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THE BAIRD STAR

Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Grit-up-and-Grit That Makes Men Great." Callahan County Clarion Established November 15, 1879

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SUPPORT YOUR HOME TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ault Purchase Baird Star and Clyde Enterprise



Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ault have purchased the Baird Star and the Clyde Enterprise from C. M. Isenhower, effective June 1st. Mr. Ault started working for the Baird Star in Sept. 1945, beginning work with J. Marvin Hunter Jr., then owner and publisher. He worked with the Hunters until 1952, then worked in Abilene for seven months. The Hunters sold the Star to C. M. Isenhower of Valley Mills and the Aults returned to Baird, again employed at the Star and have remained here since. Mr. Isenhower purchased the Clyde Enterprise, and both papers are issued at Baird. Ault served as editor of the papers for about a year in 1953-54.

Ault was married to Miss Eulala Cotton of Clyde in 1937. They have two sons, Joe Lynn Jr., age 15, a junior in high school, and Edwin, 11, in the sixth grade in the Baird schools. Mrs. Ault is a graduate nurse of Hendrick Memorial Hospital, and is employed as Callahan County School Nurse. Mr. and Mrs. Ault and Joe Lynn are members of the Church of Christ and Mr. Ault is an Odd Fellow, members of the Lions Club, Sheriff's Posse and a director of the Baird United Fund. With the cooperation of the people of both Baird and Clyde, the Aults will always strive to please and have a bigger and better newspaper.

Former Resident Dies In Abilene

John G. Varner, 82, resident of Abilene for the past 15 years, died at 7:10 p. m. Tuesday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Born March 8, 1876 in West Virginia, he came to Texas with his parents at the age of 10. They settled in Dallas County. Varner moved to Baird in the late 1880s. He was married at Baird to Lillie Luce 60 years ago last November. He was a retired railroad man, working for the T&P Railroad in Baird for years. Funeral was held at 10:30 a. m. Thursday at the Highland Church of Christ of which he was a member. Officiating was E. R. Harper and James D. Willford. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park. He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. W. H. Coplinger of Cross Plains, Mrs. C. A. Morris of Abilene and Mrs. F. D. Nichols of Dallas; three sons, Dr. R. W. Varner of Abilene, J. M. Varner of Abilene and Frank Varner of Oceanside Calif.; one brother, H. S. Varner of Cottonwood; 16 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Presbyterian Church To Hold Services

There will be regular services in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Sunday school meets at ten o'clock with Virgil Hughes, Supr. If you are not attending any other church school, you are invited to come with us. There is room and a very warm welcome to all men of our city not otherwise engaged, to meet with them. Mr. Markley will conduct the morning hour of worship. The public is most cordially invited to worship here at eleven o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sparks and Jimmie Dean, of Midland, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McElroy.

Elizabeth Ann Snyder and James Clark Honored With Brunch At Abilene Club

Elizabeth Ann Snyder and James Edward Clark were honored Sunday, June 2nd, with a brunch at the Abilene Club. Hosting the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Auston of Abilene. Elizabeth Ann greeted guests in a floral print frock with clusters of tangerine and wearing an orchid of the same tangerine color. Serving tables were damask covered and centered with crystal bowls of pink carnations and Queen Anne's lace, carrying out the bride's colors of pink and white. Climax of the party was reached when the hostesses presented the honoree with their gift of a sterling silver fish service con-

Mrs. Sam Gilliland Hosts Wed. Club

The Wednesday Club met for the final meeting of the year in the home of Mrs. Sam Gilliland with 16 members present. Mrs. Ace Hickman, 1st vice-president, presided in the absence of Mrs. V. E. Hill. Roll call was answered with "My Vacation Plans." Members selected for the 1957-58 study course a travelogue based on material from the National Geographic magazine. Mrs. J. R. Jackson, president-elect, appointed as program committee Mmes. Hickman, M. D. Bell and Lee Ivey. It was suggested that members make individual gifts of new books for juveniles to the Callahan County Public Library, the permanent project of the Club. A cash donation of \$50 was also made. Mrs. Hickman, who was club delegate to the recent TFWC state convention at Waco, made an interesting report. Other members who attended the convention were Mrs. W. P. Brightwell, TFWC Board Members for International Affairs, and Mrs. L. Blackburn, TFWC Board member of the Policy Committee. A Press Book artistically bound in club colors of green and gold, containing the complete record of the Wednesday Club activities for the year, compiled by Mrs. E. L. Russell, Jr., was shown. At the conclusion of the afternoon program, Mmes. Bell and Ivey, with Mrs. N. M. George as accompanist, sang "One Meeting Hour" by Fuhrman-Lee.

Hospital News

The following are patients in Callahan County Hospital: B. B. Herring, Putnam J. H. Weeks, Putnam M. F. Ray Mrs. Hazel Johnson, Baird John Hughes, Baird. Recently dismissed are: J. B. Pitzer, Mrs. A. A. Lohry and Joe Alphin.

Baird Seniors Visit New Orleans

The Senior Class and its sponsors, Mrs. W. Clyde White and Coach H. R. Jefferies, returned Thursday morning from the annual senior trip which took them to New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Biloxi and other points of interest in Louisiana and Mississippi. The trip was planned by Mrs. White, after consultation with the senior class, and was especially arranged to include the very best of several vacation plans offered by the Continental American Trailways bus company. The seniors left Baird May 26 at 8 p. m. and arrived at New Orleans at 1 p. m., May 27. En route they stopped in Dallas, Shreveport and Baton Rouge. During the three-day stay in New Orleans, the seniors had headquarters at the Jung Hotel on Canal Street.

The visit in the city included guided tours through both modern New Orleans and the old historic New Orleans. The seniors visited St. Louis Cathedral, Iberville Buildings, Jackson Square, Napoleon House, the Crescent, docks to see banana boats unloading, plantation homes, Battle of New Orleans site, and many other points of interest. They also saw Ursuline Ave., Duelling Oaks, Audubon Park, Sugar Bowl Stadium and the residential as well as shopping districts of New Orleans. The combined tours were some five hours in length. Free time was given the vacationing seniors to shop and sight see.

One of the high points of the trip was dinner as a group at the famed Court of Two Sisters, where the class dined on Chicken a la Nouvelle Orleans, crepe suzettes and cherries jubilee flamed at their table. At the Court of the Two Sisters, they also saw the famed wishing well, Lucky Charm Gate and courtyard. The visit in New Orleans also included a trip on the S. S. President up the Mississippi. This was a three-hour ride, including views of ocean-bound vessels, famous coffee and banana docks (largest in the world) molasses plants, oil mills, City of Algiers, City of Gretna, and other interesting points. The evening of the boat trip was left free for visit to Lake Ponchartraine and amusement parks.

On May 29, the party spent the day in Biloxi, Mississippi, where they enjoyed sight-seeing, deep sea fishing, swimming, and relaxing on Biloxi's famed beach. The seniors left New Orleans May 30, and arrived in Baton Rouge two and a half hours later with time to see the city and the State capitol. They walked up the famous forty-eight steps of that building and noted that each marble step had the names of a state and its entry into the Union chiseled into it. The party dined in the Capitol cafeteria. The class returned to Baird Friday morning at 4:30 a. m. after stops in Shreveport and Dallas. Those making the trip were Clayton Joy, Jerry Corn, George Lee Lambert, Tony Price, Toby Barton, Jackie Stanley, Lella Lou Griggs, Jerry Lynn Jones, Mary Maxwell, Kay Dennis, Dorothy Schaffrina, J. W. Hunt, Clara Tollett, Carroll Taylor, James Warren, Felton Gilmore, Kenneth Gleghorn and Robert Park. Adults accompanying the group were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jefferies, Mrs. George Lambert, Mrs. Tommy Stanley, Mrs. Leon Jelf, Mrs. Jo Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt.

Called Meeting For Pioneer Association

Mr. S. M. Eubank, president of the Callahan County Pioneer Association, has called a meeting of the association Friday, June 14, at 2:30 p. m. in the courthouse. All persons interested are urged to attend.

Jonny West Selected On Honor Guard

Specialist 3c Jonny W. West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom West, recently was selected as a member of the 601st Field Artillery Battalion Honor Guard in Germany. Specialist West was chosen for his outstanding appearance, precision drill ability and consistently high efficiency rating. West, a 1953 graduate of Baird High School, entered the Army in July 1955 and went overseas the following April.

