

LIONS SUPPORT GIRL SCOUTS



Lions Clubs are the sponsors of more than 650 Girl Scout Troops in the United States. The Boys and Girls Committees of the Lions Clubs last year completed more than 24,000 individual community projects to help the youth of their respective communities. Of these activities a large percentage was in direct support of Scouting programs.

The Baird Star

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School Pictures To Be Taken October 27

The pictures of school children will be taken for the 1955 Headlight on Wednesday, Oct. 27. It was announced this week by Mrs. Archie Nichols, sponsor of this year's yearbook.

Organization pictures will also be taken. All cheerleaders, band members, pep squad members, and football boys are asked to be ready for group pictures on that day.

David E. Smith, 69, Of Moran, Dies

David Elmer Smith, 69, of Moran, died about 2:15 a.m. Saturday after a year's illness. He had lived in the Albany, Ixeh and Moran areas for 45 years.

Mr. Smith was born Jan. 25, 1885 in Starkville, Miss. His wife is the former Minnie Sarah Brazzell of Ixeh.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Moran Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. J. B. Fowler, officiating. Burial was in Moran Cemetery under the direction of Wylie Funeral Home of Moran.

Survivors include his wife, of Moran; one son, C. B. Smith of Albany; two daughters, Mrs. J. D. Meloud of Breckenridge and Mrs. O. J. Tubbs of Ixeh; two brothers, Guy Smith of Celeste and Joe Smith of Abilene; four sisters, Mrs. R. F. Blackburn of Greenville, Mrs. W. N. Alexander of Gilmer, and Mrs. Ernest Daugherty and Mrs. Ruby Fox, both of Dallas; and 13 grandchildren.

Mrs. Brumbaugh Gets Call From Son

Eddy Brumbaugh called his mother, Mrs. W. C. Brumbaugh, from San Diego, Calif., when he returned from seven months in the Far East aboard the U.S.S. Boxer. There were 3200 officers and men aboard and they showed their pleasure in returning by giving a check for \$1400.00 to the San Diego Success Drive.

The Boxer was flagship of the 1st Fleet and was near Formosa and Indo-China during periods of tension recently with the Communists. The Boxer holds the fleet record of 69,988 aircraft landings.

Eddy will go on with his ship to San Francisco, where the ship will be for several months. Eddy plans to be home Thanksgiving before heading out to sea again.

Buck Harvest Drawing Set

The Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission said Texas hunters desiring to share in the harvest of surplus buck deer on the Kerr Wildlife Management Area should write Commission headquarters in Austin prior to October 29.

The Commission recently sanctioned taking of one hundred head of deer, comprising an equal number of bucks with pronged horns, and does, from the experimental project because of over-population. But the antlerless deer phase was lately abandoned because of the disapproval of the Kerr County Board of Commissioners.

Deadline for applications for the drawing is Friday, Oct. 29. The drawing, similar to those to determine licenses for the regular antelope hunts, will be held Monday, Nov. 1. Persons selected will be promptly notified by letter.

Letters of application for the drawing should be addressed to Vernon E. Skaggs, Chief Clerk, Texas Game & Fish Commission, Walton Building, Austin, Texas.

The only expense to the persons selected in the draw will be the price of a regular \$2.15 hunting license.

No alternates will be named since an extra ten names will be selected to allow for dropouts.

The hunt itself, which will be the first free public deer hunt in modern Texas history, will be for four days beginning Tuesday, Nov. 16. Fifteen hunters a day will be accommodated for four days. The hunt will be supervised by wildlife biologists and game wardens.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Clappitt and son, Carol visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Clappitt and other relatives in Albany last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Johnson of Plainview visited her father, J. A. Brashear and Mrs. Brashear on Wednesday.

High School Carnival Saturday, Oct. 30

Watch for outlined report of the big Carnival the Seniors will sponsor next Saturday, Oct. 30.

There will be many exciting things to do and see. Coronation of a High School Queen and Elementary Queen will be the highlight of the program. More details will be given next Friday.

Rising Star Man's Funeral Wednesday

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Baird Bumps Tigers, 19-7

Baird's Bears opened up their district competition at Baird last Thursday night with a 19-7 victory over the South Taylor Flying Tigers.

It was the second 8-B loss for South Taylor, who had previously bowed to high-scoring Strawn.

Baird rolled to a 13-7 halftime lead after Halfback John Bullock drove eight yards for a touchdown early in the second quarter and Quarterback Paul Jones passed to End Robert Corn for 41 yards in the same stanza.

The first Baird TD came on a 26-yard drive and Bullock went off tackle for the score. Corn ran the last ten yards of the pass play for the second touchdown, and Jones booted the point.

South Taylor tallied in the second quarter as interference was ruled at the three-yard line on a pass from Bobby McMillian to Billy Self good for 16 yards. Quarterback James Walsh took it the last three on a sneaker with Homer Parris booting the extra point.

Baird's final mark came in the fourth quarter as Halfback Leslie Nichols plunged over from the nine after a 59-yard march. The extra point effort was no good.

Bill Mack Show To Appear In Baird

The new "Bill Mack Show" from KWFT Radio and Television in Wichita Falls, is scheduled for an appearance in Baird for one night only Tuesday, Nov. 2 at 8:00 p.m. The show is being presented under the auspices of the Junior Wednesday Club. Proceeds of the show will go to local civic improvement.

The "Bill Mack Show" features Imperial Record Star Bill Mack and his Blue Sage Boys. 24-year-old Bill Mack received nationwide popularity through his compositions and recordings of such country hits as "When The Sun Goes Down", "Play My Boogie", "I Love You All Over Again", "That's How I Feel", "Ain't It A Shame" and many more. He is just recently receiving widespread acclaim with his latest release "Crazy For Love" and "We Waited In My Dreams".

The show will also feature Bill's Blue Sage Boys. This is the outstanding unit that accompanies him on his recordings and radio and television shows. The Blue Sage Boys will present top arrangement of the old time fiddle breakdowns, steel-guitar numbers, accordion and piano selections, beautiful trios and duets, vocal solos, hymns and side-splitting comedy.

Admission prices for the "Bill Mack Show" are: Adults 60c; Children 30c.

The show will be held in the Cafeteria. Don't miss this outstanding show featuring your favorite radio, record and television stars. It's a program designed for the entire family!

Humble To Present Five Football Games

Radio coverage will be brought to Texans Saturday by Humble Oil & Refining Co.

The Rice-Texas game will be described by Kern Tips and Bob Walker from Rice Stadium, Houston. Radio time will be 1:50 p.m. over KPRC, Houston; KTB, Austin; WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KGBS, San Antonio; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KRGV, Weslaco; KINE, Kingsville; KFDM, Beaumont; KTRF, Lufkin; KSFA, Nacogdoches; KDCT, Center; KLIT, Longview; KIMP, Mt. Pleasant; KOSY, Texarkana; KSTB, Breckenridge; KRBC, Abilene; KWFT, Wichita Falls; KCB, Lubbock; KGNC, Amarillo; KPBT, Lamesa; KWEW, Hobbs, N.M.; KRDD, El Paso; KSNY, Snyder; KTXJ, Jasper and KCYL, Lampasas.

Baylor meets Texas A&M in Waco. Ves Box and Dave Smith will broadcast the game beginning at 1:50 p.m. over radio stations WACO, Waco; KRLD, Dallas; WTAW, College Station; KTRH, Houston; WOAL, San Antonio; KWBU, Corpus Christi; KRIO, McAllen; KFDF, Wichita Falls; KTBB, Tyler; KWKC, Abilene; KGKL, San Angelo; KBWD, Brownwood; KBST, Big Spring; KCOR, Midland; KRIG, Odessa; KVET, Austin; KERB, Kermit; KSTV, Stephenville; KVWC, Vernon and KALT, Atlanta.

