gets 10 Memorial Books

**COUNTY**-The Callahan County Library has received ten books recently for the memorial shelf.

In memory of Mrs. R.A. (Gladys) Webster of Baird is the book "Grave Mistake" by Ngaio Marsh. In memory of Mrs. F.P. (Erma) Shackelford of Baird is "The Golden Gate" by Alistair MacLean. In memory of Mrs. Homer (Josie) Shanks, formerly of Clyde, is "Texas: The Beginning- 1519-1834" by Ed Syers, well-known Texas writer.

Honoring the late Mrs. William (Bertha) Cummings of Baird is "Cowhand: The Story of a Working Cowboy" by Fred Gipson, also a well-known

Texas writer.

In memory of George Buchanan of Port Neches, Tex. formerly of Putnam, is the new novel "Whistle" by James Jones, author of "From Here to Eternity", and other novels of WWII.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Corn, pioneer residents of Putnam and Baird, is "The Secret Life of Plants" by Peter Tompkins. In memory of J.H. Corn and Dura Corn are two books: "The Secret of the Old Clock" by Carolyn Keene, and "The Tower Treasure" by F.W. Dixon. In memory of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Goin of Kermit, formerly of Baird, are two titles: "Autobiography of a Yogi" by P.

Yogananda and "Lament for a Lost Lover" by Philippa Carr.

Also several new best-sellers, and the "World Almanac for 1979" are now available.

For the pioneer museum, located in the same rooms as the library, three pictures have been received from Mrs. Marguerite Seale Buchanan of Albuquerque. These are pictures of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Seale Sr. and of Mrs. Seale's mother, Mrs. Margaret Moore, members of an early day pioneer family of Callahan County.

## PERSONAL—

**BAIRD**-Connie and Nina Brown enjoyed the Christmas holidays with their son, Mickey and family, in Jal, New Mexico.

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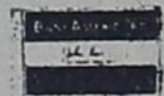
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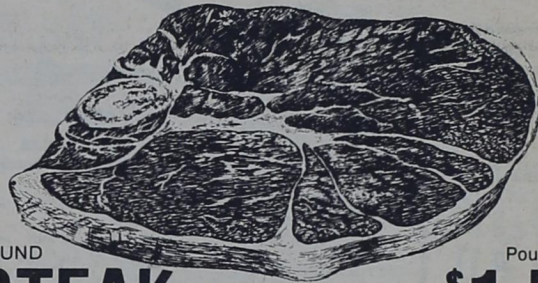
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# Roach-Farmer Wed In Home Ceremony

COTTONWOOD - Toni Lynn Roach and Eddie Glen Farmer of Austin were married Saturday at the home of the bride's pa-

rents with Dr. Ed Enzor of Abilene Christian University officiating.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roach. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farmer of McCaulley.

Maid of honor was Vivian Farmer of Abilene, sister of the bridegroom. Bridesmaid was Donna Norton of Odessa.

Best man was Dave Teel of Austin and groomsman was Clay Gray of Lawn.

Thomas Roach of Abilene, brother of the bride, seated guests.

The bride's parents were hosts for the reception in their home. Rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents at K-Bob's Steak House.

The bride is a graduate of Clyde High School and will graduate from Southwest Texas University in May with a B.S. degree



**MRS. FARMER**  
...formerly Miss Roach

in education-special education.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Andrews High School and is a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University with a B.S. degree in education. He is employed by Round Rock Independent School District.

The couple will live in Austin at 8222 N. Lamar.

# Former Baird Pastor Dies

LUBBOCK — The Rev. A.A. Davis, 78, of Elgin, who formerly preached in Carbon and Baird, died at 11:15 p.m. Saturday in Lubbock.

Pastor of First Baptist Church in Nowata from 1951 to 1975, he was the author of "The Baptist Story", a book on church doctrine. He was active in leading church conferences in southern states. After his retirement in 1975, he moved to Elgin and was a member of First Baptist Church there.

He was a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason and a York Rite Mason. He married Lillie Estes in 1923 in Italy, Texas. She died in 1974. He married Jewel Sims in 1975.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Bill A. Davis and A. Arthur Davis, both of Lubbock, and Dabney Estes of Denver; two sisters, Ora Lundgren of Elgin and Stella Brown of Waco; six brothers,

Clay E. Dean, Ben and Syd Davis of Elgin, Dale Davis of Austin, and Mack Davis of Corpus Christi; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



Some people once believed that mountains were formed by an enormous underground serpent moving about.

