1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.

CALLAHAN COUNTY, In

Central West Texas, organized

1877; area 882 square miles,

pop. 11,600. Rolling prairies,

and wooded areas of mesquite

postoak, live oak. Soil sandy

to chocolate loam. Elevation

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BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1947

MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

Historians Meet Here Saturday

or one hundred local citizens rent copy. attending the meeting, the con-

sessions and hear the interest-ter, Sr.; "The Fredonian Rebel- Popham of Clyde and Irvin of ing program. Only those who lion," from Brown's History of Waterville, Calif.; two daughhave made reservations may at- Texas; "The Battle of Adobe ters, Mrs. Opal Maxwell of Antend the luncheon to be served at Walls," by J. Marvin Hunter, son and Mrs. Louis Byrd of Big the Methodist Church basement Sr.; "When General Sherman Spring; two brothers and one

historians will carry out a program that will interest all who attend. At noon the group will go to the basement of the Me-AUDIE WILBOURN WOOD thodist church for the luncheon the close of the meeting, which county. will afford the visitors a chance He was born at Buffalo Gap enjoyed at the noon hour.

page.

C. Stanley Banks of San An- O. V. Murphy of Kilgore. tonio: M. F. Kitchen, Brady: Wm. M. Perce, Texas Tech, Lubbock; GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holden of MEETS MONDAY Texas Tech, Lubbock; Frank Members of the Girl Scout Hayne of Texas Tech, Lubbock; Mrs. Madge M. Garba of Abilene; Rupert N. Richardson, of of Wichita Falls; Wendell Bedi- help in this cause. chek, managing editor of the Reporter-News, Abilene; Mr. and BRIDAL SHOWER GIVEN Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter, Sr., of IN TROWBRIDGE HOME Bandera; and others whose names we do not have.

planning to attend, but we learn of Mrs. J. A. Trowbridge. The that he will not be here due to hostesses were Mmes. Ray Gala heart attack which he suffered laway, Andy Stone, A. W. Giblast week. There will be others son, J. A. Trowbridge and Miss from Albany with two young la- Ida May Glover. dies who will be on the program for musical numbers.

luncheon, which is being prepar- Rouse and Mrs. A. W. Mitchell. ed by the ladies of the Presby- Guests were shown to the candle teran church, of the Callahan lighted dining room by Mrs. Gib-County Club and the Baird Jun- son where Miss Glover served ior Chamber of Commerce, and refreshments from a lace coverevery effort will be made to make ed table, laid with crystal and the visitors feel welcome.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued at the County Clerk's office:

Henry A. Aslton and Marcetina Urizalqui.

Charlie Dale Wirt and Mrs. Mortie Gunn.

B. W. Martin and Gertie Florence Martin,

D. C. Hargrove, Jr., and Mrs. Bessie Lois Cearley. Dalworth J. Jobe and Char-

lotte Margaret Hagerman. G. W. Blakely and Adell Pierce tend.

I. G. Mobley and Mrs. Jewel Green. Jesse M. Pyeatt and Veda Ber-

niece McClellan.

Ethel Leona Kerby. Mrs. Annie Ruth Miller.

Frontier Times For April

the true stories of early Texas history, its frontier life, Indian raids, and the like, the April Saturday, May 3rd, is the day issue of Frontier Times, just off members of the West Texas His- the press, will be found very in-

The contents include "Battle Came to Texas," by I. A. Coston sister. "When the Overland Stages new American Legion Hut, the Rumbled Through Texas, by M. PROGRAM AT METHODIST K. Wyatt; "The Old Line of Tex- CHURCH SUCCESSFUL as Forts," by William C. Stewart.

The passing of Audie Wilbourn and remain there for the remain- | Wood which occurred April 4th | der of the afternoon session. A in Hot Springs, Ark., is mourntrip to Callahan County library ed by a host of friends and lifeand museum will take place at long acquaintences in Callahan

to see what this county is doing April 29, 1910. Having been to preserve historic relics per- reared here, attending Baird taining to Callahan County. This schools, he was known and loved trip will highlight the annual by all the Baird people. Before two-day open house at the lib- leaving here and going to Hot rary and museum which is tak- Sprngs, he was employed in the the day's program were Mmes. home. ing place today and tomorrow. Blue Arrow Service Station for and enjoyed fine success.

R. C. Crane, president of the who survive: his widow, Mrs. English. association, Sweetwater; Miss Ida Wood, one daughter, Audrey, Grace Bitner and party from San two sons, Jerry and Donnie, his HELD FOR FORGERY Angelo; Mrs. Beatrice 'Gay of mother, Mrs. E. L. Wood, two lege, Abilene; Mrs. W. L. Kin- ters, Mrs. C. W. Avery and Mrs. C. Shelton, alias H. T. Ross, to lene. caid of Abilene; S. S. McKay of L. W. Randoll of San Antonio, Baird for the June term of dis-Tech, Lubbock; Ernest Mrs. E. B. Louis and Mrs. Jewel trict court on two charges of Wallace of Texas Tech, Lubbock; Carter of Los Angeles, and Mrs. forgery. Shelton was apprehend- of Dallas spent last weekend music pupils in recitals Tuesday, wore a street length dress of chants of Callahan county are

council and all interested C. R. Simmons of Sweetwater; of Baird are asked to attend a meeting at the home economics rooms at the high school Mon-Hardin-Simmons, Abilene; Will day evening, 8 o'clock, May 5th. H. Jobe, Sweetwater; W. Earl There are important problems to Brown of Abilene Christian Col- discuss for the benefit of scoutlege, Abilene; Bryan Lovelace of ing for Baird girls. You are urg-Wichita Falls; J. W. Williams ed to come to this meeting and

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Blakely were honored with a bridal show-J. R. Webb of Albany was er Thursday night, at the home

Guests were welcomed by Mrs Trowbridge and the bridal book The historians are guests at the was presented by Mrs. Kathleen beautifully decorated in spring flowers.

> Those present were Mmes. J. D. Barnes, J. D. Hunt, H. D. Haworth, Spike Blakely, Sig Blakely, Harry Berry, Bess Jetter, J. C. Collins, A. J. Pierson, Ben Ross, Bess Driskill, Lee Ivey, Ernest Hill, D. J. Anderson, Mae Florence, Ode Berry, Osa Odell, A. V. Curtis, Clifford Curtis, Robert Estes, A. A. Manion, Misses Evelyn Blakely, Dorthy Estes and Ella Virginia White. One hundred twenty-three gifts were sent by friends and relatives who were unable to at-

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. Will Turner of Los Angeles, Calif, left Tuesday after a few days visit with John Harold Steakley and Mrs. Hardy's aunt, Mrs. D. S. Greene. Mr. Turner recently re-John Luther Appleton and turned from the Byrd Expedition to the South Pole.