Mrs. J. W. Tabor Rites at Valera

Mrs. J. W. Tabor, 69, of Valera died Friday at Callahan County Hospital in Baird. Funeral was held Saturday at 4 p. m. at Valera Baptist Church with Rev. Bob Riley and Paul Wallace, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ, officiating. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Charles Sewell of Coleman, Mrs. Robert Green of Baird, Mrs. Charles Webb of Grand Prairie and Mrs. J. P. Spears of Newton, Kans.; two brothers, Lucian King of Talpa and William King of Kemp; one sister, Mrs. George Barnett of Austin; eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Local Girl Wed In Abilene Saturday

A double-ring ceremony was performed by Dr. John Donaho, pastor, at the marriage of Marguerite Ann Hendrick and Walter Joseph Urban of East Haddam, Conn., Saturday morning at St. Paul Methodist Church, Abilene. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Guy Hendrick of Baird. Harold Hughes sang "Happy Home" "Wedding Bells" and "The Lord's Prayer" before the ceremony, accompanied by organist, Mrs. Wiley Caffey, who also played the customary wedding numbers. David Hendrick, nephew of the bride from Cisco lighted the white tapers, only altar decorations. The bride's brother, James Hendrick gave her in marriage. He wore a torso bodice of white cotton satin designed with V neckline and holding a bouffant skirt of white organdy over the cotton gown. Her face illusion veil was attached to a pearl band. She carried lily of the valley and stephanotis in a spray. Her attendants were Mrs. Clifford Howell of Tyler, matron of honor, and Dortha Hendrick, bridesmaid. They wore identical pale grey organdy dresses with wide bertha collars and full gathered skirts. They carried colonial bouquets of daisies. Edward B. Ensenhauer of Sheffield, Penn., was best man. Sherrers were Charles Lauterbach and Gordon Hunt, both of Dyess Air Force Base. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the church parlor. The honeymoon trip was taken to Monterey, Mexico. For traveling, the bride chose a grey linen suit with a white straw sailor trimmed in grey velvet ribbon, white opera pumps and white kid gloves. After June 15, they will be at home in East Haddam, Conn.

Local Boy Attending Boy's State in Austin

R. L. Smedley, Jr., left Tuesday night for Austin where he will attend the 17th session of the American Legion Lone Star Boys State, that gets under way Wednesday, June 5, on the campus of the University of Texas. Five hundred thirty-one high school boys who have just completed their junior year are to attend this session. The first session began at 3:30 p. m. at Batts Auditorium at which time the Boy Staters heard an address by Price Daniel, governor of Texas, and other speakers appearing on the program. Climax of the Boy's State will be the Governor's Ball, to be held in Gregory Gym Monday night, June 10. Members from the American Legion Auxiliary's Girl State will be honored guests on this occasion. The closing session will be a joint meeting of the Boys State Legislature in the House of Representatives in the State Capitol on Monday morning, June 10. Boy Staters will be dismissed Tuesday, June 11.

The trip was made possible by the local American Legion Engine Bell Post No. 82. The rules are based on scholarship, character, ambition and leadership ability. R. L. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smedley, and is employed at The Baird Star.

NOTICE!

Effective with this issue, I have sold the Baird Star and the Clyde Enterprise to Mr. J. L. Ault. My associations with the ownership of both Baird and Clyde have been very pleasant. I extend best wishes to Lynn Ault and his fine family and to the citizens of Baird and Clyde. The drought appears to be broken and the future looks good. Chas. M. Isenhower.

Garden Club Meets With Mrs. Young

Mrs. A. E. Young was hostess to the Baird Garden Club Tuesday, June 4. Mrs. S. W. Lilley and Mrs. Dick Young were co-hostesses. Seventeen members and two guests were present. Mrs. L. W. Hollis, of Abilene, gave an interesting talk on Garden Therapy and invited the club members to visit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene. Mrs. O. Hillyard of Abilene gave an evry interesting talk on Migratory and Native Birds. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Hillyard and Hollis of Abilene, Ace Hickman, Ben Ross, C. Z. Anderson, W. E. Box, Lee Jevy, Rod Kelton, John McJowen, Maria Leache, Felix Mitchell, Leo Tyler, I. E. Warren, H. D. Hart, Dick Young, S. W. Lilley and Al Young.

First Rodeo Tour Set For Saturday

Arrangements were being completed yesterday by the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse for the first advertising tour through nearby cities and towns, heralding the 3-day Rodeo Celebration June 18, 19, 20. The first trip will be made Saturday June 8, with departure scheduled at 8:30 a. m. from the courthouse. Coleman, Santa Anna, Bangs, and Brownwood will be visited in the morning. Comanche, DeLeon, Rising Star and Cross Plains in the afternoon, returning to Baird at 6 o'clock. Members of the Sheriff's Posse and boosters of the rodeo are invited to join the tour, and to bring a box lunch to be eaten at noon.

Pony League Team Schedules 16 Games

Sixteen games are set up for Baird's entry in the two-county Pony Baseball League, it was announced this week. Scheduled are: at Albany June 6; Clyde Hy-Line June 7; Clyde Fire Dept. June 10; at Moran June 13; Albany June 17; at Clyde June 21; at Clyde July 2; Moran July 5; at Albany July 8; Clyde Hy-Line July 11; Clyde Fire Dept. July 15; at Moran July 18; Albany July 22; at Clyde July 23; Clyde July 30 and Moran Aug. 2. Tonight's game with Clyde Hy-Line will be preceded by a game between two Baird Little League teams, beginning at 6:30.

Luncheon Club Hears Max Bentley

Twenty-eight members of the Callahan County Luncheon Club met at noon Wednesday in the basement of the Methodist Church, to hear a talk by Max Bentley, of Abilene. Mr. Bentley, with the Abilene Reporter-News for many years, reported also with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is now a director of the Southwestern Diabetic Foundation. The foundation has the largest camp for diabetic children in the world, located at Gainesville. Mr. Bentley brought a film to the Club, showing life at the camp. This film includes the recreational life at camp for diabetic children, how they are taught self-medication, also the diet and feeding program of years study to obtain. Wayne is each individual child. He also spoke a few minutes on the needs of the camp at present. No child is turned away from the camp, rich and poor all receive the same treatment and care. Last year, 363 children attended camp. The Club voted to donate \$25 to Camp Sweeney, to help care for diabetic children at the camp.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Vacation Bible School of the Baptist Church begins Saturday afternoon, June 8th at 2:30 p. m., with registration and parade. Classes begin Monday evening at 6:30. All boys and girls from nursery to intermediate age are cordially invited to attend the school.

O.E.S. MEETING TUESDAY

Callahan County Chapter No. 242, O.E.C., will meet Tuesday, June 11 at 8 p. m. in regular meeting. Installation of officers will be held with Olive White as Installing Officer, Vada Bennett, Marshall; Vivian Bell, Organist, and Viva Peek, Chaplain.

New and Renewals

Sidney Harville, Ovalo Mrs. Ida McCool, El Paso Uthel Saunders, Baird Weldon Isenhower, Putnam J. J. Clark, Fort Worth Burl Vafner, Houston Mrs. Sarah Magill, Coolidge, Arizona S. D. Branum, Clyde Turk Reynolds, Monahans Mrs. Ted Callaway, Clyde Mrs. R. V. Hart, Big Spring Kenneth Hart, Baird Troy Chrane, Abilene Mrs. Geo. Biggerstaff, Putnam Mrs. Neal Tedford, Clyde Mrs. V. H. Scott, Clyde W. W. Septer, Baird Mrs. Guy Edwards, Fresno, California J. E. Gwin, Coleman S. O. Barton, Baird John R. Gibson, Clyde



RODEO ANNOUNCER—An added feature this year at The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo, will be a new rodeo announcer, Danny Sheridan from Iowa, La. He has served as master of ceremonies at rodeos throughout the South for the past ten years. Included among these were: Coushatta, Hammond, Lake Charles and Franklinton, Louisiana; Orange, Beaumont, Nacogdoches, Center, Jefferson and Jasper, Texas; Hattisburg, Mississippi and Scott's Bluff, Nebraska.

