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 1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.



BAIRD, pop. 2,000. On "The Broadway of America." Has beautiful homes, modern schools, fine churches, and healthful climate -- "where there ain't no poor, and there ain't no sick; where the fat get fatter, and the thin get thick.

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

Callahan County Farmer's Co-

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#### BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1949

#### MARVIN HUNTER, Jr. Editor

**Baird Rodeo Dates** 

Set For May 5-6-7

#### Mrs. R. W. Higgins In Howard E. Farmer Is Serious Condition New Bank Director

Mrs. R. W. Higgins is reported to be in a very serious condition tional Bank of Baird met Tuesas the result of an automobiletrain collision at El Paso Monday afternoon, Jan. 3. A daughter, Frances An, 2, was killed instantly and a son Billy, 7, died Tuesday, Jan. 4. Another son, Richard, 5, is recovering nicely

at his home in El Paso. At last report Tuesday after-noon, R. W. Higgins had arrived in El Paso from England. The Higgins are former residents of Baird.

## Just 'Round About

# As we walked up and down the street \* \* \* All this week

Baird was wrapped in a blanket of ice. Cars and trucks slipped along Highway 80, many going the bar-ditch. Telephone into lines and transmission lines were down, causing inconvenience. Some places of business were struggling in the cold and the courthouse was partially closed due to electric power failure \*

• • The fellows at Municipal Light Plant were greeting new customers at the door with a friendly hand shake and broad smile. We believe for sure that things Baird people do right here at home are done better than they could be done anywhere else in the world \* \* \* Jim Asbury is proving that 'It can be done in Baird' with his plaster and clay ornaments. He takes time with his air brush and skillful hands to make his articles better than do folks in other ports \* \* \* Our bank is showing business channels of Baird to be flowing with real gold in the financial statement this week \* \* \* The Plaza Theatre installed Coppinger, Abilene. a brand new pop-corn machine world that it is the best. We've have been long-time residents tried it \* \* \* Ray Black is de-

termined to have the most mod-ern grocery in Baird • • • With electric power failure around grandchildren. They were par-Baird, many rural people have ents of 15 children, only 12 of rushed their meats that were stored in home freezers to the \_\_\_\_\_\_ 0\_\_\_\_ May, 1945, he was moved to the Baird Locker Plant for safe BAPTIST WORKERS

keeping. Mrs. Yarbrough stated CONFERENCE MET that the plant has been able to accomodate all who came for Baptist Workers Conference met service \* \* \* Hub Warren reports with Cross Plains Baptist church that spirngs are running all over Thursday, Jan. 13th. The theme and reared near Baird. He grathe county, which is a sure sign was "Co-Laborers for Christ in that the drought is broken \* \* \* the Church." We congratulate Will D. Boydstun upon the occasion of his

ersary His ad this

Stockholders of The First Naday at 4 p. m. in the office of the bank

The same directors were reelected, with on added, Howard E. Farmer. Directors are Tom Windham, A. R. Ketlon, Henry James, Bob Norrell, Fred Cutbirth. Frank Windham, Ace Hickman and Howard E. Farmer. Directors will meet in the near future to elect officers. Elsewhere in this issue of The

Baird Star appears the financial statement of The First Na-tional Bank of Baird, showing the assets to be \$3,413,471.28, which reflects business in this area to be in substantial condition.

CELEBRATE 64TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McIntosh of Denton Valley were honored on their 64th wedding anniversary with a wild turkey dinner at the home of a daughter. Mrs. E. J. Barton, at Clyde, Sunday, Jan. 2nd

Six of the twelve children were present to observe this date.

Their children are: Jessie Mc-Intosh, Abilene; Mrs. Sam Smith and Duke McIntosh, Baird; Mrs. Ray Clemmer, Chowchilla, Calif. Estelle McIntosh, Waldron, Ark.; Estes McIntosh, Midland; Homer McIntosh, Odessa; Joe McInplete tosh, Novice; Mrs. Laura Phillips Monahans; Mrs. Barton; Mrs. Ben Allen and Mrs. E. W. Craw-

ford, Clyde. Others attending the wedding celebration were the families of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Watson of Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Scott, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh were

of Callahan County. grandchildren and 13 great-

Members of Callahan County

NOTICE! The Callahan County TB As-

# **Co. Service Officer**

John F. Conlin was recently appointed Callahan county vetop., Inc., has been named dealeran's service officer, to fill the er in Clyde and Baird for the adult workers, who are giving Ralston Purina Company, manuvacancy made by Billie Mac Jobe when he resigned to take his seat in the Texas legislature. Mr. Conlin will assume the duties of duces-the "Checkerboard" line. service officer on January 17th. He states that he feels that he will be able to render a real service to the veterans of this county, especially to those who need hospitalization, as he himself has received treatment at a veterans hospital.

Conlin has been a resident of feed industry, Ralston has pion-Callahan county since 1934 when he moved to Putnam. He came to Baird April 1, 1943. Since he returned from military service. he has been employed at Fashion Cleaners.

breeding, sound management, In taking over the service ofcareful sanitation and good ficers duties, Mr. Conlin is establishing office hours at the courthouse from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. on week days. He will be at the Baird office every other Saturday and alternate by spending each second and fourth Saturday morning at Cross Plains.

feeding.

into town.

#### BODY OF BILL D. ODOM ARRIVES IN BAIRD

The body of the late Pvt. Bill D. Odom arrived at 12:40 p. m. today, Jan. 14, and will lay in state at the home of his mother, Mrs. Dorse Odom, at Baird. Funeral arrangements are incom-

#### BAIRD WAR DEAD EN ROUTE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Browning have been informed that the body of their son, T-4 James E. Browning, who died in the Philippine Islands June 20, 1945, is being returned to the United States for burial.

T-4 Browning entered service this week, and we'll tell the married in Nevada, Texas, and in February, 1943, and was given basic training at Ft. Warren, Wyo., Desert Training Center, The McIntoshes have 24 Calif., and Camp Beal, Calif. He was shipped to Guadalcanal in island of Cebu in the Philippines and died there of injuries received while de-activating an enemy mine.

The Baird soldier was born duated from Baird High School in 1940. For a year he was employed by the late T. P. Bearden of Baird.

Survivors are the parents;

#### John Conlin Becomes Farmer's Coop. Inc., Is Girl Scouts Join The **Heart Of Texas Area** Now Purina Dealer

Baird Girl Scouts have an enrollment of 68 girls and about 20 generously of their time to lead facturers of Purina Chows, farm the girls. These girls meet weeksupplies and Sanitation Pro- ly, doing worthwhile service, learning new skills and how to The Ralston Purina Company, play and work together.

