





# News Items From The Putnam Community

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**  
**Homecoming, March 25**  
 9:30 - Begin registration  
 10:00 - Meeting of the Memorial Committee in Superintendent's office.  
 12:00 - Lunch  
 2:00 - General Session with Supt. Reynolds presiding  
 Invocation - Leroy Purvis  
 In Memoriam - A tribute to Russell Ford Webb by Billy Mac Jobe  
 Business  
 Recognition of former teach-



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The W.S.C.S. of Baird First Methodist Church will sponsor a **COOKED FOOD SALE** **Friday, March 24** starting at 10 a. m. at the A&P Store.

ers and students  
 Skit of High School Play, "Nuts & Bolts"  
 Adjournment and continued fellowship  
 7:30 - High School Play

**First and Second Grade**  
 We are looking forward to our Easter Party next Friday at 1:30. We have invited special guests to our Easter Egg Hunt.  
 We have completed making Bunnyland in our room. We made many eggs and have many bunnies.  
 Buford and Darrell Green of Abilene visited Donald Isenhower during the weekend.  
 Martha Cunningham visited in Baird Sunday.

Betty and Raymond Threet visited their grandmother in Rising Star Sunday.  
 R. B. Wagley spent Saturday with his grandmother Wagley in Moran.

**Third and Fourth Grade**  
 Kathy Hurley spent the night with her grandmother and grandfather Hurley in Cisco.  
 Evelyn Wagley went shopping at Abilene Saturday.  
 Sheri Price went fishing over the weekend, and her aunt and uncle, the Cluskeys from Midland spent the weekend at her grandmother Vaught's house.  
 Nancy and Zole Wagley saw a parade in Eastland Friday.  
 Brenda Chapman went to Lake Cisco over the weekend.

Farrel Glenn Tharp from Viet Nam is home for a 30 day emergency leave. He plans to show some slides he has taken over there one day next week, the time and place has not been announced.  
 Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and family of Seymour spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Shirley. Friday night visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. R.

Shirley of Abilene. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shirley and family of Sweetwater.

Arno Roggenstein was taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday evening.  
 Bess Herring of Stanton is spending this week with friend in Putnam, Mrs. E. C. Waddell and Mrs. I. G. Mobley.

Mr. and Mrs. David Clinton and family of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton Sunday. Robert Clinton of Snyder was a visitor with his parents Saturday.  
 Mrs. S. M. Eubank honored H. A. Pruet with a dinner on his birthday Thursday.  
 Mrs. Ada Stewart of Electra

## Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom  
 Mrs. Harvey McKinley of May and Mrs. Tommy McKinley of Brownwood visited Mrs. Ethel Hewes Friday.  
 Mrs. Nathan Foster visited Mrs. Edwin Erwin Tuesday at Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom were visitors at the Eastland Auction Sale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bentley of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. Edington and Terri of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Nathan Foster Saturday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom were in Eastland Saturday night to help with the Eastland Co. Stock Show Sale. Their daughter, Kim, went with them to watch the sale. While there their oldest daughter, Beverly, attended a band banquet at Cross Plains.

Mrs. Essie Alexander of Lampasas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones. They attended the Musical at Cottonwood Friday night. They also attended the Musical at Scranton Saturday night, and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear in Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children of Baird spent the weekend with Mrs. Dayton Sessions while Dayton and Edgar went fishing on the Colorado River.

Mrs. Mike Turner of Cisco spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dewbre in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom Friday evening.  
 Our community received .7 of an inch of rain Sunday night.

spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Earlie Hurst.

Earl Sunderman of Ft. Worth was a Wednesday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.  
 Muri Reed of Cisco was a Saturday visitor with her mother, Mrs. Drue Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Howard of Seymour were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mrs. Maggie Jackson and Mrs. Warlick Jones of Moran were Thursday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank.

Dr. and Mrs. Keith Justice of Abilene were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donaway of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Doris Lee Donaway and son of Abilene were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle visited Mr. and Mrs. Burette

Ramsey Sunday.

Jeri Pruet of Clyde spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pruet.

Mrs. W. B. Star and daughter Ethel of Cisco, were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clusky of Midland spent the weekend fishing with Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price. Mrs. Vaught of Baird spent Sunday night with them.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams of Crosbyton were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. John Clement, who is a patient in the hospital at Baird, and Mrs. Louie Williams.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 I would like to express my appreciation to my friends and relatives for the cards, letters and visits while I was in the hospital in Big Spring.  
 J. R. Gunn

Mrs. F. L. Barleson and daughters, Leonna and Terri, Mrs. A. V. Curtis and Mrs. Stan Rawson visited in Breckenridge Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Howell.