Action from the SMU-Kansas game in Dallas will be described by Dave Russell and Coit Butler. Radio time will be 1:50 p.m. over WRR, Dallas; KFJZ, Ft. Worth; KWTC, Waco; KTHT, Houston; KMAC, San Antonio and KGBT, Harlingen.

The TCU-Penn State game will be broadcast by John Ferguson and Eddie Barker beginning at 1:50 p.m. over WFAA-WBAP-570, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KXYZ, Houston; KTSB, San Antonio and KEYS, Corpus Christi.

At 10:00 p.m. Texas Tech's game with College of Pacific will be broadcast. Jerry Doggett will do the play-by-play and Jack Dale will do the color over radio stations KFYO, Lubbock; KLVT, Levelland; KECK, Odessa; KP-DN, Pampa; KFDA, Amarillo; KVOP, Plainview; KDWT, Stamford; KXOX, Sweetwater; KW-EW, Hobbs, N. M. and KVOW, Littlefield.

Baird FFA Goes To State Fair

"Tex we are coming" was the cry heard at 3:30 a.m. last Saturday morning as 26 FFA boys and their adviser left for the State Fair of Texas at Dallas. We had breakfast at Weatherford and then we were on our way to "Big D."

We arrived at the Fair at 8:20 a.m. After securing lodgings for the night, we ventured onto the fair grounds. The buildings on the fair grounds did not open until 10:00 a.m. so we used our time to see various sights. We visited the various exhibits of beef and dairy cattle as well as the rest of the breeds of livestock and poultry.

When the fair buildings opened, we visited the Electric Building where there was a wide array of electrical appliances on display. Some ventured back in the afternoon to watch television of various events. The Automobile Building drew its usual share of the fair crowd. By accident, some of us went into the Women's Building where the world famous Hope diamond was on display. It is valued at \$1,200,000. The diamond display was well guarded with armed men from the famous Burns Detective Agency.

The aquarium was so crowded the fish could not get around. The horseless carriage (old automobiles) was something to see. The Stanley Steamer proved to be a drawing card. Other buildings and displays were well attended. Of course, the mid-way drew its usual share of youngsters.

Lunch hour was from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The 60,000 pounds of hot dogs provided by the State Fair and the business men of Dallas were enjoyed by all the 100,000 youth and their sponsors.

The boys making the trip were: Jimmy Barnes, Sonny Caldwell, Roger Corn, Bill Edwards, Lawrence Lambert, James Tyson, Bob Lamb, John Bullock, Jackie Corn, Felton Gilmore, Arvid Harris, J. W. Hunt, James Roy Jarrett, Claxton Joy, Clayton Joy, George Lambert, Fain McWilliams, Robert Parks, Alton Payne, Tony Price, Floyd Wood, James Warren, Owen Young, Robert Lambert and Odram Floyd.

Coach Jefferies went along as a guest of the chapter. The boys were accompanied by their adviser, Edwin L. Reese.

Miss Glynda Beth Gilbreath, who is attending college in San Marcos visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath and Kay, last weekend.

M. E. Irons attended the F.H.A. bi-district meeting in Mineral Wells on Thursday and Friday.

"Something For Nothing"

"Something for nothing" isn't altogether a thing of the past. That is the belief of members of the State Courts Housing Committee of the State Bar of Texas who are urging passage of Amendment Number Four at the November 2 general election.

The Amendment which would provide for the construction of two state office buildings, without additional taxes, and at a saving of \$250,000 per year now being paid in rent by state agencies housed outside the Capitol. That is about as close as you can get to "something for nothing," they believe.

The Committee, headed by Ed Gossett of Dallas, is one of many groups throughout the state who have given their endorsement to this Amendment. It provides for the transfer of surplus money in the Confederate Pension Fund to a building fund for a State Court building to house the Supreme Court, Court of Criminal Appeals, Court of Civil Appeals, State Library, and Attorney General's office and for a State Office building to house state agencies now paying rent for office space outside the Capitol.

Endorsement of the amendment has been given by Gov. Allan Shivers, the State Legislature, four former governors and seven former attorneys general, the State Bar of Texas, the Texas State Employees Association and many other groups.

Chief Justice J. E. Hickman and U. S. Senator Price Daniel have expressed their approval of the amendment and cited crowded conditions in the State Capitol as evidence of the need for the buildings. State employees are now forced to work in cramped cubbyhole offices in the basement and on stair landings, they pointed out.

Heart Disease Is Leading Killer

Heart disease is the leading cause of death in Texas declares Dr. Henry A. Hoile, State Health Officer. It takes more lives each year than cancer, accidents or any other cause of death, in fact one third of all deaths are due to heart disease and the toll is rising. It can be curbed if you will have a periodic health examination by a qualified physician and follow his instructions for protecting your heart.

An annual physical examination sometimes brings to light adverse conditions, many of which can be corrected before they cause serious damage. Only a physician can recognize for certain the danger signals of heart trouble, and tell you how to care for yourself.

If your physician tells you to slow down or reduce your weight, to cut down on your heart's workload, heed his advice. He wants to help you take care of your heart and to keep you in good health. There's no replacement possible.

The heart needs good care to stay in good running order. Almost anything you do affects your heart. The food you eat, the stairs you climb, the hours you sleep, the pace you set for yourself, your illnesses, the worries you brood over, the tensions you live under—all affect your heart. These are the patterns of your life. These are what make you tick. These conditions play roles in making your heart the kind of heart it is. And there are indicators to warn you of trouble, if you look for them.

The heart can work at a fast pace, and under handicaps, for a long time, because it draws on its reserve power. But when the reserve power of the heart begins to wear out, you experience some of the symptoms commonly associated with heart disease. You may experience a shortness of breath, pain over the heart or breast bone, swollen ankles, and heavy and uneven heart beats.

Of course at any time, sudden, strong physical exertion will cause a person's heart to beat faster. But if, under ordinary circumstances, you experience any of these symptoms, heed the warning and see your physician. You may not have heart trouble, but it's smart not to take chances.

C. S. McClellan was a business visitor in Abilene on Tuesday.

Pre-Vue Showing Of New Pontiac

Jones-Franke Pontiac Co., 305 Market St., Baird, are inviting the public to come by their showroom on Thursday, October 28, for a Pre-Vue Showing of the new 1955 Pontiac. Public showing dates are Friday and Saturday, October 29-30.

Lloyd Jones and Forrest Dale Franke, new Pontiac dealers in Baird, cordially invite everyone to come by and see the new Pontiac car for 1955.

Local F.H.A. Chapter Attends State Fair

Some 50 Baird F.H.A. girls were among the 100,000 rural young folks at the Fair last weekend. The group left Baird Saturday morning at 4:30 a.m. on an American Chartered bus. They were accompanied by Ruth Gilliland, Ann and Hugh Ross, Chapter parents and Mrs. Hamrick, Chapter sponsor.

When the group arrived thirty-five went to the Ice Cycles while the others went to the exhibits. They met at 1:00 p.m. for a free lunch at the Picnic Pavilion. Free hot dogs, candy and punch were served.

Then everyone looked at the rest of the exhibits. They saw the latest and antique cars.

Some visited the "Kitchen of Tomorrow" and "Dream Home." In the Women's Building they saw the "Jewels of the World" including the fabulous Hope Diamond. Every kind of hand work was shown and a style show was held at 2:00-4:00 and 7:00 p.m. Ester Dorothy, famous fur stylist from New York, was there. She is the only person who has been successful with fur dying. The latest in fashions were shown also.

