Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Get-up-and-Get That Makes Men Great."

where there ain't no poor, and there ain't no sick; where the fat get fatter, and the thin get thick."

and healthful climate-

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Braodway of America." Has beautiful homes, fine churches,

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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1945

MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

Baird Observes Europe Victory

Victory in Europe was flashed were taken prisoner. over the wires and by radio Monprevious plans, the telephone sons. half of the people all over Amer- was killed. ica, did not wait for the final declaration of the president. So CLYDE MAN HOME

as they were concerned, the time for turning our might toward S-Sgt. Eldon McIntosh, son of High School, Mrs. Clyde White, Jones of Admiral; and N. M. ing their way, and better. righting in Europe was over, and Japan and finally to peace had T. J. McIntosh, Clyde, is here on Mrs. S. L. McElroy, Mrs. Archie George and J. H. Hughes of While these plants are the attended school at Midway, Clyde, Fannie Price were especially en-

ory, then lowered to half staff in respect to our beloved late Presiin peace.

port was given many people of the any other nation. and the Rev. A. A. Davis, Baptist A. A. F. pastor, delivered an extemporaneous address that was appropriate manner, Rev. Davis voiced the feeling of Baird people in that mighty victory in Europe and the feeling that the war in the Pacific had only begun.

and aside from being slightly emotional over the glad news of victory they went about their tasks about as usual. Only a few stores closed their doors, and that was bids on paint jobs, specifica-

Flags continued to fly throughout the day, and again the following day when President Truman WHITE AUTO STORE OPEN which were flown first atop the or automobile at lowest prices. old Baird Star building at the end of World War 1.

Thus the people of Baird observed victory in Europe. No they bowed their heads in prayer, attending services on this eventful for May. also sober and went about their Both Grammar and High Schools were: Mrs. Sam Sherrill, Miss Recently Laird Cregar caused life. Saw Street Commissioner Misses Sybil Myers, a teacher work with a determination to win participated. another war.

FRANK T. SUNDERMAN

Putnam, Tex., Co-Pilot on a B-24 Liberator Bomber, has been a SENIOR DAY OBSERVED warded the Air Medal, according

Sustained Operational Activities last Sunday.

Sunderman, he won his wings and appointment, June 27, 1944. Baptist Church each year, and F-O Sunderman now holds the European-Africa-Middle Eastern that the other churches of the wisited his brother, Pvt. Harold, Theatre ribbon, with one Battle town would extend similar invita-He is a member of a veteran heavy bomber group com-manded by Col. Thomas W. Steed, of Etowah, Tenn.

We Invite-

LESLIE BRYANT

And his guest to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Plaza Theatre in Baird. We want you to be our guests.

The PLAZA THEATRE THE BAIRD STAR

Callahan Men

More than 20 percent, 2,600 out of 11,568, of the Callahan population went into uniform. Of that number, 40 died in action and 26

AFTER 27 MONTHS

of victory had ceased, flags were He returned to the States by plane and Lloyd Connel.

during his 27 months in China he place for the past four months Olaf G. South. dent Roosevelt and to the many has learned the Chinese people be- was not an applicant for the posifighting men who paid the supreme sacrifice that we might live like the American way of living. secure a vocational agriculture He believes they need help from teacher for next term. One hour after the victory re- the United States more than does Principal John H. Shrader, of Hollywood has embarked on a

town assembled at the Methodist church auditorium, according to poration in Midland, McIntosh Hughes, Building and ground films dealing with the global answered with favorite American Lloyd Anderson and James O'Brien China pitcher over a 100 years the plans, for a program of entered service June 2, 1942, and custodian, and superintendent O. struggle is being replaced by a thanksgiving was held from 10:00 trained at Camp Crowder, Mo., G South were elected at the Feb-group of features primed to evoke until 11:00 a. m. The Rev. R. H. and Los Angeles, Calif. He ruary meeting of the Board, Mr. terror and chills in movie audserved in China as a ground sta- South for a two year period, and iences. ducted the singing and prayers, tion radio operator with the 14th all other employees for the 1945-46 At the head of this swing is

At the end of his furlough he will report to Santa Anna, Calif., ATTEND O. E. S. SCHOOL for the occasion. In his own for reassignment. He visited his brother, Irby McIntosh, and family in Fort Worth before com- Miss Myrtle Boystun were awarded Monday, May 13 and 14 through

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serving with the armed forces.

NOTICE

The City of Baird will receive during the hour of thanksgiving. tions can be had at the City Hall, Hugh W. Ross, Jr., Mayor

proclaimed V-E Day, they were The new White Auto Store in raised again, and the siren was Baird is now open for business, at the courthouse. Numerous that has recently been hard to cause materials failed to come. small flags were flown at the get. Mr. Konczak states that he Mrs. Robert Poindexter gave horror cycle is the Charles Boyer, heads to show that victory had home of Miss Eliza Gilliland will sell everything for the home council report and asked all that Ingrid Bergman thriller-"Gas been won in Europe. ***The siren The farmers in these parts are

VICTORY DAY PROGRAM

shouting, no gala celebrating, no visitors assembled in the high Andrew Johnson will make cookies her mind. Only the last minute for all it was worth.*** fantastic ceremonies. Instead, school auditorium Wednesday for the U. S. O. cooky jar in Baird intervention of Joseph Cotton ney were joyful but they were and interesting program rendered. Those attending the meeting ness.

R. H. Campbell, Lloyd Connel, Bulen Poindexter, Mrs. W. play with his hapless victim, Merle him came men, brooms, shovels, and Mrs. J. E. Ogle, and Mr. and AWARDED AIR MEDAL Clyde White and Olaf G. South. J. May, Jr., Mrs. Mamie Johnson, Oberon, had audiences sitting on truck, et cetera, and believe it or El Scott over the weekend.

to an announcement made by the Upon the invitation of the ed by Mrs. Mallie Johnson, Mrs. time resident of Cottonwood, died a model that is useful as well as be held Sunday night at the Meth-In the words of the citation, Pastor, Rev. A. A. Davis, memb- Carl Roberson, and Mrs. Andrew at his home west of there, Satur- ornamental.*** In the words of the citation, the award was made, "For Meritorious Achievement in Aerial the regular Sunday morning the orious Achievement in Aerial the regular Sunday morning the brand spanking new Ford the brand spanking new Ford church of Church speaking to the orious Mrs. J. I. Placehouse Mrs. J. I. P Flight While Participating in service at the First Baptist Church should be left at McIntyre's fore his death.

Against The Enemy."

