

CALLAHAN COUNTY, in Central West Texas, organized 1877; area 882 square miles, pop. 11,600. Rolling prairies, and wooded areas of mesquite, post oak, live oak. Soil sandy to chocolate loam. Elevation 1800 feet. Annual rainfall about 24 inches.

# The Baird Star

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

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

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## Funeral Held For Judge B. L. Russell

Funeral services for Judge B. L. Russell, 83, were held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, after he passed away unexpectedly in his home at 11 o'clock Tuesday night. He had been in failing health for several years. Services were held at the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. A. A. Davis, officiating, assisted by Rev. John English, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Rev. W. B. Swim and Rev. Joe R. Mayes, of Abilene, former pastor at Baird. Burial was in Ross Cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral Home.

Benjamin Lee Russell was born October 25, 1864, at Verona, Miss., and was married to Miss Katie Sures on April 12, 1891. He had been a resident of Baird for 60 years. He served as county attorney and county judge here for many years, and was a former member of the Texas legislature. He was attorney for the Texas & Pacific Railway Company here for thirty years. He operated Russell-Sures Abstract Company for years, recently selling out and devoting his time to private law practice.

Judge Russell devoted a great deal of time to the highway program in this county and was instrumental in getting some of our main highways hard surfaced through the county. He was chairman of the Board of Deacons at the First Baptist Church for 10 years, and he had been affiliated with the Knights of Pythias and Masonic lodges for 50 years. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a Shriner.

Beside his widow, he is survived by two sons, B. L. Jr., of Baird, and O. J. of Cisco; a sister, Mrs. Gussie Sures of Austin; and eight grandchildren. A son, Wendell, died while in service overseas during World War I.

## JOHNSON-NELSON WEDDING

Miss Bobby Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Bess Johnson, became the bride of Robert Lane Nelson at 3 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 17, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin in Monahans.

The bride graduated from the local high school last year and had been employed in Monahans since that time.

A popular high school student, she was Sweetheart of F. F. A., pep squad leader and was a past Worthy Advisor of the Order of the Rainbow.

Mrs. Nelson is a granddaughter of Mrs. Sallie Eastham. Mr. Nelson is employed by Magnolia Petroleum Co. at Monahans, where they will make their home.

## Tribute Paid To Judge Russell

Randall Jackson, president of the Callahan County Club and a local attorney, paid tribute to Judge B. L. Russell, Sr., who passed away at his home here Tuesday night, when the club held its regular meeting in the basement of the Methodist Church Wednesday noon. Jackson opened his remarks with the fact that Judge Russell was admitted to the bar in 1894 and for more than fifty years he was active in civic, church and lodge work. "The greatest compliment I can pay Judge Russell," he said "is to say that he took a great deal of pride in being a country lawyer. In this, he was a defender of Democracy and a loyal citizen. Judge Russell's efforts for good roads highlighted his career. He lived a full life and the number of persons he helped was great." The club voted to send a wreath of flowers to the funeral and a committee composed of Rev. John English and A. Hickman was appointed to compose a fitting message of sympathy to be sent to the Russell family. Will D. Boydston, a close friend of Judge Russell for many years, spoke briefly to express sympathy to the family and to pay tribute to so fine a man whose life had been devoted to his church, town and country.

When the business session opened, the club voted to donate \$70 to the local FFA chapter to help pay expenses of delegates to the 20th Anniversary to be held in Kansas City. E. L. Reese, local FFA advisor, will make the trip with the boys and assist them in obtaining the most good from the trip. A. R. Kelton reported for the committee on enlarging the Callahan County Hospital. He reported that each additional room would cost approximately \$10,000, and that it does not seem to be practical to vote a bond issue for the purpose at this time. Construction costs might come down and the project could be financed with a great deal less in a short time. Discussion on getting more paved streets while Harry Campbell Construction Company is here working on the highway, resulted in the appointment of a committee composed of J. V. Thompson, C. J. Redwine and Marvin Hunter to investigate the costs in getting streets paved.

Mrs. Tom South of Clyde visited her sister, Mrs. Bob Norrell, who was ill in Callahan County Hospital last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hagar are moving from Odessa to their farm near Clyde this week.

## Soldier's Remains Returned Home

The cremated remains of Roy Lee Jobe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe of Putnam, will arrive at Putnam at noon today for burial in the Putnam Cemetery, under direction of Wylie Funeral Home. Funeral services will be conducted at the Putnam Methodist Church by Boyd Hays, minister of the Putnam Church of Christ at 3 p. m. Sunday. Military rites will be carried out at the graveside.

Roy Lee Jobe was born at Moran June 8, 1919. He served in the Seventh Cavalry Division, enlisting in August, 1938. In November, 1939, he was transferred to the Ground Hanger Air Force and went to the Philippines to serve at Nichols Field, and was serving at Clark Field, P.I. when the war started. He was taken prisoner on Corregidor and died September 3, 1945, while still a prisoner of war in Japan.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe of Putnam; four brothers, Raymond of Greenburg, Kansas, George P. of Fort Knox, Ky., Billie Mae of Putnam and Foy W., who is serving with the army in Japan; one sister, Mrs. Troy Caraway of Putnam; maternal grandmother, Mrs. Emmie McWhorter of Baird.

## OPEN HOUSE AT MARGIE'S BEAUTY SHOP MONDAY

A treat is in store for those who attend open house at Margie Ray's Beauty Shop Monday from three until six p. m. Mrs. Ray is reopening her beauty shop after having it completely remodeled from stem to stern.

Upon entering the shop, the patron finds herself in a pleasantly decorated reception room with walls of blue furnished with comfortable modernistic lounges. The private booths are ultra modern, with the latest beauty shop equipment.

Mrs. Ray has designed the shop in a way that it is impossible to describe, and one must see for herself to fully appreciate this work of art. The good taste and efficiency of her new beauty shop will be reflected in the beauty treatments that are given, and women of this community will praise Mrs. Ray for her foresightedness in giving Baird this new beauty shop.

Mrs. Ray will be assisted by Mrs. Bess Johnson, who is also an experienced and well-qualified operator.

## SHERIFF'S POSSE ATTENDS TAYLOR COUNTY PICNIC

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse was entertained by the Taylor County Sheriff's Posse Saturday night with a steak barbecue at the Rose Ranch. Approximately fifty members of the Posse were present to enjoy the sumptuous steak barbecue which was served with all the trimmings. Then on Sunday afternoon the Callahan county folks were again honor guests at a calf roping event given by the Taylor county group. The two organizations are enjoying friendly association in these joint meetings and they will surely bring good results in the future.

It was not long ago that the Callahan Sheriff's Posse assisted the Taylor county group in a parade at the West Texas Fair. The Taylor folks are making plans now to come down to Baird in mass to help put on the next Callahan County Sheriff's Posse rodeo.