At 3:00 p.m. the group separated and moved onto the mid-way where they stayed until 10:00 that night, when they returned to the bus.

In the group were: Mary Ross, Beth Welch, Vergie Stevenson, Billie Beth Bell, Barbara Snyder, Janice Brown, Louanna Ault, Ramona Cummings, Nancy Bryant, Joyce and Jo Ann Gary, Carol Tunnell, Doris Waggoner, Marilyn Gilliland, Jeanette McPherson, Gayle Walls, Janis Abernathy, Charlene Pendegross, Barbara Gilmore, Martha Martin, Betty Williams, Irene Bates, Martha Payne, Elizabeth Snyder, Paunell Jordan, Marcelle Jarrett, Jo McPherson, Margie Curtis, Artie Stokes, Helen Walker, Evette Meadows, Wanda Shelnut, Jole Hatley, Rosie Monzello, Barbara Higgins, Joy Latimer, Dolly Summers, Mary Borman, Dorothy Schaffrin, Vi Doris Breeding, Barbara Shelton, Marquita McQueen, Jane Davis, Mrs. Crow, Mrs. Pruet and Mrs. George Carlile.

Ex-Eula Farmer Dies In Dallas

William Fritz Gardner, 79, retired farmer, died in a Dallas hospital Saturday after a short illness, it was learned here Tuesday.

He had lived in Dallas since 1940.

Mr. Gardner was a farmer in the Eula community for 46 years. He moved to Dallas from Eula in 1940. Born in South Bend, Ind., he came to Eula with his family in 1894. He was a member of the First Nazarene Church. He married the former Miss Hadie Wicks and they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in January, 1947.

Besides his widow he is survived by five daughters, Mrs. A. J. Schmidt of Clyde, Mrs. Sam Schmidt, Mrs. D. Theford and Mrs. Earl Martin, all of Dallas, and Mrs. Ozella Poe of Chattanooga, Tenn.; six sons, W. J. of Clyde, R. D. of Oakland, Calif., Rev. George Gardner, Phoenix, Ariz., F. E., C. A. and Eddie Gardner, all of Dallas; one sister, Mrs. Annie Thompson of Clyde; 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral and burial was held in Dallas Monday.

George Jones, student in the University of Texas, Austin, spent last weekend with his mother, Mrs. Freda Jones and other relatives.

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell made business trip to Wichita Falls last Wednesday.

New and Renewal Subscriptions

Mrs. L. D. Falls, Bowie
 T. B. Harris, Panhandle
 Harold D. Hart, Ft. Worth
 Morgan Stokes, Baird
 Theima Shelton, Baird
 J. B. Pitzer, Baird
 Bob Norrell, Baird
 Mrs. Ben F. Russell, Dallas
 Mrs. Geo. R. McManis, Breckenridge
 Stanley Foy, Baird

SWEET 'N SOUR

By A. DILL

First off the bat we want to offer best wishes and congratulations to Pearl and Harry Ebert who celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary October 31. Plans had been previously set for September twenty-fifth but illness caused a postponement of the date. Delay, however, doesn't lessen the sweetness of it and we join their many friends in adding our wishes for a very happy "Wedding Day."

Have you noticed the golden spikes of yellow daisies along the Autumn roadsides these days? Aren't they lovely? And did you see the rain lillies, like myriads of tiny white stars, that dotted Mrs. Uzzell's yard after the shower the other day? They were far prettier than any "planned garden" could ever be.

We saw lots of Bairdites and near-Bairdites at the boys Town Choir Concert last week at the McMurry Auditorium. Mrs. S. L. McElroy was there and so were the Don O'Connors. From Clyde we saw Anna Lee and Marie Jo Munson, Beverly Konczak, Hugh Tucker, Pete Drexler, Jim and Mary Prew.

The Hernie Martins spent the weekend in Ft. Worth with the Carl Hensleys. Main reason for the trip was to meet daughter Martha Ann who had gone to the Dallas Fair on a school excursion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Griffin spent the weekend here in Baird with the Larmer Henry's and also in Midway with the Joe Griffins. By the way, also visiting her grandparents, both maternal and paternal, was tiny Julia Diane Griffin.

We had weekend guests too, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook and Don of Lawton, Oklahoma. They also visited with the Peck Aults and with Mrs. Lena Irwin in Clyde.

Do you know what is just around the corner? Well, match, it's Halloween and the biggest thing about Halloween in Baird is the School Carnival. Plans are rapidly shaping up for just the best one ever, so make your plans to attend now.

Highlight of the affair will be the crowning of the Carnival Queen, selected this year, by popular vote, from the High School nominees.

This year there will be a Grade School Queen selected by popular vote from the seventh and eighth grades. Prince and Princesses from all of the grades will make up the Royal Court. These children are selected by vote and here they are for your approval: First Grade: Frances Murphy and Lloyd Ray Hughes; Second Grade: Sally Greene and Wally Sorrells; First-Second Grade: Katy Walls and Don Franke; Third Grade: Karen Bearden and Jimmy Drennan; Fourth Grade: Linnea LaCour and Robert Martin; Fifth Grade: Donna Drennan and Felix Manlon; Sixth Grade: Karen Towler and Steve Greene; Seventh Grade: Linda Drennan and Larry Corn; Eighth Grade: Marge Curtis and Gary Gilliland; Ninth Grade: Marcelle Jarrett and Jimmy Barnes; Tenth Grade: Dorothy Schnaffrina and J. W. Hunt; Eleventh Grade: Martha Ann Martin and Bobby Joy; and the Twelfth Grade: Evelyn Spraws and Robert Corn. By all means plan to attend the Halloween Carnival. There will be lots of new things in the way of booths and entertainment and you'll enjoy yourself immensely.

Mrs. F. E. Mitchell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. V. V. Scarpell and family in Midland.

Lt. Horace L. Brame Receives Pilot Wings

First Lieutenant Horace L. Brame of Baird, received the silver wings of an Air Force jet pilot on Oct. 13. The presentation was made in ceremonies at the Laredo Air Force Base Theatre. The graduation culminated fourteen months of intensive pilot training in both propeller driven and jet type aircraft.

Lt. Brame, son of Mrs. B. O. Brame, married the former Miss Lillian E. Mills of 1450 Spring Rd. N. W., Washington 10, D. C. The 26-year-old jet pilot graduated from U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland. Prior to coming to Laredo he served in Korea where he flew 51 missions as a navigator.

Girl Scouts Help With TB Work

The Baird Girl Scouts have offered their services in helping with the TB Seal Sale again this year. They have already been put to work in getting out the little educational pamphlet which you received in the mail last week.

The following Girl Scouts helped with this work: Beverly Konczak, Louanna Ault, Artie Mae Stokes, Evette Meadows, Jerry Barnhill, Karen Towler, Linda Drennan. Their leaders, Mrs. Mae Stokes, Mrs. Eddie Konczak, and Mrs. Preston Ault, also helped.

They have also offered their services in getting out the Christmas Seal letters, which will go out on Nov. 22. This will be the 48th Annual Christmas Seal Sale.

A total of \$1100.00 was collected from the sale of Christmas Seals last year, and at least that amount will be needed to carry on the work of the Association this year. Buy and use Christmas Seals. Also support your Girl Scout organization. They are doing a wonderful work in training your daughters to become good citizens.

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Mrs. Manion Hostess To Club On Monday

The Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club met Monday, Oct. 18, in the home of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn with Mrs. A. A. Manion as hostess.