School people appreciate this of the sugar panel at Oplin.

PAINT DEMONSTRATION

will want to attend the paint meeting for several months. demonstration at Baird Lumber Company Friday and Saturday, May 18 and 19 when Bill Edwards of Fort Worth will show many ways in which to use paint successfully around the home. BPS walter Daniels in Clyde, this Clyde, has recently been awarded are predicting a bumper crop of Mrs. J. M. Simmons accompanied for the demonstration of the dem attend this demonstration.

Mrs. Faye Alexander made a

serve In War School Faculty

Some 250 have been discharged School Board last Monday night, Stanley dinning room. the 1945-46 term.

Mrs. Ann Dunwody, Mrs. Bessie signed. a 21-day furlough, after spending Nichols, Mrs. Bill Banks, Miss Jo Jackson.

raised all over town. They were such a task to make their clothes raised in all their glory for vict-Sergeant McIntosh states that Bales who has substituted in this Jones, Temple Brashear, and Supt. and handing them to the citizens Camp Fannin, Aswell of Abilene, would enjoy many many happy

school year.

hour by mixing joy and sadness, brothers, Sam and Roy McIntosh. Star School of Instruction held in picture uses mystery and suspense ing here to visit his father and the A Certificates at the Eastern United Artists release. It is reported that Wilburn Ellen McGowen and Mrs. Olivia strange impulses and desires. Her guests at the meeting. Carrico and John Allen Pruet of Swartz. Others attending the mashinations in a home, turning Baird folk returned to their Putnam, have landed in New York school from Baird were, Mrs. member against member, is in jobs for the balance of the day, from England where they were Mattie McGlaughlin, Mrs. Cather- itself a story of slow terror. The

OPLIN H. D. CLUB MEETS psychological suspence.

dish mats, pot holders and other the screen in "Double Indemnity," at a meeting of the Oplin Home MacMurray, enacting murderer's Demonstration Club May 1.

turned on good and strong this so states its manager, Eddie leaflets on insects and diseases arise out of the actual murder time. The time worn flag that Konczak, this week. The store is in the victory garden. The dress deed itself but from the strong was used at the late Joe Mc- the bright spot of the city with form demonstration scheduled and terrible pangs of conscience Gowen's funeral flew at half mast attractive displays of merchandise was postponed until May 15 be- which haunt the two killers.

her the money by May 10.

Students, teachers, and several Reid, Mrs. Carl Roberson and Mrs. to drive the lovely Ingrid out of

The Glee Club sang several Mrs. Robert Poindexter, Mrs. W. his terror-filled performance in at the helm of the city's big grader who is employed in Ration Board songs, and talks given by Rev. E. Reid, Mrs. Rob Roberson, Mrs. "The Lodger." His cat and mouse blazing the clean-up trail. Behind office, visited their parents, Mr. The ceremony was impressive Mrs. Mallie Johnson, Mrs. Wallace the edges of their seats. F-O Frank T. Sunderman, 21, of and well received by the students. Mrs. Mallie Johnson, Mrs. Wallace
Johnson, Mrs. M. E. Johnson and Mrs. Andrew Johnson.

Around forty applications for AT BAPTIST CHURCH canning sugar have been process- Uncle Casey Bennett, 86, a long ing the straw hat parade wearing The Baccalaureate sermon will Grocery or sent to the members

on Okinawa, according to letters their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McBride, received from the brothers. Both are stationed on

LT. DANIELS HERE

1st Lt. and Mrs. Neil J. are invited to attend. Daniels are visiting his sister,

business trip to Abilene Tuesday. Office Supplies-The Baird Star Modesto, Calif.

District Trustees

The trustees of Admiral, Belle Plaine, and Jackson met with the local Board in its regular session last Monday night. The business At the regular meeting of the was preceded by a dinner in the

after which, 3 year contracts notes against its indebtedness. The pastor of the Methodist church of by the Wednesday Club with good switchboard operator turned on The county got its first "killed Following is a list of those which provided for the transfer revenue bonds of \$1,000 each Baird, Rev. Waid H. Griffin, pastor attendance. The crowds came the siren for two long blasts. The in action" news from Pearl Harbor elected: Grammer School, Miss of all schoolastics from the three totaled \$4,000 paid off. The of Clyde Methodist church, and and enjoyed visiting with old people of Baird, like more than where Ray Smith of Cross Plains Sibyl Myers, Mrs. O. G. South, districts to Baird school were city sewage system debt was also Rev. Leverett, pastor of Clyde friends and sight-seeing around

> Mary Jo Garner, Mrs. Lucille Hall, were: Ellis Warren, Jack Gilliland, were paid before the due date, burial at Clyde. Mrs. Gladys Webster, Mrs. Lee and B. C. Milller of Belle Plaine; which is to signify that the light Abner had been a member of county in frontier days. IN CHINA-INDIA Ivey and Miss Isodore Grimes. Fred Ellis, Rob Walker and Joe plant and sewer system are pay- the Methodist Church in Clyde Spinning demonstrations given

SHOWING AT THE PLAZA

the grammer school, E. T. Powers, new trend. With the end of the met May 9 at the home of Mrs. day were Maurice Tarver, Billy er. Among the items contrubited town assembled at the Methodist | Former employe of Gulf Oil cor- High School Principal, Virgle war in sight the steady stream of R. H. Campbell. Roll call was Jones, Bill Webb, Briton Webb, were

> "Guest In The House," the Hunt Stromberg drama, adapted from the daring and sensational stage OF INSTRUCTION play of the same name, playing at Abilene Wednesday, May 2. B effectively to tell the story of Certificates were awarded Mrs. Anne Baxter, the girl with ine Hinds, and Mrs. Nanette Cook, way in which her spell is slowly broken is a masterpiece of

Hand made rugs, sacques, hot The horrors of murder come to crocheted articles were shown by with those two mild as May char-Mrs. Sam Sherrill of Enterprise acters, Barbara Stanwyck and Fred role in the James M. Cain thriller. Miss Wilkerson distributed The terror in this picture does not

Another outstanding film in the with solf and soothing romantic at the same time. *** Next day hindered for so long. AT LOCAL SCHOOL Mrs. J. W. May Jr., Mrs. W. E. roles, turns hell and does his best was V-E Day, but it came too Bro. Stove, the Methodist pastsaves Bergman from stark mad-

Wilkerson, Mrs. Carl Roberson, movie-goers chills and thrills in Lonnie Roy, cigar in his mouth, in Baird school and Maxine Scott, day Club year 1805-6.