Together the groups will derive much pleasure and the outcome of their events are predicted to be overwhelming. We have seen no finer good neighbor demonstrations anywhere, and these organizations will bring the peoples of both of these counties closer together.

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse will have a business meeting at the courthouse on Saturday night, at 7:30. All members are urged to be present as a great deal of business is on the agenda.

## General Election At Legion Hut

One of the best moves to be made hereabouts in some time is the decision to hold the general election at the American Legion hut instead of in the upper story of the city hall. Climbing the steps at the city hall to cast a vote has been rather trying for many citizens in the past elections, and we are sure that the change will be appreciated by the general citizenship. Members of the Legion Post are to be commended for their desire to furnish their building for this cause.

## CROSS PLAINS BANK TO NEW QUARTERS

The Citizens State Bank of Cross Plains is inviting its customers to attend open house in its new quarters Saturday, with the formal affair lasting from five until ten o'clock that evening. Fred V. Tunnell, vice-president of the bank, told that almost 2,000 invitations had been mailed to customers of the bank, which indicates the patronage the Cross Plains bank enjoys. During the eleven years that Mr. Tunnell has been active at the head of the bank, deposits have risen from \$133,548.89 in August 1937 to \$1,787,483.03 at present.

The Citizens State Bank is a leader in civic affairs, and its policies toward the development of business of local concerns have been the key note in the bank's success. The formal open house marks the completion of the bank's new home.

The new bank building, located just across the street from the old location, was remodeled with all new fixtures at a cost of \$25,000. Officers of the bank are W. P. Brightwell, president; F. V. Tunnell, vice-president; Edwin Baum, cashier; and Jack W. Tunnell, Mrs. Paul Lutzenberger and Mrs. John Balkum, assistant cashiers. Other employees are Mrs. Clyde Sims, secretary, and Roy Sikes and Verma Lee Montgomery, bookkeepers. Bank directors are Brightwell, Tunnell, Baum, S. O. Montgomery, S. D. DeBusk, W. B. Baldwin and Marshall Newcomb.

## MORE LAND NEEDED FOR BAIRD CEMETERY

With only one unsold graveplot in Ross Cemetery, local citizens are becoming deeply concerned over the need for more land in the cemetery. W. O. Wylie, local funeral director, sounded a warning recently to the effect that should the need arise for several graves, the problem as to what to do might be serious. The cemetery board, composed of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, Mrs. T. P. Bearden, Mrs. Clyde White and Mr. Wylie, are planning a meeting soon to try to decide the best steps to take. A joint meeting of the cemetery board, the city council and citizens might be called to help in final plans. The cemetery is maintained by the city and its neat appearance is a credit to Baird.

## FUNERAL AT CROSS PLAINS FOR A. C. BILLINGSLEY

Funeral for A. C. Billingsley, 77, of Cross Plains, was held at 10 o'clock Friday morning at Higginbotham Funeral Chapel in Cross Plains. Rev. A. C. Evans, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Cross Plains, officiated, and burial was in Cross Plains Cemetery. Mr. Billingsley, retired oil field pumper and driller, died early Thursday morning at his home after a year's illness. He was born Feb. 17, 1871 at Sutherland, Texas. He is survived by his widow and four daughters: Mrs. Hubert Johnson, Big Spring; Mrs. E. M. Pancake, Jr., Wichita, Kan.; Mrs. Max D. Lovett, San Angelo; and Miss Mary Billingsley, Hollywood, California. All were present for the funeral.

Mrs. Ed Shurnway and Mrs. Vickers of Abilene were visitors in the R. E. Hansen home in Clyde last week.

## Barbecue Stand Opens On U.S. 80

Al Brumley, an experienced barbecue cook, opened a barbecue stand on Highway 80 across the street from the Presbyterian church yesterday, and elsewhere in this week's Star he is inviting all the Baird people to patronize his place when they are hungry for honest-to-goodness barbecue. Brumley cooks the meat approximately ten hours over oak and hickory coals before it is served, and his more than twenty years experience has taught him to give barbecue a certain something that everybody likes. He calls it the "know how" about barbecuing, that makes folks eat it and call for more.

Mr. Brumley will be assisted in the business by his wife, the former Flora Bell Ivey, who is well known here. They came here from San Diego, California, where Mr. Brumley operated a barbecue stand for 13 years. Before that time he operated a barbecue stand in Dallas for 10 years.

Being located on Highway 80, he will not only cater to the tourist trade but he invites home people to trade there. His pit barbecue will be packed in sanitary containers to go, or he will serve barbecue on toasted buns or in sandwiches over the counter.

## FARMER-WITTE WEDDING HELD SUNDAY

Marriage vows were repeated by Elma Alene Farmer, daughter of Mrs. Cynthia Farmer, and Curtis Roy Witte, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Witte, of Eula, Sunday evening.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. A. A. Berryman, pastor of the Clyde Church of Christ, as they stood in the living room of the Berryman home.

Attendants for the couple were Rose Farmer, sister of the bride, and Ben Young, friend and classmate of both the bride and groom.

The bride wore a street length dress of dark gray crepe, with a jewel neckline and an overskirt of the same material, accented by black accessories. She wore a corsage of white gardenias.

Her attendant wore a dress of deep rose crepe fashioned after the same manner as the bride's, with accessories of black. Her corsage was of gardenias, also.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Eula High School. The bride also attended ACC in Abilene.

After a short wedding trip, they will make their home in Abilene, where both are employed.

## PUBLIC INVITED TO SINGING AT ROWDEN

People who love to sing and to hear good singing will gather at the Rowden Baptist Church Sunday, October 31, for an old-fashioned all day singing and dinner on the grounds. This is a county convention and the Rowden folks are expecting singers from all parts of Callahan county and many from adjoining counties. C. E. Stephens, secretary of the Rowden Singing Class, invites all who wish to come and bring a basket lunch. It promises to be a great day for all who attend.

## CLYDE HORSE WINS PRIZE AT COLEMAN

Bill Kennard's yearling stud colt won first prize in the Quarter Horse Show at the Coleman Horse Show, October 12. Mr. Kennard, Clyde ranchman, purchased the colt in the Hankins Bros. sale at San Angelo last year.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 340 bales of cotton were ginned in Callahan County, Texas, from the crop of 1948 prior to October 1, as compared with 234 bales for the crop of 1947. J. H. Shrader, Agent.

## Miss Helen Shaw of Ft. Worth

visited Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowan the past weekend.

## Rising Star Downs Baird Bears 26-20

Rising Star defeated the Baird Bears last Friday night in a hard fought game, played before one of the largest crowds in football history of Baird.

Baird scored early in the first quarter when Jimmy Cauthen plunged over the line for a touchdown. Rising Star came right back and scored with Criswell going over the goal on a line plunge, tying the score 6-6.