Mrs. Terrell Williams, president, called the meeting to order and a most interesting panel discussion was given by Mrs. Williams as leader, with Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Konczak, Mrs. Peek and Miss Warren as speakers, on Women's Clubs in Foreign Lands.

During the social hour refreshments were served to: Mmes. Eunice Brock, Lowell Boyd, D. C. Cox, Beatrice Deal, N. L. Dickey, Jack Gilliland, Eddie Konczak, A. A. Manion, C. S. McGowen, C. M. Peek, Margie Ray, Glen Rockey, Terrell Williams and Misses Burma Warren and Edith Bowls.

Mrs. Terrell Williams attended the bi-district meeting of the F.H.A. which was held in Mineral Wells, Thursday and Friday.

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Mrs. Arthur Young Host To Club

The Junior Wednesday Club met Monday, Oct. 18th in the home of Mrs. Arthur Young.

Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, the founder of the club, was guest speaker. She gave a short talk on "The General Federation of Women's Clubs."

Mrs. Young was elected as delegate to the State Convention and Mrs. Ray Black as alternate.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Bill Alexander, Jay Ashlock, Garland Betcher, Ray Black, Lee Brown, Wilburn Carrico, Dale Gibbs, Cubelle Sorrels, Bobby Stanley, Cecil Stroope, Coleman Walton, Bill Womack, Arthur Young and Misses Virginia Stevenson, Floy McCaw and Sarah Parks.

Mrs. W. H. Dakin and Mrs. Coker of Abilene visited Miss John Gilliland and other friends in Baird on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mayfield were called to Rising Star the first of the week. Her brother-in-law, F. W. Respass, died Monday night.

Alec Shocklee spent last weekend in Cross Plains with his father and also attended the Cross Plains-Clyde football game.

Miss Marguerite McClendon who has been a patient in a Dallas hospital was moved to Hendrick Memorial Hospital, in Abilene on Tuesday.

T. B. Harris of Panhandle was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Golden Anniversary Celebrated By O.E.S.

On Sunday, October 17, the members of Callahan Chapter 242, Order of the Eastern Star, celebrated their 50th Anniversary with a tea in the Legion Hall.

The two connectional charter members of the chapter were honor guests. They were Mrs. Maud Boydston and Mrs. Cora Work. These sisters cut the first piece of the huge birthday cake.

The birthday cake rested on a white linen cloth centered with a beautiful star of yellow mums and green ribbon, the chapter's colors for this year.

Sisters Viva Peek, Florence Loper and Vada Bennett had charge of the decorations. Music was furnished during the afternoon by Harold Wristen at the piano, a violin solo by Leslie Nichols, vocal solo by Mrs. Dorothy Harper of Abilene, vocal solos and duets by Mrs. Mildred Womack and Mrs. Vida Hill. Miss Delores Flores sang several solo selections also during the afternoon.

In the receiving line were several officers: Olivia Taylor, W.M.; Vivian Bell, A.M.; Elizabeth Fetterly, Secretary; Lillie Settle, Con.; Henry Etta Hord, Ruth; Mae Lewis, Marshall, and Glen Green, A.P.

Sister Olivia Taylor, Worthy Matron, acted as toast master, introducing the honored charter members of Callahan Chapter, her officers and all past and present Worthy Matrons and Patrons of Callahan Chapter.

Sister Viva Peek was general chairman of arrangements with sisters Aura Waddell, Mildred Womack and Vida Hill as co-workers.

The Worthy Matron presented the two charter members with corsages, gifts from the chapter.

One hundred and thirty members and visitors were present, representing chapters from Callahan No. 242; River Oaks, Abilene No. 30; Queen Esther, Abilene No. 833; Sonora No. 575; Eastland No. 280; Gorman No. 443; De Leon No. 693; Clyde No. 308; Cisco No. 461; McAlister, Okla. No. 454; Albany No. 733; Moran No. 591; Coleman No. 360; also visitors from Ft. Worth and Putnam.

One grand officer, sister Agnes Lee Howard, grand examiner of

District 3 of Alberta was also present.

Girl Scout News

Girl Scout Troop Numbers 1 and 6 held their Posture Service Sunday afternoon, Oct. 17, at 4:00 p.m. in the Little House.

The service was opened with a Flag Ceremony during which the Pledge of Allegiance, was repeated and "America" was sung. The girls formed a horseshoe, from which they were presented by Mrs. Tom Barton. After each lighted her candle, she repeated her Girl Scout promise to Mrs. Frank Gardiner, who presented her with her Girl Scout Pin. The ceremony closed with the singing of "Taps."

Girl Scout pins were presented to the following: Nancy Gardiner, Nancy Johnson, Linnea La Cour, Janet Ross, Kathy Ricks, Pauline and Darlene Lenhardt, Ann Barton, Charlene Shelton, Judy Morgan, Kity Ross, Donna Drennan, Alberta Turner, Edwina Reese, Judy Anderson, Glenda Ricks, Carolyn Shelton.

Mrs. L. D. Anderson and Mrs. Bob Drennan, leaders of Troop No. 6, served refreshments to the following guests: Mrs. E. L. Reese, Mrs. George Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Johnson, Mrs. Hubert Ross, Mrs. Malcolm Ross, Mrs. Bob Warren, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen, Mrs. Thelma Shelton, Mrs. Opal Shelton, Mrs. Bruce Brown, Mrs. Hugh Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lenhardt, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shrader, Tom Barton, Frank Gardiner, Elizaeth Matlock, Mrs. A. H. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Anderson, L. D. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Tee Bauch, Miss Sadore Grimes, Mrs. W. B. Barton of Clyde, Tommy Barton, Linda, Jimmy and Carol Drennan, Charles and Bill Anderson, Carol Lynn McGowen, Glenda Lenardt, James and Edmund Lee Shelton, Jane Ann Gardiner.

Troop No. 3 of the Girl Scouts met Thursday, Oct. 14, on the lawn east of the ice plant. The girls demonstrated their ability to prepare a one-pot meal over a quick fire. This completed the outdoor cook badge that most of the girls started last year. The girls served campfire stew, pickles, crackers, roasted marshmallows, cookies and punch.

The Scouts plan to start on their sewing badge at the next

meeting. Girls in this Troop are: Sarah Hatchett, Jerry Lou Barnhill, Kitty Bea Jones, Virginia Lee Sprouse, Karen Towler, Shirley Elliott, Linda Drennan, Dorothy England and Linda Shaeffer. We hope that other girls will join our Troop.

Mrs. Snyder Hosts Wednesday Club

Mrs. C. B. Snyder was hostess on October 13 to the Wednesday Club in the home of Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr.

Mrs. Ace Hickman, legislative chairman, discussed the eleven amendments to be voted upon on Nov. 2. Mrs. M. D. Bell was elected delegate, and Mrs. Hickman alternate, to attend the T.F.W.C. Convention at Mineral Wells on Nov. 8-11.

In observance of National Poetry Week, the subject for the afternoon was "Our Heritage of Poetry." Following the prayer by Mrs. A. E. Dyer, these numbers were given:

Walt Whitman, Poet of Democracy Mrs. D. F. Short Poe, the Necromancer of American Literature Mrs. Fetterly Longfellow, Our Favorite Poet Mrs. L. B. Lewis Piano Solo - Medley of Love Songs of Long Ago Elizabeth Snyder Mrs. H. D. Driskill, Mrs. Snyder, Jr., and Elizabeth were guests.

The next meeting of the Club will be held at the Presbyterian Church on Oct. 28, when the Fiftieth Anniversary will be observed. Members of other federated clubs of Callahan County will be guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox spent last weekend in Lampasas with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Cox. She is in the hospital there suffering with a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ross and children enjoyed a visit last weekend with his parents, who are from Marshall.