Last Rites Held

Funeral for John Popham, 69, teresting. Frontier Times is now who died at his home five miles torical Association will come to being published in Baird by the south of Clyde, was held Monday Baird to hold their 23rd annual Baird Star and many of the afternoon at the First Baptist convention. Some fifty members Callahan county people are be- church in Clyde with Rev. Rusfrom various cities throughout coming subscribers. If you are sell Clubb, pastor officiating. Bur-West Texas have signified their not taking Frontier Times re- ial was in Clyde cemetery under George Chrane. intention to attend. With fifty gularly, come in and get a cur- direction of Patterson funeral

Mr. Popham had lived in Big vention promises to be quite a of Palo Duro Canyon" by Ser- Spring before coming to Clyde access. Everyone is invited to geant John B. Charlton; "Lest early this year. He is survived in the morning and afternoon We Forget," by J. Marvin Hun- by his widow; two sons, Alton

The program entitled "Christian and Race" given under direction of the Woman's Society of Christian Service on April DIES AT CLYDE HOME 21st at the First Methodist church was successful and a large crowd attended. The allday meeting opened at 10 a. m. Wesley Tucker in Clyde Satur- young vegetables and left them with Mrs. W. B. Swim as lead- day at 10:10 p. m. er. A covered dish lunchèon was

was given in costume.

T. Baulch, Ace Hickman, M. D. Mrs. Tucker was married to especially after dark. If this For detailed program see the two years. In Hot Springs, he Bell, Cecil West, Irvin Corn, M. O. Tucker in 1895. He died in practice continues, and parents display at the bottom of this entered the cafe business in 1936 Brice Jones, John A. English, May, 1946. Scarpelli, N. A. Waldrop, W. P.

similar charges.

Callahan Trustee Vote Canvassed

Common school trustees elected at polls April 5 in Callahan county as declared by the County county as declared by the County Commissioners court after a can-

Crawford, Clarence Breeding.

Euia - J. W. Patton and Ray N. M. George Young.

Denton - Blanton Scott and Putnam - A. B. Hutchinson,

H. O. Smith, J. D. Isenhower. Belle Plain - S. N. Dunlap, G. L. Kerley.

Norman Coffey. Admiral - Bob Walker.

Crow and Oran Bains. Lanham - Clarence Holt. Norrell Long, Cross Plains, trus- to our building. tees at large; and Clint McIntyre

MRS. ALICE TUCKER

sioner's precinct No. 2.

resident of Clyde for 27 years,

Funeral service were conduct-The pageant, "Color Harmony" church Tuesday at 10 a. m. with property. This work of mischief Indian, Mexican and Oriental, ficiating. Burial was in the children thought they could not Among those to take part on tion of the Patterson funeral Parents should know where their

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harris

GiftsTo Legion

nations.

Lester Farmer R. C. Corn John Schaffrino R. L. Darby L. L. Blackburn Eliska E. Gilliland

Cottonwood - R. F. Joy and presented to the new Legion

The American Legion express-Canvass of returns shows the es its sincere appreciation to the GATTIS-TAYLOR RITES following elected county trustees: many friends who have donated

of Oplin, re-elected in commis-

died at the home of a son, John part of Baird. They have pulled sey at Putnam. uprooted on the ground. They ed from the Clyde Catholic plants and caused damage to Clyde cemetery under the direc- be seen, but they are known. children are at all times, more ter over!

ed in Big Spring last week. He here with Mrs. Harris' sisters, May 6th, and Friday, May 9th, blue crepe, also fashioned with a hereby warned to be sure that is wanted in various counties on Mrs. Eula Walker and Mrs. Cor- at the high school auditorium at drape front. Her corsage was of you know the endorsements on 8 p. m.

Prices Take Tumble Drive For Cancer

All the people of Callahan county are being offered reduced prices by advertisers in the Baird Star. A glance through this The American Legion has re- week's issue will reveal the Oplin - Earl Durham, Elbert cently received the following do- downward trend of prices on hat the nation's No. 1 enemy groceries, dry goods and other cancer - is now under way in \$50.00 articles necessary to household- Callahan county, and every citi-\$25.00 ers and farmers of this county. zen of the county is asked to \$10.00 Look these prices over and let give toward this cause. Statistics \$5.00 these merchants know that you show that there were eighteen \$5.00 appreciate their efforts in bring- deaths due to cancer in this \$1.00 ing prices down. Reduced prices county last year, which is an \$1.00 will be the key note in Callahan unbelievable fact. Every dollar county's prosperity for the next that is contributed in this drive Among the many fine gifts several months, and shoppers will help to save a life. should investigate the price first Harold Ray is finance chairbuilding, another has been added before making any purchase. man for the county. In charge to the collection. Jerry Loper When your merchant is doing all of the various community funds Bayou — J. O. Smedley, B. have given a large console radio he can, a word of approval from are Baird, A. J. Stone at the

ton, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Coffey. Chairman in Mrs. Will Gattis, became the other communities will be ap-WHEN MISCHIEF BECOMES bride Sunday afternoon at 3 p. pointed soon, m., of William Austin (Bill) Taylor, eldest son of Mr. and DOUBLE RITES FOR During the past week a num- Mrs. R. B. Taylor of the Zion CRASH VICTIMS ber of children have caused a Hill community, near Putnam. Double funeral services for Mrs. Alice Irene Tucker, 84, great deal of damage to gar- The ceremony was held in the James Luther Brooks, 19, of dens and flower beds in the west home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ram- Cisco route 4, who died Tuesday

Rev. Orval Reese read the sin- and his brother, Quentin Brooks, gle ring ceremony in a beautiful- 24, Cisco route 4, who was killhave killed valuable flowering by decorated room of pink car- ed instantly when the two were nations and white bridal wreath, in a car-truck collision Sunday the bride's chosen colors, amid night, was held at 2:30 p. m. depicting the Negro, American Father Felderhoff of Abilene of- was done at night while the glow of candle light. Miss Wednesday at Potosi. Marylynn Taylor, sister of the Rev. J. F. Miller of Cross groom, played the traditional Plains and Rev. L. T. Grantham wedding music.

