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Baird Lake Catches a Foot of Water During Heavy Rainfall-The Baird Lake caught a foot of water during the heavy 6.45 inch rains received last week. The lake was down below the spillway five feet, before the rains. The picture above shows the mouth of the Baird Lake after the 4 inch rain Friday.

Citizen's Spirits Not Dampened By Rains

BAIRD-Heavy rainfall dotted the Baird area late last week, but the cloudbursts didn't dampen the Baird residents'

Everyone was quite happy with the much-needed 6.45 inch rain recorded during a four-day period in Baird. The city of Baird was surprised with a 4 inch rain early Friday morning. A smaller amount of rain totaling 1/2 of an inch was dumped on Baird Saturday night.

East of Baird near Admiral recorded approximately 1.10 last week. 5.6 inches of rain fell to the north of Baird last week and only a meager .70 fell to the south of Baird Friday.

The Baird Lake rose a foot from the rainfall and the old T & P Lake ran over the spillway after the heavy rains.

County Centennial Celebration in Clyde July 3

COUNTY-July 3rd will be Callahan County's 100th birthday, and a special centennial celebration has been slated at the Clyde Lake on that day. In addition to the county's special plans, Gov. Dolph Briscoe has declared July 1 thru 7 as "Callahan County Appreciation Week".

Mrs. John Berry, of the Callahan

Star to Close, Vacation, No Paper July 7

BAIRD-The staff of the Callahan County Star will take a "much-needed" vacation next week, so there will be no July 7th issue of the Star.

The office will be closed beginning Monday, July 4. The doors will re-open for business the following Monday, July 11. During this vacation, we will be out of town. So if you have any urgent business, you can visit the Star by Friday, July 1st.

We hope each of you enjoy a happy and safe July 4th holiday and we will see you July 11!

County Historical Commission, stated that the Old Settler's Reunion organization asked the historical commission over a year ago, to be in charge of this special celebration. The celebration will be a combined old settlers reunion and centennial special program.

Even though they are having an old setters's reunion at this time, James Paul Shanks stated that there would

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Businesses To Close Monday, July 4

BAIRD-The following businesses will be closed Monday in observance of July

Bank, Callahan County Farmer's Co-op, Callahan County Courthouse, Young & Manion Insurance, Russell-Surles Abstract, Jackson & Jackson, the Baird Supermarket, Hardwick's and the Calla- monthly meeting on the second Tuesday han County Star.

Clara White Takes Over City Secretary's Job

BAIRD-In a recent City Council meeting, the city secretary's job was offered to Clara White. Mrs. White, who presently works in City Hall, has accepted the job and will officially become City Secretary July 1, according to Mayor Charles Walker.

J.G. (Bromo) Bennett, who has previously been both plant superintendent and city secretary, will now be plant superintendent. The action was done because the council thought it was too much for one person to handle both

The only other personnel change was the termination of the city-paid fireman, Larry Newton.

Contrary to rumors, the night watchman's job has not changed.

In other action, the council voted to raise the water, sewer and sanitation rates. A breakdown of these rates follows: RATES EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 1977 SANITATION: Residence - 3.00

Small Commercial - 4.50 Large Commercial - Up Proportionally

SEWER: Residence-*3.50 Small Commercial - 4.50 Large Commercial-Up Proportionally

WATER: Minimum-2,000 gallons = \$2.60 Outside City Limit Minimum-2,000 gals. = \$3.60 (All Water rates will be 75° per 1,000 gallons after the minimum.) WATER TAP: *75.00 ELECTRIC DEPOSIT: 25.00

Rates on electricity will not change.

Dorsett, Walker Given Top Honors In Jr. Rodeo

BAIRD-Despite scattered rain showers throughout the four day run of the Baird Junior Rodio, good crowds attended nightly performances in the Sheriff's Posse Arena in Baird. Kimbra Dorsett of Quanah and Rode Walker of Abilene were named All Around Cowgirl & Cowboy.

Other results follow:

Bareback Bronc Riding 1. Rode Walker, Abilene; 2. Terry

Harter, Ft. Worth; 3. Johnny Stewart, Ranger; 4. Kris Brown, Gorman Bull Riding(13-15)

1. Shane Smith, Sweetwater; 2. Stan Taylor, Abilene; 3. Roddy Lawson, Stamford; 4. Will Morgan, Baird

Bull Riding (16-19) 1. Brad Fudge, Newcastle; 2. Kris Brown, Gorman; (tie)3. Rode Walker, Abilene; 4. Ronnie Hargis, Albany

Tie Down Roping (13-15) 1. Dale Dove, Bluff Dale; 2. Freddie Hernandez, Abilene; 3. Kevin Simmons, Breckenridge

Tie Down Roping (16-19)

1. Mike Thornton, Jacksboro; 2. Tim Dame, Mullin; 3. Coy Beauchamp, Ft. Worth; 4. Jim Bob Phillips, Big Springs Ribbon Roping

1. Butch Bryson, Ft. Worth; 2. Coy Beauchamp, Ft. Worth; 3. Bobby Fritz, Denton; 4. Rusty Rhodes, Bluff Dale

Boys Breakaway Roping 12-under/13-15

1. Gene Baker, Tuscola; 2. Kevin Simmons, Breckenridge; 3. Trey Smith, China Springs

Boys Breakaway Roping (16-19) 1. Steve Dame, Mullin; 2. Rusty Rhodes, Bluff Dale; 3. Phil Hickman,

Mullin; 4. Marshall Eaton, Ovalo Calf Riding

1. Ricky Sanders, Abilene; 2. John Swofford, Clyde **Boys Barrel Race**

12-under/13/15

1. Gene Baker, Tuscola; 2. Jamie Continued on Page 2

Fate of Jail, Ambulance Still Unknown

COUNTY-The fate of the Callahan County Jail is still unknown, due to the postponed state inspection of the jail.