Mrs. M. C. McGowen visited relatives in Abilene last Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ebbs of Bakersfield, Calif. are visiting his aunts, Mrs. Myrtle Berry and Mrs. J. M. Watts and family in Clyde and an uncle, Bill Ferguson and family in Eula, Mrs. Robert Ferguson of Dallas, sister-in-law of Mrs. Berry, is also visiting here.

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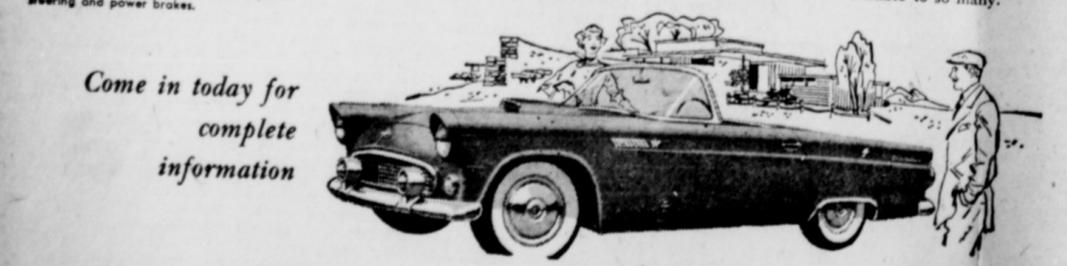
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The Putnam News

SCHOOL NEWS

STUNT NIGHT HELD AT CHOO THURSDAY NIGHT
Stunt Night was held at the Putnam School Thursday night. The first place winner was the Lone Star Study Club with "Putnam on Parade." Second place went to Women's Study Club with their presentation of "Style Show." The Juniors and Sophomores took third place honors with their "English As He Is Spoke."

Other entries in the show were Primary Rhythm Band - 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grades; "Unrushing Scene" - 5th and 6th grades; "The Photographer" - 7th and 8th grades; "The Absent-minded Professor" - Seniors; "Thumbs Down" - Sophomores and Juniors; "Song" - Freshmen.

The Junior Class wants to thank the people who donated and bought chances on the tray. Mr. Ramsey of Cisco was the winner.

The Seniors met Friday and elected their senior favorites. Betty Rutherford and Wayne Putnam were elected.

The race for the king and queen is still going on. Here are the candidates again: Seniors: Hubert Donaway and Teresia Speegle; Juniors: George Ramsey and Jo Everett; Sophomores: Carroll Taylor and Vernetta Davis; Freshmen: Armo Bentley and Evelyn Abernathy. If

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Plans are being made at school for the Coronation. Committees for the program and for the decorating have been chosen. Chosen for the program committee were: Mary Isenhower, Delores Sargent and Madge Reed. Chosen for the decorating committee were: Teresia Speegle, Jo Everett, Vernetta Davis and Evelyn Abernathy.

The basketball girls are planning to attend the basketball clinic in Brownwood, Oct. 23rd.

CLUB NEWS

The Lone Star Study Club was host to the Women's Study Club and guests from Putnam and Cisco, Saturday night at the Methodist Church.

A book review, "Nine Wives and Granny Hite" was given by Mrs. E. L. Jackson of Cisco.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Jack Sawyer, Bill West of Cisco, John Kellner, John Cook, Mark Burnam, Homer Pruet, F. P. Shackelford, Jim Yarbrough, S. M. Eubanks, J. R. Gunn, Foy Jobe, B. E. Rutherford, J. O. Taylor, Charles Davis, W. P. Reed, John D. Isenhower, Jack Ramsey, M. H. Sargent, Dale Wirt, Gus Brandon, C. K. Odom, Misses Mary Helen Isenhower, Delores Sargent and Laverne Rutherford.

Union Usuals and Unusuals

Veda Yarbrough

Hi, neighbor! My, hasn't this been a beautiful Sunday. I went to church. No, Little Boy Jim didn't go.

Gayle Buram went to Midland to spend the weekend with her sister, Retha. Don't you know they had a good time visiting as

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Retha has been away three weeks.

I went to see Mrs. Dell Jones, Dove and Annie last Thursday afternoon. They are getting along just fine. They were piecing Billie Bowne a quilt. Going to be real pretty, too.

Dr. Pruet and family of Abilene were visiting in the Jones' home last Thursday afternoon. Dr. gave all three of the girls their checkup. Said they were doing ok and told them to keep on taking their vitamins like good little girls and I know they will.

Miss Maurine McCollum went back to Ft. Worth last Thursday to see her doctor and he told her she was ready for her operation but no room was available so they set the date for this Friday as she could get a room then. Best of luck Maurine. We are all pulling for you.

Little Keaven Burnam got his hand hurt last Friday on the lawn mower. Butchered up some of his fingers. Hope there was no serious damage. He was over at the Weldon Isenhower's when he got hurt. Kana says never a dull moment around her house with those two boys.

Jim and I went to Putnam last Thursday night to see Stunt Night and I must say it was real good. I believe the best one they have ever had. I really did enjoy every stunt.

The Hired Hand is making quite a bit of cotton. So if you fellows need a loan why don't you speak to him about it. He will have more money than anyone around. That is, if he can keep the boss out of his pocket-book. She wants to do some work on her house and I don't blame her. I want some work done on my house. Maybe we will get it done some of these days. No fooling, the Hired Hand had some pretty good cotton for dry farming.

Ollie Burnam and I took Mrs. Mary Ramsey to Abilene last Tuesday to the doctor for a check-up. She is doing pretty good he said other than her rheumatism. Of course, Ollie and I had to shop a little while in Abilene. I had a dime and she had a quarter we had to spend.

Johnny May Ramsey and Mrs. Willie McCollum were co-hostesses for a Stanley Party last Saturday evening in the home of Johnny May Ramsey. There was a nice crowd. It was one that the

husbands could attend. We all had a good time, as we usually do at these Stanley Parties. Mrs. Edra Buchanan gave away several nice little prizes. We played Stano till everyone Stanoed. A delicious plate of cookies and punch was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco, Dee Chandler and little Karen, Dick Yarbrough, Mrs. Vena Shackelford, Dovie Pruet, Dink Pruet, Maggie Dyer, Veda Yarbrough, Mr. Clovis McCollum, Edra Buchanan, Willie McCollum, Burette and Johnny May. The men watched TV while we had our party. Everyone seemed to have a good time.

Brother DeWitt Chandler and family had Sunday dinner with Burette and Johnny May today.

The Hired Hand and wife had dinner with Mrs. Mary Ramsey today. Think the Glen Burnams were dinner guests of Mrs. Mary today too.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Buchanan spent Sunday with Mrs. Buchanan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tiner at Trent. Thank most of the Tiner children were home to see their Dad and Mother. Edra said she was about sick. Guess-ed maybe she ate too much dinner.

Fay and Emmitt Wood and Treva spent the weekend in Dallas visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suggs and maybe went to the Dallas Fair.

Mrs. Dell Jones says she needs some cotton pullers mighty bad. The hail and wind we had out here last Monday afternoon didn't do the cotton any good.

Got to go. Little Boy Jim just now called me to come to Putnam and get him. He took the tractor over to have something done to it. So be good and I will see you next week.

Putnam Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen and son David were visiting Mrs. Janie Moore and Eva, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Rutherford were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham were in Putnam visiting friends Sunday.

Evelyn Yeager visited her sister, Mrs. Homer Pruet Sunday.