Fifteen leaders and Council is now in its 55th year and its merchandise is the result of an 8-hour Basic Leadership Course, exhaustive research program in laboratories and on farms, inwhich was brought to them by Miss Bobby Wash, Area Direccluding Ralston Purina's 738acre Research Farm at Gray Summit, Mo. A leader in the eered many improvements in animal nutrition which have been responsible for tremendous and meetings and girls have increases in milk, meat, and egg production on the nation's farms Camp at Mineral Wells. through a program of good

funds to pay the membership fee make this the most modern for Heart of Texas Area and help store in the city, where shoppers Hickman, 2nd vice-president. the local fund. Due to the busy time, everybody has not been as well as, to save money. The contacted and we do not have connection with the Wooten adequate funds for our local Company will enable Blacks to B. H. Freeland, 3 years; Homer needs, so in the near future a sell groceries every day for the Kennard, 3 years; J. O. Warren, committee will contact others lowest possible prices. who wish to contribute to this worthy cause. If they fail to

contribution to Mrs. Hugh Ross. We wish to thank the following for the contributions they

	to some food oncourage growth	S. L. MICELLOY	\$0.00
	to save feed, encourage growth	W. D. Boydstun	\$2.00
	and give longer service.	Hugh W. Ross	
		First National Bank	\$5.00
	OLD TIMERS MOVE	James Morgan	
	TO BAIRD HOME	O & A Auto Service	\$2.00
	The Star editor had quite a	W. B. Swim	
	talk with C. T. Nordyke when he	B. H. Freeland	
	visited The Star office the other	Ashlock Ins. Agency	\$2.00
	day. We were glad to know that	Persons Electric	\$2.00
	he and his good wife had moved	Earl Johnson Motor Co	\$5.00
	to Baird and bought a home. Mr.	L. L. Blackburn	
	and Mrs. Nordyke are pioneers	Lowell Boyd	
	of this county, beloved by all	Dr. Stubblefield	
	who know them. Their home	Bruce Bell	
	place, down on Turkey Creek,	Russell-Surles Abst. Co	
	was a social center when their	J. L. Farmer	
	children were growing up, and	B. C. Chrisman	
	many of the boys and girls now	B. B. McPherson	
	grown and out in the world hold	Fashion Cleaners	
	dear memories of happy times	Modern Tailors	
	spent in the Nordyke home. Mr.	Leslie Bryant	
	Nordyke was quite a fiddler, and	R. F. Mayfield	\$1.00
	with his fiddle and bow and his	Dr. V. E. Hill	\$2.00
	bright outlook on life in general,	Bowlus Hardware	
	he was a source of much happi-	City Pharmacy	
	ness for many folks around him.	White Auto Store	
	"If I could call back a few years,	Baird Star	
l	I'd never have left the old farm	Dr. Carroll McGowen	
I	home," he told, "but Mrs. Nor-	Ray Motor Co.	
	dyke and I needed to be closer	Roy Gilbreath	
	to the doctor and to the store,	Sutphen Motor Co.	\$5.00
	so we thought it best to move	A & P Food Store	
	Into tomm "	B. L. Boydstun	\$2.00

B. L. Boydstun

W. B. Jones

# Remodeling Store Ray Black announces this

Black's Grocery Now

members have just completed an cently purchased the store from rodeo grounds just east of the Glen Boyd.

tor from the Heart of Texas is being built into the store and derway. Bob Estes will be the Area. This is one of the valuable the market section has been plaservices derived from being a ced at the rear of the store to member of this organization. make plenty of shopping space Other services are privileges of around the new fixtures. New attending area training courses and modern arrangements of the fixtures will enable shoppers privilege to attend the Summer to make their selection of foods

more easily and faster. Mr. A drive was started to raise Black is exerting every effort to may find grocery buying easy,

#### POLL TAX PAYMENTS LIGHT IN COUNTY

M. H. (Bob) Joy, tax assessor and collector for Callahan County, told The Star this week that poll tax payments were running \$5.00 far behind the usual rate for .00 this time of year.

Non-payments are blamed on the fact that poll taxes were not rendered by the state with regular statements this year for the first time in history. Nevertheless, it is pointed out the poll tax receipt remains a requisite for voting in Texas, and unless the rate of payments is rapidly advanced many citizens will be disfranchised during 1949.

To accomodate tax payers, Joy said his office would remain open each Saturday afternoon .00 and until midnight the final .00 day, January 31. Taxes paid after that date are subect to interest and penalties. .00

#### JACK DRAKE DIES AT MONAHANS WEDNESDAY

Jack Drake, of Monahans, died of a heart attack Wednesday at 5:45 p. m. Mrs. Drake is the former Bernice Haley, who was a resident of Baird.

Particulars of the death and .00 funeral arrangements are not .00 known as we go to press. The \$2.00 death message was sent by ra- man. Montalban, she spurns the \$3.00

Dates for this year's issue of week that Black's Grocery in the Baird championship rodeo Baird has become a member of were set for May 5, 6 and 7, the H. O. Wooten Grocery Com- when the Callahan County Sherpany, and this week the store is iff's Posse held their annual being completely remodeled to election of officers meeting at prepare for the formal opening the courthouse last Friday night. on January 22nd. Mr. Black and The Sheriff's Posse has purhis father, Judge J. R. Black, re- chased an ideal location for the city on Highway 80, and con-A new chrome reflector vege- struction of pens, grandstand table rack forty feet in length and other equipment is now unproducer again this year, and if

the excitement runs nearly as high this season as last, it will draw thousands of people from all parts of this territory. Everett Hughes, ex-sheriff of Callahan county, was re-elected to head the Sheriff's Posse as

president. S. W. Lilley was elected 1st vice-president, and Ace Perry Hughes was re-elected to serve as secretary-treasurer. Directors were elected as follows: 2 years; N. L. Dickey, 2 years; W. B. Spence, 1 year; Jack Gilliland, 1 year. Sheriff Joe Pierce is an honorary member of the board

Some thirty members attended the meeting and paid their dues for 1949. All members ars asked to send in their dues of \$5 for this year to the secretary, for which they will be issued membership cards.

#### "ON AN ISLAND WITH YOU" OFFERS FUN FOR EVERYONE

Everybody from Grandpa to Junior should get a kick out of M-G-M's generously cast new Technicolor musical, "On An Island With You," showing at the Plaza Sunday and Monday. For this tropical tuner has everything in the way of big-time entertainment, from Esther Williams in stunning underwater ballets, romance personified by Peter Lawford, the exciting dance team of Ricardo Montalban and Cyd Charisse, bellylaughs from the one and only Jimmy Durante, to a flock of new song hits backgrounded by the Latin rhythms of Xavier Cugat and his famed band.

The story, laid in exotic Hawaiian locales brilliantly filmed in Technicolor hues, has Esther Williams (complete with sarong) playing a movie star on location. Believing herself to be in love with her handsome leading dio wave and Pat Haley was no- advances of her film's technical

#### Purina's line, which Callahan County Farmer's Coop. Inc., will offer, includes Chows of nationally recognized quality for poultry, hogs, dairy animals, cattle, goats, sheep, dogs, fox and mink, rabbits, pigeons, and horses and mules; Purina sanitation procontact you, you may send your ducts for disinfecting premises,

equipment and wounds, and for combating flies and other germ carriers; and Purina farm suphave made. ply equipment of special design S. L. McElroy to save feed, encourage growt