SERVICES FOR UNCLE

Monday, with interment at good ol' days. Looking futher Will Long and son, Adrain Long, Mrs. Tots Wristen (1885), J. A. Cottonwood.

EASTREN STAR TEA

Paints will be used in the demonstration | Walter | Daniels in Clyde, this | Clyde, has recently been awarded are predicting a bumper crop | Week. | Lt. Daniels has recently the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf grasshoppers this year. Say ied her home for a short visit. Gilbreath extends a cordial invitation to all Baird people to ing three years in Cairo, Egypt. action in France in July 1944, rain in March, *** Enoch McCollum, WANTED TO BUY Electric and near Brest, Sept. 15, 1944. who lives over in the North-east nesday for Camp Blanding, Fla. chick brooder. The Baird Star. 1t Hammond General hospital, proud of a sow with a litter of Estes, accompanied him to Fort

Meet Local Board City Pays Notes Before Due Date

property of the City of Baird, tax and Baird. Before the siren's shrill report 27 months in India and China. Ruth Arvin, Miss Evelyn Frazier Members of the local board payers are not taxed for them.

Music was the theme of the pro- 13, 1925.

with violin music.

Mrs. South, Mrs. Stubblefield, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams of Mrs. V. E. Hill. Mrs. Hill, and Mrs. Latimer were Commanche.

AUBREY LOPER HERE

Cpl. Aubrey Loper arrived home May 2 from the Pacific Theater of Operations to spend a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Loper.

His brothers, Sgt. Lee Loper and M-Sgt. J. W. Loper, are ex-

Aubrey is to report to Corpus Christi June 2 for duty.

Just 'Round About

As we walked up and down the street.***Flags waved over bowed

not, Baird is getting its face lift- The Denton school closes May Putnam. ed. *** Without a proclamation from 17th. They will have their the mayor, straw hat season has Senior play "Look Me In The Eye" CASEY BENNETT the mayor, straw has come to Baird. Mayor Ross is lead- May the 9th.

pick-up on the floor of Earl John- nine graduates. we saw a little sign on the wind- of Ranger, visited their aunt, Mrs. shield with the letter S-O-L-D.*** J. E. Scott, Sr., Sunday afternoon. Up the street came Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crawford, who is very ill, An Eastern Star tea is to be Everett Hughes in a one-horse returned home Saturday from held at the home of Mrs. Mae shay, to remind us that gasoline Callahan County Hospital. Jones, Tuesday May 15, from eight is still rationed. ***Met Mr. and Mrs. Elwand Bell and little somuntil ten p. m. honoring the past Mrs. Roy Kendrick and their little have returned home from a visit Belle Freeland and W. A. Fetter- Kendrick in town from Denton. eastern state. Her husband is ley. All members of the Eastern E. J. Kendrick of Gustin, was in overseas. in town for the museum open Denver, Colo, May 1. She is inter- Church. tending to business at the court- dietician.

17 pigs.

Abner Walker

Abner Walker, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Walker, died Saturday at his home northwest of Baird.

The Municipal Light Plant Funeral was held at five p. m. chalked up another score this Sunday in the Clyde Methodist Callahan County Pioneer Museum day morning and according to for medical and occupational rea- the teachers were re-elected for School matters were discussed, week when it paid off four more church with Rev. R. H. Campbell, and Library Friday and Saturday reduced when a \$1,000 revenue Baptist church officiating. Wylie the room of pioneer relics, Every-Short, Miss Ellen Marie Hill, Mrs. Those attending the meeting bond was paid off. These notes Funeral Home was in charge of thing on display were articles

since he was seventeen.

present were: O. C. Yarbrough, Revenue from electric service parents; a sister, Mrs. Madison agreed that it did not seem to be of victory had ceased, mags were and enroute home visited the The High School Science posi- B. L. Russell, Jr., G. H. Tankers- and sewage disposal is buying Montgomery of Baird; and six such a task to make their clothes of Baird on a silver platter, as Paul of Galveston Hovt of Hamil- hours carding the cotton, spinning ton, Edgar of Abilene and Medford the thread, and weaving the cloth. of Baird.

gram when the Wednesday Club | Pallbearers for the service Sun-

of Abilene. Mrs. Ivey and Mrs. South, Out of town relatives attending _E. B. Brown, Sr. accompanied by Mrs. Hill, sang the funeral were Pvt. Irvin Walker "When Honey Sings An Old of Camp Fannin; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Maltby in 1865; Program and Time Song." Music As a Life Paul Walker of Galveston; Mr. picture of last reunion of Veterans Asset was given by Mrs. Rouse; and Mrs. Hoyt Walker and baby, of Mexican War; Stretcher and Romance of Poets of Piano, Mrs. Jimmie, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. sley-used in weaving-Mrs. Fannie Blackburn; and George Sand, Mrs. Aswell Walker of Abilene; Mr. Malthy Price. Brightwell. Mrs. Campbell con- and Mrs. Edgar Walker and child-Mrs. Elizabeth Fetterley and the Plaza Theatre Sunday and cluded the program with a ren, Bob, Calvin, and Shirley Kay mug by Cliff Hill from 1872 until musical reading, The Violins of Abilene; Mrs. Nannie Yell and his death-V. E. Hill Protest, with Mrs. Hill assisting Mrs. Calvin Walker and Mr. and

BOS'N CAME BACK

J. W. Hays reports that the dog Lizzie Henry Estes. his son, Chief Petty Officer Homer Shackelford, Jr. Hays, and after returning to Pictures, programs and clippings Boston he got lost, returned of his of Belle Plaine College-Claude own free will. The Star ran the Flores. story of Bos'n McGee in the issue Facts about Tomato postoffice pected to arrive home today or of April 27, stating that the dog collected by John Dawkins-J. was lost and there was a police Marvin Hunter. evident that Bos'n McGee was used by Dr. Tom Hadley-Mrs. not lost at all, but being a dog of Ada Carmicheal. the world, he knew his way a- Lady's high topped laced shoes round and exercised his liberty as from H. Schwartz Store in 1917. he saw fit.

CLYDE, R2

wanted to buy pineapple through light." In this film, Charles Boyer reported the news with two long very busy getting their crops the marketing committee to send who has always been associated blasts. ***Folks cried and laughed planted, since the recent rains

> slow for us. ***We took the news or, filled his regular appointment Sunday. His wife and children Another day the city was getting were with him. The Sunday right down to giving Market School has a "Mothers Day" pro-Street the cleaning of its young gram planned for next Sunday.

odist church with Bro Lloyd Funeral services were conducted son's show room. Just like the Walt Long of Hollis, Okla,

Neta Whatley spent a few days night, May 24.