# Crawford Rites Held Sunday

BAIRD—Mrs. John (Kate) Crawford, 94, of Baird died at 3 a.m. Saturday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church of Baird.

The Rev. Riley Fugitt of Clyde officiated, assisted by Kenny Mitchell of Denton Valley and the Rev. H.B. Terry of the Temple Baptist Church in Abilene. Burial was in Dudley Cemetery, directed by Morgan-Parker Funeral Home.

Born April 9, 1884, in Jim Ned, she was a homemaker. She was a member of Denton Valley Baptist church. She lived all her married life in Callahan

County. She was a pioneer of the Denton Valley area. She married John E. Crawford in 1903 at Jim Ned. He preceded her in death Nov. 26, 1922.

Survivors include four daughters, Winnie Morgan of Longview, Irene Crawford of Clyde, Virginia Franke of Baird and Mildred Walley of Hannibal, Miss.; three sons, Cecil Crawford and Carlton Crawford, both of Midland, and Milton Crawford of Abilene; 27 grandchildren; 49 great-grandchildren; & nine great-great-grandchildren.

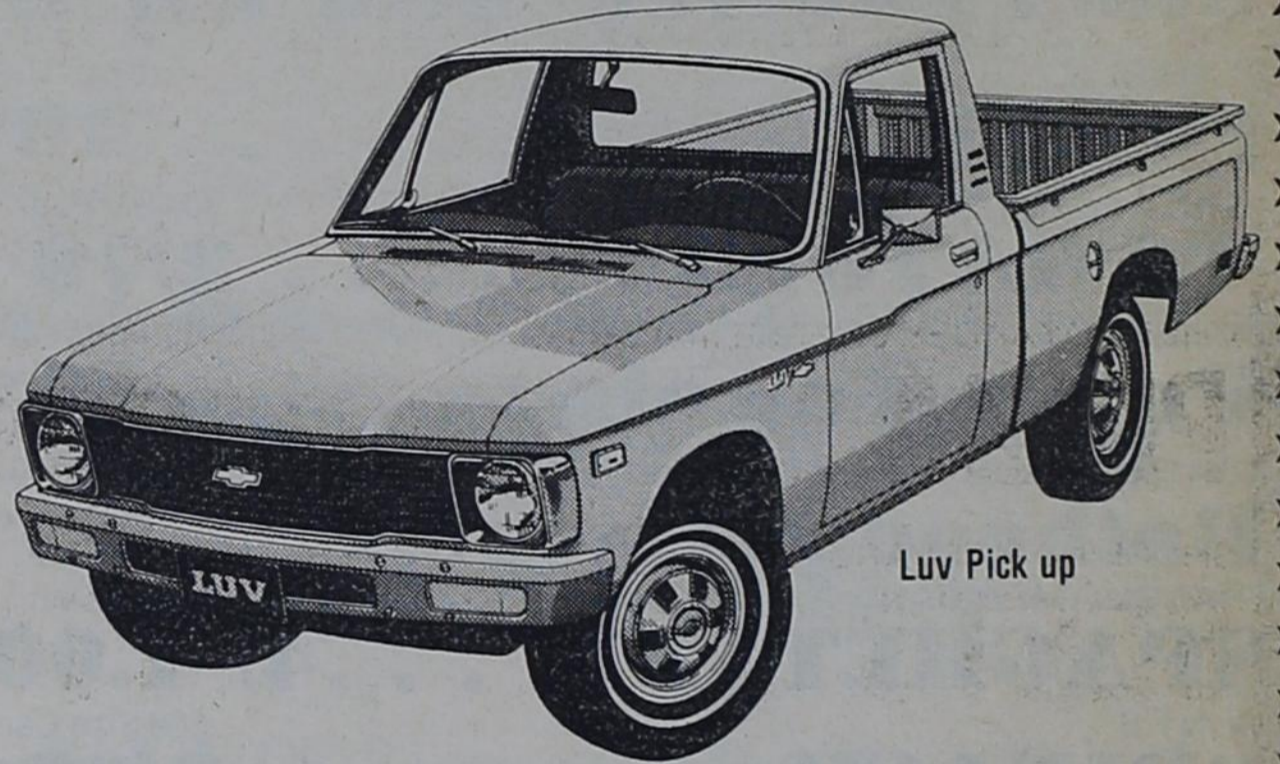
Two sons preceded her in death: Esker Crawford in 1962 and Leroy Crawford in 1971.