Given in marriage by her bro- in Potosi cemetery. ther, Bill Gattis, the bride wore The younger Brooks was the do not attempt to correct their a street length white crepe dress third victim to die of injuries in Survivors include four sons, children, drastic steps will be fashioned with a front skirt the accident which occurred on Among those who have signi- Friends of the family extend Brightwell, M. L. Stubblefield, John Wesley and Francis B. taken. Residents who take pride drape. She wore a corsage of Long Figure 1997. fied that they will attend are condolence and sympathy to those S. S. Nichols, and Rev. John A. both of Clyde, Otis Marion, Du- in their premises can put up pink carnations. For something lene. Five others were injured. mas and Ronald Tucker, Tulia; with the mischief of neighbor's old, she carried an Irish lace Nancy Eleen Hull, 16, Cisco three stepsons, Arthur and Gus children, but when the mischief handkershief belonging to the route 4, was killed also. Funof Clyde and Martin Tucker of becomes too serious, and parents groom's late grandmother, Mrs. eral services for Miss Hull were Sheriff S. S. Nichols made a Wichita Falls; two stepdaugh- do not attempt to correct them, John Blakley, an early day resi- held Tuesday afternoon in the Santa Anna; Vernie Newman brothers, Floyd of Baird and trip to Big Spring Monday to ters, Mrs. Lena Chapman, View, it is time for the law to step in. dent of Calfahan county. For Scranton Methodist church. and party from McMurry Col- Milton of Hot Springs, five sis- make arrangements to bring W. and Mrs. Hermena Moore of Abi- Parents of Baird, think this mata white Bible.

Miss Jamie Wallace served as Mrs. V. E. Hill presents her the bride's only attendant. She more numerous every day. Mer-2tc. white carnations. Frank D. Tay. the checks you cash, and in no lor, brother of the groom, served case should you cash checks for as best man.

> Only close relatives and a few friends were present.

The bride is a graduate of the COMEDY LOVERS Scranton High School. The groom is also a graduate of Scranton can Legion is sponsoring a Don-High School, attended John Tarthe Pacific.

were hosts for a reception after co, and we understand that they the ceremony. The lace-laid table are trained in the great Ameriwas centered with an arrange- can sport and know the game ment of white bridal wreath and from A to Z. They get a little pink carnations. All appointments stubborn at times and won't play were in crystal. Miss Evelyn as good as they know how, but Blakley of Baird aunt of the the entertainment promises to groom, and Miss Taylor presided give spectators laughs that they at the table. The newlyweds cut never had before. Let's all turn the beautiful three-tiered wedd- out and give the boys and their ing cake, topped with a minia- donkeys a great big hand. ture bride and groom.

was wearing a suit of blue gab- FILM TO SHOW HERE ardine with white accessories.

farming and ranching.

ELECTRIC SIGN TO HANG

Market Street. One by one busi- news films and latest pictures. ness houses in Baird are installing electric signs, which is al- H-S. U. COWGIRL BAND ready one of the best lighted COMING TO BAIRD streets in any town in this ter- The famous Cowgirl band of

to appear at the high school 10 cents will be charged. auditorium Friday morning at 9:45 o'clock. The concert will WOLVES CAUGHT Baird people are invited to at-

A drive for funds to help com-

you will be mighty encouraging. Plaza Theatre; Clyde, John Bailey at the BBB Drug Store; Cross Plains, Mr. Walker at Hig-Miss Dorthy Gattis of Scran- ginbotham's Store; Cottonwood,

of Abilene officiated. Burial was

Hot check artists are becoming strangers.

S. S. Nichols, Sheriff.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR

The local post of the Amerikey Baseball game at the Baird leton College, and served two high school football field today, years in the Army, one year in (Friday, May 2nd) at 8 p. m. The donkeys are owned by Carl Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey Graves and Bill Swindle of Cis-

For the wedding trip, the bride TEXAS CITY DISASTER

A short film showng the Texas After the honeymoon, the City disaster will be shown at the couple will be at home in Scran- Plaza Theatre Sunday and Monton, where the groom will be day. All the people of this comassociated with his father in munity will be interested in seeing the scenes of the blast that resulted in 461 known dead and thousands injured, with property OVER SUTPHEN MOTOR CO. damage running into the mil-A handsome electric sign will lions. Plaza Theatre takes its soon be installed over Sutphen place among the leading show Motor Company to add to the places of the country to bring brilliance of the night scene on local theatre goers up-to-date

ritory. Sutphen Motor Company, Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, will be the newly constructed home of at the Baird high school Monday, Dodge-Plymouth dealer in Baird, May 5th, at 9 a. m. Beside their is modern in every respect and usual entertainment, a number is a credit to the business dis- of added attractions will be given. Among the special features will be Johnnie Reagan with his McMurry College Chanters are rope twirling act. Admission of

be very enjoyable and all the L. Maldon caught a female wolf with nine pups last Tuestend. No admission will be charg- day night. The catch was made on the McFarland ranch.

West Texas Historians Will Meet In Baird

The 23rd annual convention of he West Texas Historical Association will be held in Baird, Texas, on Saturday, May 3rd. The opening session will be held at the newly constructed American Legion Hut, beginning at 9:30 a. m. with Miss Hybernia Grace presiding. At noon the associaion will be guests of the Callahan County Club and the Baird Junior Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

MORNING SESSION

Miss Hybernia Grace, presiding

9:30—Words of Greeting	J. Marvin Hunter, Jr.
9:35—Response	R. C. Crane
9:40—"Fort Elliott, Texas"	
10:10-"Early Days in Callahan County"	Mrs. L. L. Blackburn
10:40—Special Music	
10:50—"The Lottie Denno I Knew"	J. Marvin Hunter, Sr.
11:20 "Indian Episodes in Callahan County (Member of Baird Chapter Ju	Jimmy West

12:00 LUNCHEON

Basement, First Methodist Church, sponsored by JayCees and Callahan County Club

President R. C. Crane presiding for business session

AFTERNOON SESSION

J. W. Williams, presiding 1:30—"Some Phases of Bexar County History" C. Stanley Banks

2:10-"Comanche Folk Stories" Ernest A. Wallace 2:40-"Colonel William Fenner Henderson, the Founder

Col. Harry M. Henderson of Corsicana" 3:10-"Colonization of the Halsel Ranch" Frank Haynes

ADJOURNMENT

TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS CAUSE GUFFAWS

The nation roared when Mrs. Roosevelt's syndicated column carried the line:

"After supper with the men, we went back to dress."

printing press, typographical er- believed him." rors and printed statements sus- Then there was the literal ceptible of different interpreta- minded printer who received an tions have been the cause of uni- order over the telephone orderversal merriment to say nothing ing a ribbon for a funeral of a great amount of personal wreath.

typographical errors and em- tomer directed. And that's just barassing printed statements is what he got. When the ribbon contained in an article by Mor- was delivered it read: ton Sontheimer in the April is- "Rest in peace on both sides." sue of Good Housekeeping magazine. A few of the more glar- SURPRISE PARTY FOR ing ones, culled from the press MRS. O. B. JARRETT of the country, follow:

be missing - pretty Winifred a dinner prepared by her childappeared in the New York re- Sunday, April 27th. Those pre- the P. H. Eubanks home. districting.'

amount \$37.80."

furnished. Venetian blonds."

noses.'

"No date has been set for the days.

bedding of the couple."

"Congress probes high cost of loving."

"The picture was posed by his two-headed son."