		three brothers, Elbert of An-	a community of fine neighbors,	George Morgan \$2.00 Boy Williams \$1.00		adviser, Lawford. But the impe- tuous Lawford proves he is not
a the state and that will ball. I		drews, Earl of Rosemead, Calif., and Jack Browning of Baird;	and we dare say they will find	Bill Work \$2.00		so easy to spurn when he kid-
	nterested are urged to at-	and one sister, Bessie Mae Bor-	life comfortable and filled with much happiness here in town,	J. V. Thompson \$2.00	Thursday afternoon for Mona-	naps the glamorous motion pic-
brate his anniversary. tend.		den of Baird. Funeral arrangements will be	although they will not forget	Ang Highman \$10.00	mans to attend the runeral.	ture star by plane and holds her prisoner overnight on a
	The state of the s	The state of the s	those pleasant days and years	0		nearby island. This old-fashion-
Mr. and Mrs. N. M. George, Mr. and Mrs. Buster George and SON	0	Home and re-burial will be in	opene on the third	Hugh Ross left Monday for Dallas to be a pallbearer at the	Marriage licenses issued re-	ed caveman technique with a new twist brings about happy
Jo Lynn returned the latter part A s	son was born to Mr. and	Ross Cemetery.	Jimmy Munson has returned	funeral of Mrs. Bessie Grey, and	cently at clerk's office. Callahan	hilarious results.
at tool much from a three works Mrs 1	James F Tarver of Ahilene	Miss Emily Cathen has been	to San Diego Calif, where he	to visit his sister. Mrs. J. J.	County Courthouse: Wilburn Leon Swafford and Peggye Jean-	
vacation trip to Los Angeles and Janua					ette Church; Orvil Wesley Wil-	and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robin-
San Diego, Calli. They report a are N	Ar and Mrs W B Tarver	Mrs Wiley Clinton of Stam-	days with his parents. Mr. and	Mr. and Mrs. Scat Russell and	son and Patsy Ruth Willing-	son of Roscoe spent Sunday with
cold vacation in Southern Cali- fornia.	Mrs. Royce Gilliland, all of	ford visited Mrs. Margie Ray the past weekend.	Mrs. Joseph H. Munson, of Clyde.	spent the week in town.	ma Jennings.	D. S. McGee, Jr.
Torma	inc.	The past neededa				

# **ONE YEAR OLDER**

# **57TH ANNIVERSARY SALE**

WE ARE EXPECTING YOU

We are having this sale and celebrate our birthday at the same time. Don't fail to come and get some of these bargains, and at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, we will cut that annual Birthday Cake sent us by the Harpers, of McAlester, Oklahoma.

' SHEETS	1
81x99 Sheets, only	\$2.50
81x90 Unbleached Sheets	\$1.95
81x108 Dan River Sheets	\$2.95
PILLOW CASES	a many manager
36x42 Pillow Cases, 65c value	50c
36x42 Pillow Cases, 75c value, 2 for	\$1.25
Brown Domestic, 45c value, 3 yards	\$1.00
Brown Domestic, 35c value, 4 yards	\$1.00
Cheese Cloth, 17c value, 8 yards	\$1.00
Prints, 50c value, per yard, only	40c
Shirting, 75c value, per yard, only	50c
Boy's or Girl's Overalls, \$2.15 value	\$1.95
Men's Overalls, \$3.25 value	\$2.95

First Comes Gets Your Choice	
Sugar, 10 pounds	87c .
Candy, 6 bars	25c
Gum, 6 packages	25c
eigers, i ben itting series a thirthe	\$2.50
Cigarettes, carton	\$1.73
Stick Candy, 35c value	25c

#### We Are Closing Out The Following

First Come Gets Choice	
	5.50
One Satin Quilt, worth \$16.95, for \$13	3.50
\$5.95 Blanket, for \$4	4.50
	SEE
	1000

Many Other Bargains - Come See

## WE HAVE SERVED YOU FOR THESE 57 YEARS, AND WANT TO CONTINUE-

**To Our Many Friends and Customers** WE THANK YOU

# The Friendly Store WILL D. BOYDSTUN

# The weather is just like it was when I landed in Baird in 1892!

## Thread, 6 spools 25c Thread, 3 spools, large size ...... 25c Razor Blades, 3 cartons25cBobby Pins, 3 cards25cRick Rack Braid, 3 cards25c Tooth Paste, 3 tubes Many Other Items At Same Price

Kotex, \$1.39 value, large box Regular Kotex, 33c value	\$1.25 25c
Kleenex, 29c value	25c
One lot Men's Hats, each	\$1.00
Child's Bath Robe, \$2.95 value	\$1.50
One lot Children's Dresses, each	\$1.00

#### County H. D. Agent's Column **Evelyn** Wieland

Review of Home Demonstration Market Turkey Show again this Work in 1948

new year, it is again time to near Denton, on July 30 and 31 1/2 teaspoon salt take an inventory of the accom- with 30 girls and 10 visitors at- 1 tablespoon dried sage plishments during the past year tending.

and look ahead to work to be The 4-H girls had good endone during the coming year. rollment throughout the year, 1-3 cup butter or fortified The following report covers the and several good leaders who Home Demonstration Club Work were very helpful in carrying from December 1, 1947 to No- on the clothing and dairy de- and onion; ad butter slowly toss- worth of Saving Bonds which first vice-president, Mrs. Acc vember 30, 1948. monstrations with the girls.

The home demonstration agent visited 320 homes, had scaping and dairy demonstra- roast veal. 290 office calls, 81 telephone tions. Landscaping was discourcalls, had 82 news stories pub- aging due to the drouth. The lished, distributed 1683 bulletins women have used better dairy during meetings, attended 5 dis- practices and have learned to trict meetings and one tri-dis- make neufchatel and processed trict meeting. She traveled 8,516 cheese, to use these cheeses in salads, and to make better cusmiles.

There are ten home demon- tards.

stration clubs and ten 4-H clubs. We are planning to carry land-Two clubs, one at Admiral, and scaping another year and begin one at Belle Plain were organiz- clothing work with the women. ed during the year. Two 4-H's The girls will work with their were divided into junior and sen- bedrooms and better dairy pracior groups at Eula and Denton, tices. All club members are two clubs, a junior and senior planning for successful work group were organized at Cross during the coming year. Plains. The Home Demonstra-

tion Clubs were represented at THIS TASTES GOOD IN TEXAS the district T.H.D.A. meeting at Sweetwater and the state meet- 1 lb. graham crackers ing at Temple. The women held 1 large can evaporated milk their Annual Encampment at 1/2 lb. marshmallows -Lake Brownwood with 30 women 1 lb. chopped pecans attending

The 4-H girls were represent- 1 lb. raisins ed at the district camp at Mert- 1 lb. candied fruits zon by Wilma Armor, Denton; 1/4 lb. citron (if desired) Deana Harrell, Cross Plains, and Roll graham crackers and las. Expenses for her trip were days.

paid by the Callahan County Home Demonstration Council Two other outstanding 4-H girls,

Have butcher remove bones Ann Burleson, Denton, and Dor- from five pound shoulder of othy Konczak, Clyde, received veal; wipe with damp cloth. Fill expense paid trips to the State cavity with sage dressing, roll Fair in Dallas. Juanita John- and sew or tie in place. Place son entered 2 pens of turkeys on rack in roasting pan and

# \*\*\*\* Friday & Saturday Will Be

DOLLAR DAY AT MCELRO	Y'S
40 INCH DRESS CREPE Extra heavy Flat Crepe, colors: Brown, Black \$1.95 value, per yard	Navy
54 INCH SUITING Colors: Green and Brown. Good for eary Sprin \$2.50 value, per yard	g wear \$1.00
WOOL AND JERSEY RAYON Colors: Blue and Brown \$2.50 value, per yard	51.00
LADIES SCARFS I lot of Ladies Silk and Wool Knitted Scar 2 for	rfs
36 INCH CURTAIN NET Colors: Pink, Blue, Green and Yellow 2 yards for	51.00
LADIES FABRIC GLOVES	

in the State Fair. Her turkeys roast in moderately slow oven CALLAHAN COUNTY BUYS were rated as excellent. Juanita (33 F) until done. Allow 45 \$209,402.75 IN SAVINGS BONDS CLUB PRESIDENT has done a fine piece of work minutes per pound; baste twice the past year and plans to raise with melted fat, using 1/4 cup. turkeys to enter in the Junior Makes 6 to 8 servings. year. The 4-H girls held their

Sage Dressing At this the beginning of a county camp at Kendrick Park. 3 cups bread crumbs leaves, crumbled 1/2 medium sized onion

margarine, melted Mix bread crumbs, seasoning now own more than \$1.5 billion president, Miss Isadore Grimes The women worked on land- blended. Use as stuffing for during the year.