In the second quarter, Rising Star scored again with Gibson going over on a 13 yard plunge after Baird had fumbled. Baird then scored on a 63-yard pass play, Jim Clark to Jack Yarbrough. The half ended 13-13.

In the fourth quarter, Dwight Mayes scored a touchdown for Baird after Baird had marched from their own 18 yard line. Late in the game, after Rising Star had apparently stopped on Baird's 3 yard line, they fumbled the ball and Howard recovered it for a touchdown. In the last few plays, Baird fumbled and Rising Star recovered. Gibson then made the winning touchdown with a line plunge.

## FOOTBALL GAME STARTS AT 7:30 TONIGHT

The kick-off has been set up to 7:30 p. m. for the high school football game between the Baird Bears and Early High School. Early is reported to have an unusually good team this season and the Bears will have to fight hard to win tonight's game. Fans will save some time at the gate by buying their tickets beforehand.

## TO HOLD FOOD SALE

The Junior Class is having a cooked food sale Saturday, October 23, at 10 a. m., at Parsons Electric and Refrigeration Service. Everyone is cordially invited to patronize the sale.

## CALLAHAN COUNTY GETS LONG NEEDED RAIN

The fine rain that fell two weeks ago was followed by a slow rain Wednesday over most parts of this county, and farmers and stockmen are relieved somewhat to know that the drought is broken. Grass has sprouted rapidly where the rain fell and fair winter grazing is in prospect.

## FARM BUREAU TO MEET AT EULA SCHOOL

Callahan County Farm Bureau will meet at the Eula high school Tuesday evening, October 26th, at 7:30 o'clock. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend this meeting. A general discussion of farmer's problems will be held and much good will be derived by all who attend.

A number of Callahan farmers attended a Farm Bureau meeting at Brownwood Friday, October 12, and information they received has been of real value to them. This was the largest meeting ever held in this district.

## DR. WEIDMAN AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Dr. John Weidman, professor of History at McMurry College, will hold services at the Episcopal Church Sunday, October 24 at 11 a. m.

Mrs. Sam Smith attended the State Fair at Dallas Sunday.

## Moutray Pays \$15,100 For Bull

E. W. Moutray, local cattleman, has returned from the Thorp Hereford Ranch at Britton, S. D., where he bought the top bull of the sale, and from the Wyoming Hereford Ranch at Cheyenne where he bought two top heifers.

Moutray made perhaps the most important addition to his good herd here at Thorp's place where he paid \$15,100 for the two-year-old bull, TH Revelation 33d, a son of the great young breeding bull, Baca Elation. The bull will be shown at the R. J. Royal Hereford Show in Kansas City, the International at Chicago, the Western National Livestock at Denver and the Ft. Worth Stock Show before being delivered to Moutray at Fort Worth.

TH Revelation 33d is out of TH Miss Real 35th, a daughter of Real Prince D. 153d, an Otto Fulscher-bred bull, and is out of Miss Silver Domino 74th, a daughter of Champion Domino 36th. He is a half brother to TH Revelation 11th, a bull he bought in the Thorp sale last year.

In the same sale, Moutray bought the two-year-old heifer, TH Sally Ann 17th, by WHR Helmsman 5th and out of a Battle Mischief cow. The heifer was bred to WHR Ruling Star 43d, one of the best breeding bulls in the Thorp string of herd bulls.

At the Wyoming Hereford Ranch sale, Moutray was the contending bidder on the top female of the sale, but dropped out at \$5,900.

He bought one of the famous Lady Lill females, paying \$4,550 for WHR Lady Lill 109th, a daughter of WHR Royal Triumph and out of WHR Bonnie Chance 30th. She was carrying the service of WHR Symbol 8th, a son of WHR Helmsman 3d, the bull that the Wyoming Hereford Ranch is supposed to have refused an offer of \$100,000 for. Moutray paid \$2,350 for WHR Sally Sue 48th, by WHR Super Domino 20th and bred to WHR Helmsman 124th, a bull brother to Helmsman 3d.

The top price on bulls in the Wyoming Hereford Ranch sale was \$20,000 and the average on bulls in the Thorp sale was slightly better than \$6,000.

Moutray, Mrs. Moutray and their ranch manager, J. J. Durham, made the trip and visited the famous Black Hills of South Dakota where Mr. Moutray worked on the railroad as a boy 50 years ago. They saw their first ice and snow at Custer, S. D., and frost came over most of that country while they were there. They returned via Denver, Raton, Clovis, N. M., and Amarillo and encountered the rain that fell here north of Aspermont.

—Abilene Reporter-News

## NOTICE!

The Senior Class of Baird High School is sponsoring the Stamp Ozark Quartet. This Quartet is well known in this section being heard over KWFT in Wichita Falls. They will be here Monday, November 1st at 7:30 p. m. in Baird High School Auditorium.

(Pd. Adv.)

Miss Dora Evans and her mother, of Midland, visited the J. P. Reynolds the past weekend.

## To The Tax Payers Of Callahan County:

### POLL TAX INFORMATION FOR 1948

Since there is no poll tax assessed for the year 1948 it will not show on the roll for that year, but it will be necessary for any one wishing to vote to pay poll tax when other taxes are paid.

Exemptions must be secured for a person becoming twenty-one after January 1, 1948.

A person becoming twenty-one years of age after January 1, of the year for which the poll tax was levied, may vote without a poll tax.

All persons who become sixty years of age after January 1, 1948, can vote without a poll tax and does not need to have an exemption.

We ask that you call attention to the poll tax when paying other tax.

Office of M. H. (Bob) Joy  
Tax Assessor-Collector.

**NOTICE!**  
The Voting Place in the General Election has been changed from the City Hall to the American Legion Building.

J. L. FARMER,  
County Judge.







# The Baird Star

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### VETERAN BAIRD PRINTER ON COMEBACK TRAIL

By Hamilton Wright  
Veterans whose fingers have been perfumed with printer's ink in West Texas remember good old Haynie Gilliland, scion of the late Bill Gilliland, founder of the Baird Star and other early-day Callahan County newspapers.

But for three years they've not seen him. To wander into the Star office and not see the 00pound khaki-shirted Haynie is to wonder. He was a fixture here ever since he was a boy nee-high to a big duck. Haynie went through World War I, fighting and experiencing hardships and privations that contributed to his later being incapacitated. Three years ago he was taken to Legion, near Kerrville, here he has been ever since.

His weight dropped to 158. At now his sister, Eliska Gilliland, assistant postmaster, says she avoids him to 190-pounds. And Veteran Hospital physicians say he's rapidly making recovery and might get out another year.