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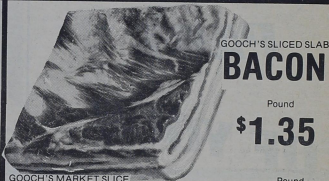
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Vision is granted us only when we look outward and upward. That kind of vision is the gift of God. And it is given to every man who seeks God's purpose for his life on this earth.

Nations are composed of individuals. And nations fall when their citizens, one by one, turn from God's law and do that which seems right in their own eyes.

Supreme Court Justice Harry A. Blackmon displayed great vision recently when he told 4,500 Minnesota United Methodists in Minneapolis, "We and the church need to rediscover Christ, to get back to Christ. That is not new. It has always been the answer. Which will prevail—the better angels of our nature, or something far, far less?"

What will it be for you? What happens to America will be partially determined by your answer. A man or a nation will perish without that vision of the personal Christ.

—Paul M. Stevens

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# Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

This new 1979-weather-wise, is cold! The N.V. Gibbs outside thermometer had a reading of 10 degrees on Monday morning. The ground was covered with sleet and snow that had frozen over night making road conditions dangerous. Not many people were out on New Years Day and certainly not much visiting, but maybe most had black-eyed peas on the menu for a prosperous 1979.

Here are a few things each person of the community can recall about 1978. It plainly was the year of drought. There was enough moisture early to plant crops such as cotton, peanuts and milo. These crops also started off well, but lack of rain did it's damage. Even gardens suffered this year. Those

producing were watered time after time.

And then the August rains came!

But, not before stock tanks had gone dry on many farms and ranches. Deluges of rain over night had filled the tanks and washing of land was seen on many places. In all, this area received around 10 and 12 inches of rain in a matter of days. Crops revived, and produced above normal in most sectors. These rains also conditioned fields for fall grain planting. Every farm looked good with beautiful grain fields for winter grazing.

What did the drought hurt besides farming? Many had to lessen herds of cattle because of dry pastures and no prospects

for hay. Weather certainly is the most determining factor in farming or ranching.

Next, you ask about the people of the community. There has been serious sickness involving some in the community. Of the two elderly people here - Jerry McDonald, who was 96, when his death came in a Rising Star Nursing home. His home is vacant now and listed for sale.

Mrs. Leila Gibbs who will be 85 in Feb. entered the Baird hospital Sat. suffering with complications from a cold. She is undergoing medical treatment for a few days. She also has a heart condition which added to her illness.

Mrs. Sterling Odom had the misfortune of falling while out tending to out-

side chores Sunday. Her hip was suddenly where her feet should have been. She is experiencing quite a bit of soreness from such a fall.

Tony Steele and children, Tonya and Bill drove to Clyde Sunday where they had a visit with his mother, Mrs. Opal Steele and family.

The Don Harrell family entertained with a new years eve watch party at their house Sunday night. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Schlittler and daughter Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and daughter Julie and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrell of Abilene.

The Robert Watson family were in Coleman Saturday visiting the Jim Needham family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason along with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Leverts of Abilene, attended a party in Anson Sunday night. They

also had New Years dinner with his mother, Mrs. Bo Bennett in Abilene.

Mrs. N.V. Gibbs was in Clyde last Wednesday visiting her aunts, Mrs. Jewel Swanzy and Anna Belle Tabor. She also visited her uncle, Tut Tabor who was a patient in West Texas Medical Center for medical treatment.

Mrs. Sterling Odom visited her daughter and family Mrs. Charles Palmer in Clyde last Wednesday. Nancy Palmer had been on the sick list but is improving now.

Kathy Jones of Cross Plains spent Thursday and Friday with Janet Reynolds. Friday, Mrs. James Reynolds, Jim, Ellen, Janet and Kathy visited in the Billy Henry home.

This writer did not get to contact every household in the community due to the bitter cold weather but from this house - we wish each of you a happy and prosperous year for 1979.