Mrs. Ray Black is home from the hospital and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Bobby Don Palmer spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Madge Bearden, and other relatives.

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

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 Carrol Green, Pastor

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

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 Albert Cooper, Pastor

Sunday:  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 MYF ..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Choir Practice Wed. 7:30 p.m.

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 Leo Turner, Pastor

Sunday:  
 Bible School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday:  
 Y.P.E. .... 7:00 p.m.

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## ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Our community extends sincere sympathy to Mrs. Earl Green of Cross Plains. The death of Mr. Green came as a shock to all of us last week. We first knew and loved Mrs. Green when she and her first husband, Claud Stephens operated the Rowden store. Two of her boys married Rowden girls. Weldon Stephens married Joyce Parker and Donald Stephens married Velda Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farmer and Martin of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Bainbridge were in Abilene Monday of last week to see her doctor. Mrs. Bainbridge has been having ear trouble, but is much better now. Frank Spencer of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris, Nicky and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell, and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs attended the Junior Class play at the Cross Plains High School Friday night.

Mrs. Don Harris and Terrell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke McIntosh in Baird Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Vonelle Gibbs and Leonard Mauldin helped Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Roland work on Mrs. Mauldin's house last week. Gene is improving and hopes to be coming home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary visited their son, Audrey and family in Weatherford Friday. Wiley Smedley of Baird operated the store for them in their absence.

Bill Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen were visitors of Doc King and Emory one day last week.

Mr. and Ms. C. O. Smedley and Owen of Abilene, Mrs. Clara Gorman and Jerry McDonald of Baird were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Blakley.

Mrs. Effie Holloway visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen Thursday morning. She had received at letter last week from Mrs. Lou Mahan stating that Mr. Bill Hazel is not improving. He is still in an Andrews hospital.

Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Gary were Mr. and Mrs. Garth Garrett of Haskell.

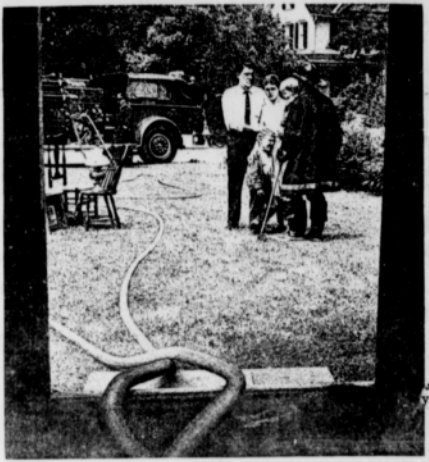
Mrs. John Adair spends five days a week helping care for her mother, Mrs. Bob Merryman in Cross Plains. Mrs. Merryman is improving slowly.

Talk in our community Monday was about the rain and gardening. Rain gauges at Sterling Odom's and Tommie Harris' places measured .90 of an inch, while north of the Rowden store rain was much lighter. We hope that Irish potatoes will make, even though they are not planted on St. Patrick's Day.

Dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds were Rev. Jack Riddehoover of Abilene, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kirk and children

Through the Eyes of a Junior High School Student." The program was concluded with the Pledge to the American Flag. Others present at the meeting were Miss Isadore Grimes, and Mmes. Frank Cunningham, Ace Hickman, Dee Young, V. E. Hill, W. Clyde White, R. D. Williams and M. L. Stubblefield. Next meeting of the Club will be on March 29 with Miss Grimes as hostess.

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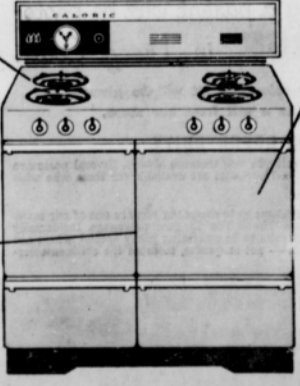
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## UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

BY VEDA YARBROUGH

Hi neighbor! How's everyone over your way? I don't want to say this out loud, but it is a fine mist outside. Am afraid to say it aloud for fear it will go away. We hope it turns to a big rain.