MENU

Roast Shoulder of Veal with Sage Dressing Pan Roasted Potatoes Blackeyed Peas Hot Rolls - Butter Refrigerator Fruit Cake

Coffee Weekend guests of Mrs. Lee a four-year college education to Grimes. Estes were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. 14,124 students at the rate of Estes and children, Mollie and \$750 per year, or provide an in-Betty, of Tyler; Mary Caylor No- come of \$225 per month for a lan of Ft. Worth; Mrs. J. L. For- full year for 15,693 persons. rest, Mrs. Horace Bunkley and Mr. Owens said that of the

daughter, Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. state's total bond sales last year Sam Orr, of Pasadena; Mrs. M. Series E, the "people's bond," D. Hoover of Dallas; Mr. and 71 per cent.

Mrs. Henry Estes of Wichita, "There are more Savings Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Estes, Bonds in the hands of the peo- Richard Widmark and opening Mr. and Mrs. Fred Estes, Sr., ple today than ever before," he at the Plaza Theatre, Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gannon of said. "Almost 70 per cent of all and Friday, Jan. 27 - 28. The Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Orr, bonds ever issued are still in the story of the FBI's counter-at-Mrs. Horace Bunkley, Mrs. J. L. possession of their original own-Forrest and the J.C. Esteses re- ers. The sale of Series E bonds case histories from FBI files. Barbara Knudsen, Oplin. Max- mix with milk. Add other ingre- mained here until the middle of in Texas alone during 1948 was

# **ISADORE GRIMES ELECTED**

The people of Callahan Coun-The semi-annual husiness ty bought \$209,402.75 worth of meeting of the Wednesday Club U. S. Savings Bonds during 1948, was held in the home of Mrs. according to a year-end report J. H. Grimes, with Miss Isadore by Harry Owens of Dallas, state Grimes as hostess.

director for Savings Bonds, to Mrs. Fetterly presided at the B. H. Freeland, County Savings meeting. It was reported by Mrs. Bond chairman. During the same Brightwell and Mrs. Dyer that period, the people of Texas two boxes of clothing had been bought \$196,448,587.50 worth of sent to Greece. Reports of of ficers were given. Officers were Mr. Owens said that Texans elected for the ensuing year:

ing lightly with a fork until earned \$42,372,000 in interest Hickman; second vice-president, Mrs. L. B. Lewis; recording sec-To illustrate the practical as- retary, Mrs. M. D. Bell; correspects of thrift, as represented ponding secretary, Mrs. W. A.

by the Savings Bonds program, Fetterly; reporter, Mrs. J. J Mr. Owens pointed out that the Durham; chairman of Library annual interest from bonds held Board, Mrs. Lee Ivey; chairman by Texans, if converted into resi- of Museum Board, Mrs. L. L. dential construction, would Blackburn.

build 4237 homes costing \$10,- A social hour followed. Re-000 each, or, if considered in freshments were served to thirterms of higher education or teen members of the club by the wages and salaries, would give hostess and her mother, Mrs.

#### FBI IN ACTION!

The dramatic and exciting story of what happens when law and order breaks down in a community and the FBI steps into the picture, is revealed in "The Street With No Name, Twentieth Century-Fox's new tack against a new era of crime in the making is based on actual \_**n**.

\$4,940,447.50 more than for 1947" Use stationery by The Star.

Winter is tough on motors and tires - and that wear and tear makes icy roads even more dangerous. Let us check your car for winter driving safety. We have the 'know-how' to catch the danger spots and stop

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New products are developed, new uses are found for meat and by-products in Swift's Food Research Laboratories. Thus our "scientist-salesmen" help you find wider outlets for your livestock.







nemakers use more and meat and livestock products, thanks to findings of Swift nutritionists.

#### Martha Logan's Recipe for

PORK AND NOODLES (Yield: 5 servings)

- pound ground pork 1 4-oz. package noodles 2 quarts boiling water Seasoning 1/2 cup diced green pepper 1 cup diced cooked rutabaga
- 2 tablespoons shortening

egg

Flour

Combine pork, egg, and seasoning. Form into 1-inch balls. Roll in flour. Brown in hot fat. Boil noodles in salted water 10 minutes. Drain. Combine noodles, green pepper, and rutabaga. Place in greased 2-quart casserole. Place pork balls on top. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) about 40 minutes or until pork is well done.

#### - Soda Bill Sez: -

New Year's resolutions are like eggsthey're made to be broken. It's not the hours you put in, but what you put into your hours.

#### THE BAIRD STAR

these securities.

#### Baird, Callahan County, Texas



**Refrigerator Fruit Cake** lb. pitted dates

ine Tarrant, Eula, was entered dients. Press in deep mold. Let the week. in State 4-H Dress Revue in Dal- sand in refrigerator for 3 or 4

#### Roast Shoulder of Veal





products-find new uses for more and more live-stock by-products. Scientist-salesmen, they create new markets-better values for your livestock.

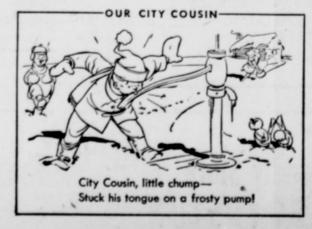
increased by Swift research.

Yes, their work means money to you . . . millions! The average annual commercial slaughter for the last ten years was over 281/2 million cattle and calves, nearly 65 million hogs, and over 22 million sheep and lambs. That's a lot of meat-and it's a lot of byproducts, too! Cowhides, pigskins, and sheepskins, by the millions, for everyday leather goods. Well over 50 million pounds of pulled wool annually for cloth and clothing. Thousands of tons of lards and soaps for home and industry. Carloads of animal feeds. Tons of hair for upholstery. The list is almost endless.

Research found how to derive life-saving pharmaceuticals from animal by-products. Here numbers are important. For example, tiny glands from many thousands of animals must be saved to produce one pound of adrenalin, powerful heart stimulant. To yield one pound of crystalline insulin, vital in the treatment of diabetes, the pancreatic glands of 20,000 cattle are needed. Important, too, is albumin, tuberculosis "detector" recovered from cattle blood-and many more beneficial, all-important medicinal products derived from animal slaughter.

Now recent research has developed an entirely new line of important chemicals from fatty acids. One chemical from fat makes clothing water-repellent. Another is a flotation agent, useful in the separation of phosphates for fertilizers. Another prolongs the life of synthetic tires by causing them to run cooler. And detergents, "soap substitutes," have been re-covered for use with hard water in the home and industry. So the list grows, from day to day.

Yes, science performs a direct, very valuable business service for you, the livestock producer. Through new products and new markets, it 1) maintains or improves the position of meat on the American menu; 2) often reduces the price we get for the meat to less than we pay for the live animal; 3) enables the meat packer to pay you more for all your livestock.