Originally the jail was to be visited by state inspectors Tuesday, June 21. However, one of the inspectors from Palo Pinto submitted his resignation. So, the county will be re-notified when a new inspection date has been selected.

The topic of ambulance service is also at a standstill right now. County Judge A.E. Dyer, Jr. said he had tried to contact the mayor of Clyde and the Roger's Food Store ,First National mayor of Cross Plains to see if these cities would subsidize an ambulance service. However, he has been unable to contact either mayor.

Therefore, no action will be taken Post Office, U-Bar-U Steakhouse, Don's until the commissioners assemble in their in July.

Baird July 2nd Celebration Planned

BAIRD-The Baird Chamber of Commerce extends a special invitation to everyone to attend the July 2nd celebration in Baird.

An arts and crafts display will be set up in downtown Baird, beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday. All clubs and organizations wishing to have a booth, are to set up their displays before 9 a.m.

The festivities will shift to the city park at 2 p.m. Sack races, 3-legged races and seed spitting contests will be divided into 2 age groups: 12 and under & 13 and over. Watermelon eating contests and horseshoe contests will have contestants of

all ages. Make plans now to enjoy your holiday with friends and neighbors in Baird July

phis

Abilene

China Spring

Breckenridge

4. Gaye Pack, Stephenville

1. Dianne Holloway

County Centennial—

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be an Old Settler's Reunion as usual in Cross Plains sometime in August.

Mrs. Berry, general chairman of the centennial celebration, said that registration for the program will begin at 3 p.m., but the actual program will begin around 5 p.m. James Paul Shanks and Billy Joe Hawk are co-chairmen.

C. Lee Smith, Clyde mayor, will open the program with the "Welcome". The "Response" will be given by Mrs. J.L. Bonner of Cross Plains. Several introductions will follow. Mrs. Berry will then give her presentation of "Memory Lane", a review of historical highlights of Callahan County.

Recognition of old settlers will also be given. Some of the old settler who will be recognized will be the oldest native-born resident in attendance, the oldest person living in Callahan County, native coming from the farthest distance to the reunion, the longest married couple (resident & native born), the oldest man and woman and the oldest person living continuously in the county.

A sing-song, led by Johnny Tucker,

will then be presented for the crowd's enjoyment.

Randall Jackson will be the speaker for the program, and then a short memorial will follow under the direction of Mrs. Frank Bailey.

The Old Fiddlers and various singing groups will perform, and music, under the direction of Johnny Tucker, will conclude the program.

Any group from the county wishing to play in the program are welcome. Si Tucker and Hi Cook are in charge of the various groups.

Mrs. Berry would like to remind everyone to bring a picnic basket supper, something to drink, and tables and chairs to the lake July 3.

A fireworks display over the lake planned for 8:30 p.m. will end the celebration.

On hundred years ago on July 3rd papers designating Callahan A separate county were delivered to Eastland.

An historical marker for Callahan City, the first county seat, has been approved by a state commission. Mrs. Berry said the marker would probably arrive in

Girls Flag Race (12-under)

Barrett, Ranger; 3. Cindy McAdams,

Girls Flag Race (13-15)

Girls Flag Race (16-19)

Madison, Cisco; 3. Gaye Pack, Stephen-

Pole Bending

Hodge, Midland; 3. Kelly Head, Sweet-

Pole Bending(13-15)

bra Miller, Abilene; 3. Lori Johnson,

Pole Bending (16-19)

Terry, Roby; 3. Teresa Carroll, Quanah;

Girls Breakaway Roping

12-under/13-15/16-19

Wild Steer Saddling

Wimberley, Breckenridge; 2. Button

Vick, Rusty Gilbreath, Jackie Brown,

ALL AROUND COWBOY-Rode Walker

ALL AROUND COWGIRL—Kimbra Dor-

1. Mike Parker, Ricky Knight, Wimp

1. Lynn Davis, Abilene; 2. Cheryl

1. Shelly White, Stephenville; 2. De-

1. Shelly Hodge, Midland; 2. Traci

China Spring; 3. Debra Miller, Abilene

ville; 4. Cathy Johnson, Abilene

Lisa Henry, Albany;
 Lori Johnson,

1. Kimbra Dorsett, Quanah; 2. Terri

1. Traci Hodge, Midland; 2. Amber

County Nurses Went To Beaumont Meet

gue of Vocational Nurses the fact that a stick of met in Beaumont, Texas celery has as much salt June 16, 17 and 18 at the at one slice of bacon. Red Carpet Inn for the Ms. Mayberry spoke on 26th annual convention.

senting Callahan County were Freddy & Polly Chit-Neva Stinson.