A he-man, Haynie was urged by his attending physician to take a poppy—anything to take a mind off his malady and life's agonies. "That's for sissies," he said. But now Haynie is taking poppies, weaving and working in leather and finding these avocations just what he needed all the time.

Haynie says the hardest thing has to bear is to be away from friends at Baird. Miss Eliska says he gets very lonesome. The Road Runner knows at lonesomeness means to a. Haynie had and still has many fast friends. He was "one of the boys." After the death of father he did most of the shop work of The Star while

his sister, the late Miss Eliza, ran the front end—editor and business manager. He worked night and day to keep the paper's head above the financial surface. The death of his sister after he went to Legion was a shock. Still later another death in the family came. It stunned him. And then a patient next room who had interests near Houston "hoped" Haynie up by telling him when he got up—pretty soon—he and Haynie could go to his country estate on the bay and "just laze around for a couple of years." A short time afterwards the patient died suddenly. It was another dagger in Haynie's status. But from all these he has now recovered.

Miss John Gilliland, another sister, is postmaster at Baird. "It does Haynie lots of good when we tell him of the great number of people who continually inquire about his condition," Miss Eliska said.

"And to all, we now hold out hope of Haynie's being returned to us in the future. We know it'll be overwhelming joy for him to see again his native home town and the hundreds who knew and loved him," the sisters said.

### VETERANS ENTITLED TO BENEFITS

Every veteran of World Wars I and II are entitled to the following benefits when facts warrant same: Service Connected Compensation, Disability Pay, Hospitalization, Burial Expense, Veterans Homes, Free Flag. World War II veterans are entitled to loans on farms, homes or business, on the job training, farm and crop training, vocational training, widows pension both wars, dependent parents pensions.

Write for free information to United War Veterans of America, 912 1/2 Main St., Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hollingshead and daughters, Sarah and Nora Nell of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Nienast of Sweetwater, have returned to their homes after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sikes in Clyde.

Mrs. J. J. Durham and Mrs. Archie Nichols attended the English Workshop at Abilene Christian College Friday afternoon.

### MRS. DURHAM HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. J. J. Durham entertained the Wednesday Club in the home of Mrs. Tee Baulch Oct. 13th. Mrs. W. A. Fetterly presided. "China, The Sleeping Giant Wakens," was very interestingly presented by Mrs. Sam Gilliland and Mrs. A. E. Dyer. Interesting articles made in China were displayed during the Club meeting.

The Wednesday Club members were invited to attend an Antique Art Show, given by the Moran Study Club on November 4th, at 3:00 p. m.

Mrs. W. Clyde White, our club counselor, stressed the importance of National Bible Week, November 18th through 28th. This week is to be observed by the national, state and local governments. Too, it was forcefully pointed out by Mrs. White that each and every club woman should consider it her duty to vote in the November election.

American Art Week is to be November 1st through 7th. In observance of this week, the Wednesday Club of Baird is planning an art exhibit on Nov. 5th from 3 p. m. until 9 p. m. The place will be announced at a later date. This exhibit is to be divided into three groups: 1. Antiques, things over a hundred years of age; 2. Unusual things of art, such as bed spreads, china and other arts of different kinds; 3. The painting of Baird artists. Those who have such articles as mentioned, please get in touch with a member of the club. The public is invited to this exhibit.

At the close of the meeting a social hour followed. Delicious refreshments of pie and coffee were served to nineteen club members, and Miss Mildred Elliott and Mrs. Tee Baulch, guests. Also on each plate was a piece of ginger imported from Hong Kong, China.

Mrs. Tyre Watson and daughter, Suzanne, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. Katie Lee Smedley, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips of Clyde.

Billy Ray arrived Friday from San Diego, where he has been stationed, to visit his mother, Mrs. Margie Ray. He will report back to San Diego the 26th and will be transferred to Memphis, Tenn.

### PLACES FIRST IN SAFETY HIGHWAY CONTEST

For promoting safety and courtesy on the highways of Texas, the Texas Motor Transportation Association has placed first in a national truck safety contest sponsored by the American Trucking Associations, Inc.

The Texas group competed with other Associations from all over the country. Roy Sanderford, president of TMTA, will accept the award plaque at the ATA convention in Washington, D. C. on October 13th.

Throughout the past year the Association has:

Sponsored a safety tour which visited 65 cities and towns to check on Texans' 'driveability.' Over 20,000 individuals took the tests on visual acuity, night blindness, reaction time, steadiness, color perception, depth perception, and field of vision, while 50,000 visited the exhibit.

Selected a "Miss Courtesy and Safety" for 1948 at the annual convention.

Sponsored a fleet supervisors training course at Texas A & M College.

Promoted a safety and courtesy campaign, enlisting the aid of the Junior Chambers of Commerce in the State.

Held a truck rodeo contest and named two champion truck drivers for the state.

During the Texas State Fair at Dallas, the Association's safety unit is again on exhibit. It will go on the road for another safety tour at the end of October.

Lynn B. Shaw is general manager of the Association, and Charles M. Ogle is the safety director.

### SOCIAL SECURITY RETURNS DUE IN OCTOBER

The regular quarterly social security tax returns and wage reports for the calendar quarter ending September 30 are due in the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, Texas, by the end of October, John B. Dunlap, Collector of Internal Revenue, and Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene social security office, announced today.

For the sake of economy in Government and to simplify reporting by employers, the two agencies use the same reports to secure needed information. Both officials strongly recommend to employers that the name and account number of each new worker be copied from his social security card when he starts to work.

The statement concluded that "a great majority of employers have done an excellent job of reporting; the few who have not done so are now expected to comply fully with the requirements."

The Baird Star received a nice letter from Mrs. Annie Wagner of Houston the past week. Mrs. Wagner writes that Douglas has enrolled at the University of Texas and Bobby has enrolled at the University of Houston. She wrote: "I am always anxious to get The Star every week so I can get the news from back home."

Kenneth West of Ft. Worth, Paul Max Varner, Leon Daniel, and Jimmie West left Thursday of last week for Jal, N. M.

Mrs. Ellen Lynch of New York City visited Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen Monday and Tuesday.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Scroggins had a birthday dinner at their home Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Scroggins birthday, which was Monday. Present were Mrs. Scroggins' niece, Mrs. Ervin Shrader, Mr. Shrader and children of Drasco, and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jitter of Abilene.

Mrs. Roy E. Smith of Monahans, Volle McDonough of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Larry McDonough of Stephenville visited Judge and Mrs. B. L. Russell Friday.

Mrs. Bill Banks and Mrs. Donald Melton made a business trip to Dallas the first of last week.



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The Mississippi River always has been the "continental divide" in the geography of the livestock industry. In the old days the great herds of longhorns trailing north from Texas had many rivers to cross. The Red. The Canadian. The Big Blue. The Platte . . . but there was never a trail that ended east of the Father of Waters. The Mississippi was, and is, one river you couldn't swim with a million head of cattle.