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## **Business** Must Serve

As you look about your own neighborhood you'll find some men who are assets to the community, others who add nothing to community

life. These good citizens may be large operators or "little fellows." You do not rate them by the size of their operations but by their characters, abilities and what they contribute to the good of the community.

This same principle holds true in business. The business that performs worthwhile services to the community is an asset, whether it be a local concern or a big national organization.

In our livestock-meat industry both large and small meat packing plants are essential. Two-thirds of our country's livestock is raised and fed west of the Mississippi, where the great grainlands and grasslands are ... Two-thirds of the meat is eaten *east* of the Mississippi, where most of the people live. Large packers *are needed* to handle the processing and distri-bution of meat for a pation of 145 000 000 bution of meat for a nation of 145,000,000 people.

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But so keen is the competition—in both the buying and selling ends of our business—that these services have averaged us, over the years. earnings of only a fraction of a cent per pound of meat.

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To all of our friends on the farms and ranches of America, we of Swift send our sincere best wishes for a happy, peaceful and prosperous New Year.

#### QUOTES OF THE MONTH-

Animals have done more to make America great than any other one thing. Directly and indirectly, animals account for about 80 per cent of the jobs in the food industry, and the food industry accounts for about 55 per cent of the total employment in this country. Chicago Daily Drovers Journal

Soil testing with the Illinois tests not only saves the average farmer \$50 for every \$1 spent on testing, but increases food production by using every ton of fer-tilizing material where it will do the most good.

Roger H. Bray and A. U. Thor, University of Illinois

## **Crossbred or Fine-Wool?**

by A. C. Esplin Utah State Agricultural College, Logan, Utah

Crossbreeding in Western Range herds has long been a discussion point among operators. The advantages of the crossbred over fine-wool are:



1) Crossbred ewes are better mothers; 2) they are more prolific breeders; 3) they produce lighter shrinkage wool; 4) they pro-duce high percentage combing wool; 5) they pro-duce better mutton lambs; 6) they are better rustlers on the range; and 7) they are larger sheep.

The disadvantages reported for crossbred ewes are: 1) they are shorter lived than fine-wool ewes; 2) they lose wool on brush and do not hold fleece when past 3 years of age; 3) crossbred ewe lambs must be sold as feeders and ewes bought for replacement; 4) they are more difficult to herd than fine-wool ewes; 5) they are not as hardy as fine-wool ewes; 6) it is impossible to maintain stand-ards of breeding and uniform wool grades with crossbred ewes; 7) annual death losses are more than with fine-wool ewes.

This, as a whole, expresses the range operator's thinking on problems of breeds of sheep and breed-ing operations. Length of life, density and qual-ity of fleece, uniformity of herd, and herding in-stincts are considered by the largest number of operators.

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#### WTCC FIGHTS FOR WATER **RIGHTS IN WEST TEXAS**

Abilene - Protection of the lene for a conference with Gen- chell said.

domestic water rights of West eral Manager D. A. Bandeen. Texas today was termed by "We are launching on all President John Mitchell of the fronts a very comprehensive and and domestic water rights now sheds with present appropria- ted president, was in charge of West Texas Chamber of Com- constructive program as worked merce, as the most important out by our executive board, legislation requiring that all big er dams, thus depriving munitask for 1949. Mitchell, who is eight district meetings and the

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#### ASSETS

ASSETS	First State Dank Diug.	
Cash. balances with other banks, including reserve	First Floor :: Baird	
balance, and cash items in process of collection \$690,454.06	*****	
United States Government obligations, direct and	Dr. Grady B. Jolly	
guaranteed	OPTOMETRIST	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures \$70,000.00	City Pharmacy	
Corporate stocks (including \$2,600.00 stock in Federal	Baird, Texas	
Reserve bank)	Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.	
Loans and discounts (including \$1,732.55 overdrafts) \$353,165.89	***********************	
ank premises owned \$7,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$8.000.00 \$15,000.00	Wylie Funeral Home	
fixtures \$8,000.00 \$15,000.00 (Bank premises owned are subject to \$NONE liens	AMBULANCE SERVICE	
not assumed by bank)	Lady Embalmer and Attendant	
eal estate owned other than bank premises	PHONE 38	
nvestments and other assets indirectly representing	BAIRD, TEXAS	Feel those "Sofa Wide" Seats up to five feet wide! And soft !
bank premises or other real estate	*********************	
Other assets	Callahan Abstract	Feel that "Mid Ship" Ride you'll ride in the level center section of the car !
NONE	Company	
TOTAL ASSETS	Complete abstracts to all lands	Feel that "Equa-Poise" power in both the new 100 h.p. V-8 and the 95 h.p. Six !
LIABILITIES	and town lots in Callahan County	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships,	Insurance Bonds Financing Marion Vestal, Manager	Feel those "Hydra-Coil" Springs in front teamed with "Para-Flex" Springs in the rear !
and corporations	RAYMOND YOUNG, Owner	
Fime deposits of individuals, partnerships, and		Feel the wheelyou'll tove
corporations \$142,269.11 eposits of United States Government, including	V. E. HILL	that around the island
postal savings	DENTIST	that arrow-straight
eposits of States and political subdivisions \$209,057.99	/ AND X-RAY	steering!
eposits of banks	Telephone Building Phone 179 Baird, Texas	Siccinity:
ther deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) \$152,453.39	++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++	
TOTAL DEPOSITS \$3,208,557.71 ills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for	L. B. LEWIS	
borrowed money	ATTORNEY-AT-LAW	
lortgages or other liens, \$NONE on bank premises and	General Civil Practice	
\$NONE on other real estate	Fire and Auto Insurance	and the second sec
ceptances executed by or for account of this bank	BAIRD, TEXAS	
and outstanding NONE her liabilities NONE	******	113 And
NONE	Randall C. Jackson	
TOTAL LIABILITIES \$3,208,557.71	Attorney-At-Law	White sidewall fires available at extra cast.
	General Civil Practice	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS pital Stock:	Federal Tax Service Baird, Texas	
(a) Class A preferred, total par \$18,000.00, retirable	**************************************	Feel that heavy gauge
value of \$18,000.00	Russell-Surles	- steel "Lifeguard" Body and
(Rate of dividends on retirable value is 3%)	Abstract Co.	
(b) Class B preferred, total par \$NONE, retirable value NONE	Prompt and Dependable	5 member box section frame
(c) Common stock, total par \$32,000.000	Abstract Service	59% more rigid
1rplus	Office in Court House	
ndivided profits \$63,000.00	Vada White Bennett	
eserves (and retirement account for preferred stock) \$53,913.57 Total Capital Accounts	Baird, Texas	Feel those "Magic Action" brakes up to 35% easier acting they're "King Size" too
attal Capital Accounts	***************	
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	BAIRD LODGE NO. 271	
MEMORANDA	ODD FELLOWS	
ssets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and		
for other purposes	Meets 1st and 3rd	There's a grow in your future
Loans as shown above are after deductions	Tuesday Evenings	
of reserves of	Visitors Welcome	"Drive a Ford and
<ul> <li>Securities as shown above are after deductions of reserves of</li></ul>	C. J. (Shorty) Ault, N. G.	
	G. H. Tankersley, Sec.	FEEL the difference"
ate of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:	***********************	
I, Bob Norrell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly wear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge	A BAIRD LODGE	Yes Ford Dealer invites you to listen to the Fred Allen Show, Sunday Evenings-NBC Network, "
ad belief.	NO. 522 A. F. & A. M.	Listen to the Ford Theater, Friday Evenings-CBS Network. See your newspaper for time and station.
BOB NORRELL, Cashier	Meets Saturday night, on or before each full	CARLES A REAL OF COMPANY OF THE OFFICE OFFICE OF THE OFFICE OFFIC
	moon.	FADI ININAAN MATAD AAMDANN
EAL)		EARL JOHNSON MOTOR COMPANY
	7:30 P. M.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January,	Members urged to attend,	
040.	Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.	
949. B L. Russell, Jr., Notary Public.	Members urged to attend,	
1949.	Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.	Baird, Texas

president of the First National board of director action during now gives domestic users prior EULA H. D. CLUB MEETING Bank of Odessa stopped in Abi- October and November," Mit- rights to water.

towns can get water.