SWEET N' SOUR

By A. Dill
May time is over and look from any window and you'll see June, basting herself with rain-drops, while our once drought-stunted foliage plants assume tropical density. Bill Work comes up with this one -- If the rains continue for a few weeks more we'll see Spanish moss festooned from mesquite trees -- could be! Have you ever seen the Queen Anne's lace any prettier than it is in the Clifton Hord's yard? It's a floral display that you really should take the time to see. Welcome to the Morrow family -- Mister and Mrs. and the four youngsters, who have recently moved to Baird. The Morrrows are the very first occupants of the new Foster addition in West Baird. June will be Happy Birthday time for some of our favorite Bairdites. Byron Snyder will celebrate on the 8th, and his Dad will have a birthday on the 23rd. Ann Barton has a June 23rd birthday and Bobby Ross is slated for a birthday cake this month, too. The Gorman family had their family home for the week end and we had a short visit with two of the boys who were our very good neighbors in times gone by -- Mort from San Angelo and Don Gorman and his young son. Good-to-see-Dept. Rev. H. B. Terry and little son Homer, from Tuscola -- nice folks the Terrys and we'll always think of them as home folks even though their pastorate takes them away from here. Greetings to Tony Price who blew in from his senior trip to New Orleans just in time to pack up and leave for National Guard Camp and two weeks of that 'shoulder arms' stuff. We miss Tony here in town and especially down at ye olde swimmin' hole where Mr. Price is making a name-up good life-guard this season. Congratulations to Wayne Boyd, who has successfully completed a music course at the Joyners School of Music in Abilene. Graduation exercises were held last week at Cadwell's in Abilene, where Wayne received a Managers Instructors diploma and Professional diploma. The course included all phases of music and was equal to three years of college work. Wayne's professional rating is the first the school has awarded to a student in this district and required 3 years study to obtain. Wayne is each individual child. He also spoke a few minutes on the needs of the camp at present. No child is turned away from the camp, rich and poor all receive the same treatment and care. Last year, 363 children attended camp. The Club voted to donate \$25 to Camp Sweeney, to help care for diabetic children at the camp.

Word from Mrs. H. G. Hamrick, Homemaking teacher in the high school, comes by post to tell us that she's planning a brim full summer course for girls interested. Twenty girls have enrolled in the project work, which will include making and hanging curtains for the new department. Matching machine covers will also be made, as well as throw pillows. The new draperies will be blege with brown cent colors. The course will entail one hundred hours in such projects as child care, home improvement, self improvement, gardening and food preservation, clothing construction, meal preparation, marketing and other homemaking work. Each girl whose work qualifies will receive one-half credit in homemaking to be applied to graduation requirements. The end of the course will be heralded with a chicken barbecue, a days field trip to visit neighboring towns and business firms, and a picnic. Vacation time may be a lazy in-erlude for some of us, but not or our homemaking girls and their teacher.

Capt. and Mrs. D. A. St. Martin and Lynda, of Jacksonville, Ark., are spending a few days with Mrs. John McClendon and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

STAR'S CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR RENT — Furnished duplex apt. 3-rooms and screened porch, \$25.00 per mo. Mrs. Raymond Clark, Ph. 4153. 23-1-c

USED CARS — '50 model Dynamon Buick and '49 Nash. Prices reasonable. W. A. Christman. 23-1-c

NOTICE — Will be in Baird Monday and Tuesday, June 10 & 11, at Glen Boyd's Grocery. Lawn mower repairs, sharpening, and overhaul power mowers. Call for and deliver. Phone 343. Ramsey, the Lawn Mower Man. 23-1-c

CALLAHAN COUNTY GETS SHALLOW OIL TEST

A proposed 1,800 foot rotary wildcat was spotted 2½ miles northwest of Clyde.

It is M. L. Kinnebrew, et al, of Abilene No. 1 Hiram Cook. Drillsite is 330 feet from the south and east lines of Section 58, BBB&C Survey.

Billye Beth Bell is spending a few days visiting friends in Dallas.

Mrs. Rosa Dawkins has returned home from a visit with her mother.

Cleo Ivy, of Arlington, is visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manion.

Mrs. Lucille Tankersley is spending her vacation in Littlefield visiting relatives.

Mrs. Felix Mitchell has as her guests this week four of her grandchildren, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson of Oklahoma, and Becky McElrath of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates Baulch and family of Coleman attended the Baulch reunion at Willis Baulch home last Sunday.

A group of Bairdites enjoyed a fishing trip to Galveston for three days last week. Those making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Faris Bennett, Rupert Jackson, Sam Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Neel and son, David Neel.

FOR RENT — House with 2 rooms and bath, furnished. 441 Race St., G. A. Gwin. 20-1-c

NO CASH NEEDED — 3-bedroom homes on lot or acreage. 3 styles to choose from. Phone 3264 or 3872. Clyde. John L. Estes. 19-1-c

FOR SALE — 7-ft. Massey-Harris Combine with motor. Good condition. Cross Plains Tractor Service. 22-1-p

LOTS FOR SALE — Am dividing up some property into choice building lots. Fronting East or South, No. 10th & Albany Hwy. J. O. Warren. 22-1-c

FOR SALE — Air conditioner pads, fittings, floats, hose pumps, copper tubing, belts, etc. White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. 21-1-c

FOR SALE — Place for sale, 946 West 5th St. Lot 75x150'. Liddie Sepler. 21-3-p

WANTED — Yard work, have power mower, Robert Fowler, Ph. 373 or 1612. 22-1-p

FOR RENT — 2 bedroom apt. furn. or unfurn. Ray Hass, 537 Poplar, Phone 2434. 23-1-c

FOR SALE — 2 houses in Baird. Each has one bed room, living room, kitchen and dining room combination, and bath. Small cash payment, balance like rent. Homer E. Swofford, Clyde, Texas. 23-2-c

FOR RENT — 6-room house. 142 West 1st. Mrs. E. M. Wristen. 23-1-c

FOR SALE — Chev. 2-ton truck, 2-speed axle. Fair tires. Motor A-1 shape. Priced right. E. J. Higgins, Baird. 23-1-c

FOR RENT — Upstairs apt. 4-rooms and bath. Newly decorated. Adults. Mrs. John McGowan, 500 Girard. 23-2-c

Do you need grain or other storage? Have several steel bodies, from 24 to 34 feet long and approx. 8 ft. high and 8 ft. wide. Dan Johnston, Ph. 5-3361, Cross Plains. 23-3-c

A Letter To Daddy . . .

(Carl Macon was going on a vacation and was to have been absent on Father's Day this year. Here is a letter written by his daughter, Mrs. Sue May. It was to have been opened on Father's Day.)

Dearest Daddy:

I'm writing this early so Mother can take it on the trip and give it to you on your day of the year—Father's Day.

Daddy, somehow, I just can't keep from feeling choked up thinking of what you mean to me. To put it down, well, to put my feelings into word is hard to do.

Thinking back over the years, the one thing that I hold dearest in my heart is the times you and I sang together—even when I was a little kid singing "You Are My Sunshine." Also, I remember, though faintly, the times you sang to me "That Little Girl of Mine." I can remember you would have the sweetest look on your face. (I just hope I lived up to those dreams you've had for me.)

Daddy, to me, you're the only Dad in the world—you're just what God ordered for me.

You've always made me proud of you and proud to be called Macon. Some girls have reasons to be ashamed of their Daddy. My Dad is the perfect example of the way a Daddy should be. I know I'm far from being the daughter that belongs to you—but I do try, Daddy.

Another thing I've noticed is the sweet little things you do for Mother. Mother should be proud of you. You have always been so kind and considerate of her wants and needs, as well as mine and Don's. Getting up and cooking breakfast for her is something a lot of men don't do. Daddy, you've always been to Mother the way I want my husband to be to me.

Really, as I've told Carol many times, I hope he and I will be as happy after 21 years of marriage as you and Mother are. I think it's sweet how you tell each other you love each other—the way you look at each other—and the way you sit with your arm around her at the drive-in. When a couple shows they care about each other—well, I think it means a lot to their children.

Also, my home in the future is planned (in my dreams) just like the one you and Mother have built—because to me it's the ideal home. Carol has agreed with me—what little he's seen of it.

I could go on and on, but I still could never tell you all you mean to me. Just don't ever change—I love you just like you are! I'm proud and ever so happy that God chose me to go in your's and Mother's home.

Have a good vacation and may God watch over and guide you until you come home to Don and I.

—Carolyn Sue.

Mr. Carl Macon was superintendent of Olton Schools when he died of a heart attack May 20. He was superintendent of the Oplin Schools in 1938 - 1940.