This years' theme was "Growing Through Knowledge".

The convention began with registration Thursday afternoon then the in their place." Bon Temp Hour sponsored County Leagues. The hospitality party was held later, entertainment was square dancing by the nurse is Elizabeth Solis. Wagon Wheel Club.

General Assembly was called to order by State President Geraldine Lang from Castell, Texas. "Welcome" was given by Elvie B. Voorhies of Jefferson Co.; acting Mistress of Cere- Fais Deau Deau" Ball bemonies.

Speakers were Dr. Wm. J. Graber III of Beaumont, Dr. R. Leldon Sweet of Beaumont, Dr. Joe Dickerson of Jasper, Louise Mayberry of Orange, Jim McCann, pharmacist of Beaumont, Mrs. Robbie Richman and Dr. E.L. Middleman of Houston.

very interesting talk on "Basic Rice Diet in Relation to Hypertension and

COUNTY-The Texas Lea- Diabetics." He mentioned "Geriactrics and Nursing Those attending repre- Homes". She asked the nurses to write their names with "the wrong hand", tum, Thelma Womach and then describe how it felt-some said "too slow, difficult, and the hand was awkward." This is what some of the elderly experience everyday when trying to write. "Put yourself

During the luncheon by Jasper and Jefferson on Friday Nurse of the Year was crowned by last years' nurse Lydia Fuchs, Travis Co. This year's

At the close of the after-The next morning the noon speakers, drawing of the door prizes was held. Callahan County member Polly Chittum won an electric alarm clock. Friday evening a buffet supper was held and the "Le gan with music by the Sen Say Shun. The dance was enjoyed by all-not many male nurses or husbands (Mr. Stinson did) attended the convention so the girls danced with girls; remember this was popular in the 50's. It was lots and lots of laughs!

Saturday, June 18, start-Dr. Dickerson gave a ed with breakfast for the Presidents and Secretaries of each County. The Callahan Co. League's President Freddy Chittum and

attended. The business meeting began immediately afterwards. The reading of the minutes was given by Marie Chambers, Coryell Co.; Treasurer's Report by Bess Davenport, Fall Co.; Delegates Roll Call by Ms. Chambers and Nancy Chancy of Clifton, Texas was Speaker of the House for the meeting. Election of State officers were held. Callahan Co. delegates were Freddy Chittum and Thelma Womack. The officers were installed by Dottis Hinson R.N. Director of Nursing Service, Beaumont Medical-Surgical Hospital. Beaumont, Texas. The convention was then adjourned.

Polly Chittum

Secretary

Thanks to the success of two bake sales, the proceeds were divided between the two elected delegates (Freddy Chittum and Thelma Womack) to aid with the expenses of the trip to Beaumont Convention.

Clyde Woman's Sister Dies

EDEN-Mrs. Billy J. (Bonnie Leroy Mayfield) White, 46, of Eden died at 3:45 p.m. Monday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a brief illness. Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday at First United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Howard Johnson and the Rev. Curtis Baird officiated. Burial was at 10 a.m. Thursday at Three Rivers Cemetery.

Born March 18, 1931, in Fort Worth, she married Billy J. White Sept. 20, 1961, in Abilene. She was a member of the Mertzen Order of the Eastern Star a housewife.

and was Survivors include her husband; a son, Billy Joe Jr.; two sisters, Mrs. Seth Holden of Clyde and Mrs. Iva Darlene Mc-Climans of San Marcos: and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Mayfield of Abilene.

Eula Cheerleaders Win Spirit Stick

EULA-Eula High School cheerleaders went to N.A.C.A. Cheerleading camp at Cisco & brought home the Spirit Stick. They also won 2 superior ribbons, one excellent, 1 outstanding, and one allstar squad technique ribbon. The leaders are Christie Bryant, Tammy Pierce, Karen West, Karen Gardner and Jamie Belshe. We are proud of these girls. They are ready to cheer our ball teams to victory.

One of our own, Kyle Stephenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Stephenson won a speech contest sponsored by R.E.A. and got to make a 2 weeks trip to Washington, D.C. He got to see the President and met the congressmen and Senator Tower. He said he saw many demonstrations with the people being mostly black. He also took part in front of the Iwo Jima Monument when he brought a devotional. Kyle is 16 years old and will be a senior at Eula High School. We are really proud of Kyle.

The sick of the community are improving.

We were proud L.T. Harris was able to attend

church Sunday, after being ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Blair and children attended the Scott family reunion on the Blanton Scott place Sunday. Over 100 were present. Many enjoyed getting together for the first time in a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Cribbs are announcing the birth of a grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Cribbs of Abilene two weeks ago. The new arrival was named Brendt Allen and weighed 4 lbs. 15 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Scarborough and family of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scarborough over the weekend.

We are really proud of one of our own, Susan (Nichols) Faircloth of Eula, now of Abilene. She was named to the honor roll for outstanding academic work at H.S.U. The honor roll includes a full-time student with a 3.7 grade or better.

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Cribbs and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Cribbs the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball of Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen Monday.

Baseball Teams To Have Drive

BAIRD-The Baird Youth Recreation Association will conduct a bottle drive Saturday morning, July 9, with proceeds going to pay for playoff teams.