"My town of Odessa would be cording to Mitchell. if our water supply on the Colo- committee, which will meet in retary-treasurer; water. The same applies to all mission, and is headed by W. R. Mrs. Fred Farmer, finance; Mrs. West Texas towns.

To assure action on this be- dell Mayes, Brownwood. Other Mrs. N. H. Stephenson, clothing fore the legislature the Munici- members are Paul Counts, Fort demonstrator; Mrs. Reo Jolly, repal Legal Rights and Defense Stockton Chamber of Commerce porter; Mrs. L. T. Harris, mar-Committee meeting has been called for Amarillo at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 17th, in the office of Mayor Lawrence Hagy, who is co-chairman with Charles South of Coleman of this important

commitee. Others members are tee to assist in passage by the Preston Kors, manager of the 51st session of the legislature an Odessa Chamber of Commerce, enabling act prescribing terms secretary; Charles E. Coombes, and conditions of use by the res-Stamford, legal consultant; Ma- pective counties of the state genyor Lance M. Davis, Rotan; eral fund ad valorem as consti-Mayor A. C. Humphries, Stam- tutionally diverted to the coun-ford; Mayor A. F. Little, Jacks- ties. Under this bill the counties boro and R. M. Wagstaff, Abi- are assured the maximum of lolene, who was one of the authors cal self government in the exof the WTCC-Wagstaff-Wood- penditure of these funds within ward act which is the law which the counties for soil conserva-

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tion, farm-to-market roads and \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* water conservation purposes. -0

> Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norwood and daughter, Jane, and Miss Nadine Sebesta of Marlin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shook of De-Leon were weekend guests of \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ivey

Williams, Snyder; Judge L. M.

Herring, Breckenridge and J.

It is the duty of this commit-

Walter Hammond, Tye.

THE BAIRD STAR

Mrs. Bess Jackson has accepted a position with Coca-Cola moved there Jan. 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Izard and little J. P. Izard. Mrs. Izard is ill in Callahan County Hospital. Home 206

> Mrs. Hal Willcox and baby of This completes the terrace sys-Delia Farrar, who is ill.

Proposed new legislation would Club met Jan. 5th in the home "Our first and most important place a vested right to water of Mrs. Clifford Tarrant. Mrs. task is to protect our municipal that falls on West Texas water E. E. Harrison, the newly elecbeing seriously threatened by tion holders, which include pow- the meeting. Mrs. N. H. Stephenson led the group in singing power dams be first filled with cipalities of their rights to re- Plans were made and commitwater before our West Texas capture this water for domestic tees named for the year's work. use, under the present law, ac-The officers for the year are: Mrs. E. E. Harrison, president; foolish to participate in a \$12, At the same time he pointed Mrs. Gordon Smith, vice-presi-000,000.00 tri-city water project to the importance of another dent; Mrs. Weldon Edwards, sec-Mrs. Dixon rado is first dependent on the San Angelo, Jan. 10. This is the Favor, council delegate; Mrs. big power dams around Austin legislative enactment committee Grayson Miller, alternate; Mrs. being filled before we can have of the Soil Conservation Com- A. L. Barnes, T.H.D.A. chairman

The Eula Home Demonstration

manager, secretary; Sterling keting. Mrs. Clyde Johnston was a West, Channing; Judge Robert new member.

Cusenbary of Sonora and Wen- A. G. Black, flower chairman

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A. L. Barnes January 19th, at 2 p. m.

Mmes. M. L. Logan, Fred Farmer, A. G. Black, N. H. Stephenson, Clyde Johnston, Weldon Edwards A. L. Barnes, M. M. Edwards, Dixon Favor, Grayson Miller, Reo Jolly, and Linda Gale Tarrant, Joe Wayne Favor Franke Stephenson, Weldon Lynn Edwards and the hostess were present for the meeting.

#### SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

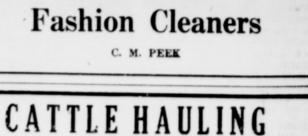
Two thousand and fourteen acres of cover crops have been planted, for the first time, by cooperators of the Lower Clear Fork and Central Colorado Soil Conservation Districts.

Many more acres were planted by cooperators than have been practicing this type of crop-

ping for the last few years. Q. R. Tatom, Atwell soil con-Bottling Co., at Monahans, and servation group, has completed .1 mile of terraces and 528 feet of diversions.

Olan Wilson, of the Burnt M. L. STUBBLEFIELD, M.D. daughter of Sweetwater, arrived Branch soil conservation group, last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. has built 2.78 miles of terraces In the Rowden soil conservation group, Olan English has recently built 1 mile of terraces

> Dallas came Thursday of last tem on the English farm. J. A week to visit her mother, Mrs. Sikes has completed .84 miles of terraces.



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#### Baird, Callahan County, Texas

Dudley Dabble Delectable Deeds Delineated To Dazzle and Delight Norma Wolfe

Of interest to adults: Notice! returned to Dudley from their There will be preaching every home near Brownsfield. Mr. and daughters attended the Dudley it be that keen radio that he Mrs. L. J. Hilcher, Mr. and Mrs. Sunday morning and every first Mrs. McKenzie, their son, Johnand third Sunday nights by Bill ny Richard, and Mrs. McKenzie's Frazier at the Dudley Baptist mother, Mrs. Cutbirth, attended Church. On the nights when the basketball tournament at there is no preaching, there will Eayou Saturday night

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ing Class, directed by Jim Coff-man. Everyone is invited to Mason visited in the home of ey of Putnam caught all the brough and Kneodah Kim-ey of Putnam caught all the ey of Putnam caught all the brough and to prove t attend.

Buck Odom

Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie day afternoon. Mrs. Henry Burleson and them to the Dudley Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grantham visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Scott and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilkerson, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gran- Baird's team. tham are from Premont. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis are week.

visiting in the homes of the Scotts and also the Lopers. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis are from Big Spring

Teen Gossip: Nearly all of Dudley turned out for the Bayou basketball tournament Thursday, Friday,

nament. Clyde boys won first, went home with the Williams Baird, runners-up, and Bayou for a visit.

opposed Bayou for consolation, near San Antonio, visited Mr. and I would say it was the most and Mrs. W. J. Cross recently.



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be singing by the Dudley Sing-| Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilker- interesting game of the tournatrip to Pfleugerville this week.

> Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wolfe Sun- available females at the Bayou ternoon but seemed to grow tournament,. Could it be that worse and was carried to Calla-

> was carrying around. The Dud- Oliver Walker and son, Billy, days. We are proud to welcome ey girls also thought he was and Miss Bonnie Marie Gilleland pretty swell.