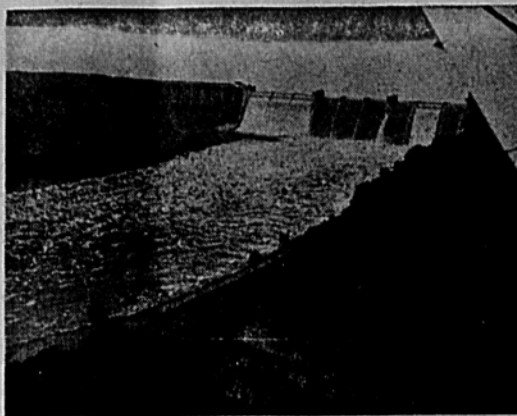
He is survived by his wife, a son, Don and a daughter, Mrs. Carol May.

Notice of his death, from the Olton Enterprise, was received by Ernest Gwin of Abilene, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin of Baird.

Eula P-TA to Hold Game Night

Eula P-TA is sponsoring a game night at the school, Monday, June 10, with proceeds to go to the Eula Boy Scouts. The time is 8 to 10 p. m., with refreshments to be served at 10. There will be games for all ages from pre-school through high school and adults.

Members of the P-TA are asked to bring dominoes, canasta cards, checkers, card tables, olding chairs, pie, cake, punch and coffee.



DROUGHT AND FLOOD—Texas knows both. Here, at Possum Kingdom Reservoir, an installation of the Brazos River Authority, flood waters are pouring over the spillway. Up to May 21, Possum Kingdom released 1,773,540 acre-feet of water downstream. Meanwhile the dam was holding vast quantities of water. Just a few weeks earlier this was drought-parched land. The U. S. Corps of Engineers estimated that, up to May 6th, the two great flood-control dams—Whitney and Belton—had prevented damage of \$23,700,000 during recent floods in the Brazos River Basin. The B.R.A. master plan calls for many more dams, for flood control and conservation, on the main Brazos and its tributaries.

How To Avoid Ivy Poisoning

Do you know how to protect against ivy poisoning? It's a year-round hazard most common during summer, according to the National Safety Council.

Ivy poisoning is a term used to refer to skin irritation resulting from contact with any one of more than 60 varieties of plants found in the United States.

Most people are immune to the biggest share of them, the Council said. But nearly everyone who touches the three more commonly known plants -- poison ivy, poison oak and poison sumac -- is affected to some degree.

Such poisonous plants are the bane of outdoor workers. There's even risk for garage mechanics, golfers, and dog lovers.

In one year more than 2,000 employees of the Connecticut State Highway Department contracted ivy poisoning, losing from two to five days of work. This despite a program of inoculations, eradication of roadside growths of the plants, and years of experience in detecting them.

There are cases on record of garage mechanics getting the rash from working on an auto that had come in contact with the irritation-producing plant. Golfers, too, have picked it up when they handled a golf ball that had crushed leaves of one of the three plants.

And, of course, there are instances of dog-lovers coming down with ivy poisoning after petting Fido -- who just frolicked in the stuff.

Ivy poisoning is caused four ways. These include bodily contact with any part of the plant, exposure to smoke from the burning plant, contact with clothing or other objects that have been exposed to it, and wading or swimming in water containing its oil.

Here's a brief description of the "Big Three":

Poison Ivy -- a low shrub or climbing, creeping vine, has leaves (a shiny, dark green in summer, a brilliant orange or scarlet in fall) that may be notched or smooth and are arranged in groups of three on short stalks. It may be found in every state (except California and Nevada) in woods or in the open -- along fence rows, paths and roadways, and climbing trees or posts.

Poison Oak -- a variety of poison ivy, is a term usually given two plants -- one, a shrub, the other, a shrub that may become a vine. Leaves of the former resemble small oak leaves, occur in groups of three, are somewhat hairy and deeply lobed, and usually are found south of a line connecting southern New Jersey to Tennessee and extend-

Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder Hold Open House Honoring Bride-elect Elizabeth Ann Snyder

The country home of Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder was the scene Saturday afternoon of an open house honoring Elizabeth Ann Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Jr., of Baird. The open house inaugurated a series of pre-nuptial parties for Miss Snyder.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder and invited into the reception room where they were received by Elizabeth Ann Snyder and James Clark, bride and groom elect, Mrs. C. B. Snyder Jr., Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Sr., and Mrs. Claude Johnson. Elizabeth Ann received her guests in a rousseau gown of periwinkle hue accented in white and wearing a corsage of white orchids.

Entertaining rooms were decorated throughout with white and pink tinted shasta daisies and the deeper rose tones of bird of Paradise blooms, carrying out the bride's chosen colors of pink and white.

The tea table was laid with a white lace cloth, centered with pink and white shasta daisies, and flanked with white tapered silver chandelabra. Appointments were in silver and crystal.

Assisting in the hospitality were Mrs. C. B. Snyder, Sr., Mrs. Ralph Snyder and Mrs. Morris Snyder of Moran, Mrs. Eugene Snyder of Albany, Mrs. C. B. Snyder Jr. and Mrs. James Snyder of Baird. Included in the house party were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson of Baird.

Miss Barbara Snyder, sister of the honoree, presided at the guest register.

Out of town guests included friends of the family from Abilene, Brownwood, Sweetwater, Big Spring, San Angelo, Moran, Albany, Cisco, Putnam, Clyde and Baird.

The house party was hosted by Mrs. Byron Snyder, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Snyder of Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Snyder of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Snyder Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder of Baird.

Wife Of Former Clyde Man Dies

Mrs. Pete Tyler of Houston, the former Mary Jane Alexander of Olney, died Friday at 9 p. m. in Methodist Hospital at Houston.

She had been ill about two months with cancer. She was hospitalized when she became sick while on a visit home, then was moved to Houston about six weeks ago for surgery.

Funeral was held at Houston at 2 p. m. Sunday, then the body was moved to Olney where final rites were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Olney.

Mrs. Tyler was graduated from Hardin-Simmons University in 1937. She and her husband were outstanding students there, she as a class favorite and he as a football star.

Following their marriage, the Tylers lived in Midland several years, then in Billings, Mont., before moving to Houston two years ago. He is an executive with Western Natural Gas Co.

Surviving are her husband and one daughter, Mary Susan 9; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alexander of Olney.

Tyler's mother, Mrs. Annie Tyler of Clyde, and two sisters, Mrs. Leon Kendrick of Clyde and Mrs. Harry Snively of Abilene, attended the funeral at Olney.

Baulch Family Holds Reunion

Five of the eight living children of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baulch of Clyde, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baulch Sunday for a family dinner and reunion.

Present were: Dave Baulch, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baulch, Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch, Mrs. J. S. Baulch, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton and children, all of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wright and Dona, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Abbott and children, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baulch of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Norris Baulch, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Bates Baulch and children, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baulch and children, Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jewell and children, Los Vegas, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Britton Jr. and children, Eula; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baulch and Emma Kay, Brownwood; Mrs. Willie Williams and children of Fort Worth.

CALLAHAN COUNTY ISSUES FOUR MARRIAGE LICENSES

Only four marriage licenses were issued by Callahan County during May, according to Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson, County Clerk.

Licenses went to the following couples:

Stanley B. Hass and Betty Jean Brown; Richardson Dick Davidson, Jr., and Mrs. Vera Lou Hemmerling; Lee Allen Ash and Lee Ann Ray; Delano Lamar Campbell and Hazel Luella Vines.

Col. and Mrs. Claude C. Dodson will report to Fort Sill, Oklahoma on June 7th then they will fly to San Francisco for a few days before returning to Tokyo. The Dodsons have been visiting in Clyde with the Ed Hamptons and in Baird with Mrs. S. E. Settle.

Col. Dodson is chief of professional division and Senior Consultant in the office of Surgeons, Far East Command.

Carol Lynn McGowan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowan, left Friday for Heart O' The Hills, Hunt, Texas. This is a junior camp for girls and Carol Lynn will attend the camp for four weeks.

Rupert Jackson is recuperating from an emergency appendectomy in an Abilene hospital.

Mrs. Vida Hill returned home with her son, Lewis Hill to Rome, Ga., Friday, for an extended visit.

