

Kate's Korner

By Katie Bureson

I would like to express my thanks to the many people who helped in making the Open House at Shady Oaks Sunday a most successful event. The support and cooperation was an endless thing as we worked together during the three weeks before the August 4 date. Everyone shared their opinions and these opinions were placed together in making a very smooth organization before, and during the celebration.

The many people who worked at the club, months before the final day, can never be counted. To try and count them would be useless, however, the work that was done has not gone unnoticed by those of us that have not had as much time as we would have liked to have had in helping during the clean-up preparations. There are many people such as these, who were standing near when you were in need of a helping hand, to assist you until the work is done.

The people who helped during the preparations for the Open House, not only gave of their time, but donated supplies to be used for the event, so Shady Oaks would not be responsible for any added expense. It was indeed a pleasure for me to work with them. In their never-failing support toward the goal they sought to reach.

If you do not play golf, miniature golf, or swim, but need to catch up on visiting your neighbor, Shady Oaks is a good place to start while you are waiting on your young ones to try out everything to see if its in good working order. Believe me, you will have time to visit, because the young group are really enjoying these new facilities. If you don't think the \$7.50 is worth it, get about three to six kids and you'll find out quick its a bargain.

Mrs. Naomi Heysler has donated a very attractive Spanish wrought iron spot chair for the banquet room at Shady Oaks. The chair has an upholstered seat of tangerine with a wrought iron back. It, along with other Spanish style furniture make up the very attractive decor in the main room.

Flowers for the Open House were presented by Smith's Flower Shop of Clyde, Kelton's Flower Shop of Baird, Godfrey Funeral Home, Young & Young, Mr. and Mrs. James Paul Shanks, Peoples State Bank of Clyde, Chamber of Commerce, Ed Miller, and the Open House Planning Committee.

The game room at the club house contains a pool table, milk, soft drinks, and candy machines. Tables and chairs are placed throughout the club. The pro shop is stocked with all needed golfing equipment.

The public is invited to visit Shady Oaks and enjoy this comfortable country place and perhaps you will find it an added attraction to Callahan County.

Gospel Meeting Starts At Putnam Aug. 11

A gospel meeting will be held at Putnam Church of Christ, starting August 11 and continuing through August 15.

Evangelist James Fulbright of Abilene will be in charge of the services.

Services begin at 7:30 each evening. Sunday services are at 6 p. m.

Vestal To Attend Conference

Dick Vestal, Baird Vocational Agriculture teacher and FFA Advisor, will attend the August 13 - 16 annual meeting and in-service education workshop to be held in Austin.

A full slate of events make the agenda for the annual affair. Speaker of the House of Representatives Ben Barnes will be keynote speaker. Another event will be the awards breakfast in which tenure pins will be presented to the membership, and awards to Legislators, school superintendents, Texas news media, and individuals who have contributed to the progress of Agriculture Education.

Approximately 1425 Ag. teachers and friends are expected to attend the conference. The schedule of events was announced by Jack Lacy, Lampasas Vocational Agriculture teacher and President of the Vocational Teachers Association of Texas. Lacy, along with Dick Vestal, are natives of Callahan County, and each are doing an excellent job in their chosen careers, not only as teacher of agriculture, but for the betterment and support of the communities in which they live.

COUNTY RECORDS

The following marriage licenses were issued recently in the County Clerk's office:

Bobby Glen Fellers, Post and Stella Marie Canada, Baird.
Jarkie Monroe Conlee, Clyde and Delores Ann Barron, Clyde.

New Vehicles
The following new vehicles were registered recently:
Mrs. M. J. Rutland, Ford
Olson Leasing Corp., 5 Chevrolet Vans
O. K. Barker, Ford.

Postoffice Maintains Normal Hours

Baird Postmaster John T. Towler announces that the local postoffice will be open its normal hours as in the past.

It was thought at one time the postoffice would be closed on Saturday, but it will maintain the same schedule.

Texas Parks and Wildlife To Kill Fish In T & P Lake Aug. 12-14

Recently, the Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept. sent two men to Baird to check the T & P Lake, owned by the City of Baird, for rough fish. After two days of netting, their catch showed 78% by volume, and 90% by weight of shad, suckers, buffalo, etc. Very few bass, crappie or channel catfish were caught in the nets.

It has been known for some time that the T & P Lake was not a "good fishing hole," and the City has been desirous of improving it, so fishermen can have a place to fish, with at least a chance to catch edible fish.

So, on the recommendation of the Parks and Wildlife Dept., who will do the work if the City will furnish the rotenone, the lake will be treated on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 12, 13 and 14. The treatment will begin about 4 p. m. Monday. The Parks & Wildlife Dept. recommends a complete kill of all fish in the lake and then restocking.

The Department also sent a chemist last week to check the water and depth of the lake. He reported that for a complete fish kill in the lake, 1,400 pounds of rotenone will be needed.