"The rain descends with the force of water from a fire horse." Ever since the invention of the "And them asses (the masses)

"I want it to read 'Rest in A compendium of ludicrous Peace' on both sides," the cus-

Mrs. O. B. Jarrett was sur-"Only one of the old bloc will prised on her 75th birthday with Stanley of Buffalo. Her seat dis- ren prepared at her home on sent were her husband, O. B. "The members of St. John Bap- Jarrett, Mrs. Sam Black of Ft. in bed . . and had a lovely rett and Mrs. Felter of Big Quienton Brooks was killed, inmeeting . . reports were good; Spring, Mr. and Mrs. John Finto, Jured his brother seriously, also

Mr. and Mrs. Packwood of Ran
There were several days of Spring and Mrs. Felter of Big Quienton Brooks was killed, injured his brother seriously, also that lots of women wear nothing Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. "Dew drops of freshly blown Lee and Bobbie Ruth, all of Baird. Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett have day church services were chang-

MOTHER'S DAY - MAY 11

GIVE HER FLOWERS

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Admiral Items

Admiral Audibles An Authority On All Actions Always. Mrs. A. R. Dallas

Our community was saddened to read of the car wreck Sunday

The time of our regular Sun-But he will be here next Sunday. Capistrano?" Everybody keep that date in mind and come to church next TROOP 1 NEWS

community Sunday evening.

hope she is better now.

Let's set a day real soon for a lot of cleaning that needs to and adjourned to meet Monday, Following annual custom, the be done. All who are interested May 6. in helping clean up the cemetery, watch for a date in this column.

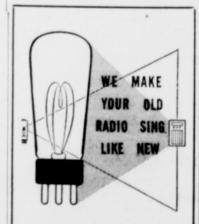
The grain crops sure look ine now since all the nice rain to have had. Some say we need a lot more moisture.

NOTICE!

I am interested in conducting a sewing class for adults during a five-week period beginning on May 26th, if there is enough demand for it among the women of Baird and its surrounding area. Classes would be held two or three times a week and the time of the meetings would depend upon when the majority of the women desiring instruction could come. If you are interestthe next week. If you write me be sure to state what days of the week you would prefer and also the time of day which would be more convenient for you.

I would appreciate hearing from anyone who is interested in some type of instruction other than sewing and if there is enough demand for it, a class might be organized to fit that need or I would be happy to give individual help.

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BETTY OBJECTS

Whatever sterling qualities are attributed to Betty Hutton-and there are many-the quality of self-restraint is not one of them. Berry, director of "Cross My tist Church met with the paster Worth, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jar-night in Abilene, in which Heart," due for Sat. Prevue, Sun-

There were several days of injured his sister, Another girl, shooting courtroom scenes in dressy wear. But so serviceable ing and Mrs. Carl Browning of a friend of tehirs, was also kill- which is was necessary to film Brown and daughter, Jenice, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swinson and fam-"Attractive room—Everything and Mrs. Bob Swinson and famurnished. Venetian blonds." and Mrs. Bob Swinson and famurnished. Venetian blonds." and Mrs. Bob Swinson and famurnished. Will be theirs also in this dark hour. Holding Betty exclusively to panual statements of their statements of their statements.

"She had tight bridesmaids at made their home in Baird for 32 ed for the month of May, to be On several occasions, when the years and her host of friends on the first and third Sundays, prosecution scored a point, Bet-"Glen Collins was bent man." wish her many more happy birth- Also a leave of absence was ty was merely to gulp, but when granted to Bro. Hughes for the she was asked to repeat the pro-2nd Sunday in June, as he will ceedure on the subsequent day, be in meetings alsewhere and Betty yelled indignantly, "Ancan't be with us at that time. other swallow? What is this,

Bro. S. A. Hughes preached elected the following officers these services, both Sunday morning and night when they met Monday, April last Sunday and visited in our 28th: Betty Jean Havens was 52 STUDENTS TO RECEIVE elected president; Joan Havens; MEDICAL DEGREES Norma Lee Hughes, youngest vice-president; Mary Durham, daughter of Bro. Hughes, was secretary; Wanda Floyd, reportsick Sunday with the flu. We er; and Era Belle Looney, pro- Southwestern Medical College, at gram chairman.

working the cemetery. There is pared by the Lovebird Patrol, uating exercises June 3.

left Saturday for Wainsboro, enrollment of 337 students, in-Tenn., where they attended the cluding 118 post graduates. funeral of Mr. Thompson's bro- Among those of this year's Thursday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

A. A. Davis, Pastor

In keeping with our custom for the past several years, next Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Black and The blonde bombshell is famous, Sunday, being the first Sunday family were Sunday visitors in among other things, for her in May, has been designated as boundless energy and vitality, Senior Day with the Baptist which posed a problem for John Church. The graduating class, faculty and school board members are invited to be special guests of the church at the 11 a. m. service. We are extending a general invitation to the public, one and all, to attend that service. Regular services will be held also at 7:30 p. m.

We all believe in our school, our faculty and the school board. tomime was really something, ac- Theirs is a very vital work. Ofttime we simply take things for granted, brush aside sacred responsibilities and fail to speak among them several boys who and son, Larry, of Pecos, arrived up in words and deeds of en- were district champions. Jones Tuesday for a few days visit couragement and assistance to those involved in worthwhile tasks. As a church, and all our churches are agreed on this point, we believe we ought to register our approval of every worthwhile task in life. If you are not otherwise engaged for Troop 1 of the Girl Scouts the day, we invite you to attend

Plans are being formed at Dallas for conferring medical de-We enjoyed refreshments pre- grees upon 52 students at grad-

> graduation ceremony will be held Wanda Floyd, reporter. in McFarlin Auditorium at S. M. U.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thompson The school presently has an

ther-in-law. They arrived home class is Jim Tom Lawrence of Baird.

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ALL-STAR BOXING BOUTS

ter weight boxer of Baird, has been named as one of the fighters who will participate in the All-Star Boxing Bouts to be held DRS. McGOWEN ATTENDING at the Fair Park Supper Club in Abilene on May 5th. M/Sgt. Wal-Club Boys Ranch, have high re- Kerrville and went to Corp ponent for any welter weight ing home. through this sector. Jones has won seven of his last nine bouts, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson can be remembered for his out- here

OSCAR JONES TO FIGHT IN standing fights with Abilene's Bill Rogers and Frank Skinner, Oscar Jones, hard hitting wel- who defeated Jones by an un-

By GRAHAM HUNTER

CONVENTION

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen, ter W. Wright, US Army Re- Dr. and Mrs. M. T. McGowen of cruiting Sergeant in Abilene and Quanah, and Dr. and Mrs. Henry Shorty Lawson, assistant coach McGowen of Abilene, are attendfor Abilene High School, who ing the Dental Convention in are associate promoters for these San Antonio this week. Dr. and bouts, from which all proceeds Mrs. M. C. McGowen visited her will go to benefit the Optimist sister, Mrs. Jewel Swofford a' gard for Jones' punching power Christi to visit another sister. and feel that he is a worthy op- Mrs. J. M. Crow, before return-