## Clyde Woman's Sister Dies

BALLINGER — Hazel Wood, 85, longtime Ballinger resident, died, at 1:20 p.m. Saturday in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday.

The Rev. Ferris Akins, pastor of First Baptist Church in Ballinger, officiated. Burial was in Old Runnels Cemetery.

Born Hazel Mahala George on Nov. 22, 1893, in Lee County, she married Marshall Wood on April 8, 1920, in Ballinger. He died Jan. 25, 1978. She had been a Ballinger resident more than 50 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Jervis Stanley of Fort Worth; a son, Sam Wood of Stephenville; three sisters, Teresa Payne of Clyde, Henrietta Kilpatrick of Killeen, and Mae Radford of Atlanta; 28 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

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# COUNTY Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 Baird Sr. Citizens	3 Baird Sr. Citizens Shady Oaks Ladies luncheon Lions Club-6 p.m. Water District Board Meeting	4 Putnam Sr. Citizens Baird Fire Dept. Anson J.V. Tourney	5 Mother's Day Out-1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Anson J.V. Tourney Baird Varsity vs. Hamlin, Here 6 p.m.	6 Anson J.V. Tourney
7 ATTEND CHURCH	8 Co. Commissioners Corinne Blackburn Club	9 Baird vs. Hawley, there 4 p.m. Baird Sr. Citizens City Council-6 p.m. Special Clyde CJC Educational Center Registration 9-4 6-8	10 Baird Sr. Citizens Eula Sunshine Circle-Witte home Special Clyde CJC Educational Center Registration 9-4 6-8	11 Putnam Sr. Citizens Baird CofC Quarterly Breakfast 6:45 a.m. Baird Jr. High Tourney	12 Mother's Day Out-1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Baird vs. Albany, here-4 p.m. Baird Junior High Tourney	13 Baird Junior High Tourney
14 ATTEND CHURCH	15	16 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird vs. Breck., there, 5 p.m.	17 Baird Sr. Citizens Lions Club-6 p.m.	18 Putnam Sr. Citizens B&PW Club	19 Mother's Day Out 1st Baptist Church-9:30-3 Baird vs. Jim Ned, here, 4 p.m.	20
21 ATTEND CHURCH	22	23 Baird Sr. Citizens City Council-6 p.m. Baird vs. Rotan, there, 4 p.m.	24 Baird Sr. Citizens	25 Putnam Sr. Citizens	26 Mother's Day Out, 1st Baptist Church, 9:30-3 Baird vs. Roscoe, here, 4 p.m.	27
28 ATTEND CHURCH	29	30 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird vs. Hamlin, there 4 p.m.	31 Baird Sr. Citizens	FOR AMBULANCE CALL 893-5754 or <sup>®</sup> 854-1310. IF NO ANSWER, CALL 893-5785 - Clyde Police Dept. or 854-1444 - Sheriff's Dept. - Baird		

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Nov. 28	Clyde	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Nov. 30, Dec. 1, 2	Anson Tourn			A Boys & Girls
Dec. 5	Colorado City	There	4:30	A & B Boys & Girls
Dec. 7, 8, 9	Baird Tourn			A Boys & Girls
Dec. 12	Jim Ned	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Dec. 14, 15, 16	Eastland Tourn			A Boys & Girls
Dec. 19	Rotan	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 2	Roscoe	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 4, 5, 6	Anson J.V. Tourn			B Boys & Girls
Jan. 5	Hamlin	Here	6:00	A Boys & Girls
Jan. 9	Hawley	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 12	Albany	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 16	Breckenridge	There	5:00	A & B Boys & A Girls
Jan. 19	Jim Ned	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 23	Rotan	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 26	Roscoe	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Jan. 30	Hamlin	There	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
Feb. 2	Hawley	Here	4:00	A & B Boys & Girls
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Feb. 9	Breckenridge	Here	5:00	A & B Girls & A Boys

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# Rowden Area News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN — Christmas was enjoyed in many homes in the community when family members and guests arrived with gifts, food and looking forward to a time of rejoicing.

Some of the hunters even supplied wild turkey for the special dinners. N.V. Gibbs and Robert Watson had this pleasure. Tony Steele and Ivon Odom also bagged their first deer of the season this weekend.

Also grandparents had the pleasure of seeing their young grandchildren open those presents under the Christmas tree.