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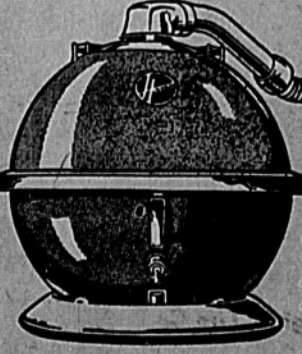
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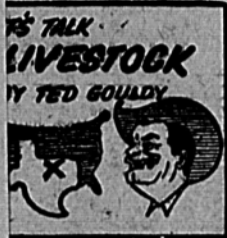
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... sold on a stronger basis, hogs were steady at 25 cents. Fat calves were strong at \$21 and more higher as kinds brought \$21 and weely. Stocker and feeder and calves again sold on \$ to 25 or 50 cents higher.

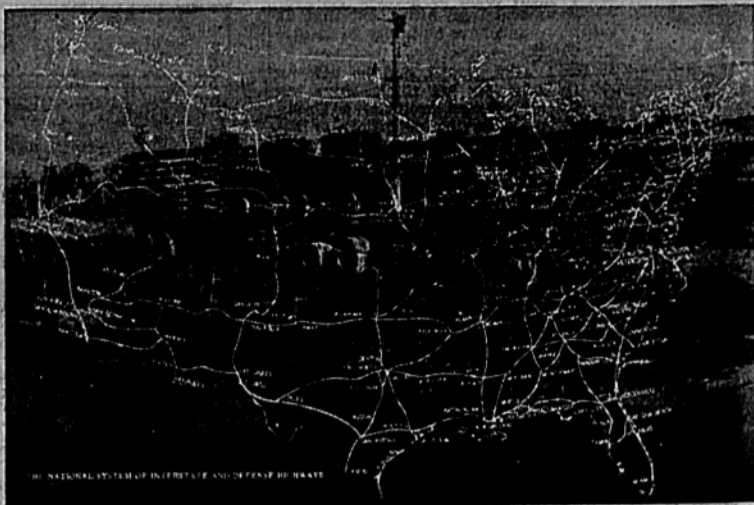
Comparative prices: Good and slaughter steers and year-20 to \$24, and common medium butcher sorts \$13. Fat cows \$12.50 to \$18. Hens and cutters \$8.50 to \$10. Bulls sold from \$11 to \$12.

... and choice slaughter cal- ed at \$18.50 to \$22, while nd medium butcher kinds m \$14 to \$18. Cull and d sorts sold from \$10 to od and choice stocker alves cashed at \$19 to id good steer yearlings m \$21.50 down. Plainr sold from \$13 to \$17.50. heifer calves ranged 21 down. Stocker cows at \$10 to \$14.

Lambs Top At \$20.25, Best Price January Here
 ... butcher hogs cashed nd \$20.25, the best price uary, at which time the s \$20.50. This January s the highest on hogs ce June, 1955.

Lambs Top At \$23, Lops Sell From \$18 Down
 ... lambs of good and grades sold Monday at 23, and the trade was 50 r more higher than at k's close. Old crop shorn lambs cashed at \$18 ut strictly choice kinds nsidered eligible to top re somewhat. Old sheep and feeders sold steady. arative prices: Good and ilk fed lambs \$20 to d cull to medium spring old from \$15 to \$19. Feed- g lambs sold from \$19 ate last week some fancy ed feeders at 65 pounds t \$20.25.

... and choice shorn old bs cashed at \$16 to \$18, to medium old crop ew \$10 to \$15. Stocker ld crops sold around \$15 nd stocker ewes shorn s sold from \$18.50 down, ss bred blackfaces quot- 20.



TRUCKLOAD OF PIPE and portable pumps at a Federal Civil Defense Administration warehouse ready to move into the California flood disaster of December 1953. The 41,000-mile National System of Interstate and Defense Highways (superimposed in white) will, within 12 years, provide a grid of freeways for such trucks to speed food, and other help to attacked cities. (AP Photo)

Slaughter ewes cashed at \$5 to \$7, and aged bucks sold from \$4 to \$5. Old wethers cashed around \$12 down, and some two-year-old wethers sold from \$18 down.

Free Booklet Offered On Market Regulations

The Packers & Stockyards Division of the Agricultural Marketing Service of the United States Department of Agriculture has prepared a booklet of questions and answers regarding the application of the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921 as Amended, and how it serves the livestock producer.

This as the regulatory act that governs all livestock markets under USDA control. A free copy of this booklet will be sent to the readers of this newspaper upon written request addressed to: Livestock Market Institute, 122 East Exchange Avenue, Fort Worth 6, Texas. This booklet is free on request, postage paid.

It is full of information important to livestock producers. A typical question is: "Who benefits from the Act?" Answer: "Farmers and ranchers, for it protects their interests when selling livestock at a market subject to the Act by preventing stockyards, market agencies, dealers and packers from carrying on practices that would injure livestock producers. General Public, for it protects the community with a financially sound and stable outlet for livestock and a good source of meat supplies. Market operators, for it protects their interests from those operators who may be lax in handling their responsibilities."

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bristow, Johnny and Jimmy, visited his mother, Mrs. Adelle Bristow in Fort Worth the first of the week. The Bristows have moved to Abilene where he will attend Abilene Christian College. Mr. Bristow has been minister for the Baird Church of Christ the past year.

Big Quail Crop Seen This Year

AUSTIN — Conditions right now are favorable for an excellent quail crop this year, according to the Assistant Executive Secretary of the Texas Game and Fish Commission.

"There will be more cover and more favorable conditions for the birds this year than we have had for a long time," he said. "This is particularly true of ground cover. There will be heavy ground vegetation and unless something happens later in the season there will be heavy hatches."

The Assistant Executive Secretary said he had not heard of any heavy damage done to the quail population by floods

as yet except in the flooded Lower Brazos areas.

"There is still plenty of time for additional hatches and with ample food and cover there should be a big crop of birds and they should do well," he said.

At the same time, the Assistant Executive Secretary said the release of quail from the Tyler hatchery will start about June 1, in East Texas. The distribution of Southwest Texas birds will begin about July 1. The birds are approximately eight weeks old at the time of release.

The hatchery now has on hand some 8000 birds for East Texas distribution and 4,000 for Southwest Texas. Additional birds will come off at the rate of approximately 2,000 per week.

These birds are furnished to land owners on a cost basis of

approximately 50 cents each. Birds can be obtained by making application to the Game and Fish Commission in Austin. The local warden then will be instructed to inspect the land area, offer any suggestions for improvement, and then make a recommendation. After that the hatchery will be notified. Birds are released on the first come first serve basis.

Sesame in Texas

About five years ago, an ancient plant never before grown commercially in this country, was introduced to farmers in the cotton producing areas in Texas.

It was sesame, a plant that grows under conditions favorable to cotton. It produces tiny seeds from which vital oils are extracted.

At the time, sesame was hailed as a new cash crop for those areas where cotton production was curbed by allotments. But a big obstacle to profitable production was the sesame plant's tendency to shatter its seeds.

The Texas Research Foundation at Renner was primarily responsible for development of the crop in Texas. And after much research, the foundation has been able to produce a "non-shattering" variety.

The new variety has produced amazingly high yields, particularly where irrigation is applied.

On the high Plains, sesame has been termed the No. 2 money maker for irrigation farmers, who last year averaged \$121 per acre in gross returns -- second only to cotton.

The Texas Sesame Seed Growers announced that the 1956 sesame crop totalled 3,300,000 lbs. The crop was sold for \$341,880. TSSG is a production and marketing organization composed of farmers. It handles the bulk of the U. S. sesame crop.

Sesame production runs as high as 1,200 pounds per acre. Last year's crop sold for \$10.34 per hundred pounds.

Sesame seed is used in a variety of ways. But its chief market advantage is that the oil becomes rancid much more slowly than most oils and therefore is used in the food industries.

The five year old crop continues to make gains not only in Texas but in sections of New Mexico, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas.

The record-breaking yields and high profits being achieved give sesame a prominent place in Texas agriculture.

Mrs. M. D. Bell is visiting relatives in Louisiana this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fetterly and baby, of Midland, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fetterly. They are also visiting relatives in Cisco.

Ann Barton entertained a group of friends in her home Friday morning to greet Janet Ross and Carol Lynn McGowen before they leave for summer camp.

Terry Tucker, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson, arrived by train Friday from Odessa for an extended visit with his grandparents.