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OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S sworn to assess said damages County Judge of Callahan Counfairly and impartially, and in ac- ty, Texas. cordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for the 21st day of April, A. D. 1947. hearing said parties on the matter, the Office of the County On this the 21st day of April, Judge of Callahan County, Tex-A. D. 1947, Fred W. Stacy, S. as, at Baird, Texas, in said Coun-S. Harville and J. A. Yarbrough, ty on the 9th day of June, A. D. Special Commissioners, appointed 1947; a copy of this order shall be served upon the defendant, J. of J. H. Cooper by reason of the H. Cooper, by publishing the construction, reconstruction, and same in some newspaper publishopening of Highway No. 80, up. ed in Callahan County, Texas, on, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which to said Defendant(s) and each of is here made, to which real es- them, to appear at said time and cattle problem on their hands. tate the fee simple title is in the place at Ten o'Clock, A. M., at In a report received by the said J. H. Cooper as is more the Court House for the purpose County Agents Office, entomolifully set out in said petition of of offering any evidence he may gists of the U. S. Department of the State of Texas, acting by desire as to the amount of dam. Agriculture state that they have and through the Commissioners' ages to be assessed against the discovered in Florida and Texas Court of Callahan County, Texas, State of Texas, and to be paid an African cattle parasite, the vs. J. H. Cooper filed with the to the said J. H. Cooper (and Honorable County Judge of Caleach of them respectively) for that heavy infestations of the

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE Commissioners having been original petition filed with the

WITNESS OUR HANDS this Fred W. Stacy

S. S. Harville J. A. Yarbrough Special Commissioners Apr. 25, May 2,-9,-16.

County Agriculture Agent's Column By A. R. Grote, Jr.

Stockmen may have another "Tail Louse." The scientists say day of April, A. D. 1947, said land described in said Plaintiff's tle production. The lice sap cattle of their vitality and can make them too weak to walk if infested heavily.

animal's tail, and Florida cat- groves. tlemen have named it the "tail Entemologists have worked mission capacity, \$1,732,100; delouse." Stockmen can recognize out a new spray mixture that hydration, cycling and gasoline serious infestations by the mat- has given the case bearer plenty plants to treat gas and promote ted appearance of the animal's of trouble. The mixture is com- conservation, \$1,071,650; supple-

that spray containing 1.5 per fate and 3 quarts of summer oil chinery and tools and building cent DDT in a wettable powder- emulsion in 100 gallons of wa- improvements, \$986.105. ed form, have proved to be ef- ter. The old spray mixture that Healthy growth of Lone Star's fective means of controlling the growers have used for a long territory is indicated by the fact louse. They state that although time is still effective - six lbs. that the company added more the tail is the central point of lead arsenate in 100 gallons than 23,000 customers during the where the lice gather, spraying of water. DDT is also showing past year. Total operating expenthe entire animal thoroughly is much promise against the case ses increased by \$1,132,019 in advisable. One and one-half to bearer. Six pounds of 50% wet- 1946 over the previous year. The two pints of spray per animal table powder to 100 gallons of tax bill was \$6,486,087 and repis usually enough to do the job. water is the recommended mix- resented approximately \$1.50 out

that have hampered health since jeties after the nuts are set and HIGHEST IN HISTORY Adam and Eve. Flies are the then come back and spray the Operating revenues of the

lahan County, rural and urban, the nut case bearer. have never had the chance they have this spring to make war LONE STAR TO SPEND on flies. DDT has proved itself a \$9,500,000 FOR EXTENSIONS

trash cans in the rear of stores, one of which is Baird. and Pacific freight revenue of and in the home, 21/2 to 5% Anticipated expenditures for \$40,602,376 was the highest of

the fight against flies early, the less bother we'll have with flies of the projects already are un- Total revenue tonnage for 1946

Pecan growers, from the man with two trees in his back yard ditures: service lines, street were \$42,441,477, or 75.92 per to the man with a commercial grove, may want to join in on a fight to grow more nuts this

The battle going on is against an insect called the pecan nut case bearer, and he is a tough little enemy. The nut case bearer sometimes destroys up to threefourths of the total Texas pecan crop. However, the insect can be controlled by spraying at the

The effective spraying period against the nut case bearer is short, and it varies with the In general, however,

MARKETING
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What's on my mind today? The same thing that's probably on every housewife's...spring cleaning! But I'm not going to let it get me down, and I hope you won't let it get you down either. That's why I want to share some of my petlabor-saving ideas with you. Try them and see if they don't make it easy to take it easy!

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How the louse got to the Uni- growers have found that spray- mains, meters, regulators and ted States is a question, the en- ing as soon as possible after other facilities for serving customologists say. Previously, it the nuts have set is effective. tomers, \$3,279,513; acquiring was known to exist only in West When the blossom end of the nut leases and drilling wells to in-Africa, where it was discovered turns brown, it is time to start sure adequate gas supply for in 1915. It has been more re- the spraying campaign. This many years, \$2,560,230; pipe stage of growth is coming up line construction from and in gas The lice infact the brush of the soon in most of Callahan's pecan fields to tap additional reserves

ture. There you have three sprays of every customer bill rendered - use the one you can get the each month. A nation wide drive is under- material for and watch your way to kill out millions of pests trees. If you have several var- T & P OPERATING EXPENSE

Most recent research has cipates expenditures of more details of the Texas and Pacishown that the worst of the dis- than \$9,500,000 for extensions fic operations for last year are ease carrying flies can be kill- and additions to physical proper- revealed in the 75th Annual Reed by spraying DDT around the ties this year to meet the grow- port which was released here toplaces where flies rest. Farmers ing requirements for service, day, should use DDT around the pig President D. A. Hulcy has an- Despite work stoppages, freight pens, milking sheds, barns and nounced. This amount has been embargoes during periods of lots and in the towns in the budgeted for construction and coal shortage and the generally county, city oficials should urge equipment over the gas system unsettled conditions of Amerithe spraying of garbage cans and comprising 321 towns and cities, can industry during 1946, Texas

DDT is very effective against additions during 1947 will top ex-houseflies. additions during 1947 will top ex-penditures for similar purposes and passenger revenue of \$9,858,-The more people that get in during the last year by about 257 was considerably higher than \$500,000, Mr. Hulcy said. Some any peacetime year since 1920. der way, while others will be was 15,982,660 tons and Texas started when materials are avail- and Pacific trains carried 1,922,-

and to provide additional transposed of six pounds of lead ar- menting existing facilities, such The USDA entomologists say senate, 1 pint of nicotine sul- as automotive equipment and ma-

late varieties after they set their Texas and Pacific Railway for The people of Texas and Cal- nuts for most effective control of 1946 were the highest of any peacetime year in the history of the railroad, and the total wage payments for the year were the highest of any year in the rail-Lone Star Gas Company anti- road's history. These and other