Steve Ninnahan of Irving spent the weekend in the Tommy Dye home.

Those having Christmas dinner in the N.V. Gibbs home were Granvel Gibbs of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Springfield of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele, Tonya, Bill and Connie of the community.

Christmas day guests having dinner in the Warren Price home were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wimberley of Merkel and his daughter Billy Wimberley of Midland. Other visitors in the home during the week were Vergil Smedley of Clyde, Bill and Bryan Coots of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price of Cottonwood and Mrs. Tony Steele and children.

The James Reynolds family spent a quiet Christmas at home.

The Tommy Dye family were in Abilene Christmas day having dinner with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J.D. Strickland.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton and Arvin Thornton of Abilene, and Christine Bower of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy West.

The Russell Dye family had guests in their home Saturday night for dinner and Christmas tree. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sayre of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye and Lori Ann of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie.

The Bob Dyes drove to Mason Sunday where they spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin attended a choir social at the First Baptist Church in Baird last Wed. night.

Bruce Rose and children, Christi and Barry of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose of Cross Plains made visits with Mrs. Leila Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling

Odom had all their children home for Christmas dinner-The Ralph Trevey family of Snyder and Charles Palmer family of Clyde and Ivon Odom of the home.

The Gene Mauldin home was the center of attention Friday night when Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mauldin and sons of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Masters and girls of Snyder and Sissy Mauldin and Lisa Nickols of Abilene enjoyed supper and gifts from the Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smedley in Baird during the week. They also visited in the Jimmy Cauthen home in Admiral on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele, Tonya, Bill and Connie were in Clyde Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Opal Steele, along with other members of his family.

Guests in the Hank Bennett home on Christmas day were his mother, Mrs. Bo Bennett of Abilene and his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown of Austin. On Tuesday their guests were her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Winger of Houston.

## Clyde Woman's Mother Dies

MERKEL — Margaret Adeline Cooper, 93, of Trent died at 1:30 a.m. Sunday in West Texas Medical Center after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church in Trent.

The Revs. Jim Lawless, pastor of First Baptist, and Baptist minister Riley Fugitt of Clyde, officiated. Burial was in Trent Cemetery.

She was born Aug. 29, 1885, in Benton, Ark., and married William M. Cooper in February 1906, in Comanche County. The couple moved to Trent in December 1924. Mr. Cooper died on Dec. 12, 1936. She was active in Baptist church work.

Survivors include six sons, Emory of Fort Worth, P.A. and Hasting, both of Odessa, Woodrow of Colorado City, James of Lubbock and Billy of Las Vegas, Nev.; two daughters, Thelma Driggers of Clyde, and Delphine Watson of Trent; 41 grandchildren; 61 great-grandchildren; and five-great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by four sons and two daughters.

## Defosses Named To All Area Team



STEVE DEFOSSSES  
... All Area

BAIRD-Steve Defosses, a 200 lb. lineman from Baird, was named to the Class AAA, AA, A and B All-Area football team. He was selected to the second team defensive squad as a down lineman.

This is the first year that athletes from Class AAA, AA, A and B schools were all on one big squad. In the past, each classification had its own squad. It was felt it would be more of an honor for the athletes to be on just one team, hence the change.

Defosses has been a defensive and offensive varsity starter on the Bear squad for the last 3 years, and has been an All-District 1st team selection, both offensively and defensively, for the last 2 years.

## Mart Poindexter Dies Tuesday

BAIRD-Mart Poindexter, 77, of Baird died at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at his home after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at Morgan-Parker Funeral Home Chapel.

Wesley Netz, Church of Christ minister from Abilene, officiated. Burial was in Ross Cemetery Annex in Baird.