Everyone who desires to come to the lake on Aug. 12, 13 or 14 will be welcome. The fish will



SHOWN HERE is Baird Mayor, Lynn Ault and stand in for Clyde Mayor, M. M. (Tut) Tabor, officially cutting the ribbon for Shady Oaks opening.

BAIRD JUNIOR RODEO ENDS THREE SUCCESSFUL NIGHTS

The Baird Junior Rodeo, co-sponsored by Baird FFA Chapter and the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, closed the gates on a very successful three night show. The show closed Saturday night, after 181 contestants participated in the events.

Linda Boeshart of Abilene, and Marshall Millican of Robert Lee were named best All-Round Cowgirl and Cowboy. Each received a \$75.00 trophy buckle.

Following is the final results of the rodeo:

Erone Riding — 1. Terry Johnson, Putnam; 2. Mike Smith, Zephyr; 3. Gordon Harris, Throckmorton.
Girls Barrel Race, 12 and under — 1. Cindy Whisenhunt, Merkel; 2. Paula Wright, Cross Plains; 3. Kelly Brewer, Abilene.

Girls Barrel Race, 13-15 — 1. Cheryl Gibson, Hamlin; 2. Molly Johnson, Abilene; 3. Lynn Farmer, Kingman, Ariz. tied with Paula Bradshaw, Abilene.

Girls Pole Bending, 12 and under — 1. Cindy Whisenhunt, Merkel; 2. Paula Wright, Cross Plains; 3. Melba Collett, Abilene.
Girls Pole Bending, 13 - 15 — 1. Terry Edington, Cross Plains; 2. Annie Beasley, Abilene; 3. tie between Sue Weddle, Robert Lee and Gail Boone, Merkel.

Girls Pole Bending, 16 - 19 — 1. Linda Boeshart, Abilene; 2. Kathryn Criswell, Merkel; 3. Lianne Boeshart, Abilene.
Bull Riding, 13 - 15 — 1. Glenn Pointer, Abilene; 2. Jo Kretchmire, Throckmorton; 3. Endgate Hawk, Clyde.

Pool Hours Listed For Shady Oaks

The Shady Oaks Swimming Pool will be open to the public each day, from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. and Sunday hours are from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. A charge of 50c per person has been announced by officials for non-members.

Two life guards will alternate during the announced swimming hours. They are Jerry Barron of Baird, and Earl Bonine of Clyde.

A contract has been let for the construction of a kiddie pool. John K. Casey of Abilene will be the contractor, and the pool will be built as soon as possible.

Breakaway Roping — 1. Delwin Gregory, Sayer, Okla.; 2. Leslie Chapman, Anson; 3. Doug Horner, Clyde.
Steer Riding, 12 and under — 1. Dwayne Blair, Sterling City; 2. Bryan Halfman, San Angelo; 3. Troy Millican, Robert Lee.

Boys Barrel Race, 12 and under — 1. Randy Edwards, San Angelo; 2. Brad Goldsmith, Clyde; 3. Bart Whisenhunt, Merkel.

Boys Barrel Race, 13 - 15 — 1. Doug Horner, Clyde; 2. Wayne Ray, Abilene; 3. Endgate Hawk, Clyde.

Boys Flag Race, 12 and under — 1. Randy Edwards, San Angelo; 2. Randy Edwards, San Angelo; 3. George McWhorter, Clyde.

Boys Flag Race, 13 - 15 — 1. Steve Goldsmith, Clyde; 2. three-way tie between Endgate Hawk, Clyde, Wayne Ray, Abilene and Doug Horner, Clyde.

Ribbon Roping — 1. Kerry Bruton, San Angelo; 2. Karl Lawrence, Albany; 3. Marshall Millican, Robert Lee.

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Tiedown Roping — 1. Ronnie Tutt, Abilene; 2. Marshall Millican, Robert Lee; 3. B. J. Gully Jr., Rowena.

Girl Flag Race, 12 and under — 1. Suzie Koenig, Cross Plains; 2. Kelly Brewer, Abilene; 3. Jeanie Ray, Abilene.

Girls Flag Race, 13 - 15 — 1. tie between Karen Gamble, Trent and Lynn Farmer, Kingman, Ariz.; 3. tie between Molly Johnson, Abilene and Suzanne Harbin, Eastland.

Girls Flag Race, 16 - 19 — 1. Patty Horner, Clyde; 2. tie between Jeannie Whitley, Brownwood and Linda Boeshart, Abilene.

Bull Riding — 1. Marshall Millican, Robert Lee; 2. Russel Steck, Merkel.

Shady Oaks Welcomed Over 350 Guests Sunday



TOP PHOTO: Representative Burke Musgrove from Breckenridge made the Open House dedication speech, Sunday at Shady Oaks. Viva Peek presides at the organ, furnished by S&M Music Co. of Abilene. Mrs. Paul Shanks of Clyde is seated in front of the Coca-Cola dispenser. Others are unidentified guests who attended the celebration.