S-Sgt. Jack Sims left last Wed-in next week's issue of the "Star."

Passes Away Here MUSCUM VISITED

He by Mrs. V. H. Cowan and Mrs. joyable. They are both masters The youth is survived by his of the art of spinning. They

By the number of articles WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETS Young Walker was born Aug. brought to the museum during the open house affair, it could be appropriately called a relic show-

old; belonged to Mrs. J. B. Brown

Amnesty Oath, signed by Capt.

Silver mug used for shaving

Name plate, Harry Meyer, from Mrs. Wylie Walker of Gustin; and cook stove used on Gillit ranch-

Steel rimmed spectacles with adjustable ear pieces used by Mrs. Elizabeth McMahon,-Mrs.

that went through a number of Steel rimmed spectacles used by major battles in the Pacific with F. P. Shackelford, Sr.-F. P.

search for him. It is now quite Seth Thomas clock with weights

Two old photographs of TP engines and their crews-Andy

Note written in 1862 to a merchant for 2 bales (spools) of thread. Answer on back saying No. 8 was the finest in stock and it was \$6.00 a bale. Note written by Mrs. Ellen Jones-Mrs. Eula Walker and Mrs. Corrie Driskill, 2 early photographs of groups. Second issue of Tecumseh Banner

First Year Book of the Wednes-

Among the pioneers who attended the open house were: Mrs. Fannie Price, W. J. Horn-

sby (1889) of Rowden. Mrs. George E. Baggerstaff of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramsey, Hamilton Wright of Abilene.

Claud Flores (1879) of Belle Plain. Mrs. Lula Snyder of Mrs. V. H. Cowan, Mrs. Martha and Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. A. C. Carmichael, Mrs. S. D.

Allphin, A. L. Vaughn, Mrs. J. R. Farlane (1886). Mrs. Z. C. Schwartz (1886), Mrs. Dollie Fulton (1882), Mrs. J. F. Price (1889).

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE SOON

Commencement exercises will Housewives and husbands too Okinawa, but this is their first begin for the local schools May 20, when Rev. A. A. Davis, Baptist Pastor, will preach the Baccal-Star and their families and friends the city, too. ***W. J. Hornsby Miss Yvonne Loven reported to aureate Sermon at the Methodist

house.***R. W. Robinson was at- ing Army Medical Corps as a be held in the High School Audit-Grammer School exercises will orium the following Thursday

The Senior Class Commencement is scheduled for Friday Evening May 25, in the High School Auditorium.

B. O. Brame transacted business

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To all persons interested in the Account of Final Settlement of County, Texas, on the 5th day of and Application of the said Lucy in the apostles' doctrine and dear son and brother we send this McCoy Ely, Administratrix if they fellowship, and in breaking of message of appreciation and see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, and have you 42). executed the same.

A .D. 1945.

Court, Callahan County, Texas. By Johnie Robinson, Deputy.

visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. is it not reasonable to believe

Walker Sunday.

mother is very ill at her home at or of things God has blessed us



"But in vain they do worship commandments of men." (Matt. the Estate of Mary E. McCoy idea that it does not make any And (5) Singing; Every Christ-15:9). Some people have the Deceased, No. 1258, has filed in difference how you worship God, the County Court of Callahan but from the above scripture we can see that there is a difference. Jesus Christ. Note that the Mrs. W. C. Simmons. May A. D. 1945, her Final Account When one worships according to New Testament says sing. of the condition of the Estate of the doctrines and commandments said Mary E McCoy, Deceaser of men his worship is in vaintogether with an Application to Then we conclude that any worbe discharged from said estate ship that we take part in that can which will be heard the 18th day not be read of in the Bible is of May A. D. 1945 at the Court-vain worship, for it is of man and house of said County, in the City not of God. We need to be sure of Baird, Texas, at which time that our worship is right in the and place all parties interested in sight of God. Following is the the Account for Final Settlement form of worship that God has of said Estate are hereby notified prescribed for all children of His. to appear and contest said Account

bread, and in prayers." (Acts 2: | thanks, to those of you who spoke then and there before said court psalms and hymns and spiritual strength in our darkest hour of this writ with your return there-songs, singing and making melody sorrow and to those of you who on endorsed showing how you have in your heart to the Lord:" (Eph. expressed yourselves and your 5:19). From these scriptures we sincerity in other ways, we shall Given under my hand the seal can see what God demands of us always be grateful. We especialof said Court, at office in Baird, in Christian worship. Namely to ly wish to thank the doctors and Texas, this the 7th day of May be well pleasing unto God we nurses for the kindness shown LESLIE BRYANT, Clerk County teachings of the Apostles. To affliction. God bless and keep be stedfast in their teaching you always. means that we can not add too or take from the word of God (Rev. Mrs. Inez Richards and children 22:18, 19). Bearing this in mind D. W. Pool at Eula last week. that our worship must conform to Pvt. Irvin Walker left this week this rule? This being ture our for Camp Fannin after a six day worship must have every thing in leave to attend the funeral Sun- it that God demands and must day of his brother, Abner Walker. not have any thing in it that God Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker left does not command? The wor-Tuesday for Galveston after ship that the Bible teaches us to attending the funeral of Abner follow is; (1) Teaching; and of course this consists of only the It is reported that Pat Haley's truth. (2) Giving of our money,

well pleasing unto God until he realizes that he must give unto the Lord as He has prospered him (1 Cor. 16:2). (3) The Lord's Supper: This was given for purpose of it is to remember the Lord's death until he comes again Lord's Day (Acts 20:7). (4) and Mrs. J. E. Free. me, teaching for doctrines, the Prayer; This is a blessing for Christians. In 1 Thess, 5:17 Paul says, "Pray without ceasing." ian should want to sing praises unto God and His Son the Lord

where does it say to play. appreciated. Lloyd Connel, Minister, Church of Christ, Baird.

(Paid Adv.)

CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends and neighbors who so generously expressed their friendship and sympathy "And they continued stedfastly during the recent passing of our "Speaking to yourselves in words of kindness that gave us must continue stedfastly in the during the many years of his

> Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Walker and family

PUTNAM

By Miss La Verne Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers of ************** Christians (Acts 2:42). The Artesia, N. M., are visiting Mr. Rogers mother, Mrs. Ida Rogers. M. M. 1-c Jack Free and Mrs. (Cor. 11:13, 27). Every Christ- B. G. Anderson and daughter have ian should partake of it every been visiting their parents, Mr.