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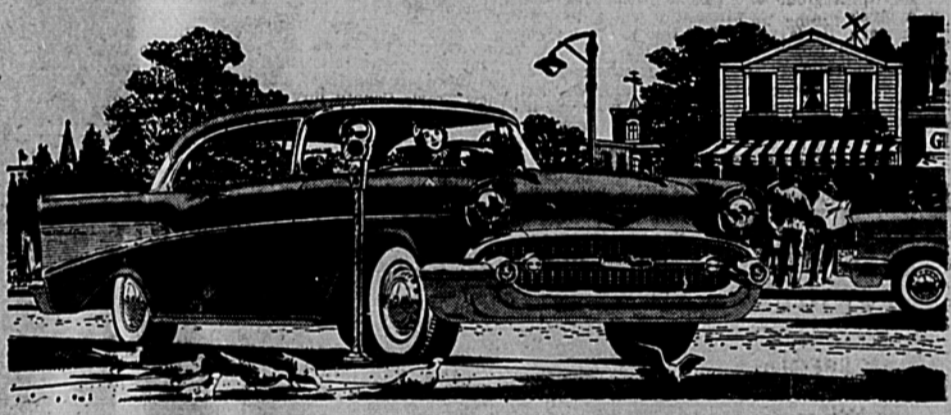


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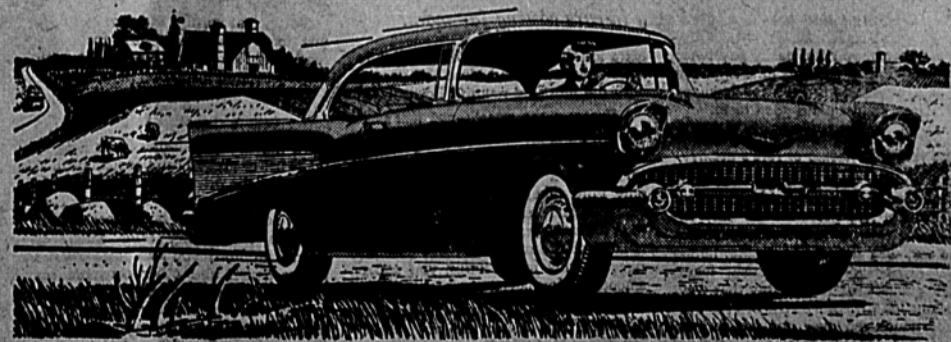
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IT'S THE LAW... IN TEXAS

YOUR CHILD AND THE DOCTOR

It's a good idea to give written consent for necessary medical care if your child leaves home for a visit or a camping trip, or if you plan to be away for any length of time.

For example, a summer camp nurse may bring a boy into a hospital with an acute case of appendicitis. But the doctor may well hesitate to go ahead and operate without the parents' consent.

Is the doctor arbitrary, and is such permission just a legal technicality? No, he is well within his rights, though he may give first aid — but only emergency treatment where a child's health or life may be at stake. He is likely to put off follow-up care until he can reach the child's parents. A relative or baby-sitter generally cannot grant consent for a child's treatment.

Even an adult must request treatment and grant consent to medical care on his own before a doctor can give it to him. Children cannot do this.

By going to your doctor you show you willingness and consent to accept his treatment. Your consent is assumed also when you ask for a house call by the doctor, or if as a result of an accident you come to a hospital for emergency treatment. If you are unconscious, the doctor may well give you emergency care, yet later he should get your consent to further treatment.

Minors cannot consent to medical treatment, and except in dire emergencies their parents or guardians must give it for them.

The consent should not be broadly or loosely phrased, but should be as specific as circumstances permit.

The principal reason for having the consent in writing is to avoid later misunderstandings. It is a protection both to the patient and physician.

(This column, written by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Henry Caldwell has returned home from Stephenville, where he completed a sub-professional training course in Soil Conservation at Tarleton State College. He also received a certificate and emblem for completing 20 years of service with the Soil Conservation Service.

Tony Price and Tommy Stephenson reported Sunday to Ft. Hood for a two-weeks tour of training in the National Guard. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Price took the boys to Cisco Sunday morning where they met a truck envoxy to Fort Hood.

Mrs. Hubert Ross enrolled for classes Tuesday at ACC, where she will continue work on her Master's Education degree.



AUSTIN — Fifty-fifth Legislators will have a shorter than usual "vacation." Gov. Price Daniel says he will call them back, probably about October, for a special session.

Final score showed 47 out of 51 or better than 90 per cent, of the governor's recommended bills passed in the session. But the missing 10 per cent are vital, says Daniel. He still wants:

1. His law enforcement commission, a sort of statewide grand jury to investigate official misconduct.

2. A lobbyist registration act, registration of persons who represent others before state agencies, and possibly, other "better government" bills previously advocated.

3. A state plan for buying water storage space in federal reservoirs. A constitutional amendment to do this died in the past session. Since amendments cannot be considered in a special session, the governor said he is working on a statutory plan — possibly the creation of a statewide water district with authority to issue bonds and levy taxes.

4. Action on "other matters that may arise" after the Travis County grand jury reports. Jury is looking into any irregularities that might have caused the ICT Insurance Co. collapse and alleged payoffs to legislators by the Texas Naturopathic Association.

So, instead of the usual post-session lull, the Capitol faces a summer of suspense followed by a frenzied fall.

New Jury At Work — Texas has generated more troubles than one grand jury could see to in two months. Hence, a brand new Travis County jury begins this week where the old one left

off after digging away all during April and May.

Its study of ICT's past and naturopathic legislation will probably last all summer.

A Dallas grand jury has already indicted BenJack Cage, onetime ICT manager, on charges of theft and embezzlement. Authorities are trying to get him returned from South America so he can be tried.

Who, What, Where and When? — Texas' off-again, on-again Insurance Commission is still a prime source of speculation.

Past legislature passed laws abolishing the old board and enabling the governor to appoint new members. It also directed the commission to move within three years from its leased office quarters into a building to be erected with insurance tax revenue. And it passed dozens of new restrictive insurance laws for the new commission to administer.

Old board members Mark Wentz and John Osorio promptly resigned. But Gov. Daniel refused to accept their resignations. He said they'd have to stay on until their successors were named.

Then Atty. Gen. Will Wilson ruled the insurance tax revenue couldn't be used for a new building. It goes into the general revenue fund and is already earmarked for other things, he pointed out.

And, until the new commission gets going, insurance men over the state are uncertain as how to comply in detail with some of the new laws.

Ethics Quandary — Just who should do what to comply with the new code of ethics is still being discussed in the Capitol. Sec'y of State Zollie Steakley said failure to file such a state-

ment could be grounds for removal from office, but that he didn't have authority to enforce it.

Gov. Daniel said he saw no need for his filing, since the constitution prohibits a governor's serving as officer or director of a corporation under state regulation. "But, he suggested the secretary of state might ask for an attorney general's ruling to clear up other points about the law.

Bonds Go Begging — First sale of the second \$100,000,000 issue of Texas veterans land program bonds attracted no takers.

In today's "tight-money" market the constitutionally-prescribed 3 per cent interest doesn't lure buyers, said Land Commissioner Earl Rudder.

He said the bonds would not be offered again until conditions improve.

Crops Lag — After years of longing for water, most Texas farmers now are trying to "recover" from the rains.

State Agriculture Commissioner John White estimates flood damage to crops at \$50,000,000 or more. Cotton planting deadlines had to be extended by the state office because farmers were delayed in ploughing their wet fields. Even so, some crop loss was foreseen from inability to plant.

In some areas of North Texas small grains were reported hurt by too much water. But dryland cotton farmers in South Texas said they could use a little more moisture.

Texas already has received more rain in the first five months of 1957 than in the entire year of 1956. Sample totals for 1957: Dallas, 36 inches; Austin, 24 inches; San Antonio, 19 inches; Greenville, 44 inches.

New Buildings Slated — From four to six new buildings are to go up soon, moving toward the eventual creation of a "state government center" clustered around the Capitol. In the offing are:

1. A State Courts Building, now under construction, to cost about \$3,750,000.
2. A State Office Building, for which contracts have been let and site-clearing begun, to cost about \$4,000,000.
3. A Central Power building to

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People, Spots In The News



WHATZIT?—A hippo in London zoo. Fact that bottom half of his face is under water gives him that more-like-a-camel look!

FULL CUP, but no spill demonstrates accuracy of new automatic weighing device by Avion division, ACF Industries, to control net weight in high-speed packaging.