It's a staggering job to get the nation's meat from producer to consumer. Two-thirds of the meat animals are produced west of the Mississippi . . . two-thirds of the meat is eaten east of it. On the average, meat has to be transported more than 1,000 miles. It's a big job—a huge job. Just consider: in 1947 alone, this job of getting the nation's meat from the farm and range to the cooking range involved 32,158,000 beef animals, 24,044,000 sheep and lambs, 82,579,000 hogs!

Harvesting any national crop—from wheat to meat—is a big job. Big machines are needed. Who uses binders when combines are more efficient? Similarly, in the processing and nationwide distribution of meat it takes large-scale, efficient "machinery."

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Time counts unless you're counting time. Some people will do almost anything for money—except work for it. Generally it's better to have PUSH than PULL.

Tally and Cull "Newcomers" in Breeding Ewe Flocks by Clair E. Terrill

As you swing the cut gate, you can increase total salable lamb weight—your margin of profit. For here you can cull ewes that are barren in their first lambing season. You can also cut out those unable to raise singles in their first lambing year.

Recent research has proved that subsequent market lamb production from such dry ewes may not justify keeping them in efficient commercial breeding bands. Experiments with Columbia range ewes at the U. S. Sheep Experiment Station, Dubois, Idaho, established this fact.

All ewes that twinned the first year, regardless of whether the lambs were raised, weaned 19 pounds more lamb weight in the three years of study than ewes that failed to lamb—five pounds more than ewes which did not rear their first single lamb.

So, to increase efficiency in market lamb production, tally "newcomers" in ewe herds at breeding time. Then mark barren low-producing ewes for culling after the lambing season.



All That Glitters Isn't Profit. Government reports tell of farm and ranch income from livestock that totals more than 17 billion dollars. Many folks read those reports and say—"No wonder meat is so high. Livestock producers must be coining money."

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil West and children, Saran and Bowls, of Crane, visited relatives here the past weekend.

Mrs. J. T. Lawrence and Mrs. Donald Melton made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

**Oplin Observations**  
Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.  
By Joreta Gwin

Mrs. Chester McCarter of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Dee Peevy over the weekend.

Dale Crawford, Howard Johnson and Kathryn Nobles attended the State Fair at Dallas last Saturday.

Misses Rose, Beth and Lloyd Farmer of Eula visited friends in Oplin Sunday.

The Life Service Band of Hardin-Simmons University had charge of the services Sunday at the Oplin Baptist Church.

Robert Roberson, who has been working in Fort Worth, is home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Millhorn and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin Sunday.

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Mrs. Walter Muelburger of New York has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Purvis and family. She returned home last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murphy and daughter, Gail, attended the funeral of a relative at Marble Falls last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll of Brownwood visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. O'Neal last Friday.

Mrs. John Purvis and children made a business trip to Abilene last Friday.

The Baptist Training Union sponsored a weiner roast last Friday night for the entire church.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore left Monday for a visit to Goldsmith and Odessa, where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Higdon.

Jim Fulton of California visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clifton visited Roy J. Clark in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene Friday, Gaylan, Jean returning with them for the weekend visit.

Miss Bobbie Nell Joy is working in Cisco. She spent the weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy.

Miss Annie Wyatt is visiting relatives in Dickens City.

Miss Eunice Hembree and Mr. Porter Ledbetter attended Mrs. R. J. Young's funeral here last Tuesday.

Dr. H. H. Ramsey and J. H. Hembree of Abilene attended the funeral of Mrs. R. J. Young Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner visited relatives in Abilene last week, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Varner and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neil.

Mrs. Weaver still remains in the hospital with very little improvement.

Jim Tate of Clyde left Wednesday for a few days visit in Hobbs, N. M.

**Eula Episodes**  
By Mrs. R. G. EDWARDS  
Elevating Elucidations for the Enjoyable Enlightenment of Everybody Everywhere.

The Eula Junior 4-H Club met Monday, Oct. 18 in the school auditorium with Frances Jolly, president, presiding. After a regular business session, the sponsor, Mrs. R. G. Edwards, led in a discussion on "How To Clean A Bedroom." Twenty girls answered the roll call.

Those from the Junior Club attending the State Fair were: Frances Jolly, Robbie Farmer, Patsy Johnson, Nancy McClure, Roberta Edwards, Linda Loving and the sponsor, Mrs. Edwards.

Kelton Smith was admitted to the Baird hospital late last week for treatment. He is reported to be improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley were weekend visitors in the home of her sister and brothers, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clifton are visiting in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clifton of Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis Foster of Wichita Falls were visitors last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Dortha James and daughters. While they were here they showed movies that were made this summer as they vacationed in the Northwestern States and Canada. Mrs. James daughters, Mounie Lou and Clarita accompanied them on the trip.

Abilene Christian College has invited Eula to their courts for a basketball game on Tuesday night, Oct. 26. Follow your team as they start the season.

The next meeting of the Sunshine Circle will be Oct. 27 in the home of Mrs. Nellie Harrison. Visitors are invited and all members are urged to be present.

Eula received a little over two inches of rain last week which will be very beneficial to the farmers. There were quite a few acres of grain that had been dry sowed, and it is up now to a good stand. There are others that are planning to seed more grain in the next few days.

They have ginned in the neighborhood of 260 bales at Eula this year, with the bulk of the crop already gathered. For the remainder of the season, ginning will be only on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Stanley and son have moved to Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley are living on the Stanley place since moving late last week.

Mrs. George C. Crook, Mrs. R. G. Edwards and A. E. Gardner were sponsors to a group of 4-H boys and girls when they attended the State Fair at Dallas Saturday, which was the day set aside to honor all 4-H boys and girls of the state.

Thirty boys and girls from the Eula community were in attendance: Jack McKee, Tommie Millhorn, R. G. Farmer, Roger Crook, Dave McClure, Betty Louise Smith, Verna Jo Clemmer, Winnifred Gardner, Bud Logan, Robbie Alice Farmer, Nancy McClure, Linda Loving, John McKee, Billy Jess Tarrant, Burl Loving, Douglas Tarrant, Nita Johnson, Patsy Johnson, Joan Gray, Jack Kisner, Wayland Warren, Roberta Edwards, Anne Burleson, Frances Jolly, Cralita James and Mrs. Spencer Farmer.

Miss Evelyn Wieland returned Wednesday from Burnet, where she had been with her mother, Mrs. M. C. Wieland, who underwent surgery Monday. Mrs. Wieland is reported improving nicely.

N. E. Estes was a business visitor from Clyde Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Jackson left Sunday by plane for Brooklyn, N. Y. for a two week visit with her mother, Mrs. Faust, and her brother, Irving Faust.