Born May 25, 1901, in Arkansas, he had lived in Callahan County most of his life. He was a retired butcher. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He married Irma B. Vines Feb. 19, 1926, in Putnam.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, J.H. of Clyde and Teddy Ray of Brownfield; three brothers, Robert and Melton, both of Casa Grande, Ariz., and Dod of Oplin; two sisters, Mrs. Beda Russell of Abilene and Mrs. Stella Yoast of Oplin; 11 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Joseph Fielder  
Billye Griggs  
M.R. Dalton  
Randy Lindley  
Steve Taylor  
Loraine Montgomery  
Linda Allen  
Bertie Jones  
Maggie Allman  
Elmer Beeman  
Annie Murray  
Frank Rodriguez  
Vicky Voigts  
Lula Lunsford  
Nadean Cockran  
Robin Martin  
Della Elizabeth Proctor  
Leila Gibbs  
Wanda Diane Watson  
Lloyd Jones  
Naomi Heyser

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

Addie Pazzuto  
Nelda Keith  
Nettie Carlile  
Edna Terry  
Randy Lindley  
Gertrude Epperson  
Linda Allen & baby girl  
Billye Griggs  
Helen Brown  
Frank Rodriguez  
Vicky Voigts  
Steve Taylor  
Wanda Watson  
Robin Martin & baby girl  
Della Proctor

## B&PW Enjoys Xmas Dinner Dec. 21

BAIRD-The Baird Business and Professional Women's Club met on December 21 for a Christmas salad dinner at the Baird Community Center with Mollie Brightwell, Vida Hill and Loula Mae Russell as the hostess committee.

One guest, Lucibel Manion, and sixteen members were present. Pat Perryman was welcomed as a new member.

Jessie Odom presided for the business session. The club voted to assist in collecting clothing for Abilene Boys Ranch. Helen Miller was appointed to get a list of sizes of clothing most needed. Loula Mae Russell reported that a box of Christmas gifts do-

nated by B&PW members had been sent to Abilene State School.

Laverne Rutherford reported that all the fruit cakes ordered from Corsicana Bakery had been sold. (Profit from this sale is used by the club for civic projects in Baird.)

Mollie Brightwell introduced the guest speaker, Lucibel Manion, who gave the beautiful story "Miracle in the Wilderness" by Paul Gallico.

Vida Hill played a number of Christmas carols on the accordion. Gifts were distributed from a beautiful tree, which along with table appointments, emphasized the Christmas theme.

Next meeting will be on January 18, 1979, when a program on Public Relations will be arranged by Bessie Lambert and Beatrice McElroy.

## Elliott Rites Held Saturday

SWEETWATER — Myrtle Elliott, 94, longtime resident of Nolan County, died at 2:15 p.m. Thursday at Holiday Retirement Center, where she had lived the past five years. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Larry Fluitt, minister of Lamar Street Church of Christ, officiated. Burial was in Slater's Chapel Cemetery.

Born May 12, 1884, in Burnett, she married William A. Elliott on Sept. 16, 1903, in Cross Plains. The couple moved to Nolan County in 1906, and to Sweetwater in 1960. Mr. Elliott died July 19, 1962. She was a member of Lamar Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Glenn of Sweetwater; a daughter, Opal Richardson of Sweetwater; four sisters, Mrs. J.C. Browning of Sweetwater, Madie Glazier of De Leon, Flora Wright of Cross Plains, and Jewel Johnson of Mineral Wells; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

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# Now Is Time to Control Cattle Lice

COUNTY-Lice cost U.S. cattlemen more than \$50 million annually, so it's important to control them, says Greg Gerngross, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Lice begin to reproduce rapidly with the onset of cool weather, so peak populations on cattle occur in late winter and early spring. Uncontrolled lice can soon infest a whole herd because with cold weather, cattle tend to bunch up more so that the pests can move easily from one animal to another. Heavy hair coats on animals dur-

ing cold weather also afford protection for the parasites and allow for increased population.

Both types of lice—bloodsucking and biting—infest cattle. Sucking lice pierce the animal's skin and suck blood while biting lice feed on particles of hair, scale, scab and skin exudation.

Lice infestations irritate animals, causing itching, scratching and rubbing on fences or anything else available. This produces denuded areas, bruises and lacerations on the affected animal. Heavily infested animals will have an unthrifty appearance and will suffer weight reduction, decreased milk production, anemia or even death. Lice infested animals may also be more subject to infectious diseases. Heavy lice infestations often stunt calves.

Spraying or dipping infested animals with the proper insecticide is the most effective means of controlling lice, says Greg Gerngross. However, properly placed and maintain-

ed dust bags offer effective control and save both time and labor. Position dust bags prior to lice buildup so that cattle can become accustomed to using the bags. A dust bag station should serve about 30 head. Depending on cattle size, place the bags so that they hang 18-24 inches above the ground. Forced-use of dust bags, where they are placed so that cattle must pass under them to get feed or water, begin to control lice sooner than those used free-choice. By allowing a two-to-three week adjustment period, free-choice bags can be about as effective as forced-use types.