> Miss Preble Stewart was visiting friends in Putnam over the weekend.

Pvt. Leonard B. Simmons is home on a furlough for a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. L. D. Maynard spent a few days visiting her son and daugh-Your interest in these articles ter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Maynard, of Coleman. Mrs. E. C. Waddell, Clinton and

Aura Frances and Mrs. R. L. Clinton were shoppers in Abilene Wednesday.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton and Mrs. Rattiff spent the weekend with Mrs .Clinton's parents, Mr, and Mrs. U. L. Lowry.

WALL PAPER

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Cpl. Eugene Swinson Tells Of Seeing Fall Of Germany

to all our readers:

sure you understand by now how by myself because I could feel how hard it is to wait for a letter hill and every valley. I've been

the go. I was through Kassel who are away from it, to return. a drink, now and then. To keep bout the size of Fort Worth and won't stop until I hit that old beneath the level of the glassed there isn't a building left standing. front porch of ours. Looking out across it, the build- I guess I had better bring this quaffing. "Belle Plains." I'll bet the people a gal named Sal a few lines.

I've long read about places so (Ken an I will be home.) cruel, but I never could quite believe things so horrable could be done by people who sonsider themselves civilized. Its hard to realize a thousand persons being turned after a three weeks visit starved deliberately to death, and with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. their bodies stacked in a huge Malin, at Amarillo. pile like so much wood waiting to be burned. I saw that yesterday. Oh how cheap life must have been Callie Cooksey received a wire over here. Like so many lighted Friday from Houston telling them candles, if one burned too brightly that Mrs. Septer's brother, Arthur all the keeper had to do was raise Tatum, is very low. Saturday his finger and muffet out the his condition was unimproved. light or let the light burn itself out from the lake of fuel. No Pfc. John A. Bruce, son of Mr. one can truly believe things so and Mrs. Alex Bruce, who sustainunearthly can happen on this ed wounds in action in Europe and world we live and call civilized was hospitalized in England, reunless you see it with your own turned to the United States March eyes. I haven't time to tell you 30. Pfc. Bruce is home on furany more about these things. lough now and is to report to a It's not a good subject to even hospital in Fort Worth May 21. think about let alone talk about. Hitler will pay for these things.

Write soon.

Gene S.

Mrs. Lydie Septer and Mrs.

Oh what a relief it will be to get back to a land so free and wonderful as America. Back to dear old TEXAS." Where wind doesn't blow the odor of the dead but the fragrance of wild beautiful flowers. A smell that

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BAIRD, TEXAS ****** I Give You Texas By Boyce House

Charley, The printer on the he had suffered. Cpl. Eugene R. Swinson wrote puts a sort of heavenly touch to Arkansas country weekly that No man knows all the answers. the following letter to his mother, the air. How lost I am without was an incurable practical joker.

Mrs. Bob Swinson, from Europe those beautiful things I used to Soon after coming there I wrote the following letter to his mother, the air. How lost I am without was an incurable practical joker. Soon after coming there I wrote the following letter to his mother, the air. How lost I am without was an incurable practical joker. Soon after coming there I wrote the following letter to his mother, the air. How lost I am without was an incurable practical joker. which we feel will be interesting go up on the hills when I was Soon after coming there, I wrote him: "What we caught, we left several months. home because I loved them. To a paragraph criticizing the pre- behind; what we did not catch, April 22, 1945 me up high looking out across sence of wasp's nest in the court- we bring with us." The answer Ga., for burial. He is survived sold recently to J. H. Cannon, Germany fields and pastures so green room and Charley kept running was, "Lice." sploched with red and blue and back and forth telling me what The riddle of the Sphinx was, city. I'm sorry I haven't been able yellow flowers made me feel as if he claimed the county judge (a "What animal walks on four feet to write more often lately but I'm God was with me. I liked being former preacher) had said and in the morning; at noon, on two; CANCER CONTROL then telling the judge what I was and in the evening, on three." it is. I'll always write you as those things of freedom without supposed to have said in reply— The answer to that one is, "Manoften as I can and when I can. being bothered. From there I with the results that both of us, who crawls in infancy, walks up-I just hope you don't worry too could see the earth as it was meant much when you aren't hearing to be. Happy, merry and so full from me for a time to be. Happy, merry and so full could see the earth as it was meant other for two weeks, which is uses a cane."

Drive for the control and cure right in manhood and, in old age, of cancer, sponsored by Womens Field Army, will be continued. from me, for a time. I know of joy. Beauty bloomed on every quite a feat in a town no bigger

the past weeks, and am still on a yearning in the hearts of those office and he'd drop in and take is visiting his parents there. a week ago. Our bombers sure I guess God made us that way, out of sight, he would step into leveled that city. It's a city a- I have a hurting inside me that the telephone booth and duck Mrs. Ella Tarrar in Eula this upper half of the door, while

ings looks like those left of old visit to a close. I gotta write This particular day was a July "scorcher" and Jones was in the of Kassel don't feel so super now. Well maybe it won't be too much act of taking a nip when he After what I've seen of the things longer until I'll be homeward heard Charley say, "Howdy do, they did to England, France and bound. We've just about cut the Aunt Sallie" and Jones recognized these other little contries, it does Germans into, the Russians are the shrill reply as coming from me good to see their cities so just across the way. We"ll have the town's most strict of inhabitrightfully punished. I can met by the time you get this letter. ants. Thinking she would leave imagine what Berlin must look The big moment is just around in a moment, he remained in his the conner. The trumpets will stooped position. I've seen a few of these Nazi sound and the guns will quite conversation went on and on. Two consentration camps or prisons. down and the smoke will fade a- or three times, Aunt Sallie would I was through one yesterday. This way and the light of peace will say good-by and than Charley one was the worse I've seen, shine brightly over what is left, would ask another question. The sweat rolled down the trapped man. At last, farewells were exchanged and Jones staggered weakly into the fresh air, exclaim-Mrs. S. E. Webb, Sr. has reing, "I thought she never would leave."