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The role the Texas and Pacific Use stationery by The Star. has played in the industrial dereflected in the report that since May 16, 1945, a total of 360 new industries have been established along the railroad. The jars of your druggist or estimated plant investment of

cent of total operating revenues, these 360 industries in \$31,224,as compared with 58.38 per cent 000 and approximately 9,600 perof operating revenues for 1945. sons have found employment in

Mrs. L. L. Atchley, Mrs. H. E. road's funded debt, and that since Baldridge, Jr., and Mrs. H. M. January 1, 1943, the Texas and Burleson attended the 7th Dis-

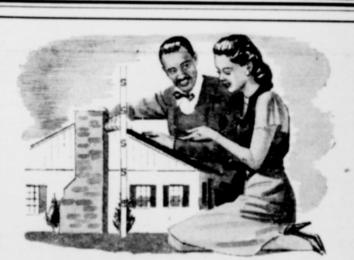
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The promise of "plentiful" meat this summer, at lower prices, comes from Department of Agriculture, which reports that eleven Corn Belt States are feeding for market thirteen per cent more cattle than at this time last year.

This is interesting to Baird meat buyers, but they would be mistaken if they assume that meat prices will automatically drop. Experienced packers insist that the price of meat is fixed by the consuming public. As long as the buyers are ready to gobble up available supplies at existing prices, there will be no reduction.

ECONOMIC STRAIN AND PRICES

The "tremendous upheaval in prices" that occurred during the last year has subjected the nation's "economy and whole social fabric to stresses and strains," declares Mr. Emil Schram, president of the New York Stock Exchange.

The present period offers a test of "our ability to act without either political or economic compulsion," declares the Stock Exchange head, who insists that Government, as well as business, labor and the farmer, must help in bringing down the price level. He considers increased production a prime need and the only way to lift , our living standards.

We are inclined to believe that the statements quoted reflect the present condition of American economy. Moreover, there has been a tendency on the part of all concerned to blame the other fellow. Despite advice from President Truman and business leaders to cut prices, and the examples of a few important concerns, there has that reductions are a prime necessity.

The background behind our economic condition is the fear, visible in other countries besides our own, that there will be a repitition of the collapse in this country, similar to that following the first World

REVOLUTIONIZED PRODUCTION

The death of Henry Ford removes an industrial giant who contributed mightily to the social and economic revolution that followed the widespread distribution of automobiles in the United States.

Mr. Ford, by virtue of introducing mass production assembly lines, made the automobile available to the common man. By so doing, he made possible the widespread use of the motor vehicle that has now become a necessity to Americans.

It should be noted, in regard to the fortune amassed by Mr. Ford, that he made without benefit of tariffs and similar subsidies. By giving a good product to the public at a price that was lower than his competitors for many years, the Ford automobile sold like hot cakes, creating a prosperity for the industrialist and his company, a family affair.

There is general recognition that the auto-builder represents the supreme success of his era. Because of his accomplishments, production method in this country have been altered, never to revert to the ancient method. His death brings a touch of sorrow to many millions of Americans, who, without the car bearing his name, would not have been able to share the great invention which means so much to modern life in the United States.

EROSION A PERIL

People who have wondered why the ancient powers of the earth suffered collapse will find their answer in a recent remark of Clinton A. Anderson, Secretary of Agriculture.

Calling attention to the fact that half of this country's farm lands have been seriously injured by soil erosion, which is estimated to cost the nation close to \$4,-000,000,000 a year, Mr. Anderson states that China, Babylon, Greece and Rome, once great powers, had their downfall be-

cause of soil erosion. This is an interesting statement and emphasizes one that is just as important. A conservation expert recently declared that the civilization and existence of the human race absolutely depend upon the few inches of top soil on the earth. Erosion is the process by which nature destroys the top soil and thereby the fertility of

TORNADOES TERRIFIC

the land.

The tornado which spread death and destruction throughout Western Texas and Oklahoma represents one of the most powerful demonstrations of nature. A witness said that it struck with "a loud swishing noise, like the rush of escaping steam, and that he could see "automobiles, barrels merchandise of all kinds whipping up the NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE opening of Highway No. 80, up- PALOMINO SELLS FOR

The tornado gets its name from the Spanish language and the word means State of Texas vs. B. F. Clark petition, reference to which is by Perry Hughes was sold last a turning about." Often referred to as a In the County Court of Callahan here made, to which real estate week to L. C. Wilson of Brown-"twister," the tornado seems to be a mam- County, Texas, April Term, A. D. the fee simple title is in the wood, for \$1,500. The horse is a moth edition of the smaller whirlwinds 1947. that often attract attention on warm days. Whether its destruction is caused altogether by the force of the wind or whether Harville and J. A. Yarbrough, through the Commissioners' the tornado produces something of a vacuum, causing structures to explode from by the Court to assess damages vs. H. J. Burns filed with the Olney, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat the inside pressure of the air, is not al- of B. F. Clark by reason of the Honorable County Judge of Cal- Bounds of Abilene, were guests

together known, Some eye witnesses to tornadoes be- opening of Highway No. 80, up- day of April, A. D. 1947, said on Tuesday of last week. lieve that the whirling tunnel bounces on, across, and through certain Commissioners having been along the earth. The record of destruction real estate described in Plain- sworn to assess said damages sometimes indicates that the force dips tiff's petition, reference to which fairly and impartially, and in along the surface but wherever it touches, the destructive force is terrific.

IS ANY UNDERSTANDING WITH RUSSIA POSSIBLE?

Henry A. Wallace, former Vice-Presi- as, vs. B. F. Clark filed with A. D. 1947; a copy of this order dent, thinks that a third World War is the Honorable County Judge of shall be served upon H. J. Burns, inevitable unless the United States and Callahan County, Texas, on the by publication in some news-Russia reach an understanding.

The truth of the matter is that a third said Commissioners having been County, Texas, for four succes-World War is inevitable if the Communist- sworn to assess said damages sive weeks and such publication dominated regime at Moscow is not willing fairly and impartially, and in ac- shall be notice to said Defendto forego the use of pressure tactics in its cordance with law, do hereby ap- ant(s) and each of them, to apexpansionist campaign.

it is perfectly natural for the Russians to ter, the Office of the County House for the purpose of offerwant to expand and that it is their right to Judge of Callahan County, Texas, ing any evidence he may desire seek to promote Communist economics at Baird, Texas, in said County as to the amount of damages to throughout the world. The extension and on the 9th day of June, A. D. be assessed against the State of the promotion, however, must be done 1947; a copy of this order shall Texas, and to be paid to the said through peaceful means and neither ob- be served upon the defendant, H. J. Burns (and each of them jective can rely upon the Red Army or B. F. Clark by publishing the respectively) for the right-ofupon any form of pressure, insofar as same in some newspaper publish- way and strip of land described neighboring powers are concerned.