In a spraying or dipping program an animal must receive a thorough soaking in each of two applications 14-18 days apart to effec-

tively control lice. The second spray or dip will kill any lice hatching from eggs that were laid prior to the first spraying. When spraying, use a high pressure (250 pounds per square inch) and thoroughly wet animals to the skin.

For a list of effective insecticides for controlling lice, Gerngross suggests that cattlemen obtain a copy of "Suggestions for Controlling External Parasites on Livestock and Poultry" at the county Extension office.

Check the label on the insecticide container and pay particular attention to warnings, restrictions and waiting periods, especially if some of the cattle are being prepared for slaughter.

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## Vada Shelton Succumbs Sat.

CLYDE-Vada B. Shelton, 60, of Clyde died at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bur-Mont Nursing Home in Abilene. Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Eula Cemetery, directed by Bailey Funeral Home.

Jack Tucker of Jehovah's Witnesses, officiated.

Born March 4, 1918, in Callahan County, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Shelton. She had lived in the county all her life. She was a member of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Survivors include her mother; a sister, Mabel Connell of Abilene; four brothers, H.H., Alvin L., Austin B., and William E.; several uncles, aunts, nephews and nieces.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1977, and a brother, Robert M., in 1968.

## CJC Registration Set for Jan. 11

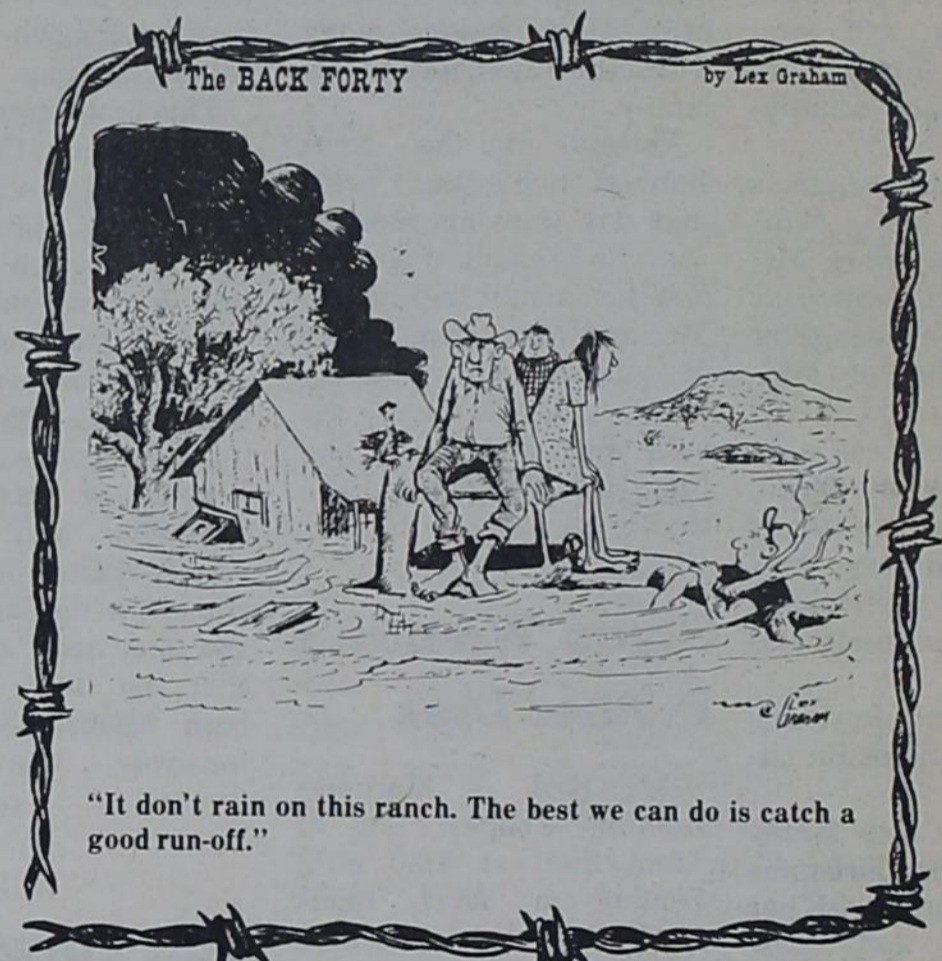
CISCO-Continuous registration is in progress at Cisco Junior College, with a Special Registration day set for January 11, for anyone who has not registered prior to this date.