Some of the Dudley girls would like to know who num-

## Cottonwood Chips Hazel I. Respess Community Chatter Carefully Collected For Your Consideration.

won consolation. Putnam boys Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Holt,

Ross is good looking, or could han County Hospital Monday. of Fort Worth visited Rev. Gilleland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas ber 5 on Baird's boy's team is. and daughter, Wilma Lee, of with rheumatism. ber 5 on Baird's boy's team is. and daughter, with his parents, Tis said he's the cutest one on Baird's team. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas on With the Joel Griffins.

Mrs. James Carpenter and daughter, Peggy Jean, of Abi-lene, visited Mrs. W. O. Peevy Sunday.

W. J. Cross made a business

Mrs. S. R. Respess of Swenson replaced the postmaster most of last week while the postmaster was taking a few days leave. Rev. S. R. Respess came down

ENTERPRISE CLUB MEETS

## WITH MRS. HANSEN

Enterprise Club met Jan. 6th, day, Jan. 3, with a nice number Patton in the chair. The subject of the meeting, "Home Mak-Clubs and Standing Rules for George Fred Walls, who is ill the punch bowl. the Callahan County Council in a Big Spring hospital. They were read.

Coffey were hostess to 13 mem-

bers and one visitor. ler, Mrs. Leon Kendrick, Mrs. Ballinger, where they had spent New Jersey, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nunn, Mrs. O. J. Witte, Mrs. the weekend with Mrs. Gray's Reece. W. L. Green, Mrs. Oran Ken- father, J. T. McElroy, who is ill. drick, Mrs. Ruth Patton, Mrs. Mr. McElroy is reported some Ray Young, Mrs. J. W .Patton, better.

lins, Mrs. Sam Sherill, members;

Mrs. Mollie Jennings, visitor. Store. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Petty and

son, and James Walker of Ft. Worth were weekend guests of Mrs. Rob Walker of Admiral.

#### Midway Musings Miscellaneous Melange and Minor Mention of Men and Women.

Brother Jackson of Abilene preached to a large crowd Sunmorning. He had dinner day with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook.

Mrs. Edmund Webb has been sick the past week, suffering

Durwood Pridgeon spent last Sunday night with his mother, mantel and arrangements of Mrs. A. L. Parisher and Mr. Par-

isher. Bob Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kendrick have located in gabardine suit with a blue silk Safford, Ariz., where Mr. Kendrick and Bob are working for shoulder corsage was of white El Paso Natural Gas. Co. Mr. and Mrs. Selan Canada Bible topped with white garden-Saturday. The Bayou girls won first place, Eula girls, runners-Bowie and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mr. Respess Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Selan Canada Bible topped with white garden-ias, showered in satin streamers inst place, Eula girls, runnersthe Edmund Webb family Saturday, the occasion being Grand-

mother Webb's birthday. The Merry Quilters met Mon-

in the home of Mrs. R. E. Hansen of quilters and several visitors. with the president, Mrs. Ruth We meet again January 17th.

Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. J. A. ing.

ers and one visitor. Present were. Mrs. Annie Ty-returned Monday afternoon from Abilene; Pvt. Billy R. Hass of

Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. C. B. Col-

## Baird, Callahan County, Texas HELEN BURKS IS BRIDE

## OF CARL R. HASS

Helen Burks ,daughter of Mr and Mrs. J. W. Burks of Baird and Carl Ray Hass, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hass of Clyde, were married in a double ring ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Reece in Clyde, Jan. 4th.

Rev. A. A. Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Baird, officiated. The ceremony was performed in front of the fire-White carnations centered the pink and white gladioluses were used throughout the room

The bride wore a white wool blouse and navy accessories. Her carnations. She carried a white

Mrs. Harold Hass, sister-inlaw of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. Harold Hass was his brother's best man.

Following the ceremony, a re ception was held. The lace-laid table was centered with a three-Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls and miniature love birds and enciring as a Profession," was dis- daughter, Gayle of Baird ,and cled with pink roses. Charlele cussed. The Constitution and By- Gene Walls of Odessa, spent the Hass of Baird served the cake Laws for Home Demonstration weekend in Big Spring visiting and Mrs. E. B. Reece presided at

> Wedding guests included Mr. report George Fred is improv- and Mrs. J. W. Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Jones, Charlcie Hass, Rev. and Mrs. Davis, all of Baird;

Mrs. Duke McIntosh and children, Virginia, Mac, and Ilean, Mrs. Tom Barton and Mrs. Sallie Eastham started children, Ann and Tommy, and working Monday at White Auto Mrs. Tee Baulch attended the birthday party of John Coppinger in Abilene Jan. 6th. Mr. and Miss Jane Patton Hall of Abi-lene is ill in Callahan County Hospital. his third birthday.

# price of compressor engines is up 49%

up, and Oplin girls won consola- Thompson and son of Premont tion. Putnam, Clyde, Denton, visited Uncle Carlton Thompson Baird and Cross Plains girls and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shelwere put out early in the tour- ton Saturday. Uncle Carlton

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## **Hospital Notes**

Born the 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bowman, a son, weight 5 lbs. 8 ozs. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Born the 10th to Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Hoffman, Cisco Rt., a daughter, weight 6 lbs. 5 ozs.

Both are doing fine. Mrs. E. V. Nigars, Cisco Rt., a medical patient, was dismissed the 12th

Nelson Bailey, Putnam, was admitted the 10th for treatment. Rev. W. B. Gilleland, Cotton-

wood, is resting more comfortably at this writing. He was admitted the 11th,

Little Miss Ester Powers, of Clyde, is improving. She was ill with pneumonia.

E. M. Wristen, who underwent surgery the 11th, is slightly better

Mrs. L. C. Cash was re-admitted the 9th for further medical treatment.

Miss Virgie Hardy, Abilene, who underwent major surgery ing some better.



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the 9th, is reported getting missed the 9th after several along as well as can be expecdays hospitalization. ted. Miss Jeanne Konczak, R. N. Little Joe McKee, Clyde Rt. 2,

is her special nurse Miss Jane Hall, Abilene, was was dismissed admitted the 8th as a medical much better. J. J. Jones, Abilene, was bet-

patient Mrs. Jack Kelly, Clyde, and ter when dismissed the 8th. twins were dismissed the 10th. Mrs. B. J. King, Clyde, and Mrs. C. R. Kanady and infant infant daughter, born the 5th, have returned to their home.

son returned to their home the They were doing nicely. Mrs. J. G. Norrell, Clyde, was Mrs. J. G. Norreil, Ciyde, was admitted the 7th for medical improving slowly. Mrs. N. E. McGee is getting

treatment. Troy Rutherford, Moran, unalong fine. Gilbert Spinks, Clyde Rt., is rederwent tonsillectomy the 7th. covering from burns sustained Mrs. Alton Davis and son,

Tommy, were medical patients on both legs Mrs. J. R. McFarlane, who was recently. Mrs. Harry Steen, Clyde, who hip, is reported getting along

underwent major surgery the nicely 8th, is reported improving nice-Mrs. Lee Estes, a medical patient, is feeling much better.

Mrs. Lela Izzard, a medical pa-Albert Davila is feeling some tient, is getting along fine. better Mrs. Delia Farrar, who has Burl Lofton is getting along

been ill with penumonia, is feeljust fine.

**Tecumseh Topics** Mrs. Dolph Hodges Tersely Told, Typographically Tendered and Tolerably True.

Mrs. Alice Tunnell, who is ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ennis Favors at Stephenville, is improving and plans to be home within a few days.