We are glad to say Mrs. Fred Cook is doing real good. She had major surgery Monday, March 13, and is supposed to get to come home some time this week. Mabel Carrico and I were at the Moran Luncheon last Wednesday. Enjoyed a good meal and the wonderful program furnished by students of Cisco Junior College, sponsored by Mrs. Tom Stark of Cisco. You who missed the program, missed a great treat.

While in Moran, Mabel and I visited with Mrs. Luces Clinton, who lives in the new Housing Unit. She is well pleased with her apartment, and so are all the others. They are so cozy and nice.

Good morning, this beautiful Monday. Yes, we had over an inch of rain last night. The little grain is stretching its neck this morning.

Mark and Ollie Burnam visited Clayton and Flossie Burnam Sunday afternoon over at Lake Leon.

Bro. Larry Jordan and wife had Sunday dinner with Burette and Johnny May Ramsey.

Mrs. Grady Pruet, Rick Sherman and Mrs. Jimmie Mitchell of Moran, visited the past weekend with relatives in Odessa.

I spent last Thursday with Mrs. Mary Ramsey. She is doing fine.

Bob Isenhower is home from Alpine, spending the Easter holiday with his parents, Weldon and Louise Isenhower and brother Johnny.

Visiting Saturday evening with the Weldon Isenhowers were Dock and Lula Isenhower, their daughter, Mary Joe, and her son Mutt. First time Lula has been out this way in several weeks. Glad she is able to be out again. We are sorry Mr. Arno Rog-

genstein is not doing well. He went to Hendrick Memorial Hospital Sunday night for further treatment. Mr. Roggenstein had double pneumonia a few weeks ago and seems he can't get over it. We hope you get better soon Mr. Roggenstein.

D. A. and Dick Yarbrough of Baird visited with me last Tuesday morning. Dick visited with the Mark Burnams, Burette Ramseys, and Mr. Roggenstein. Dick said he was going to plant a garden last Wednesday. Hope he makes a good garden. I might want a mess of beans.

Guess I better get busy, so be good. Don't forget Putnam Homecoming Saturday, March 25. Happy Easter.

### "Skills Day" Held At Brownwood

A district-wide Girl Scout Skills Day was held Saturday at Camp Wood Lake, Brownwood, from 10 a. m. until 2:30 p. m. This was the culminating activity of Girl Scout Week for girls in the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Council.

Preliminary relays were run for each age level in the morning, with finals in the afternoon. All Girl Scouts, leaders, parents and friends of Scouting attended the activities.

There were first, second and third place ribbons awarded each relay according to age level. The Brownie Scout relays included pancake flipping, square knot and jack rabbit relays. Junior Scout contests included string burning contest, compass walk and bandaging relay. Cadette Scouts competed in tent pitching and stretcher relays.

Winners in the different categories will be announced at a later date.

Mrs. Myrtle Berry, Mrs. George field and Aubrey Gibson visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Jody Crutchfield at San Angelo Sunday.



LAWRENCE D. SMITH

### Appointed Rural Development Officer

L. J. Cappelman, State Director of Farmers Home Administration in Texas, today announced the appointment of Mr. Lawrence D. Smith as Rural Development Officer.

The position of Rural Development Officer is a new one created as a high level staff position in the Farmers Home Administration to implement recently authorized programs. Mr. Smith will give consulting and coordinative leadership in the administration of the "Outreach" functions of development in rural areas, designed to assure that residents in rural communities are aware of, and receive benefits of Federal, State, and local program services. In making the announcement, Cappelman said it was necessary to select the best qualified individual with extensive knowledge, not only of the Farmers Home Administration, but other Government agencies as well.

In his new assignment Mr. Smith will be responsible for working closely with Federal, State and local Governmental Agencies in making benefits available to communities and individuals in rural areas of the state through the "Outreach" programs.

Mr. Smith was graduated from Texas A&M in 1935, and holds an MS degree from the University of Tennessee. He has been Assistant State Director for the Farmers Home Administration in Texas since June 30, 1957. Other assignments in the Agency have included Chief, Program Operations; Operating Loan Specialist; and Farm Management Specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Pop Whitaker visited his sister, Mrs. C. W. Bates in Fort Worth, and with their daughters, Mrs. R. B. Ray and Mrs. Hal Wilcox and families in Dallas during the weekend.