Mrs. Early Hurst left Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Alma Buchanan of Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook left Thursday for the coast where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Arlington visited his father, Mr. McIntosh and brother, Elmer this week. Mr. McIntosh returned home with her for a short visit.

Mrs. W. H. Bailey, formerly Maurine Orr, passed through Putnam Monday on her way to visit her sister, Mrs. Claude Cun-

ningham in Midland. She plans to return to Putnam in the near future for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin White of Electra was visiting relatives in Putnam Tuesday.

Mrs. Foy Jobe and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brandon for several days.

I received a letter from Clifford Smith. He is stationed in Limestone, Maine. So glad to hear from him.

Mrs. Geo. Weeks informed me that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hump Weeks was better. She is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sunderman left Tuesday for a week's vacation with Eugene Sunderman and family of Corpus Christi and Frank Sunderman and wife of Sinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring are visiting in West Texas and New Mexico. They have been gone a week.

Ermazelle Shackelford, Pierce Reagan and Ellen, spent the weekend with her parents at Seymour. Her mother has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Fleming ate Sunday night dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Flem Johnson of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce White of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Varner and family of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee White Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Epp Free has returned from a weeks vacation with her daughter and family in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett had as their guests Sunday her sister and husband from Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Webster.

Mrs. Moore had as her guests

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Sunday a nephew, Burton Clifford and his friend Leonard Memert. They are going to ACC. Their home is in Washington State.

Mr. and Mrs. Boatman and son of Tulsa, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Eastus of Abilene were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Sunday.

Mmes. S. M. Eubank, Fred Heyser and Jessie Ramsey attended the Tri-County Art Guild that met in the home of Mrs. Adair of Cross Plains Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ebert of Baird last week.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton attended the Dallas Fair Saturday and while there she met with the Alton Hutchinsons. They went by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sills and family from Tucumcari, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander.

Todd Newton and Larry Hoffman of Corpus Christi visited Mrs. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey last weekend.

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Down Memory Lane

October 24, 1913

S. W. Black of Rowden, was in town Monday with a load of cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wristen and children spent several days in Dallas this week attending the Fair.

Mrs. Sarah Barclay visited her brother and family at Cottonwood, Saturday.

Henry Lambert returned Monday from a business trip to Fairfield, Freestone County.

George Johnson of Clyde, candidate for tax assessor-collector,

made The Star office a pleasant call last Friday.

Miss Vida Gilliland spent last Saturday with Mrs. W. B. Dodd on Deep Creek.

Capt. W. C. Powell, who in company with his wife, recently visited the Panama Canal, will write some articles for The Star on the greatest engineering project of the age. The first article will appear next week.

Mrs. Al Irvin and little son and Miss Veda Harris, of Oplin, Miss Beulah McWhorter and Oscar Lambert from the Bayou, attend-

ed the Dallas Fair the first of the week.

Tebe McCracken was in from Tom Windham's Clear Creek ranch, yesterday.

October 19, 1934

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Slough of Oplin, were in Baird Wednesday. Mrs. T. R. Price, who has been visiting relatives in Oregon and Nevada since June, is expected home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Ray and children attended the State Fair at Dallas last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland and little daughter Charitye and Betty McCoy, attended the Fair Saturday and Sunday.

F. E. Mitchell and family spent Sunday in Stephenville with Dan and Ritchey who are attending John Tarleton College.

Mmes. B. L. Russell, Pearl Ry-lee, W. B. Atchison, L. A. Beasley, and pastor, Joe R. Mayes, attended the Workers meeting at Cross Plains Tuesday. They report a good meeting and the next meeting will be held with the Potosi Church in November.

Mrs. Cecil West and children of Big Spring are visiting Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowlius.

Miss Ellen Clark of Abilene spent the past weekend with her sister, Miss Ethlyn Clark.

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Mary Ann Varner
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We were sorry to hear that Mrs. C. W. Moore is back on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Windham and children from Calif. are visiting Mrs. Windham's father, Mr. and Mrs. George Chrane, Franklin and other relatives and friends of Dudley.

Mrs. Van Harris and Mrs. Gladys Sherrod visited Mrs. C. W. Wilkinson Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Taylor and her mother, Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Nellie Wilkison made a flying trip to Abilene Monday on business.

Miss Betsy Hickman has returned to her home in San Marcos after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman.

SIMPLIFIED DROUTH

A little reverse body english was applied to the "grab and giveaway" technique in Washington recently.

When the railroads reduced drouth hay shipment rates by 50 percent early this month, the federal government cut its aid responsibility down to one-fourth the normal freight rate. Drouth stricken stockmen received half the benefits of the cut—the government grabbed the other half.

This bold stroke caught the drouth states unaware. It happened just at a time when representatives from 15 states, including Texas, were in Washington seeking to obtain a simple and more practical plan of relief for grass-starved livestock. The plan submitted by the states was turned down by aides of the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture and the rail cut was interpreted as an opportunity to reduce federal participation in the drouth program.

The delegates to Washington were stunned by this action. They immediately adjourned a meeting with the Federal Drouth Committee and returned to their respective states.

In the beginning, the delegates had hoped the government would dump the present program entirely as too complicated to be of any real use. Instead of paying half the actual hay freight rate up to \$10 per ton, they had proposed a federal reimbursement flat rate of \$9 per ton to eligible livestockmen. The rate was based on actual cost experience with last year's program in all 15 states.

The flat reimbursement could be applied towards the cost of hay and transportation, they pointed out. It would cut down paper work from five forms now required to only one certificate of eligibility. The end result would be more benefit to needy livestock for less administrative cost.

But instead, half the benefits of the rail cut were wiped out! If the government intends to spend the money it has earmarked for drouth relief, then state officials argue the program should be put on a more simple and economical basis. As it now stands, the program is not doing the job for which it was intended.

Soil Conservation District News

Alton Hornsby constructed a tank on his farm three miles south of Bell Plains last week. J. A. Jennings has started combining his guar seed on a farm he has rented from C. E. Hicks, which is located a short distance south of Clyde. Indications are the guar will yield about 450 pounds of seed per acre.

Now is a good time to rest pastures and let the grass go into winter in a thrifty condition. Grasses that are vigorous when cold weather arrives "put out" sooner next spring and furnish grazing when it is badly needed.

Tests by the Soil Conservation Service at the U. S. Department of Agriculture research center at Beltsville, Maryland, have shown that removal of all top growth from a grass plant completely stops root growth for a period of 30 to 90 days. Removal of one-half of the forage caused the roots to stop growing for only a short period of time. Removal of 40 per cent or less of the top growth had no effect on the root growth. Grasses need to store some reserve food for the winter now if they are to be vigorous next year and produce an abundance of forage.

McMurry College To Sponsor Navy Band

The official United States Navy Band will dock in Abilene on Armistice Day, Nov. 11, for three public performances in Radford Memorial Auditorium on the McMurry College campus.

The Navy bandsmen, under direction of Commander Charles Brendler, will give two matinee performances (at 3 and 4:15 p.m.) and one night program, under the auspices of the Indian Band of McMurry College.

The afternoon performances are scheduled especially for school-age children, according to Raymond T. Bynum, director of the McMurry Band. The 4:15 program is primarily for the benefit of youngsters in outlying cities and communities, Bynum said. Mail orders for reservations are to be addressed direct to Bynum.

Abilene has been a port of call for the Navy bandsmen on two previous occasions, and the "world's finest" musical group has always played to capacity crowds on its previous visits, Bynum said.