The Baird All-Star Little League team will be playing in Albany on July 21 and the Baird Junior Teenage team could gain the playoffs if it wins its last two games and then a playoff game from Clyde's Cougars. That is unless the Cougars lose another regular season game.

Persons who won't be home on the morning of July 9 are asked to leave their soft drink bottle on the front porch. Donations will be accepted.

The Association wishes to thank the people of Baird for all the support this

Junior Rodeo-

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Brown, Axtell; (tie)3. Kevin Simmons, Breckenridge; 4. Michael Cunningham, Ranger

> **Boys Flag Race** 12-under/13-15

1. Jamie Brown, Axtell; 2. David Collins, Baird; 3. Randy Golson, Burkett Girls & Boys Goat Tying

12-under 1. Bruce Tackett, Bluff Dale; 2. Trampus Elkins, Blanket; 3. Jo-Jo Koenig, Cross Plains

Girls Goat Tying (13-15)

1. Connie McConnell, Breckenridge; 2. Lori Johnson, China Springs; 3. Marcy Messick, Blackwell

Girls Goat Tying (16-19)

1. Jill Greener, Azle; 2. Jeane Hudson, Colorado City; 3. Becky Satterfield, Clyde; 4. Sherry Hibbert, Breckenridge

Girls Barrel Race (12-under) 1. Traci Hodge, Midland; 2. Shelly Hodge, Midland; 3. Amber Barrett, Ranger

> Girls Barrel Race 13-15

1. Lori Johnson, China Springs; 2. Tammy Stuart, Roby; 3. Lisa Keith, Abilene; (tie) 4. Julie Turner, Breckenridge; 4. Debra Miller, Abilene

Girls Barrel Race (16-19

1. Kimbra Dorsett, Quanah; 2. Penny Coker, Roby; 3 & 4 tie Tammy Vick, Breckenridge; Mary Lou Bradley, Mem-

Baird Nursing Home

BAIRD-Addie Hughes, Dorothy McIntosh, Vivian Price, Brownie Hanner and Esther Gillit were here for crafts Monday. We discussed what we would do, and what new project we would start on. We invite all of your volunteers to come down and help us out.

Vida Hill played the piano for us and we all sang songs Tuesday afternoon. We had a great time.

We had our June birthday party last Thursday. The honorees were Jenye Blakley, Eva Eckelberger and Maude Reynolds. The Baird Eastern Star hosted

this party. The members present were Lou Tunnell, Katherine Hinds, Helen Brown, Carol Ann Schmidt, Daniel Schmidt and Mat-Schmidt. thew brought to entertain us Pop Whitaker, George Sadler, Johnny Tollett and Mike Sadler for a good old-fashioned musical. We certainly enjoyed the party entertainment and want to thank everyone and invite them back again.

Friday it rained all day and we got lazy and didn't do much. But in the afternoon, Vida Hill played the piano and we sang songs. Mr. Gentz was here and

sang several songs for us. We enjoy this music very much. We are enjoying Vida Hill being here, because she will play for anytime we askwhich is quite often!

We have had many out of town visitors this week: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tickett of Kaufman, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Elton Long, Clary and Ginger of Duncanville, Tex., Mrs. Spencer Farmer of Eula, Mr. and Mrs. John Turpin Of Denver and Miss Paula Gardner of Eula.We always enjoy company and ask that you please register in the lobby.

We will have a table downtown this Saturday to display our crafts and ceramics. Please come by and look. You may find just what you are looking for.









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-Paul M. Stevens

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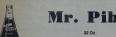
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Sgt. Mathews To Speak at Kiwanis

BAIRD-Thursday, June 30, has been designated as "Law Enforcement Day" at the Baird Kiwanis Club meeting. All law enforcement officials and other interested people are invited to attend the meeting at the U-Bar-U Steakhouse Thursday, beginning at 6:30 a.m.

Jerry Mathews, sergeant one months later he had over the Department of Public Safety troopers in Eastland and Callahan counties.

Bosane County, Tex., Mathews graduated from high school in Mosheim, Texas in May, 1956. He enrolled in North Texas State University during the fall of ty. 1956, and with the assistance of an athletic scholarship in track, he attended the University until December, 1958. Then, at the age of 21, he was ac- Altic Foller In cepted into the Law Enforcement Academy at the Department of Public Safety headquarters in Austin.

Mathews graduated from the Academy in March, 1959, and was placed in the Highway Patrol Service and stationed in El Paso. After 21/2 years in El Paso, he was transferred to Callahan County and opened a one man sub-station in Cross Plains.

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Mathews moved from Cross Plains to San Angelo two years later, and after residing in San Angelo for 2 years; he returned to Callahan County. This time, he was stationed at Baird for 20 months.

Mathews was promoted to sergeant and was assigned to a new sergeant area Guest speaker will be in Gilmer, Texas. Twentythe opportunity to transfer to Eastland, and did so in October, 1968. Eastland has been his station Born Nov. 16, 1937 in for the past nine years. There are 2 counties in his present area--Eastland and Callahan. Eleven troopers are stationed in his area, six being in Callahan Coun-

Everyone is invited to the Kiwanis Club meeting Thursday to meet Sgt. Mathews.