**T&P PLANS PARTY AT RECREATION CENTER**

First anniversary celebration of the opening of the Texas & Pacific railroad's recreation center, in the second floor of the T&P railway station will be held Thursday evening, Oct. 28.

L. C. Porter, vice president in charge of operations, together with many other officials, will be present. An invitation has been extended to employees and friends throughout this area. President W. G. Vollmer cannot be present.

At a cost of around \$25,000 the second floor was transformed into recreation rooms, including places for billiards and pool, reading and lounging quarters, shower baths and the trainmaster's office. They are well patronized by rail employees.

**ATTEND 4-H CLUB DAY AT STATE FAIR**

Sixty Callahan County 4-H Club girls and boys and the leaders attended 4-H Club Day at the State Fair in Dallas Saturday. All club girls and boys who had turned in their records were eligible to go. County agents, Miss Evelyn Wieland and O. F. West accompanied the group.

Miss Baylor Durham of Houston and Mrs. Durham of Hico visited in the home of J. J. Durham last week.

Mrs. Shine Phillips of Big Spring and Mrs. Earl Ezell of Abilene spent a few hours with Mrs. Maria Leache Thursday of last week.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Morris Cooke and children, Mary Louise and Rodger, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooke the past weekend.

**FORMER MAYOR OF CLYDE DIES**

J. A. Kerley, 86, former mayor and banker of Clyde, died Monday night in Santa Ana, Cal. Death occurred at the home of his son, Newt Kerley, at 33 Bishop St., where he was residing.

Mr. Kerley lived in Clyde for 40 years, from Jan. 1, 1908, to March 1 this year. He moved to his son's home in March.

He was cashier of the First National Bank of Clyde for seven years, and also served as mayor, justice of the peace, city marshal and manager of the Clyde Fruit Growers Association. He was a member of the Clyde Baptist Church.

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**CALLAHAN H. D. COUNCIL MEETING OCTOBER 11**

Callahan County Home Demonstration Council met at the Callahan county courthouse October 11 at 2 p. m., with twenty-one members present and seven clubs represented.

Mrs. Wesley Patton gave the following report from the nominating committee for new council officers: chairman, Mrs. P. H. Patton of Enterprise Club; vice-chairman, Mrs. L. G. Kerby of Belle Plain Club; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Betcher of Dudley Club; treasurer, Mrs. H. G. Broadfoot of Clyde Club.

It was announced that the Christmas party will be December 13, and the chairman appointed Mrs. A. G. Black on the food committee, Mrs. Wesley Patton on program committee, and Mrs. L. G. Kerby on decoration committee.

Yearly reports were given by all members of the council. Enterprise, Eula, and Belle Plain clubs have been 100 percent in attendance at council meetings.

Mrs. Fred Farmer gave a report on the bread show held recently.

It was voted for the clubs to have a Food Sale in Baird on October 23rd.

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Equally good judgment was used by Borzage in casting the supporting roles. Evidence of this is the memorable performances of Roscoe Karns, long-time favorite, who plays a tough caddy and friend of Joe and Ronnie. Others in the cast are Joe Frisco, Kitty Irish, Frankie Darro and John Ridgely.

Mrs. A. E. Stephenson of Clyde is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pyeatt in Jal, N. M. She will also visit her parents in Elida, N. M.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson of Oplin was a business visitor Monday.

Jerry Loper spent Saturday of last week in Ft. Worth.

You Can't Swim the Mississippi with a Million Head of Cattle

The Mississippi River always has been the "continental divide" in the geography of the livestock-meat industry. In the old days the great herds of longhorns trailing north from Texas had many rivers to cross. The Red. The Canadian. The Big Blue. The Platte . . . but there was never a trail that ended east of the Father of Waters. The Mississippi was, and is, one river you couldn't swim with a million head of cattle.

It's a staggering job to get the nation's meat from producer to consumer. Two-thirds of the meat animals are produced west of the Mississippi . . . two-thirds of the meat is eaten east of it. On the average, meat has to be transported more than 1,000 miles. It's a big job—a huge job. Just consider: in 1947 alone, this job of getting the nation's meat from the farm and range to the cooking range involved 32,158,000 beef animals, 24,044,000 sheep and lambs, 82,579,000 hogs!

Harvesting any national crop—from wheat to meat—is a big job. Big machines are needed. Who uses binders when combines are more efficient? Similarly, in the processing and nationwide distribution of meat it takes large-scale, efficient "machinery."

Over the years, we at Swift have worked to perfect our nationwide system of marketing. We, and 26,000 other commercial slaughterers, provide a competitive cash market for your livestock. We buy your animals and dress them. We process and refrigerate them. Then, we distribute the meat to retail store men everywhere.

Soda Bill Sez: Time counts unless you're counting time. Some people will do almost anything for money—except work for it. Generally it's better to have PUSH than PULL.

Tally and Cull "Newcomers" in Breeding Ewe Flocks by Clair E. Terrill, United States Department of Agriculture. As you swing the cut gate, you can increase total salable lamb weight—your margin of profit.

Recent research has proved that subsequent market lamb production from such dry ewes may not justify keeping them in efficient commercial breeding bands. Experiments with Columbia range ewes at the U. S. Sheep Experiment Station, Dubois, Idaho, established this fact.

All ewes that twinned the first year, regardless of whether the lambs were raised, weaned 19 pounds more lamb weight in the three years of study than ewes that failed to lamb—five pounds more than ewes which did not rear their first single lamb.

So, to increase efficiency in market lamb production, tally "newcomers" in ewe herds at breeding time. Then mark barren low-producing ewes for culling after the lambing season.



All That Glitters Isn't Profit

Government reports tell of farm and ranch income from livestock that totals more than 17 billion dollars. Many folks read those reports and say—"No wonder meat is so high. Livestock producers must be coining money."

That is a thoughtful comment, based on misunderstanding. That 17 billion dollars is not profit—it is gross income. Many expenses must come out of your gross livestock income before you can make any profit on it.

A lot of people are just as wrong about Swift's profit as they are about yours. They look at our total sales of 2 1/2 billion dollars last year and say—"That's a barrel of money. No wonder meat is high!"

Yes, in our business, as in yours, there's a big difference between gross income and net profit!



Martha Logan's Recipe for CHICKEN A LA MARYLAND

Cut a cleaned hen into serving pieces. Season. Dip into egg diluted with milk, then roll in sifted cracker crumbs. Brown in a 1/2-inch layer of shortening. Add a 1-inch layer of rich milk. Cover. Bake in a moderate oven (350°F.) 2 hours.