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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,342,757.57
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	\$2,315,742.65
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	\$358,776.65
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	\$70,025.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,750.00 stock in Federal Reserve bank)	\$3,750.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,550.61 overdrafts)	\$702,792.35
Bank premises owned \$3,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$2,000.00	\$5,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	\$4,000.00
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	NONE
Other assets	\$1,035.25
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,803,879.57

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,619,345.01
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$251,035.61
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	\$37,140.94
Deposits of State and political subdivisions	\$464,551.92
Deposits of banks	NONE
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	\$117,474.43
Total Deposits	\$4,489,547.91
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	NONE
Mortgages or other liens, \$NONE on bank premises and \$NONE on other real estate	NONE
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	NONE
Other liabilities	NONE
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$4,489,547.91

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred, total par \$NONE, retireable value \$NONE (Rate of dividends on retireable value is %)	
(b) Class B preferred, total par \$NONE, retireable value \$NONE (Rate of dividends on retireable value is %)	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus	\$75,000.00
Undivided profits	\$85,091.82
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	\$104,239.84
Total Capital Accounts	\$314,331.66
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$4,803,879.57

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$559,200.00
I, Howard E. Farmer, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD E. FARMER, Cashier
CORRECT—Attest:
Frank Windham, Ace Hickman, Bob Norrell, Directors.
(SEAL)
State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of October, 1954, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

B. L. Russell, Jr., Notary Public.
My commission expires June 1, 1955

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh Smitty's Not-So-Silent Partner

Dropped into Smitty's gas station last week and met his new partner who turned out to be a real talker. "What'll it be?" asked Smitty. Before I had a chance to answer I heard a strange voice "Fill her up! Fill her up!" And there was Smitty's partner—one of those parakeets perched next to the gas pump. "Took me a month," Smitty said, "but I finally taught him to say those magic words. It's sure paid off—he's had a good influence on my customers."

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Rowden Round-Up
By Theida Crow
Community Activities Reliably Reported by The Star Reporter.

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Applin and Ruth visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders and Hansel and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin Sunday.

Ernest Sikes and his Sunday School Class of small boys from University Baptist Church visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose Saturday and all enjoyed a fishing trip at Mr. Moon's tank while here.

Nancy Odom has been out of school the last week with flu.

Mrs. B. Crow, Theida and Velda, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary Dan Saturday evening.

Several of the Rowden people attended the football game between Clyde and Cross Plains Friday night.

Mrs. Lois Elliott and children of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Chief Horner of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family over the weekend.

Bian Odom is spending a few days in South Dakota.

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Mrs. Cole Honored On 87th Birthday

Mrs. Laura Cole was honored with a surprise birthday party on Thursday, Oct. 14, at her home. It was her 87th birthday. She received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Angel food cake and ice cream was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Della Wagner and Mrs. Frank Cole, to: Mmes. E. L. Wood, Bessie Gibson, Walter Bryant, Walter Boyd, J. W. Brown, Nell Mobley, G. A. Gwin, Dora Barringer, Corinne Barringer, Cora Work, W. C. Brumbaugh, Miss Myrtle Boydston and Miss Penic Work.

Lunchroom Menu
October 18-22, 1954

- MONDAY**
Barbecue Beef on Buns
Onions or Pickles
Black Eye Peas
Cream Corn
Milk
- TUESDAY**
Fried Steak and Gravy
English Peas
Cream Potatoes
Light Bread
Milk
- WEDNESDAY**
Pinto Beans
Onions and Pickles
Stewed Cabbage
Sliced Tomatoes
Corn Bread
Peanut Butter and Honey
Milk
- THURSDAY**
Hamburgers
Potato Chips
Ice Cream
- FRIDAY**
Fried Fish
Cream Potatoes
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
Light Bread
Milk
Iced Cake

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydston and attended the O.E.S. tea where Mrs. Boydston and Mrs. Cora Work were honor guests at the 50th anniversary of the O.E.S.

Mrs. Willis Baulch has returned home after visiting her son, ... and family in ...

Church Of Christ News

We are happy to report large crowds at all services last Sunday. And we were made to rejoice when three responded to the invitation; one to be restored to the Lord and two to obey the gospel of Christ.

We continue to urge every member to attend all services and we are especially interested at this time in stressing the night services. Of course there is a standing invitation to everyone in our community to be with us at any and all times. You will find a cordial welcome and a friendly spirit.

Sermons next Sunday:
Morning - "What I Can Do As A Christian"
Evening - "Christ - The Answer To Man's Problems"

Next Monday night, Oct. 25, at 7:30 p.m. the teachers will meet to discuss the Bible school work. This means much to the Lord's work and we urge all the teachers to meet with us.

Also the boys training class is to meet that night at 7:00 p.m. Boys, come and study with us.

Don't forget that next Sunday, Oct. 24, is 4th Sunday and that means dinner on the ground. Bring your dinner and eat with us.

See you in Bible school and church Sunday.

Mmes. J. D. Drennan, Frank Gardiner, M. C. McGowen, L. D. Anderson and Orville Lenhardt attended the "Heart of Texas Area" Girl Scout training course at Cross Plains on Tuesday. This class completed a 16 hour course in basic training.

Mr. and Mrs. Denison visited his aunt, Miss Jeffie Lambert last weekend.

Mrs. James R. Gibson of Temple has been a visitor in Baird for the past three weeks. She has been remodeling her duplex on Vine St.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Morton and son have recently moved to Mrs. Gibson's duplex on Vine St.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McGee of Temple were weekend visitors here.

Local Women Attend Cancer Meeting

Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, County Cancer Chairman and Mrs. W. P. Brightwell attended the Annual District 13 Cancer meeting held in Wichita Falls at the Kemp Hotel last Wednesday, Oct. 13.

District 13 consists of 21 counties, one being Callahan. All of these counties were represented at the meeting and each gave a report on the cancer work for the past year. It was reported that Callahan County had raised 127% of their cancer quota.

Films on cancer research were shown and the main speaker for the meeting was Dr. Frank B. Schoonover, Jr., of Ft. Worth.

In 1953 Callahan County had 15 deaths caused by cancer. It is hoped by the continued study and research work being done by scientists we can cut down our deaths which are caused by cancer.

Lynda and I enjoyed the Callahan County Singing Convention that met at the Oplin Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Jones are in the State of Colorado. Mr. Jones plans to do some deer hunting. Mrs. Jones will visit relatives and friends.

Tecumseh Topics
Tersely Told, Typographically Tended and Tolerably True.
Mrs. Lillian Crawford

The past week we've had nice cotton pulling weather, except Wednesday, and the wind was too strong, for there to be any pleasure in such work.

I don't know why, but Maurice Atwood planted his cotton in the blackest dirt he could find.

Wednesday was the day I decided rather than run out of gas, I better go on down to Red Pierce's Service Station and get gas. So I did, thinking everyone would be out of town and didn't think anyone but Red would see me and knew he was used to seeing "Spooks" of all kinds. When I got home and looked in the mirror, I knew then he hadn't seen one that looked as I did.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Odom are enjoying having their son Junior with them on a 15-day leave from the Veteran's Hospital at Big Spring. He seems to be getting along pretty well, or excellent, we might think of it that way. As some of you know he was involved in a car wreck about six months back and has had several operations and is now trying to gain strength by pulling cotton.

Dale and Betty Jane came Saturday and spent the night out here. He had a nice surprise for Bet, and she couldn't hardly understand how he got so much planned and her still be so black. We hit folded her and

decorated with orchid candy flowers and "Happy Birthday Betty" Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod were also present for the surprise. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod told about their trip of last weekend to Tulsa to visit Mr. and Mrs. Van Crawford and children, also Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crawford, who recently married, after Royce returned home from overseas duty in Germany. His former home town was Pie Town, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Wilkinson of Tuscola visited Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McElroy last Sunday. The McElroys and Wilkinsons have been close friends for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Clemmer and children of Abilene visited his aunt, Mrs. Oscar Stiffler and Mr. Stiffler last Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence returned home last Friday after spending a week in Breckenridge with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Melton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Glasson and children attended the football game in Gorman, Friday night. They also visited relatives and friends there.