Sulphur Springs

BAIRD-Altie Foller would like to hear from her friends at 1410 Doris Dr., Sulphur Springs, Texas 75482, where she will be spending several weeks with her daughter. Mrs. Foller underwent tests at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, before going to Sulphur Springs. She misses the people in Baird.



BAIRD — The following people were admitted to the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Sim Lawler Maud Wolfe Edgar Dulen James Prew Ginger Furry **Edmund Harrell**

Myrtle Gunn Verlee Whitmire Raynell Brooks Walter Yawn Callie Gabbert

The following people were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Vern Davis

Linda Gabbert On Honor Roll

DENTON-Dr. Miles Anderson, vice-president for academic affairs, at North Texas State University, has named 1,387 students to the spring semester honor roll.

Some 348 students earned all "A's" to make the 4.0 honor list, and 1,039 achieved the 3.5 listing, which includes those studnets whose grade average is midway between an "A" and a "B".

Linda Sue Gabert, the daughter of Mrs. Kimiko K. Gabbert, of Clyde was named to the 3.5 honor roll at NTSU.

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Mary Moore Ruby Estes Pat Cooke Ginger Furry Wanda Black

Mrs. Lowis Dies Sunday

BAIRD-Services for Eula Mae Lewis, 80, of Baird, who died Sunday at her home, were at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Wayne Shuffield, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Ross Annex Cemetery, directed by Morgan-Hargrove Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were J. Rupert Jackson, James Paul Shanks, Fred Goble, James Eubanks, Frank Payne and Burton Hurley.

Iames Prew Succumbs Fri.

CLYDE-James P. Prew, 77, a lifelong resident of Clyde, died at 1 a.m. brothers, Louie of 1742 Friday in Callahan General S. 12th, and Raymond of Hospital in Baird after a two-day illness. Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at St. Joachim Catholic death by his parents, Church in Clyde.

The Rev. Mark Woodruff of Sacred Heart Catholic church in Abilene officiated. Burial was in Clyde Catholic Cemetery.

Born July 12, 1889, at Eagle Cove in Callahan County, Mr. Prew was an employe of Clyde National Bank until it closed during the 1930's. Afterwards, he farmed and raised fruit until his retirement. His family home at North 1st and Cherry Lane in Clyde has been designated a historical site. Mr. Prew was a charter member of the Knights of Columbus, Abilene Council, and a member of the St. Joachim

Catholic Church in Clyde.

Survivors include two 1825 Oak; and numerous nieces and nephews.

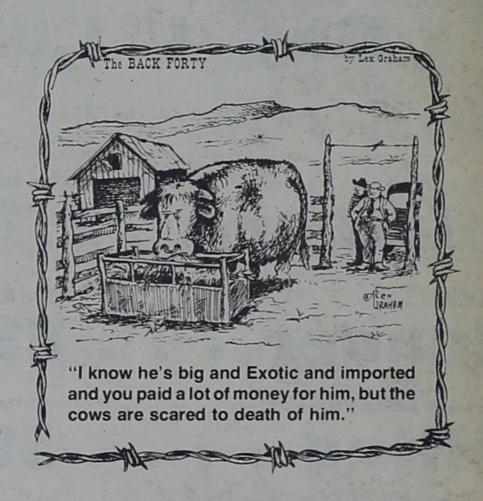
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Application for probate of will and issuance of Let- permont, 77 Chev. 2 dr. ters Testamentary for Bettie S. Jolly, deceased.

Application for guardianship of Clara Lee Jones 77 Chev. PU NCM

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BAIRD-The department time in serving and in has answered five alarms this past week. Only two of these alarms were in our immediate area. The other alarms were in the east part of the county around the Putnam area. Most of these fires were grassfires with the exception of one car fire. The light rain will help reduce the danger of grassfire for awhile. But we remind the general public to be very cautious on using any type of open flame while it is dry. We urge you to report an uncontroled fire as soon as possible. Please try to remain calm, identify yourself, give full type of fire, and give the correct address or location of the fire. This helps the fire department to respond the right equipment to the right location and it

might save life or property. This will possibly be the last article from the firehouse, due to the termination of our paid fireman position. The Council of Governments ended their program as of April 10, since that time the City has assumed responsibility of paying for the paid fireman position.

saves time which in turns,

But as of July 1st this program will be discontinued and once again the fire department will be 100% volunteer. So we want to thank all those who have read our article and supported us through the past year.

We ask at this time to help support our volunteer fire department, a 100% volunteer and non-profit organization. It is a service that is essential to our community. Please lend your support to the individuals who dedicate themselves and volunteer their

Cadet Gribble

In Kansas

KANSAS-Cadet Joe L. Gribble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde T. Gribble of Clyde, is participating in a U.S. Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps field training encampment at McConnell AFB, Kan.

During the encampment, cadets receive survival and small arms training and aircraft and aircrew indoctrination. They also have the opportunity to observe careers in which they might wish to serve as Air Force officers.

Cadet Gribble, a student at Angelo State University, is a 1975 graduate of Clyde High School.

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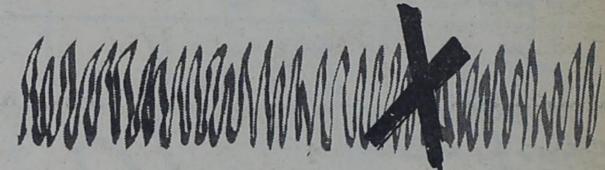
COLLEGE STATION-Four county students have earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University, announced Registrar Robert A. Lacey.