> Charley roared with laughter-Aunt Sallie hadn't been there at

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all; Charley, a natural mimic, had RETIRED TRAINMAN carried on the entire conversation. He almost got licked when Jones realized how unnecessarily

Mrs. J. T. Izard left Saturday because I have done a lot of that half around the world and through It was BEFORE my advent how- for a few days visit with her lately. Bouncing around as I do, many countries but only home, ever that Charley achieved his sister, Mrs. C. L. Turney, and her Monahans is visiting her husband's my mail never quite catches me. my home have I found so much masterpiece, Piggott was a brother, F. T. Bryan, in Dublin. parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yar-I haven't gotten much mail in over peace and happiness I guess "dry" town but a prominent A nephew, James Russell Turney, brough. home is the birth place of happy- citizen, (Jones will do) had left who has been with the navy in I've sure covered the country ness. That's why there is always a jug of "corn" in the newspaper the South Pacific for three years,

Mrs. John McGowen is visiting Worth this week,

DIES IN MARSHALL

News has been received of the Homer couldn't give the solu- Evins, retired T. and P. trainman home to Roy Barker, formerly of

by four sisters who live in that here.

Drive for the control and cure

Mrs. Clyde Yarbrough of

Mrs. Walter Boyd is visting her daughter, Mrs. Carl West, and her son, Lowell Boyd, in Fort

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REAL ESTATE SALES

Real estate deals in Clyde the farm near Spur. death recently in the company's past few weeks have included patrick, real estate dealer, has hospital at Marshall of C. Q. selling the Dr. J. T. Griswold where he handled the transaction.

Other places sold include the His body was sent to Atlanta, Leisfester farm, south of Clyde, Cannon has recently received a medical discharge from

the Army, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCurdy, DRIVE CONTINUED who have moved to Brownwood, sold their home in the northwest part of town, to Mr. and Mrs. S.

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China's Future

man earned 50¢ a day in 1820 he had to be a good one. The farmer had to be a good one. The farmer was not to blame. In order to pay better wages he had to get better prices for what his hired man properties for what his hired man properties

out of three farm hands eventually guit the farm. Some of them went it is higher.

farm products. Wherever they to be used in fruit cake.

Those are 35-cent words, trying to as quickly as possible. say that China is all broken up and needs to be made one. Nothing that is broken can be welded again until the pieces are brought close together. China's dismembered parts need to be brought close together; close in time; close in spirit.

grain, timber and fiber, coal and oil, ter. One trouble is, there are 360 million farmers when 12 million with good tools would be enough There is much other work to do ore to mine, timber to cut, roads to build.

Hidden Treasures

Roads will bring the empire's farflung segments near in time. Business dealings will create mutual confidence and make China's remote tribes close in spirit. There is money in the Orient—most of it hidden, but it's there. More, much more will come from other lands as soon as investors learn of the empire's rich resources and great markets. Only fear of robbery and fraud can keep it away.

These fears can be removed by a strong central government, able to vestment at home, and able to com mand the respect of other world powers. Chiang Kai-Shek has promised these things for postwar years and rebel rulers already are learning to trust him and work with him. The United States should help him, for China is America's natural ally in the East, for mutual profit in time of peace and mutual protection in time of war.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fulcher, Jr. of Eagle Pass are visiting Mrs. Fulchers mother, Mrs. S. E.



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Baird

FRESH PINEAPPLE SOON TO BE ON SALE

Fresh pineapple soon will be on the market, and since canned pinerural and urban, are expected to can pineapple at home this year.

Farmers in the United States Sugar Loaf and smooth Cayenmade up 72% of the whole nation's ne, varieties imported into Texas population back in 1820. That was from Mexico, seem to be best for just half-way between the invention canning, is the opinion of Dorothy of the iron plow and the mechanical Wilkerson, Co. Home Dem. Agent. reaper for small grain crops. Only 23% of our people live on farms now. China still has the "good old since pineapple that is sun ripened days" if you like that kind. Some has more flavor and contains more 80% of her people are farmers even fruit sugar. Ripe pineapple can be distinguished since it is orange Walker home. If an American farmer's hired colored, and the spines can readily

worker to produce more. Even then ed before it is ripe, it should be both developments had begun. The plow and the reaper improved farm for a few days, preferably at a Corky Cook received an i temperature between 65 and 75 workman could do the work three should be avoided, since it results caused him to be in bed.

farm products to cities where there cans has a better flavor and color were quick markets. Others got jobs than when canned in enameled Mesdames A. Wilson, Charles Baird. in factories making desirable things cans or glass jars. Recipes for Mosley, J. A. Faircloth, Arch Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Gilliam to sell to the farmers who, by this time, had quite a little money to juice are available from County of the parisher, Carl Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. Cook, R. W. Cook, and family visited in the Davis Cook, R. W. The two farm workers out of three Home Dem. Agent's office, also W. B. Tarver, Joel Griffin, and who left the farm did not quit using directions for candied pineapple Vernie Faircloth were present.

itable work for people in transpor. pared as for canning and packed fine lunch was spread. Remembtation. This is a simple outline of into airtight moisture proof con- er the 14th is our next quilting the growth of American prosperity, tainers. It should be covered day. and it is a rough sketch of what with syrup made by dissolving A number of our young people must take place in China, starting one half to three fourths of a cup attended church in Baird Sunday after the war, if China is to prosper. of sugar to 1 cup of hot water. night. High-brow students of political The syrup should be added when it Floy McCaw visited home folks economy talk about "social, political has cooled. Then the container this weekend. and economic unification of China." should be sealed and quick frozen

Dorothy Wilkerson Co. Home Dem. Agent

CARD OF THANKS

For the many deeds of kindness, China already has everything the beautiful flowers, and kind hospital. needed to live well: livestock and words of sympathy showered upon us by our friends at the death iron and copper. China has supply of our beloved son and brother, and demand also—450 million people of Pvt. Bill D. Odom. We extend Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. our heartfelt thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Odom and family

MIDWAY MRS. W. B. TARVER

Our community was saddened to hear Saturday morning one of and Linda from New Mexico are business for themselves for the high tolls in blue ration points, our fine young men had passed visiting Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Hughmany Texas home makers both away in sleep. Abner had been es and Mrs. Hughe's parents, Mr. have never been employed before. suffering a heart ailment for a- and Mrs. Ramsey of Putnam. bout fourteen years. We know Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mercer visited the Lord doeth all things well. with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis Social Our deepest sympathy is extended to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. was also a visitor in the Davis business. This is necessary even

E .Walker and family. of Clyde this weekend.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harold Alexander Jacobs.

Mrs. Marjorie Brown and child- and Duane Sunday night. ren called on her sister, Mr. and I. B. Roberson visited with Mr.