Mrs. Dolph Hodges and Mrs. Sarah Magill visited Mrs. J. T. Ellis, who is slowly recovering from an accidental fall. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wolfe and children, Norma and Bill, vis- nolds, Van Nuys, Calif. ted their daughter and sister. Mrs. Hack Holiday in Dallas last weekend.

J. P. Tunnell has been visit-Mrs. Tunnell at Weatherford. vin Neal of Abilene, Mrs. Ott Worth 1, Texas. Neal of Dudley

Mrs. Annie Stephenson return-

THE BAIRD STAR

#### Mrs. Ernest Windham was dis- FAT STOCK SHOW TO **OPEN JANAURY 28**

Fort Worth - Fifty new buckwas dismissed the 8th. He was ing horses, including four rank-

utes to Midnight," will be among the 150 displaying their heel-Mrs. B. J. King, Clyde, and flying, back-arching talents at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show rodeo in Fort Worth Jan. 23 through Mrs. W. J. Bryson, Oplin, is February 6th.

Tops among the new buckers re "Remember Me," "The Old are "Frontier Days," Gray' Mare," and "Pomroy

Four specialty acts featuring performers never before seen in the Fort Worth arena will add admitted Dec. 20 with a broken zest to the rodeo menu. Elevenyear-old Don K. Reynolds of Van Nuys, Calif., will do trick riding and roping, using a Shetland pony and a pair of matched Brown Jug" in rodeo and movie scores of 45. circles, Don soon will play "Lit-

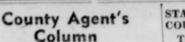
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Shetland ponies owned and dri- Clyde and Leroy English of Baven by E. O. Pope of Fort Worth, you with scores of 37 points. will execute figures at full speed.

fith, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Tad Lu-cas, Fort Worth; Bernice Dos-to make the trip to Ft. Worth. sey, Chandler, Ariz.; Don Wilcox, Tulsa, and Charlotte Rey- CHEVROLET REGIONAL

Opening rodeo performance will be at 8 p. m. January 28. Thereafter, it will be presented twice daily, at 2 and 8 p. m. ing his son, Clyde Tunnell and through Feb. 6. Mail orders for tickets may be sent to the Sunday guests of Mrs. Sarah Southwestern Exposition and Fat Magill were Mr. and Mrs. Cal- Stock Show, P. O. Box, 150, Fort

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Garner and ed to her home after an illness son, Pat, of Sheffield, visited at the home of her daughter, their daughter, Mrs. Oliver \*F. Mrs. Hulan Harrison, in Abi- Werst and family the past weekend



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ed with the famous "Five Min- Grass Judging Contest Winners deceased:

Oliver F. Werst

Last week the Callahan County 4-H Club boys had a grass adging contest to see which five ecutor under the will and of the boys would make the team to represent this county at the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show Grass Plains, Callahan County, Texas, Judging Contest.

The competition was keen and in the end, Howard Johnson and Dale Crawford, of the Oplin 4-H indebted to said estate to com Club were tied for first place with perfect scores of 50 points and those having claims agains out of a possible 50. Kenneth Shipman of the Denton 4-H Club was in 2nd place with 48 points, and Carl Mauldin of Bayou took 3rd with a score of 47. George Crook and Bud Farmer Palominos. Known as "Little of Eula were tied for 4th with its mail. 1948.

Other boys who were in the tle Beaver" in the Red Ryder running were Thurmond Atchley, 44; Johnny McKenzie, 43; Capt. William Heyer of Sara- Ed Farmer, 38; Clarence Sneed. sota, Fla., will present his fam- 37; and Leamon Hayhurst, 37; ous dancing mare, "Starless all of the Denton 4-H Club. Night." Old-time square dances Others were L. Dee Robbins and will be performed on horseback Bruce Stovall of Cross Plains, by the Boom Town Mounted with 40 and 38, respectively; Square Dancers of Burkburnett. Tommy Milliorn of Eula with a and family are moving to Mc-The Pope Pony Hitch, eight score of 40; Jimmy Hicks of

The six high scoring boys will Trick riders will be Dick Grif- now compete with each other to ed by Glen Boyd.

## MEETING IN FT. WORTH

Chevrolet dealers in this area were enroute to Fort Worth. to attend the Chevrolet Regional Dealers Convention, Thursday Jan. 13, at which they will preview the new Chevrolet passenger cars for 1949, completely restyled and featuring the latest trends in automotive design.

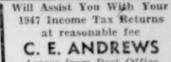
The meeting, at the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium, Ft Worth, will be closed to all but Chevrolet dealers. The first public showing of the new passenger cars is Jan. 22. On that date Ray Motor Company will hold an open house for all residents of this area, featuring the new car which marks a new era in transportation in the low cost field

Local dealers and top officers of the dealerships will be joined at the meeting by approximately 650 other Chevrolet dealers from cities in the region covering Arizona, New Mexico, Texas Oklahoma, Louisiana and southern Mississippi. K. E. Staley, regional manager, will conduct the meeting, all sessions of which will be at the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium.

A luncheon will be held, the new car will be presented and its various new features described at the meeting. The dealers later will have an opportunity to inspect all of the new models in

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tompkins and daughter, Mary Beth, of Espanola, N. M., spent Christmas with Mrs. Tompkins' parents, d Mrs H W P

Mrs. Margie Ray and Mrs. Ashby White made a trip to Ft. Worth Sunday.



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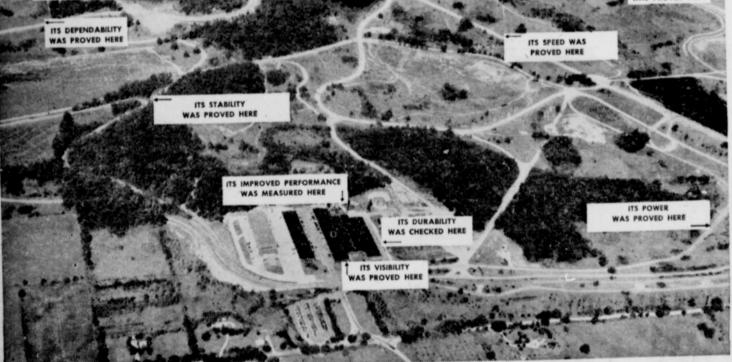
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Office .. uled forms. The Star.

#### WEST AFLAME IN COLORADO"

Columbia's "The Man From Colorado" co-starring Glenn Ford and William Holden, is showing at the Plaza Thursday and Friday. Ellen Drew tops the featured cast of this epic Technicolor action drama, with Ray Collins, Edgar Buchanan, Jerome Courtland and James Millican spotted in other important assignments.

THE BAIRD STAR

Advance Hollywood reports in- spent th dicate that fans can bok for- Mauldin.

ward to one of the truly big is essentially the conflict between Ford and Holden, two strong men who tear the West apart over a beautiful woman, Miss Drew. Set against the bruising and brawling frontier of post-Civil War Colorado, the film includes such large-scale action highlights as a savage massacre of surrendering troops, an ille-

gal hanging and the towering climax wherein an entire settlement is leveled by fire!

Miss Mary Braly of Ft. Worth spent the past weekend with Miss Maxine Williams.

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Barbara Arledge of Abilene spent the weekend with Irene

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Dearing, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie nam Sunday afternoon Baggett and Miss Ludie Smed- The Bayou girls b basketball ley, all of Abilene, attended the tournament Saturday night. Janie and Carlene Roberson That was Eula's first defeat of of Abilene spent last weekend the season.

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