The undergraduate honor is awarded students who have excelled academically. Recipients must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) during the most recent grading period.

Think Safety!!! "Distinguished Student" Members of the B.V.F.D. ranking is limited to 10 per cent of Texas A&M's undergraduate enrollment.

Distinguished students include: Thomas L. Fox, petroleum engineering, son of Loyd L. Fox of Clyde; Monita D. Setzler, mechanized agriculture, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Setzler of Clyde; Tommie A. Tucker, educational curriculum and instruction; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Tucker of Clyde; and Ray N. Walker, agricultural engineering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray N. Walker of Clyde.

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CJC Pre-Registering For 2nd Summer Term

COUNTY - Cisco Junior students intending to at-July 11.

The Cisco college now has a continuous registration plan whereby students may register several weeks in advance for school terms that are approaching. The college is also now enrolling students for the up-coming fall semester of 1977-78, Odom said.

Mr. Odom emphasized that students who are planning to attend college at Cisco or one of its extension locations during the second summer term should go ahead and preregister. They may register at the main campus at Cisco, at the Community College Center of Abilene or at the Clyde Educational Center in Clyde. He also said that students who are going to attend classes in Clyde may sign up at the CCCA in Abilene, and those who are registering for Merkel and Coleman classes may do the same. "In fact," the Registrar said, "we would kel students go ahead and register at our Abilene offices if it is convenient for them to do so."

College is now registering tend classes at any of the students for the second college's extension locasummer term, which will tions as well as the main begin holding classes on campus at Cisco could

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sign up at any one of campus are open from 8:00 the three pre-registration a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and stuloations--Cisco, Clyde, or dents may come for pre-

Callahan County Oil News

COUNTY-Inland Ocean Inc. of San Antonio staked two Callahan County wildcat locations. Both are slated for 4,200 feet.

No. 1 Sealy & Smith Foundation will be drilled seven miles southeast of Oplin on a 646-acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the south and 2,200 feet from the east lines of Section 117 Block 2, GH&H Survey.

Other test is No. 1 Homer McIntosh, located nine miles east of Oplin on a 331-acre lease.

Drillsite is 2,150 feet from the south and 2,900 feet from the west lines of Section 142, Block 2, GH&H Survey.

Hovgard & Fitgerald, prefer that Clyde and Mer- Abilene, will drill No. 11 Robert Damewood in the regular field four miles Final Meeting northwest of Clyde.

The planned 3,600-foot Odom also stated that benture is located on a 120-acre lease.

It spots 467 feet from the south and 2,303 feet from the west lines of Secton 90, Block 13, T&P Survey.

A Muzny of Abilene staked two regular field locations five miles northeast of Putnam.

Both are on the Georgie Mae Boggenstein 80-acre lease and slated for 300 feet.

No. 2 will be drilled 700 feet from the north and 1,750 feet from the east lines of Section 2281, TE&L Survey.

Site for No. 3 is 400 feet from the north and 1,-750 feet from the east section lines.

Baird B&PW Has

BAIRD-The Baird Business & Professional Women's Club met for the final meeting of the club year on June 21 at the U-U Steakhouse, with sixteen members present.

United States Flag, Helen Brown presided for the business session.

Members voted to postpone until September the presentation of a Career Advancement Scholarship to a local woman. (This is a State and National B&PW Project).

It also was voted to change the day of the club meeting to the third Thursday of each month, with the added suggestion that members assemble at 6:45 p.m. if possible.

Approximately '100 was contributed to the M.D. Anderson Cancer Fund by members who had given two cents per day for the

Two new members were received: Thelma Womack and Viva Peek.

Mollie Brightwell led an impressive installation ceremony, as she presented a carnation to each officer for 1977-1978 as follows: president, Jessie Odom; first vice-president, Helen Miller, second vicepresident, Bessie Lambert; treasurer, Helen Brown; recording secretary, Floy McMullen; corresponding secretary, Jean Evans.

Others present at the meeting were Inez Windham, Lorene Kerby, Laverne Rutherford, Florence Loper, Neva Stinson, Isadore Grimes, Beatrice Mc-Elroy, Vida Hill and Katy Lea Ivey.

Next meeting will be on September 15.

Clyde Students In San Antonio

CLYDE-DeLys Clayton, Torry Trammell, Deadra Whitford, and sponsor Teresia Taylor from Clyde High School attended the 16th annual Trinity University Jounalism Institute in San Antonio, June 5-10.

The Journalism institute brought together almost 500 students from high schools in Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico. Classes were conducted in yearbook, newspaper, literary magazines and photography. University students, professional photographers, and Texas university and high school faculty instructed students on new techniques and ideas in each specific field of journalism.

The students' recreational activities included a watermelon bust, scavenger hunt, bus tour of San Antonio, talent show and a dance.

By living in dorms, the high school journalists were able to experience college life.