Corky Cook received an injury afternoon. Using improved machinery one degrees F. Solf, over-ripe fruit last week in football that has Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis and

had done with crude tools, so two in waste, and the cost of canning ed from an enjoyable visit in J. H. Hughes, T-Sgt. and Mrs. Tuesday with his wife and quit the farm. Some of them went to work at transportation, taking Pineapples canned in plain tin Mrs. Jerry Malin and family and Gloria Gene visted Granddad

last Monday for the quilting. worked they bought and consumed farm produce, also made more prof-

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to the doctors, nurses and so many good friends for their kindness toward me while I was in the

Maxine Parks

Mrs. J. R. Latimer of Fort H. F. Foy, and other relatives

DEEP CREEK By Mrs. H. L. Turner

T-Sgt. and Mrs. Mike Hughes

pass to visit wife and son. Also and children from Coleman visited part time. Duane Sunday.

relatives and friends are in the Antonio is visiting wth her aunt security tax return to the colectand uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jess

Tommy visited Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Sunday afternoon at

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. George were visiting in Baird Saturday after-

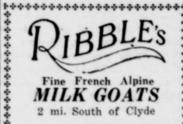
WAR VETS SHOULD INVESTI-GATE EMPLOYMENT LAWS

Abilene, Texas, - May 3-Many returning veterans are going into Some are men who These individuals are reminded that any new employer should file an application with the Security Board for though only one person is on the Seiln Canada had a three day Mr. and Mrs. Claude McKinly payroll, who perhaps works only Each employer required to keep a record of the his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Canada Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Duncan and worker's social security account number for use when it comes A number of out of the country Miss Prebble Stewart from San time to make out the social or of internal revenue.

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*Bureau of Labor Statis

Bear Facts

The Baird High School Paper

The Freshman Class treked over to the Arcadia Friday night and Angelo, Texas.

The Sophomore Class left Fri- place. day at 3:30 along with their Sponsors and Room Mothers for Cisco. They reported a wonderful even- Mrs. M. C. Hughes, ing which was composed of swimming, skating and eating.

the death of Abner Walker a for-frigeration Shop.

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The Senior Class is very busy Sutphen. now with the autographing of FREE!-If excess acid causes you suovenir books, exchanging invitation cards, checking past exam tion, heartburn, belching, bloat-

The Senior Class were the guest sample, Udga, at Holmes Drug of the Baptist Church Sunday May on their trip to Glenrose May 21st. Loper Laundry. We carry a full

day May 4. The program was tag. Certified Porto Rico potatoe rendered by Mrs. Banks, who gave a very helpful talk on Personal plants, \$2.50 per 1000. Post Paid Hygiene.

The Annual Staff gave a pre-ew of the 1945 Headlight in as-Terrell's house. Mrs. Vernon The Annual Staff gave a presembly Wednesday. Everyone is Shelton. anxiously awaiting the arrival, of the Yearbooks.

SPORTS

The Baird Bears team for 1945 44 seniors Friday night at 8:30 in the Bears Den. The game stare- \$2.00 per month. Madison ed with the exes receiving the ball. Montgomery The ball was carried up to the STRAYED, dun mare with black forty yard line. The exes plung- mane and tale. Notify Edgar ed the middle time after time. Smith. Carry the ball on down the field 2 room apartment to couple or the first touch down was made for soldier's wife to care for 3 childthe exes by Benny Pierson. The ren while mother works. Terrell bears failing to make the extra Apartment House-Mrs. Vernon reint. We then kicked to the Shelton, Bears. The boys unable to hold the ball lost over again, the exes it over for the extra point.

the Bears. The Bears being events at our old home town. unable to make ground against Yoeman 2-c Ruth Hardwick, who the exes defense. The score at is stationed in Dallas with the the half was 13-0 favor the exes. WAVES, visited her mother, Mrs. Back in the game at the half the E .Hardwick here last weekend. bears came through with a pall T-Sgt. Reeves Hickman was touch down, the ball was passed here from Love Field Saturday by T. A. White and received by to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. The extra point again Ace Hickman. There was some swell kicking in the game for the exes by Weldon Walker.

The exes took over in the last quarter and made two touch downs one by a long pop to Pierson and the other by sweeping ends by Oscar Jones. One extra point was made by Harry Varner by a quick pass over the middle. The final score of the game was 32-0 favor of the exes.

This was the last game to be played by some of the senior boys. We would like to say we enjoyed their game and it will never be forgotten when we leave the school in our future of work or education.

OPLIN By Georgia Dean McBride

Pvt. Leonard Roberson son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberson was visiting the weekend at home. He is stationed at Camp Wolters, Tex.

Miss Wilma McBride of Coleman spent the weekend at home with her folks, Mr. and Mrs.W. P. McBride.

Hicks Bryson who is working in Big Spring was home over the weekend with his folks.

Hal Windham son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Windham has been ill and was taken into the hospital

Mr. O'Shields who has been very ill is improving.

Mrs. Pierce who has been ill is some better.

Johnnie Straley S 2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Straley is stationed somewhere in Hawaii.

Pvt. Charley T. Starley son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Starley has arrived safely at Fort Meade, Maryland.

Miss Joan Poindexter daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Poindexter has been very ill in the Coleman hospital, but is improving

Mrs. Will Poindexter spert few days in Austin with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Fowler.

VISIT IN MARIANAS

While Bobby L. Stanley was at a rest camp in the Marianas, his uncle, Grant White, visited him for a short time. It is a small world, after all, when home folks meet in far away islands on our David Webster, battle fronts. another Baird boy, was at this same rest camp only a few days after Bobby left there.

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spent the time collecting bruises, used linoleum rug. Mrs. J. N. Morgan at the old Holmes FOR SALE-10 by 16 slightly

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Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Sutton and again ran for the touch down with little daughter, Judy, of Ingleside Tom Odom carrying the pig shin. are visiting relatives in Baird and Then little Harry Varner carried Putnam this week. They paid the Star editor a visit Wednesday to The ball was again kicked to recall mutual friends and current

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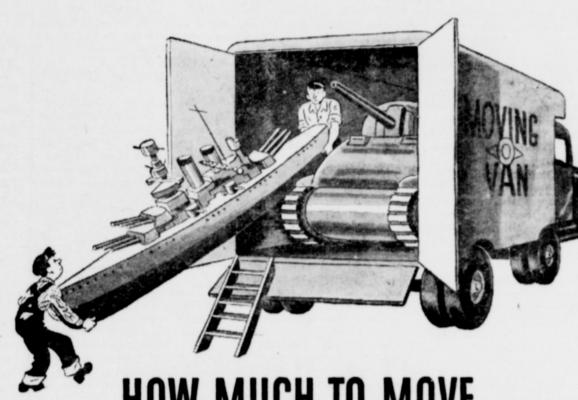
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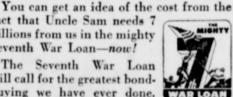
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> Santa Fe Roy Rogers Dale Evans

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY May 13, 14

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TUESDAY

May 15 Constance Moore

Brad Taylor

Atlantic City

SHOW BOAT

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hays

to Marshall Saturday to be at have returned from a trip to Big ed her daughters, Mrs. Lawton

the bedside of her father, Mr. Spring, where they visited Mrs. Penticost and Mrs. Ernest Wind-

And PARAMOUNT NEWS

Watts, who is critically ill with Hay's brother, J. D. Harvey, ham over the weekend.