## "WEEKLY MEDITATIONS"

Bible Thought: "But with thee I establish my covenant; and thou shalt come into the ark, thou, and thy sons, and thy wife, and thy sons' wives with thee. And of every living thing of all flesh, two of every sort shalt thou bring into the ark, they shall be male and female. Of fowls after their kind, and of cattle after their kind, of every creeping thing of the earth after his kind, two of every sort shall come unto thee, to keep them alive. And take thou unto thee of all food that is eaten, and thou shalt gather it to thee; and it shall be for food for thee, and for them. Thus did Noah; according to all that God commanded him, so did he." (Genesis 6: 16-22).

When God beheld the corruption of the antediluvian world and saw the intense and constant wickedness of man's thoughts and deeds, He determined to destroy man from the face of the earth. However, the choice made by man at this time was nothing more than his choice to destroy himself. But during this time there lived Noah, a faithful and upright man, a preacher of righteousness (2 Peter 2:5). By faith he built and ark exactly as the Lord had directed. By faith he collected the animals. By faith he gathered the food. By faith he saved

himself and his family from the awful fate of that generation. The account of Noah serves as an example of how God saves the faithful.

Christians are admonished to "walk by faith and not by sight" (2 Corinthians 5:7), and to "earnestly contend for the faith which was once for all delivered unto the saints" (Jude 3, ASV). Of the children of Israel Paul said, "Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved. For I bear them record that they have a zeal of God, but not according to knowledge. For they being ignorant of God's righteousness, and going about to establish their own righteousness, have not submitted themselves unto the righteousness of God (Romans 10:1-3). All Christians must have explicit faith in God as the Creator of the universe, faith in Christ as the Saviour of mankind and faith in His Word as the infallibly inspired guide in our walk of faith. (2 Timothy 3:16-17). To the church at Philippi Paul wrote, "Nevertheless, whereto we have already attained, let us walk by the same rule, let us mind the same thing" (Philippians 3:16). And the Corinthians he encouraged "by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment" (1 Corinthians 1:10).

The eleventh chapter of Hebrews shows by example that the faith that saves is the faith that obeys, and is further testimony that God does save the faithful. (Revelation 2:10).

Jack T. Lanham  
Church of Christ

### C. H. Lunsford Receives Badge

C. H. Lunsford, Commander of Eugene Bell Post of the American Legion in Baird, received a 100% Commander's Badge from Dept. Commander Jack Flynt this week.

This badge is presented to Post Commanders each year in recognition for signing up the required number of Legion members to meet their annual membership quota.

Dept. Commander Flynt said in recognition of Lunsford's work with the local post, "My most cordial congratulations are extended to you and to all of the members of your post for having attained your 1967 membership quota. This achievement is indicative of the impact your Post is having in your community."

Lunsford stated that this was the fifth or sixth 100% badge he had received and he was very proud that his Post had reached it's membership quota so often while he has served as Post Commander. This is Lunsford's seventh year as Commander.

### Beta Sigma Phi "Match Wits"

Psi Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met March 9 in the home of Mrs. Norman Smith.

"Let's Match Wits," was the program presented by Mrs. Perry Jennings and Mrs. Bill Skinner.

Club members debated on the subject of men or women having made the greater contribution to world progress.

Mrs. Smith hosted the social hour. Present were Mmes. James Isenhower, Norman Smith, Bill Skinner, Frank Windham, Perry Jennings, Tod Newton, Kenneth McPherson, Tommy Holland, Stanley Harris, James Herring, Bill Cummings, Roger Corn, Ray Black and Mrs. Willie Mae Pinchback.

The Feb. 23 meeting, which was held in Wyatt's Cafeteria in Abilene, was a Valentine dinner honoring Valentine Sweetheart, Mrs. Tommy Holland.

Mrs. Kenneth McPherson and Mrs. Mike Bell gave an interesting program on Express Yourself.

Those present were Mmes. Ray Black, Roger Corn, Billy Cummings, Stanley Harris, Tod Newton, James Herring, Tommy Holland, Perry Jennings, Kenneth McPherson, Bill Skinner, Frank Windham, Mike Bell, Norman Smith and James Isenhower.

### COURTHOUSE RECORD

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MRS. IVEY GUEST SPEAKER Program of the Magazine Research Club of Cleburne. Mrs. Lee Ivey, Chairman of Texas Heritage Department of Mesquite District, TFWC, was guest speaker on Thursday, March 16, for the Texas Day

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