The Institute was directed by Dr. Richard H. Gentry, Lozano Professor of Journalism at Trinity and his assistant, Alan Miller, a Trinity journalism graduate.

registration during those hours. They may go to the CCCA offices at 1600 Sherman in Abilene between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., and the Clyde Educational Center offices in downtown Clyde are open for pre-registration between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00

In addition to the continuous pre-registration, regular registration dates will be held June 30 at Dyess Air Force Base, Merkel, and Coleman, at Abilene on July 5, at Clyde on July 6, and at the main campus in Cisco on July 7.



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Mr. Campbell Dies Monday

CLYDE - Fletcher B. Campbell, 75, of Haggerman, N.M., a former Callahan County resident, died at 7:30 a.m. Monday of an apparent heart attack at his home. Services are pending at Roswell, N.M.

He lived in Callahan County when he was

Survivors include a brother, Roy Campbell of

Astros Beat Indians 14-4

BAIRD-The June 23rd Pee Wee game was rained out, so the players came ready to play Monday. The Indians held the Astros scoreless thru the 3rd inning, but the Astros exploded in the last two innings to win the game 14-4.

We would like to remind all the players there will be a weiner roast at the park after the June 30th game. Everyone try and come as we will have a very good time!

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County Dress Revue Held Thursday

Revue was held Thursday, June 23, in the Baird High School Auditorium.

Twenty-six 4-H members completed the clothing project with twenty-one competing in the dress revue.

The theme for the fashion revue was "Fashions for Country Living".

In the pre-junior group, Angela Bohannon of Baird was high individual and second high was Michelle Gardner of Clyde. Others receiving blue ribbons in this groups were Kathleen Ford and Windi Windham of Clyde.

In the junior group, Angie Seider of Clyde was high individual and will represent Callahan County in the District Dress Revue. Alternate to district will be Kim Black of clyde. Third high individual was Lacretia Grant

Baird Juniors Beat Clyde Bison

BAIRD-The Baird Junior Teenage baseball team remained in a tie for first place with a 5-2 victory over the Clyde Bison Monday night at City Park.

Jesse Aguirre, who came in during the second inning to pitch out of a jam, got the win. Baird scored four runs in the fourth to wipe out a 2-0 deficit. Kevin Smith and Jeff Smith had triples to spark the win.

Baird and the Clyde Cougars are tied for the league lead after the Cougars beat the Braves Monday night. Both teams have two games left. Baird plays Albany here Friday night at 6 in a makeup game and then Baird meets Cross Plains Farmers Tuesday night

COUNTY-The 1977 Cal- of Baird. Other blue ribbon lahan County 4-H Dress winners in the junior group were: Debbie Geye, Josie Ramos, Anita Ramos, Brenda Wright, Tammy Skinner, Becky Tucker, Dee Ann Christopher, Donna Defosses, Michelle Bates, Brandi Bell, Beth Ringhoffer, Michelle Keith and Norma Rodriguez.

In the senior division, Brenda Akers of Clyde received a blue ribbon and will be the senior Callahan County representative at the District Dress Revue to be held in Abilene on July 8.

Mrs. Judy Odom of Baird was the commentator for the fashion revue. Nancy Gordon provided music during the revue. Mrs. Sharon Geye decorated for the event. Refreshments were provided by Ann Wright and Sue Duckworth. Award presentations were made by Mrs. Jean Holland, County Extension Agent-at-Large.

Project leaders assisting with the groups of 4-H members were Delores Kitchens, Jean Bohannon, Ann Wright, Mrs. Monty Gardner, Mrs. Frank Rodriguez, Sue Duckworth, Sharon Geye and Judy

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unknown heirs at law, Devisees, Legal Representatives, Successors and Assigns of said persons if any are deceased.

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in Baird, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday next after the expiration of fortytwo(42) days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 18 day of July, 1977, to Plaintiff's Original Petition filed in said Court on the 3 day of June, 1977, in this cause which is No. 12838 on the docket of said Court, styled BRUCE A. WILBANKS, Plaintiff vs. GORDON G. BERG, et al, Defendants. The Plaintiff in said suit is BRUCE A. WILBANKS, and the Defendants are GORDON A. BERG, MAX R. CHUDY, DELIA B. EDWARDS, EDWARD MITCHELL EDWARDS, E.M. EDWARDS, CO., MRS. NELL EVANS, ROSE P. FELTMAN, CHARLES T. GALLAHER, II., MRS. ANNA GEBHARDT, MRS. CARRIE GIDWITZ, EL-MER C. JOHNSON, ELLA MATTIMORE, IDA MILL-ER, JOSEPHINE RADUE, SHERIDAN FAMILY TR-UST, W.B. TRAMMELL and J. FRANKLIN ZOUCH

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

A suit for the appointment of a Receiver under the provisions of Article 2320b of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease on the interest of Defendant in the following described land situated in Callahan County, Texas, to-wit:

979-1/3 acres of land, more or less, out of the G.D. Spottswood Survey A-313, Mary Anthony Survey No. 767, and the Juan Delgado Survey 762, A-125, Blocks 5 and 6,

Callahan County, Texas; and being the same land described in six tracts as follows: TRACT ONE: 223 acres of land, more or less, out of the G.D. Spottswood Survey, and being more fully described as the Fifth Tract in a Warranty Deed dated May 29, 1925, executed by B.L. Boydstun, et al to T.E. Powell, of record in Volume 101. Page 171. Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas. TRACT TWO: 160 acres, more or less, out of the G.D. Spottswood Survey, in two parts, described as:

Part 1: Beginning at Southwest corner of said Survey; THENCE East 90t vrs.; THEN-CE North 950 vrs.; THENCE West 950 vrs. to West Boundary line of said Survey; THENCE South 950 vrs. to place of BE-GINNING, containing 160 acres.