The Special Registration will be held from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and from 6:00-8:00 p.m., in the Student Union Building on the CJC campus, on Thursday, January 11.

Olin Odom, Dean of Admissions, advises students planning to attend in the spring, to register as soon as they can, because classes are filling up.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all who expressed their love and sympathy in so many ways during our recent sorrow. We wish to thank everyone who sent cards, flowers and food.  
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## LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE OF ELECTION  
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Water District office in the City of Baird, County of Callahan Texas, on Saturday January 20, 1979, for the purpose of electing three directors of Callahan County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1.

The officers of the said election are: Judge, Glyndol Asbury, Assistant Judge, Lorene Kirby, Clerks, Angelina Mendez and Stella Gilliland.

Absentee voting will be in Callahan County Clerks office in the Court House from January 2 through January 19, 1979.

All persons who are qualified voters and pay taxes in said District shall be entitled to vote in said election.

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# Holiday Season Brings Visitors to Eula Community

EULA-Well, the new year has come and the old year gone. I wish you and your staff and all my friends and neighbors a happy new year. Much sadness and serious sickness has happened the past year not only in our community, but our heart goes out to our friends and neighbors of McCaulley and Hamlin and Aspermont. Seems like accidents and deaths have caused a sad Christmas for so many. Our own son has spent most of six months in the hospital with brain surgery, stroke and now has developed pneumonia.

Let's make a new year's resolution to put God first and be in the house of the Lord every time possible.

Mrs. Pearl Neil passed away last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Strickling. Mrs. Strickling has been caring for Mrs. Neil for a long time. She lived at Dudley and was well known and loved by everyone. Our sympathy goes to her loved ones.

There has been lots of sickness in the community. All seems better.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cason and family of Camp Hood visited his parents in Abilene and attended church at Eula Baptist Church Sunday. He was a former music and youth director at Eula.

Visiting Mrs. Oleta Edwards for Christmas was Jill Hughes of H.S.U., Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harris and children of Garland,

and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hughes. The Harrises also visited his mother, Mrs. Lorene Harris.

Visiting the Claude Rocks were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Larrick of Lamar, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Manley and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rock and children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rock of Abilene.

Mr. Glenn Cannon and Johnson Rister of Abilene and Rickey Rister of Eula visited their sister, Mrs. Myrtle Wright, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. James George and family spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Loving, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Stephenson and Kyle visited in Dallas and at Quitman the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cribbs are announcing the arrival of a baby girl Dec. 26. The new arrival weighed 5 lbs. 8 oz. and was 18 inches long. She was named Lori Denise. Mrs. Cribbs is home, and the baby will remain a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Peay and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Peay and family of Little Rock, Ark. spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peay.

Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Burton celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in their home Dec. 17. They were married 25 years Dec. 24. Their children Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Burton of Eula and Nancy Burton of the home, hosted the occasion in the Burton home. There were 37 registered for the occasion. Several nice and useful gifts were received. The Burtons were married in Carlsbad, N.M. and then moved to Slaton, moving to Eula in 1970.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson visited their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Ferguson, of

Olden Wednesday.

Mr. E.P. Miller of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Miller Monday.

Visitors in the Don Tarrent home Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Don Tarrent and Deon of Potosi, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riley of Rhode Island.

Edith Harrison visited her mother, Mrs. Reid, of Lawn Monday and brought her home with her for a few days.

Pidge Miller spent Sunday night with Helen Miller of Baird, and they went to Breckenridge for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cargil Monday.

Mrs. Cynthia and Rose Farmer visited Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Miller Wednesday. Mrs. Miller is slowly improving, and they went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parks of Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Donna of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick

Favor and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Favor visited the Cranfields in Abilene Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallack Clay and family are visiting their parents, the Clays, and Johnstons, in Mississi-

ppi this past week.

Olneys and 21 of their group celebrated Christmas with a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Olney and family of Abilene Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Connel visited their daughter at San Marcos for Christmas.

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## Aliens To Report Addresses

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

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

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

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

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