For ourselves, we have no idea that the for four consecutive weeks and tion filed with the County Judge United States would be interested in mak- such publication shall be notice ing a loan to Greece or Turkey if the only of said Defendant(s) and each threat that confronted these countries was of them, to appear at said time the 21st day of April, A. D. 1947. based upon the argument and persuasion and place at Ten o'Clock, A. M., to be found in the record of Communism at the Court House for the purn Russia. The situation in the Near East pose of offering any evidence he is that the Russians have attempted to may desire as to the amount of take advantage of their supreme power and damages to be assessed against encourage Communist minorities in the State of Texas, and to be other lands to seek control by methods paid to the said B. F. Clark (and TYPEWRITER PAPER and rib which deny the freedom and liberties of each of them respectively) for other peoples.

of permitting the pressure politics of Rus- original petition filed with the been nothing like a general realization, sia to steadily expand the Russian sphere of influence or of rendering some assis- ty, Texas. tance to nations that cannot stand alone. Russian influence, as used in the last sentence, carries with it the control of the economic resources of the regions attached to the Russian sphere. This means, in the event that the Russian leaders decide to risk war, the greater their sphere of influence, the greater the natural and human resources available to the Kremlin for NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE the purpose of war.

Since the United States is not engaged in a similar effort to encompass the human and natural resources of other areas, it must either check the Russian process or, eventually find itself hopelessly defi- 1947. cient in comparison with the Soviet. Moreover, very little has occurred to indicate that the Russian leaders have any desire to cooperate with the rest of the world upon a live-and-let-live basis.

The word democracy used freely by both the United States and Russia carries far different meanings. In Russia there is no sition party, no opposition press, no fundamental rights of a political minority are respected and the test of patriotism, as well as democracy, is only whether an individual supports the program of the Kremlin dictators.

COTTON CRISIS AHEAD

Mechanical cotton pickers and flame weeders are expected to revolutionize cotton growing the United States, with big operators, who can buy the equipment, expecting lush profits before the staple drops

The serious aspect of the situation is that cotton cultivation now gives employment to close to nine million people in the cotton growing states. What is going to happen to these workers? It is a question that demands consideration before the South faces a huge labor surplus and much unemployment.

PLEASES TAX CHISELLERS

Income tax chisellers will be glad to hear that the Bureau of Internal Revenue has been forced to give dismissal notices to 8,-200 agents, hired about a year ago, to check up income tax returns.

The men were hired and trained to meet the heaviest wave of income tax cheating in history. According to the Treasury, their work resulted in the collection of \$600,000,000 of additional taxes, penalties and interest last year.

Inasmuch as the salaries and expenses of the 8,200 agents amounted to only \$30,-000,000, it would seem to be wise for the Government to keep them on the job.

We think that the Bureau of Internal Revenue should receive every encouragement in checking up on those who try to beat the Government on the income tax. In every section of the nation, including Callahan County, the Government loses considerable revenue because of faulty income tax returns.

Unless they can be checked and those who make them know they will be checked, declarations will be skinned and the Government will continue to lose money.

On this the 21st day of April set out in said petition of the by all horse lover who see him. A. D. 1947, Fred W. Stacy, S. S. State of Texas, acting by and Special Commissioners, appointed Court of Callahan County, Texas, daughter, Jamie Catherine, of construction, reconstruction, and lahan County, Texas, on the 21st of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bounds is here made, to which real es- accordance with law, do hereby tate the fee simple title is in the appoint as the time and place said B. F. Clark as is more fully for hearing said parties on the set out in said petition of the matter, the Office of the County used-or your money back. Worth \$1.50 State of Texas, acting by and Judge of Callahan County, Tex- but costs only 75c at your Druggist or through the Commissioners' as, at Baird, Texas, in said Court of Callahan County, Tex- County on the 9th day of June, 21st day of April, A. D. 1947, paper published in Callahan point as the time and place for pear at said time and place at Every American should understand that hearing said parties on the mat- Ten o'Clock, A. M., at the Court ed in Callahan County, Texas, in said Plaintiff's original petithe right-of-way and strip of The United States faces the alternative land described in said Plaintiff's

County Judge of Callahan Coun-WITNESS OUR HANDS this the 21st day of April, A. D. 1947. Fred W. Stacy

S. S. Harville J. A. Yarbrough Special Commissioners Apr. 25, May 2,-9,-16.

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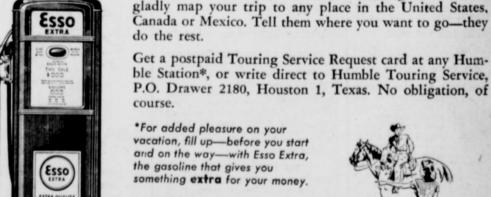
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Rowden Round-Up Community Activities Reliably Recorded by The Star Reparter. By Dorris McClain

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bruce and Cleota of Putnam visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McClain Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Redden and daugh- er has not yet been announced. ters, Lavania and Celeta of Abilene, Mr. Scar of Abilene, Katy Brown were honored with a Swafford and Claude Redden vis- birthday dinner Sunday. Those ited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin attending were: Mrs. Lillie

tor in Baird Monday.

Bayou school Monday.

Jackie Straley and Lloyd den Monday.

J. B. Gamble, the superinten- pretty, seniors. dent of Bayou, will be going to Houston this weekend. He has

LET'S WORK

rogether

What Is Management?

Management is as old as the hills. There is nothing compli-

cated about it at all. It is a natural function of human society.

A man and a woman marry, set up housekeeping, and raise a

They manage as they buy a home, educate the children, plant

a garden, pick out a car, a refrigerator, a piano. A hundred decisions a day around the house are management decisions. Management occurs at all levels in government, charity, education, lodge. It is the plumber with his helper, the elevator

starter, the superintendent of schools, the master of the grange.

But in America, management probably has had its most scien-

Business management, even before World War I, helped build

up a volume of production surpassing that of any other nation.

In World War II, the results were even more spectacular.

By 1941, the value of an hour of work in terms of the staple

necessities of life, bread and butter, had so been raised that an

American could buy from two to eight times as much as a

man in Europe. This didn't just happen. Neither the men and

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taught at Bayou three weeks and the students regret to see him

Most students will be glad when May 9th gets here as the school term expires then. Graduation services will be Friday night, May 9th. The guest speak-

Reese Turner and Glen Dora Swafford, Marjorie Ann Goodfel-Ray Boen was a business visi-low, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown, Freddie and LaNell, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited the Mrs. Perry Zenns and Ruth of

Steakly of Oplin visited in Row- proudly wearing their rings they health they were unable to live received last week. They are very alone. We shall miss them.