Mrs. A. R. Kelton is visiting her son, Willard Kelton and family in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. J. M. Reynolds and Miss Hazel attended the State Fair in Dallas last weekend.

ARTHRITIS?

I have been wonderfully blessed in being restored to active life after being crippled in nearly every joint in my body and with muscular soreness from head to foot. I had Rheumatoid Arthritis and other forms of Rheumatism, hands deformed and my ankles were set.

Limited space prohibits telling you more here but if you will write me, I will reply at once and tell you how I received this wonderful relief.

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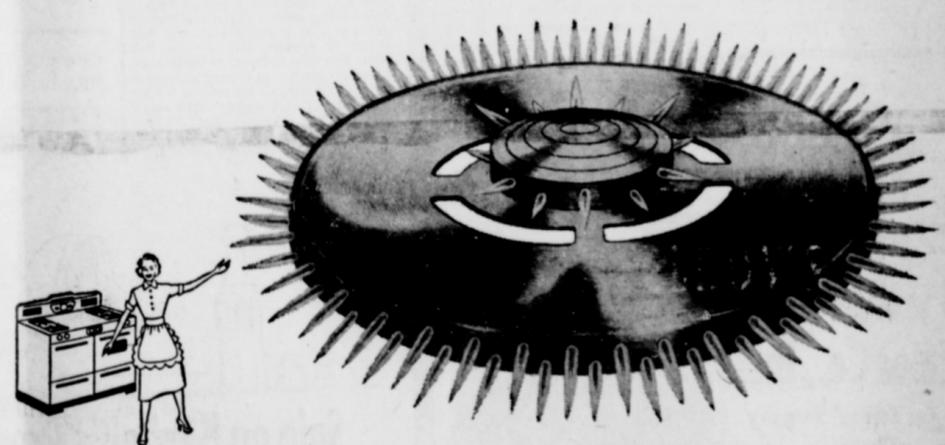
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Oplin Observations
By Mrs. Daphne Floyd
Odds and Ends Opportunity
Offered in Open Order

Everyone that attended the Callahan County Singing at Oplin last Sunday afternoon, agreed it was the best we have had in quite awhile. Mrs. Strickland of Cross Plains is the new president of the County Singing Convention. There were out of county visitors from Lawn, Abilene and Coleman.

Mrs. Johnnie Parrot of Throckmorton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson last Saturday.

Mrs. Tommie Windham attended the Harry James Concert at Abilene last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd and Sue Hall of Abilene visited in the Windham home last Saturday night and enjoyed watching a new TV which they have recently purchased.

Paula Windham made her first personal appearance at Oplin last weekend since she had her hair cut the new short style. As Paula has always worn her hair in the long bob, I was anxious to see her with it cut short, but I had to admit it was very becoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy McBride and children Carolyn and Kenny, of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. C. B. McBride last Sunday afternoon.

It is always nice to see and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chatham and children, William and Sherry of Sweetwater when they are back at Oplin for a weekend.

Aunt Chris Johnson is reported to be feeling better and Mrs. Tommie Windham remembered her with a beautiful bouquet of roses last Sunday from her rose garden. Everyone knows how much Aunt Chris loves flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harville were expecting their youngest daughter, Mrs. Henry Settle of Big Lake, on Tuesday of this week, to get her son, Harville, who has been visiting his grandparents. Harville has been having a wonderful visit as he got to spend one night with a cousin, Patricia Breeding, he rode a calf and got to pick cotton. He said he was ready to go home now. By the way, Harville couldn't be much over four years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black of Ft.

Methodist Memos

Monday night at 5:30 the Junior and Intermediate Sunday School Classes of the Methodist Church enjoyed a wiener roast on the church lawn.

After several games Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen, Mrs. Earl Hughes, Mrs. Bob Drenan, Rev. and Mrs. Royce Womack served supper to the following: Linnea La Cour, Ann Barton, Nancy Johnson, Janet Ross, Carol Lynn McGowen, Nancy Gardiner, Donna and Linda Drennan, Linda and Jo Ann Bryant, Eileen, Pauline and Roycele Womack, Craig Staudt, Robert Martin, David Sutphen, Larry Gardiner and Wayne Boyd.

**Chicken Industry
Crowding About Gains**

Dallas Morning News
Like the old gray mare, Biddy isn't what she used to be.

And Sunday, a flock of people who make it their business to know chickens gathered in Hotel Adolphus to scratch around for the latest information and maybe crow a little over the recent achievements.

The third annual convention of the Southwestern Association of Poultry, Eggs and Allied Industries was under way, with a day to go.

Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas processors were on hand. Esir Ablon of Dallas heads the six-state association.

Ablon crowed a little Sunday. Employees no longer sit by the hour and pick the feathers from chickens, he said. It's done by machine now, in assembly-line fashion.

"And today's chickens are more wholesome," he said, "because of a better scalding process."

Chickens used to be hand-scalded in 180-degree water before picking. Now, Ablon pointed out, they are doused in merely lukewarm water. And today, he added, chicken cleaning is one of the world's most sanitary food processing procedures.

Monday, association members fired question at an array of experts, on a program called "Stump the Panel."

But all agreed Sunday that the panel won't solve a problem that has stumped them ever since the egg-chicken question first arose. The problem:

Midway Musings
Mrs. Joel Griffin
Miscellaneous Melange and
Minor Mention of Men
and Women

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Faircloth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Faircloth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Griffin and children spent Sunday evening with the Pete Barbian family.

Mrs. Joel Griffin and Maurine Mills spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. H. Beeman and Miss Fay in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Webb entertained quite a number of visitors this weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Webb, Frank and Mr. Harry Nelson of Marfa came Friday night and returned home Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bascome Webb and Darlene came

Saturday and divided their time with the Webb and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fetterly, Mrs. J. T. Loper, Mrs. Will Walls and Mrs. Jo Taylor attended an O.E.S. meeting in Eastland on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hodges of Altus, Okla. spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. R. E. Bounds and Mrs. Connie Brown and family. Mr. Hodges is a nephew of Mrs. Bounds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stutta are new residents of Baird. They moved here from Abilene and are residing at 441 Vine St. Mr. Stutta is employed by the T&P Railway.

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor
Sausage Macaroni Bake

1 cup small elbow macaroni
4 cups boiling water (can omit)
2 teaspoons salt
1 cup fat
1 1/2 cups diced American cheese
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard (can omit)
1 lb. bulk pork sausage
1/4 cup finely cut onion

Cook macaroni until tender in boiling water and salt. Drain macaroni, but do not rinse. Add milk, cheese and mustard. Mix well. Pour into a greased baking dish holding about 6 cups. Cook sausage and onion in a skillet over low heat about 10 minutes. Stir with a fork while browning to break up the sausage. Drain off fat. Spoon sausage and onion on top of macaroni mixture in baking dish. Bake on rack slightly below center of 350 oven (moderate) about 30 minutes, or until bubbly hot. Serve hot from the baking dish. Makes 4 servings.

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orn, visited her mother, Mrs. B. Jarrett and other relatives are last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Hart and son, Mike of Ft. Worth spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley of Paris, N. M. recently visited their children, the Bobby Stanleys and the Tommy Stanleys.

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