THREE BIG DAYS Wed. Thur. Fri. May 16, 17, 18

Judy Garland, Margaret O'Brien

Meet Me In St. Louis IN TECHNICOLOR

Plus

SCIENCE, No. 2

Mrs. P. C. Brook of Oplin visit-

COTTONWOOD By Mrs. S. B. Strahan

Miss Eunice Hembree of Scranton spent the weekend with Misses Hazel and Beulah Respess.

S-Sgt Alton N. (Buster) Fleming, nephew of Mrs. S. B. Strahan was killed in Germany April the thirteenth. Sgt. Fleming had received two citations for bravery. He had command of about twenty

Kem Robins was called to San Antonio to visit with his son, Robns is sick in a hospital there.

Calif. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Carpenter of Coleman visited his grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Carpenter and

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe of Coleman visited in the home of Mrs. W. E. Carpenter and Mrs. Wiseman Sunday.

Pvt. Orean Peevy of Fort Sill, Okla, visited home folks Sunday. Pfc. Lloyd Bryson of Fort Jackson, S. C. is visiting his wife and

girls also other relatives here. day night at the home of his son, day furlough with relatives in is in a romantic tangle. Abe Bennett at Coleman. Burial Clyde. was here at three Monday aften-

Announcing . . .

The children of Uncle McCager Bennett who were present for his funeral Monday were: Mr.

Fannie Tye a sister of Paducah, Judy Garland at the head of an Texas, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ben- outstanding cast, "Meet Me In nett a brother of Roscoe, Mr. and St. Louis" simply exudes charm, Nelson Brown who is in the Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Golden Ben- Smiths of St. Louis and their life and consecration. Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Joke Falken- sister et al.

CARD OF THANKS

for the beautiful flowers. Mrs. Yarbro's family

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For Mrs. Baird's Bread

In Baird and Clyde

AGENT

DELIGHTFUL IS THE WORD FOR M-G-M's NEW COLOR MUSICAL

the Plaza Theatre. Filmed in Other relatives attending: Mrs. beautiful Technicolor and starring MOTHERS DAY A

Astor); Tooties, the youngest It is no time now for a let down.

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May 15 to place their orders for that will come to him. We in-The time has been vite you to attend the services at extended from May 10, giving five the Baptist Church. more days to place their orders | Last Sunday was a fine day. with the chairman of their comm- The Senior Class came-some

Buel Everett has taken the agency for Mrs. Baird's Bread in Our Sunday School meets at Baird and Clyde. Bread leaves 10 a. m. and the preaching ser-Fort Worth ovens about midnight, vices begin promptly at 11 a. m. and arrives in Baird about four The night service begins at 8:30

BISHOP MOVES

Mack Bishop is moving his upholstry shop to his new locaand Mrs. Levi E. Bennett and Sally Benson's popular "Ken- tion next door to Red & White pneumonia. family of Cottonwood, Mr. and sington" stories have been filmed Store, and redecorating the place. Mrs Alive Bennett and children of by M-G-M as one of the most Besides repairing furniture he delightful musicals of the season will refinish airplanes and auto-Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett in "Meet Me In St. Louis," which mobiles. He recently made a and boys of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. will open Wednesday, Thursday trip to California where he purch-Fred Bennett and family of and Friday May 16, 17, and 18, at ased materials for his new shop,

DAY OF PRAYER

Sunday is Mothers Day, as we Blondie Robins and wife. Mrs. Homer Bennett of Roscoe. warmth and good-neighborliness all know. The President has also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rowland of as it relates the story of the proclaimed it as a day of Prayer Navy stationed at San Diego, nett of Roscoe, N. C. Bennett, of with father, mother, brother, one will seek an excuse to avoid attending services on this eventburg of Denver City, Texas, Mr. St. Louis of 1903, just before ful day. All our hearts are stirred and Mrs. Henry Hagar also Mr. the opening of the famous St. to the depths-with the glad news and Mrs. Jim Hagar of Moran. Louis Fair, is the setting of the that came on Tuesday of this Bro. Lee Roy Baker, Methodist film. The Smiths are eagerly week. It seems that in a great aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Wiseman Sun- Pastor was in charge of the awaiting this great event. There measure our faith, labor and are Dad, a hard-working lawyer sacrifices have been rewarded, yet (Leon Ames) and mother (Mary the future lies immediately ahead.

We wish to express our sincere (Margaret O'Brien), and Agnes Next Sunday thru out America appreciation to our friends who (Joan Carroll), slightly older, and the civilized world will bring were so helpful after the death of Ester (Miss Garland), an attrac- its noble sentiments, deep emoour mother. Thank you so much tive high school girl with an ex- tios and soul joys to millions of tremely appealing personality and people. We urge every citizen of singing voice to match, is in the Baird to find his way to Church Uncle Cager Bennett died Fri- Scott Hays is spending a five sister, Rose (Lucille Bremer), also scene that would make for the throes of young love. Her older services next Sunday. What a Angels to behold: Every person in a town of 2,000 populationgoing to Church on this eventful Ladies of the county have until day-and sharing the blessings

> members of the faculty came-a large crowd assembled-it was a

a, m. People here may have p. m. Please find your place

For The Job

Ahead . . .

Mrs. C. H. Siadous was called

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> 25c 60c

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For The Week-End



Pint 23c

Pure Apple Butter, qt. jar	25c
Sweet Corn, No. 2 can. 2for	25c
GREEN BEANS. Wapco, 2for	25c
LIPTON'S TEA. one-fourth lb.	25c
FLOUR. Bewley's Best, 50 lb. sack	\$2.25
FRESH TOMATOES, pound	17c
Black Eyed Peas, pound	15c
GREEN BEANS, pound	15c
NEW POTATOES, pound	8c
SQUASH pound	10c
CARROTS, bunch	5c
GREEN ONIONS, bunch	5c
RADISHES bunch	5c
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