PICKLED ORANGE SLICES 1 orange 1/2 cup vinegar 1/2 cup brown sugar 6 cloves for each orange slice

Boil orange 1 hour. Cut in slices 1/2-inch thick. Stick cloves on rind of each slice. Boil together sugar and vinegar 5 minutes. Add orange slices. Simmer 15 minutes. Serve hot or cold.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil West and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence and Mrs. children, Saran and Bowlus, of Donald Melton made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

**Oplin Observations**  
Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.  
By Joreta Gwin

Mrs. Chester McCarter of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Dee Peavy over the weekend.  
Dale Crawford, Howard Johnson and Kathryn Nobles attended the State Fair at Dallas last Saturday.  
Misses Rose, Beth and Lloyd Farmer of Eula visited friends in Oplin Sunday.  
The Life Service Band of Hardin-Simmons University had charge of the services Sunday at the Oplin Baptist Church.  
Robert Roberson, who has been working in Fort Worth, is home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Millhorn and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin Sunday.

**Cottonwood Chips**  
Community Clatter Carefully Collected for Your Consideration.  
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Mrs. Walter Muelburger of New York has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Purvis and family. She returned home last Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murphy and daughter, Gail, attended the funeral of a relative at Marble Falls last Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll of Brownwood visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. O'Neal last Friday.  
Mrs. John Purvis and children made a business trip to Abilene last Friday.  
The Baptist Training Union sponsored a weiner roast last Friday night for the entire church.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore left Monday for a visit to Goldsmith and Odessa, where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Higdon.  
Jim Fulton of California visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clifton visited Roy J. Clark in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene Friday, Gaylan, Jean returning with them for the weekend visit.  
Miss Bobbie Nell Joy is working in Cisco. She spent the weekend at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Joy.  
Miss Annie Wyatt is visiting relatives in Dickens City.  
Miss Eunice Hembree and Mr. Porter Ledbetter attended Mrs. R. J. Young's funeral here last Tuesday.  
Dr. H. H. Ramsey and J. H. Hembree of Abilene attended the funeral of Mrs. R. J. Young Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Varner visited relatives in Abilene last week, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Varner and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neil. Mrs. Weaver still remains in the hospital with very little improvement.

**Eula Episodes**  
By MRS. R. G. EDWARDS  
Elevating Elucidations for the Enjoyable Enlightenment of Everybody Everywhere.

The Eula Junior 4-H Club met Monday, Oct. 18 in the school auditorium with Frances Jolly, president, presiding. After a regular business session, the sponsor, Mrs. R. G. Edwards, led in a discussion on "How To Clean A Bedroom." Twenty girls answered the roll call.  
Those from the Junior Club attending the State Fair were: Frances Jolly, Robbie Farmer, Patsy Johnson, Nancy McClure, Roberta Edwards, Linda Loving and the sponsor, Mrs. Edwards.  
Kelton Smith was admitted to the Baird hospital late last week for treatment. He is reported to be improved at this writing.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley were weekend visitors in the home of her sister and brothers, of Fort Worth.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clifton are visiting in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clifton of Tulsa, Okla.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis Foster of Wichita Falls were visitors last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Dortha James and daughters. While they were here they showed movies that were made this summer as they vacationed in the Northwestern States and Canada. Mrs. James daughters, Mounie Lou and Clarita accompanied them on the trip.  
Abilene Christian College has invited Eula to their courts for a basketball game on Tuesday night, Oct. 26. Follow your team as they start the season.  
The next meeting of the Sunshine Circle will be Oct. 27 in the home of Mrs. Nellie Harrison. Visitors are invited and all members are urged to be present.  
Eula received a little over two inches of rain last week which will be very beneficial to the farmers. There were quite a few acres of grain that had been dry sowed, and it is up now to a good stand. There are others that are planning to seed more grain in the next few days.  
They have ginned in the neighborhood of 260 bales at Eula this year, with the bulk of the crop already gathered. For the remainder of the season, ginning will be only on Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Stanley and son have moved to Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley are living on the Stanley place since moving late last week.  
Mrs. George C. Crook, Mrs. R. G. Edwards and A. E. Gardner were sponsors to a group of 4-H boys and girls when they attended the State Fair at Dallas Saturday, which was the day set aside to honor all 4-H boys and girls of the state.  
Thirty boys and girls from the Eula community were in attendance: Jack McKee, Tommie Millhorn, R. G. Farmer, Roger Crook, Dave McClure, Betty Louise Smith, Verna Jo Clemmer, Winnifred Gardner, Bud Logan, Robbie Alice Farmer, Nancy McClure, Linda Loving, John McKee, Billy Jess Tarrant, Burl Loving, Douglas Tarrant, Nita Johnson, Patsy Johnson, Joan Gray, Jack Kisner, Wayland Warren, Roberta Edwards, Anne Burleson, Frances Jolly, Cralita James and Mrs. Spencer Farmer.

Miss Evelyn Wieland returned Wednesday from Burnet, where she had been with her mother, Mrs. M. C. Wieland, who underwent surgery Monday. Mrs. Wieland is reported improving nicely.  
N. E. Estes was a business visitor from Clyde Tuesday.  
Mrs. Anna Jackson left Sunday by plane for Brooklyn, N. Y. for a two week visit with her mother, Mrs. Faust, and her brother, Irving Faust.

**FORMER MAYOR OF CLYDE DIES**  
J. A. Kerley, 86, former mayor and banker of Clyde, died Monday night in Santa Ana, Cal. Death occurred at the home of his son, Newt Kerley, at 38 Bishop St., where he was residing.  
Mr. Kerley lived in Clyde for 40 years, from Jan. 1, 1908, to March 1 this year. He moved to his son's home in March.  
He was cashier of the First National Bank of Clyde for seven years, and also served as mayor, justice of the peace, city marshal and manager of the Clyde Fruit Growers Association. He was a member of the Clyde Baptist Church.  
Survivors are his wife; three sons, Joe, Hub and Newt; and one daughter, Mrs. Ruby Nankervis, all of Santa Ana, Calif. There are also five grandchildren.

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The so-called loyalty pledge does not apply to the election on November 2. It is a GENERAL ELECTION all over the United States. It is NOT a state primary.  
This has been so held by our courts and by the Texas Attorney General's Department for years past.  
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**T&P PLANS PARTY AT RECREATION CENTER**

First anniversary celebration of the opening of the Texas & Pacific railroad's recreation center, in the second floor of the T&P railway station will be held Thursday evening, Oct. 28.  
L. C. Porter, vice president in charge of operations, together with many other officials, will be present. An invitation has been extended to employees and friends throughout this area. President W. G. Vollmer cannot be present.  
At a cost of around \$25,000 the second floor was transformed into recreation rooms, including places for billiards and pool, reading and lounging quarters, shower baths and the trainmaster's office. They are well patronized by rail employees.