Part 2: Beginning at Southwest corner of said Survey; THENCE East 40 feet; THENCE North parallel with West line of said survey 2640 feet;THEN-CE West 40 feet to Northwest corner of said survey; THENCE South along West line of said Survey 2640 feet to place of BEGIN-NING, containing a strip of land 40 feet wide East and West and 2640 feet wide North and South.

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acres out of Subdivision No. 6 of Juan Delgado Survey No. 762, Certificate No. 3/47, Abstract No. 125, and more fully described as the first tract in conveyance to J.H. Coats in Partition Deed dated May 14, 1929, by L.A. Coats et al and recorded in Volume 131, Page 454, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas. TRACT FOUR: Subdivision No. 5 of Juan Delgado Survey No. 762, Abstract No. 125, containing 253-1/3 acres of land as described in a warranty deed executed by J.F. Coffey, et al to J.A. Burton, on September 25, 1944 of record in Volume 177, Page 305, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas. TRACT FIVE: 100 acres, more or less, out of the G.D. Spottswood Survey, described in and being the interest acquired by the Standard Oil Company of Kansas from R.L. Murphy et ux

by deed dated De-

cember 3, 1947, of

record, in Volume 193.

County, Texas.

res, more or less, out of the Mary Anthony Survey, No. 767, described in and being the interest acquired by the Standard Oil Company of Kansas from R.L. Murphy et ux by deed dated December 3, 1947, of record in Volume 193, Page 365, Deed Records of Callahan County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety(90) days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to the requirements of law and the mandate thereof and make due return as the law directs.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at Callahan, Texas, on this the 6 day of June, 1977.

Mrs. Cora Mae Payne Cora Mae Paine. District Clerk of Callahan County, Texas

24/4/c

Little League Season To End

BAIRD-The Baird Little League season comes to a close Thursday night when the Yankees take on the Tigers at City Park.

Going into Tuesday night's game, the Giants and the Tigers were tied for first place with 5-4 records. The Yankees, 3-5, played the Giants Tuesday

The Yankees knocked off the Tigers, 12-5, last Thursday night as Ricky Defosses pitched the win and also hit a bases loaded home run and two singles. Billy Deel had a double and Alan Tatum a single for the Tigers.

Monday night, the Giants also whipped the Tigers, 12-5, as Mark Allen hurled the win and shutting out the Tigers in the final two innings.

The Tigers scored six runs in the second inning as Juan Aguirre doubled in two runs. Aguirre singled in another run in the fourth.

The winner of the league will represent Baird in a league champions tournament starting next Tuesday night in Cisco. Baird's first opponent will be the Coleman league champion.

The Baird All-STar players will be announced after Thursday night's game and coaches will be picked then, too.

The Baird All-Stars will go to Albany on July 21 to play the All-Stars from that town in the first round of the District 28 playoffs. Baird beat Albany last year, 2-0, in Baird.

Page 367, Deed Records of Callahan Rowden Community TRACT SIX: 140 ac- Gets 3 Inches Rain

rains fell in this commu- Fay Higgins of Cross nity last week. Most gauges measured up to three thankful.

News will be short this week due to this writer not being able to contact people over the telphone and garden work has taken part of the day also.

Price and Mrs. Barney Gibbs of Baird attended the wedding of their niece and granddaughter, Christi Gibbs and David Tucker in Abilene Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele made a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited with the Vergil Smedley family at their place south of Clyde Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauldin of Huntsville visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin during the week.

Mrs. N.V. Gibbs visited in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains Monday afternoon.

Jim, Ellen and Janet Reynolds attended the Baird Junior Rodeo last week.

Mrs. James Reynolds attended the funeral of Charlie Smith in Cross Plains last Monday.

Jim Needham and Willis Ray visited in the Robert Watson home one day last week.

Children of Jerry Mc-Donald out to see him last week were Henry McDonald of Baird, Ned McDonald, Mrs.

11:00 a.m.

ROWDEN - What good Childers and Mrs. Ruby Plains.

Mrs. Ivon Odom and inches of that most needed Mr. and Mrs. Franzel moisture, for which we are Odom of Cross Plains accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris to Hurst Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bates and family and other relatives.

Mrs. James Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ellen, Jan and Jim visited with her father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henry, on his birthday last week.

> Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gibbs last Wednesday night in Baird.

> Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Mrs. Roy Thornton of Abi-

lene, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauldin of Huntsville and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maul-

Shady Oak

COUNTY-The men's gol association will have a twoday scramble this Sunday and Monday, July 3 and 4. This scramble is oper to everyone.

Tee-off time will be 1:30 both days.

The ladies golf assn. sponsored a Florida scramble last Sunday.

Partial results follow: 1st Place-G.C. Osborne. Eddie Tom Walker, Rene Cloud, Jon Hardwick

2nd Place-Tommy Barton J.P. Coppinger, Erma Kemper, Cubelle Harris.

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