THREE - passenger stroller is used by triplet daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Keel of Forest Heights, Md.



WELL BOY getting well. Benny Hooper, 7, shown on road to recovery after 24-hour ordeal at bottom of 21-foot well shaft in back yard of his Mastie Beach, L.I. home.

furnish heat and air conditioning for the Capitol and other buildings. Authorized by Legislature with directive that it be ready by October, 1958.

4. A State Archives and Library Building for which Legislature appropriated \$2,500,000.

5. A Texas Employment Commission Building and an Insurance Commission Building. Lawmakers told each to move from rented quarters, but money for new buildings is not immediately available.

Short Snorts — June will see a rise in the number of job holders in Texas, despite lay offs from school endings, predicts the State Employment Commission. More jobs in industry will make up the difference. Despite overcrowding, morale of Texas prison inmates is good — no longer "hopeless and forlorn" — reported Pardons and Paroles Board members after a week-long tour. More space is due as a result of a \$3,500,000 appropriation last session.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Posey left Monday morning for Austin where Mr. Posey will attend the University of Texas the first semester, working on his Doctor's Degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams and girls visited Mr. Williams' brother, John T. Williams and family in New London last week end.

Mrs. John Towler of Baird was among the members of the graduating class May 26, at Abilene Christian College. Mrs. Towler's major was in elementary education and she received a BS degree. She graduated with honors, being in the top ten of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Revell and children, of Los Vegas, N. M., are visiting this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baugh.

Mrs. Willie Williams and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Baugh this week. They are enroute from Fort Worth to California, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Durham, of Hereford, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baugh and other friends.

Guests Monday of the O. P. Thompsons were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brannon and children of Ranger.



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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

Union Usuals and Unusuals

By Veda Yarbrough

Hi, neighbor! This is Monday and a cold one too. Been like winter time here the past two days, cold and drizzly.

Not much work going on now, too wet to do anything but pull weeds, and most of them are too big to pull. Guess we will soon have to take a grubbing hoe to them.

Still no cotton planted yet. Got some feed ploughed last week.

Still too wet to cut grain, and some grain still too green.

Fay, Emmett and Treva Wood, Holmes, Peggie Weed and little Twig visited with Jim and I a while last Monday night. We all visited a while with Roma and John. Twig sure is cute.

Annie Yarbrough visited a while last Thursday afternoon with me.

Last Friday, Ollie Burnam had a surprise birthday dinner for her mother, Mrs. Mary Ramsey. Those having dinner with the Burnams and Mrs. Mary were Mrs. LaPra Jobe, Mrs. Mary Thomason and Alice Everett who spent the week with Grandma and Grandpa Burnam.

Mary Jack and Dian Everett visited the Burnams Sunday afternoon, and took Alice Home. Left Dian to spend the night with grandparents.

Tom Butler spent last Wednesday with the Mark Burnams. Linda Hughes is spending the summer with her Grandpa and Grandma, the Burette Ramseys. We were so sorry to hear Mr. John Hughes fell Sunday in his home and fractured his leg. You know Mr. Hughes fell a few years back and broke one hip and has now broken the other. He is in Callahan County Hospital at Baird. We hope you soon recover Mr. Hughes.

Bro. Loily and daughters, Jane and Margaret, had dinner with Jim and I Sunday. We enjoyed having them. We are sorry that Mrs. Loily is sick in Callahan County Hospital.

Glad to say Mr. Tex Herring, who is ill in Callahan County Hospital, is improving.

Sorry Mr. Henry Weeks is still sick. He, too, is in the hospital. Hope all of you soon get better.

Roma and John McIntyre visited John's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Randall McNece, in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Booth spent the week end visiting in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Gray Pruet visited a while Monday afternoon with me. John McIntyre went over to Oplin Saturday to see his Dad

and Mother. Glad Mr. Mc is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Ledbetter and children, of Lovington, N. M., visited Monday afternoon with Roma and John. They were really glad to have them.

Little Boy Jim has gone to Abilene Sale today. He had to work pretty hard last week so he thought I would let him go today, like he wouldn't if I had not let him.

Guess I better sign off on this and go to church, so be good and I'll be seen' you.

Putnam Personals . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reese have gone to Houston where Mrs. Reese will have a check-up at the Anderson Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hays, Mrs. Artie Bolck and son Bruce, all of Abilene, were guests of their mother, Mrs. Mitt Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hutchins and family, of Atwell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steward Bentley.

So sorry Mr. John Hughes fell and broke his leg Sunday. He is in the hospital at Baird.

Mrs. L. E. Brock of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kerr and family of Corpus Christi, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Biggerstaff Friday. Mrs. Kerr is the former Lou Brock.

Ruth, Betty and Mabel Mobley visited their sister, Mrs. Zulus Mehaffey and family in Gorman Thursday.

Gall Williams is home for the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams.

Benton Pruet and family of Clyde visited his parents, the Homer Pruets Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton of Sweetwater are visiting her father, Tom Butler.

Mrs. Hulon Smith returned to her home Friday after two weeks in Tishomingo, Okla., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Yeager were guests of her mother, Mrs. D. D. Jones. Billy Bowne returned home with them. He is employed in one of the banks in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bowne of Dallas were week end guests of his father Hodge Bowne.

Those spending the week end with the J. E. Pruets were: Mrs. Ralph Mitchell and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundt and sons.

Little Donny Williams had his tonsils removed Wednesday. He came home Friday and it doing fine.

Mrs. S. M. Eubank spent the week end in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and family.

Pete Mendez, who recently joined the Armed Forces, is stationed at Camp Chaffey, Ark.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Lane of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Mals of Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Smith and daughter of Grand Prairie were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Smith Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceell Rutherford and daughter spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford. Mrs. Earl Rutherford, who has been visiting three of her sons in South Texas and Louisiana returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet and Ricky Sherman were guests of Dr. Royce Pruet and family in Abilene Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Tex Herring this week were Mrs. Dewey Williams, Mrs. Eddie Butler of Stanton and Mrs. Reba Russell of Stephenville. Mr. Herring is still in the hospital at Baird.

Mrs. R. D. Williams is spending a few days in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco had as their dinner guests Rev. Loily and Rev. Harrell, of Baird and Mrs. Mary Ramsey.

Wayne Taylor is home on leave from Camp George, Calif. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Taylor.

L. C. Donaway spent the week end with Jimmy Johnson at Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hardin and family, of Waco, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce White, of Fort Worth, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee White, Sunday.

Mary Thomason was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hall in Baird Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wolfe and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbye Ellis, all of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ellis and Mrs. Warren Everett of Cisco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Carolyne Sue White and Charlie Cunningham are spending the week in Fort Worth as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royce White.

Jack Nettles has returned home after several weeks visit in Odessa and Midland.

Clovis McCollum was transacting business in Putnam Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett and son, Mike were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett.

Col. Glenn Cook and family, who are stationed at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base in Dayton Ohio, are visiting his mother Mrs. John Cook and relatives.

Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

Rain, rain, more rain, but that is what we had been crying for for seven long years! A cool northerly last Sunday, along with the rain, made it a typical fall day instead of June weather.

Mrs. Marie Windham and her grandson, Roy McAdams, Mrs. Malda Pentecost and daughter, Mary Marie, worked at the cemetery last Tuesday afternoon. They stopped by and visited with Mrs. Lee Straley and Freda also.

Mrs. L. E. Turner was scheduled to have surgery on Monday of this week. A very successful, speedy recovery to our friend and neighbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd had her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Barrett of Lawn visiting them the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hines and children, Dean and Patricia, sold their little home, which is just across the road west of the school house, and moved down around Waco. Mr. Cowley, who owns the old Lofton place, is the new owner.

Mrs. Tommie Windham and Paula, and her sister, Mrs. Jeanne Tiffany, who is still visiting from California, visited a long week end with nieces and nephews in Carlsbad, N. M.

Rowden Round-Up

By Theida Crow

The ladies met and quilted 3 quilts last Thursday. Mrs. Annye Miller visited with the ladies in the evening. Mrs. Miller is now at her home after spending several months in Fort Worth and Arlington with her daughters and families.

Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIntyre Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Crawford and children of Phoenix, Ariz., are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley.

Mr. Noah Smedley has been home for a few days before returning to Merkel where he has been living for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains and Sue Wednesday.