**ATTEND 4-H CLUB DAY AT STATE FAIR**

Sixty Callahan County 4-H club girls and boys and the leaders attended 4-H Club Day at the State Fair in Dallas Saturday. All club girls and boys who had turned in their records were eligible to go. County agents, Miss Evelyn Wieland and O. F. Werst accompanied the group.  
Miss Baylor Durham of Houston and Mrs. Durham of Hico visited in the home of J. J. Durham last week.  
Mrs. Shine Phillips of Big Spring and Mrs. Earl Ezell of Abilene spent a few hours with Mrs. Maria Leache Thursday of last week.  
M/Sgt. and Mrs. Morris Cooke and children, Mary Louise and Rodger, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cooke the past weekend.

**CALLAHAN H. D. COUNCIL MEETING OCTOBER 11**

Callahan County Home Demonstration Council met at the Callahan county courthouse October 11 at 2 p. m., with twenty-one members present and seven clubs represented.  
Mrs. Wesley Patton gave the following report from the nominating committee for new council officers: chairman, Mrs. P. H. Patton of Enterprise Club; vice-chairman, Mrs. L. G. Kerby of Belle Plain Club; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Betcher of Dudley Club; treasurer, Mrs. H. G. Broadfoot of Clyde Club.  
It was announced that the Christmas party will be December 13, and the chairman appointed Mrs. A. G. Black on the food committee, Mrs. Wesley Patton on program committee, and Mrs. L. G. Kerby on decoration committee.  
Yearly reports were given by all members of the council. Enterprise, Eula, and Belle Plain clubs have been 100 percent in attendance at council meetings.  
Mrs. Fred Farmer gave a report on the bread show held recently.  
It was voted for the clubs to have a Food Sale in Baird on October 23rd.

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FOR RENT - 2-room furnished garage apartment, \$6.50 a week. W. C. Maxcey, 4 blocks east of Holmes Drug. 2tp.

FOR SALE - New house strictly modern, H. J. Koczak, 644 W. 6th St. tfn.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank our friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during my illness in an Abilene hospital. I am especially grateful to those who brought flowers, cards, and the good eats.
MRS. OLIN JONES.

Tecumseh Topics
Tersely Told, Typographically Tended, and Tolerably True.
By Mrs. Dolph Hodges

Visitors in the J. M. Whitley home Wednesday were: an uncle he hadn't seen in thirty years, A. G. Jones, and Mrs. Jones of Gonzales, Calif., and Grandad Thompson of Cross Plains.

Van Harris was called to Tennessee Sunday to be at the bedside of his mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. Lillie Brook of Clyde visited in the home of Mrs. Olivena Loven the past week.

Word has been received that the body of Gale Edwards is enroute home from Europe and will be reburied in the Dudley Cemetery. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Edwards, who now live in California, and the brother of Mrs. Elbert Crawford.

Those present for a surprise birthday last Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hodges: Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Whitley and girls, Patsy and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Gann, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jute Whitley and children, Miss Grace Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wise.

Mrs. H. E. Wagley of Putnam was a Baird visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Jimmie Levert and children, Jimmie and Wilma, of New Orleans, La., spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Haley. Mr. Levert was here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Peek, Miss Hazel Reynolds, Miss Loeta Alexander of Baird, and Mr. Ledbetter of Abilene, attended the State Fair in Dallas Tuesday.

Sgt. Baxter Easterling, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Easterling of Clyde, returned home Friday for a fifty-one day furlough. He has been stationed in Korea for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crutchfield, Jr., and daughter, Belinda, attended the State Fair in Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Collins, Sr., of Clyde are visiting their son, S/Sgt. T. J. and Mrs. Collins. They also visited in Dallas with a daughter, Vada Collins, and attended the State Fair.

Mrs. W. B. Barton of Clyde was a Baird visitor Saturday.

MOSLAH TRIBE VISITS HERE

The colorful Moslah Shrine Drum and Bugle Corps of Fort Worth visited Baird Wednesday about noon with intention of giving an exhibition of the performance which has established them as state champions, but upon learning of the death of Judge B. L. Russell, Sr., a Shriner and 32nd degree Mason, the performance was withheld. The Drum and Bugle Corps is part of the group from Moslah Temple which is touring eight Western Texas towns to announce details of the big fall ceremonial of Moslah Temple on November 16 in Fort Worth, and the annual Moslah Shrine Circus to be given November 19-28 at Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Huckaby of Abilene were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hansen of Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ground of San Angelo visited Mrs. Myrtle Berry the past weekend. Mr. Ground is employed by the city of San Angelo.

Miss Josephine Hamlett spent Monday with Dr. and Mrs. Earl G. Hamlett and family in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Settle and children, Coma Sue and Lewis of Henrietta, were visitors here during the weekend.

Miss Jackie Gilliland, student at McMurry College, Abilene, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Melba Tyson of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tyson the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Patterson of Clyde visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Patterson in Sweetwater recently.

Mrs. Olin Jones is recovering nicely at her home after several days illness in an Abilene hospital.

Mrs. W. C. Maxcey returned Monday from Fort Worth, where she met her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Walls of Berkeley, Calif., and her son, Sgt. E. T. Cornwell of Elgin Field, Fla.

Mrs. S. J. Tarrant of Clyde spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Terry, Mr. Terry and little son. Both Mr. and Mrs. Terry have been ill, but are up and about now.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross, in company with Mr. and Mrs. George L. Minter, Jr., of Abilene, spent the weekend at Fort Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers of Waco visited her mother, Mrs. Edna Yonge over the past weekend.

Attending the Abilene Christian College-Western Colorado football game in Abilene Saturday evening as guests of ACC were Dale Brown, Winifred Burks, Jack Hunter, Jimmy Mobley and Bill Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray visited Mr. Gray's sister, Mrs. Ida Merrill at Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forsan at Portales, N. M., Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lee and Bill Tremble of Springfield, Ill., recently visited Mrs. J. C. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray.

Tom Barton left Monday for Houston and Baytown to attend an Humble meeting for all bulk agents.

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I still need 5,000 white or green quart bottles, also white 4-5 whiskey or wine bottles, brown beer bottles, and scrap iron. I will appreciate the above very much. Madison Montgomery. 12-48.

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'Angels Alley'
LEO GORCEY
GENEVA GRAY
BOWERY BOYS
Comedy

Sunday Monday
'That's My Man'
DON AMECHE
CATHERINE McLEOD
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FOR SALE - My home, first door south of Baptist church, \$3,600 cash. Write or phone Mrs. W. A. Kile, 101 1/2 Main St., Big Spring, Texas. Phone 1032 week days til 10 p. m. tfn.

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FOR SALE - One kerosene range, one kitchen cabinet. See these at W. F. Jones, Rowden, Texas. Also one 44 Ford tractor, planter and cultivator. See this at G. E. O'Dell's, Rowden, Texas. 2tp.

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