Mrs. Bob Darby of Baird visi- Cheryl, of Abilene; Tommie ted her mother, Mrs. Mattie Grace and L. Harmon of Abilene; Gibbs Monday.

Cottonwood Chips Community Clatter Carefully Col-lected for Your Consideration. Hazel I. Respess

vis of Cisco were visiting here ver.

ing in Abilene Tuesday.

Sipe Springs and the honorees. week to be with their son-in-law, car wreck. The Seniors at Bayou are now E. M. Clark. In their failing

Putnam, visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey Wednesday.

Miss Wilda Jones in Abiline over the weekend.

S. A. Moore came home for a hort visit from Goldsmith where he and Virs. More have been and son, Gary, of Omaha, Neb., with th i. son and wife for some

Among those who attended the Senior play at Scranton Friday night were Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick and son Danny, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Gilleland, Beulah and Hazel Respess.

Mrs. W. O. Peevy was given a surprise birthday dinner Sunday by Mrs. R. S. Peevy. Those who enjoyed the dinner with her were derwent appendectomy Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peevy of and is reported doing nicely. Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

rial Services Sunday, May 4th. Alexander of Baird and the ma-The program will start at 10.00 ternal grandparents are Mr. and o'clock in the morning. The Mrs. Frances Read, Muncie, Ind. Memorial sermon will be held Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McGowen in the morning and the program are happy over the arrival of a continued in the afternoon.

Greenville, daughter of Mr. and babe are doing fine. Mrs. L. W. Banta, visited in the J. C. Blalock, Clyde, who en-Banta home over the weekend. tered the hospital the 26th for son, Joe, visited Mr. and Mrs. the 30th improving Fate Garrett at Pioneer Sun- Chas. Flippen of Clyde enter-

Miscellaneous Melange and Minor.

Mention of Men and Women.

By Mrs W. B. Tarver

at this writing.

Tom Masterson, Clyde, entered the hospital for medical

Bob Strickland of H-S U. preached for us Sunday. The Den, and Bill Davis, also of H-S lectomy the 30th. U., were in our midst.

A party Friday night, May 3, along splendidly. is being given here. Everyone Wallace Johnson, Oplin, unis invited. If you have any can- derwent surgery the 28th and is ned foods, bedding, shoes, cloth- getting along nicely. ing or any other donations you wish to contribute to be sent to farly well the past few days. Texas City sufferers, please bring Mrs. Sam Wristen is receiving them at this time. Please have medical treatment.

Mrs. Joel Griffin called on treatment.

Mrs. Rogers Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers called and took Mr. and Mrs. Burk- She is improving. low to church Wednesday night at Clyde.

Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. proving. guests Tarver and daughter,

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Mrs. R. D. White of Lorraine; Mrs. Alvin Smith and children, Martha Rae and Mary Jo of Roscoe; Mrs. L. E. Robinson and Mrs. Tony Sawyer of Colorado held Sunday, April 27, with Rev. and Mrs. Haynie Gilliland visi-City; and Charlene White of J. D. Holt of Denton Valley ted Hayne Gilliland at Legion save them so easily. It is an acid-Lorraine. Mrs. White and Mrs. bringing the message. The Com- Sunday of last week. They report dextrose solution that has proven

Mrs. J. F. Coffey and Mr. and repapering and parting their Poindexter, Lavell Lambert, Bil-ren visited Mrs. Carl Daniels Remember this, Cocci-Dine must Mrs. J. F. Correy and S. Remember inis, Cocci-Dine must a way of being contagious, too. Johnson.

One of our oldest citizens Mr. Byrd, a former resident The following out-of-town vi- Elroy Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gafford mov- of this community, has passed sitors attended the Baccalaureate ed over to Cross Plains last on. Mr. Byrd was injured in a Service: Mr. and Mrs. S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis of McElroy in Ballinger Sunday of Coleman. and Monday.

Miss Lessie Jo Wood visited day of last week for her home ty Hospital. in Snyder after a weekend visit with Mrs. Hugh Ross.

> Mr. and Mrs. Scott Simpson are weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ault and family.

Hospital Notes

Plains, who recently underwent and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and surgery, is getting along just family Sunday.

Miss Joye Johnson, Clyde, un-

John Collier is the name of the Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Orean little son born the 28th to Mr. days last week, Mrs. Fincher's Peevy and Lonnie, and Mrs. Will and Mrs. John C. Alexander of mother, Mrs. Campbell and son Ray of Baird. Mrs. Peevy was Breckenridge. He weighed 7 lbs. 14 ounces. The paternal grand-A correction as to the Memo- parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

son born the 28th, weighing 7 Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lilly of pounds, 10 ounces. Mother and

Mr. and Mrs. Coe Garrett and medical treatment, was dismissed

ed the 29th as a medical patient. Ira Ray, Clyde, is a medical patient and feeling some better

J. S. Gamble is doing fine. Tom Odom underwent tonsil-

Mrs. N. E. McGee is getting

Mrs. Lola Murphy is feeling

clothing clean and in good re- N. A. Waldrop was a medical

patient several days recently. Mosley visited her moth- Mrs. Jessie Smart, Cross'

Mrs. J. W. Lambert, Clyde, entered the hospital the 25th.

Mrs. John Hill, who was a medical patient for several days, The Tarvers had as their has returned to her home im-

> Mrs. R. J. Young, Cottonwood, returned to her home the 28th, feeling a little better.

Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Clyde, entered the hospital the 30th for medical treatment.

Miss Virginia Gray is a medical patient.

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The Baccalaureate service was Mrs. Olson and Mrs. Irb Da- Smith are sisters of Mrs. Tar- mencement Exercises will be held that his condition is improving. May 2nd, with four Seniors re-Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rogers are ceiving diplomas. They are Bill

> ***************** Monroe and S. D. Jr., of Lawn, Mrs. Harold Ford and daugh-Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray ter of Tuscola, Misses Wilma Mcvisited Mrs. Gray's father, J. T. Bride and Lola Mae Poindexter

Wallace Johnson had an appendectomy operation Monday Mrs. C. R. Cockrell left Mon- afternoon at the Callahan Coun-

> Bro. and Mrs. Clifton Hancock and Nell Connel attended church services at the Baptist Church Sunday night. Bro. Hancock brought the message.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Byers are visiting their son, Bailey, who lives at Pyote.

Mrs. Lloyd Connel and children of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lowell, Cross Mrs. Luther Johnson visited Mr.

> Clyde Floyd, who has been in the hospital, is back at home and

> Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Fincher had as their guests for a few

Mrs. W. J. Lambert is in the Callahan County Hospital for



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MAY 4 & 5 LATEST NEWS

At this week's meeting, we fin- ters, Billie and Sue, visited Ruth

ished our scrap books and elec- Reese at Sanatorium, Texas last

BOB HOPE DOROTHY LAMOUR

—in—

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Will ted Vergie Stevens as secretary, Friday. Mrs. E. B. Brown and

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