Miss Irene Mauldin is at home from Snyder, where she taught school. Irene will attend Hardin-Simmons this summer.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited Mrs. Bill Hazel Wednesday evening. Roland Mauldin is home after attending school at Cisco Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smedley visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stephens and Debra, of Snyder, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow. Frankie Crow visited his parents Sunday evening.

Atwell News

Mrs. Roy Tatom

Nathan Foster visited his father, S. N. Foster last Sunday. Mr. S. N. Foster is ill in Scott & White hospital at Temple.

Neil Williams, Betty and Joyce Pillans, of Abilene, visited with Mrs. Nathan Foster and children Sunday. They also attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom, Beverly and Kimberly, attended the Hamilton-Proctor reunion Sunday at Lake Brownwood.

Benjie Pillans and son, Reggie, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse last Thursday.

Mrs. J. D. Goble and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Auton Tatom attended the auction sale at Eastland Tuesday of last week.

Macky Morgan is employed in San Antonio. He is visiting his sister, June and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hdbert Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Everett in Putnam Sunday.

Jess Kolb of Echo visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Foster one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Pillans of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rouse Friday.

Mrs. Roy Nell Tatom and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross Cut last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatam in Cross Plains Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith in Cross Plains Monday.

Rev. Ira Pittman of Abilene, filled the pulpit Sunday for Rev. Chick, who is holding a revival.

Clyde Man To Do Graduate Study

Charles L. Edwards, formerly of Clyde, has been accepted at the University of Wisconsin at Madison for graduate work in chemical engineering.

Edwards graduated from Texas A&M College May 25 with a BS degree in chemical engineering. He is a 1953 graduate of Itasca High School where he was valedictorian of his class.

He is the son of Mrs. Fred Monse of R. 2, Abilene. His wife is the former Stella Nichols of Bomarton, a former student of Hardin-Simmons.

Medford Walker is a medical patient in an Abilene hospital.

Cottonwood News

By Hazel I. Respass

Mrs. John Purvis left Saturday by plane for Chatham, N. J., where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mulburger for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill entertained the Church of Christ people with an ice cream supper in their home Monday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody of California were with a gathering of the Woody relatives and friends at the Community Center Sunday.

Those who visited in the J. H. Coats home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and son of Loving, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bennett, John Bennett and Greg Bennett.

Beulah and Hazel Respass attended graduation exercises at ACC in Robinson Chapel Tuesday night of last week in Abilene.

David Burkhardt, a student at TWC, Fort Worth, and John Bennett, also of TWC, accompanied Rev. John Fraser out this week end. John Bennett filled the pulpit Sunday night at the Methodist Church. This will be the last service for Rev. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sawyer of Eastland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Varner and Mrs. W. B. Varner of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner Sunday afternoon.

Beulah and Hazel Respass and Gaylon Coppinger visited in Sweetwater last Thursday with Grady Respass.

Four Hurt In Car-Truck Accident

Four persons were slightly injured Saturday in a truck-two car accident about one and a half miles west of Clyde on Highway 80.

Most seriously injured was John Layton, 61 of State Line, Miss., who was given emergency treatment at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He was dismissed from the hospital late Saturday.

Also injured in the accident were his son, Terry, who suffered a cut on the chin; James F. Moody, Dallas, who suffered a cut above the eye; and Samuel Isom Moody, 51, of Dallas, who suffered a bruised arm and leg.

Highway Patrolman George Clark, who investigated, said the accident occurred when cars driven by Terry Layton and Moody both traveling west, skidded into the rear end of a trailer-truck driven by Dean Lawrence Collins of Clyde, as the tandem driver attempted to turn off the highway into a filling station on the south side of the highway.

CARD OF THANKS

It would be a pleasure to thank each of you who were so kind to me while in the hospital, but as this is impossible, I'll just say God bless you is my prayer.

Virgil Jones.

Tecumseh Topics

By Lillian Crawford

Hello to everyone. Just been thinking about how cool the weather has been this spring, and our Farm Reporter, Harry Holt, has just said that it was cooler now at this time than it has been in 54 years.

I began to think in April, guess its time to store the heaters and its June now and the heaters are still convenient places, and as far as I am concerned, may be there for some time yet. It was a cool 56 this morning and a mist falling.

We may have a good chance for summer and fall garden, but gardens are about drowned out and the rust is damaging gardens as it is the grain fields.

As for visitors, its a problem, you have to go a long way around to visit your nearby neighbors, but Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stephenson came over to Mr. and Mrs. L. V. HARRIS and from there they visited Mrs. Stephenson's sister and family, Mrs. Hicks Bryson near Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford Saturday night.

Ira, Lillian and Lynda Crawford visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford and son, Roger, in Abilene Saturday afternoon between rain showers.

Their son, Roger has been real sick, suffering a relapse of measles and high fever before he completely broke out. Last report he was feeling better.

SEALED BIDS

The Clyde Independent School District will accept sealed bids on two school busses. Busses may be seen by contacting Jimmie Briscoe, Clyde, Texas.

All bids must be accompanied by check for amount of bid. All bids to be sent to Frank T. Bailey, Secretary of School Board by 12:00 o'clock noon Tuesday, June 11, 1957. Bids will be opened at school building at 2:00 p. m., June 11, 1957.

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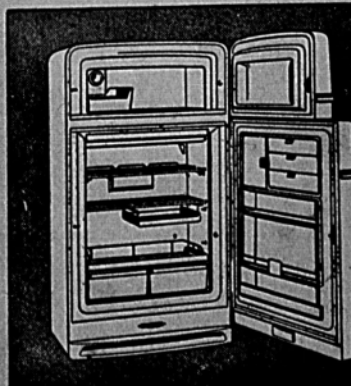
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Clyde Man's Father Dies

Funeral for John Russell Green, 97, father of L. M. Green of Clyde, was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in Wilson Funeral Chapel in McAllen. Burial was in McAllen Cemetery.

He died at 9:30 a. m. Monday in a McAllen hospital.

Mr. Green, a retired farmer, had lived in the Rio Grande Valley for the past 18 years. He was born May 18, 1860 in Kentucky. He was married to Katherine Roberts in Servierville, Tenn., and shortly afterward the family moved to Texas.

They settled in the Eula community in 1901 and later moved to Denton Valley. In 1913, the family moved to Wilbarger county.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, L. M. Green of Clyde, and H. C. Green of Berkeley, Calif.; six daughters, Mrs. W. H. Reynolds of McAllen, Mrs. L. N. Myers of Fentress, Mrs. Z. E. Sikes of San Angelo, Mrs. R. H. Corbell of San Angelo, Mrs. C. J. Newby of Seminole, Okla., and Mrs. John Lewis, Davis, Okla.; 21 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren and 16 great-great grandchildren.

Week end visitors in the Jim Sampson home were Mrs. C. M. Wheeler and children of Leuders, Mr. and Mrs. Chasley P. Brown and sons, Billy and Sampson and children of Wichita, Kans., Mack Sampson of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Sampson and children of Clyde.

Visiting in the Bill Gorman home over the week end were John Lewis Gorman of Dalles, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Mart Gorman and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gorman and son of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gorman of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gorman of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gorman of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Price and girls returned to their home in El Paso Sunday. Mrs. Price had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Grace Vaught for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawrence attended the reunion of Mr. Lawrence's family in Waco Sunday. Dr. Jim Tom Lawrence and family of Fort Worth and the Donald Melton family of Breckenridge attended also.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Corn, Paula, Betty and Larry are visiting Mrs. Corn's brother, Paul Peeler and family in Kansas City, Kans.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown and sons, Billy and Ricky, all of San Angelo, and Mrs. Billy Loveridge of Dallas. Mrs. Loveridge and Billy and Ricky remained at the ranch for a few days visit.

Week end visitors of Mrs. G. W. Crutchfield were Mr. and Mrs. Jack West of Harlingen. Mrs. West is the former Inez Crutchfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crutchfield of Admiral. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jackson and Jo Ann of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crutchfield of Clyde, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Crutchfield and children of Abilene.

Mrs. Corrie Driskill attended the wedding of her niece, Sandra Stewart in Fort Worth Saturday. She also visited in Dallas during the week end with her son, F. L. Driskill and family, and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bost of Bartlesville, Okla., are announcing the birth of a daughter, Barbara Susan, born Friday, May 31. Mrs. Bost is the former Theda Kerby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kerby of Baird. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bost of Robstown. The Bosts have one other daughter, Jan.

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