MIDDLE PHOTO: The Board of Directors of Shady Oaks line up after being introduced by Master of Ceremonies James Paul Shanks in the banquet hall of the club house. Left to right are; Director Rev. Albert Cooper; President Jimmy Godfrey; Vice President Charles Reeves; Sec.-Treas. Charles Walker; Directors Vernon Townsend, Ed Cotton and E. A. Connel, Jr. LOWER PHOTO: A group of the prettier members of Shady Oaks maintained their post at the club swimming pool as guests toured the grounds, Sunday, August 4. These girls are from the Baird-Clyde area.

The praise, from member to member, joined the praise from community supporters and special guests were extended Sunday, August 4th, as they joined together to celebrate the opening of the \$150,000.00 Shady Oaks Recreation Assn., Inc., halfway between Baird and Clyde.

The guest book registered 350 people during the three-hour open house, in which people attended from as far away as San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Midland, Littlefield, Temple, Knox City, Breckenridge, Fort Worth, Stanton, Robert Lee, Albany, Alpine, Kilgore, Comanche and from Abilene, Clyde and Baird.

The celebration began with the ribbon cutting at the front entrance of the club house by Mayor Lynn Ault of Baird and M. M. (Tut) Tabor, Clyde City Councilman. A dedication program followed with Callahan County Attorney James Paul Shanks as Master of Ceremonies.

Special guest and dedication speaker, State Representative Burke Musgrove of Breckenridge, had this to say after praising both Baird and Clyde for their combined efforts and partnership in providing this elaborate \$150,000 facility between the two participating cities.

"The answer to providing opportunities and facilities like this in a rural area is in joint efforts and cooperation among our smaller communities. Shady Oaks is an example of what can be done when communities ignore long standing rivalries for the good of both communities for this generation and the ones to come."

The Representative went on to praise the Chamber of Commerce, who conceived the idea in 1965, set their goals and through dedication, enthusiasm and continuous work, saw their plans fulfilled. These people can proudly pause today to enjoy the fine facility, along with many yet to come.

Musgrove pointed out that Shady Oaks was a non-profit organization with a membership of 262, and encouraged continued support for these worthwhile recreational facilities.

Other guests attending were Cave W. Wann, state engineer with Farmers Home Administration of Temple, and Elmer Foster, district supervisor from the Coleman FHA office.

Flowers from various members beautifully decorated the entire club house. A centerpiece of bronze-yellow mums centered the serving table, which was placed in the banquet room among the attractive furnishings gold, orange and brown. Guests and members toured the 3,600 square foot club house, swimming pool, miniature golf course, and 9-hole golf course during a very hot afternoon, somewhat different than the ground-breaking ceremony held some seven months ago on a shivering cold January day.

Baird Man Robbed Of \$12.00 to \$14.00

Dave Baugh of Baird, was robbed on the 800 block of Mesquite Street in Abilene Sunday.

The robbery took place after a man and woman drove up and asked Mr. Baugh for a dollar. The man got out of the car, grabbed Baugh from behind, to \$12 to \$14 from his billfold and dropped it on the ground.

Abilene Police Department is investigating the robbery, which occurred about 11:30 a. m. Sunday.

Two Bairdites Injured In Auto Mishap Near Odessa

Mrs. C. B. Holmes has been transferred from the Medical Center Hospital in Odessa to the West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Mrs. Holmes, her son, C. J., and her sister, Katie Lee Oliver, were injured Wednesday when the 1962 model auto went out of control on IH 20 and plunged 25 feet down an embankment onto U. S. 385 at the south edge of Odessa.

The wreck occurred just before 11 a. m. Wednesday as the east-bound car, driven by Mrs. Holmes, went out of control while passing a tractor-trailer. The vehicle slammed into a guard rail on the median, struck a bridge abutment and overturned one time. It then plunged 25 feet down the west embankment and came to rest on its wheels, facing west.

Highway Patrolman Gerold Bradford said the vehicle was a total loss. The top of the car was crushed when the vehicle overturned, and the right front wheel spun off as the car went down the embankment, landing just in front of the car.

C. B. Holmes, riding the back seat, was pinned in the wreckage for a short time. He received cuts about the head and was released from the Odessa hospital Sunday. Katie Lee Oliver received cuts and bruises and neck injury, and was released Monday from the hospital, and went to her son's home in Toyahvale.

Mrs. Holmes is reported to be resting well and her condition is improving. She received cuts and bruises about the head. She and her son had just spent two weeks in Mimbres, New Mexico with her sister, Mrs. Oliver, and she was accompanying them to Baird for a visit.

Cheerleaders Place In First Tryouts At SMU

The Baird Cheerleaders, attending cheerleading school at SMU in Dallas, won 4th place Monday night at the first tryouts among a group of 100 girls. The Baird girls were presented a green ribbon for this honor.

Girls attending are Laura Smith, Sue Smith, Vickie Varner, Marian Odom and Barbara McPherson.

UNION USUALS AND UNUSUALS

Hi neighbor. Dry is the weather out this way. Went down to Johnny May and Burette's this morning to pick a mess of blackeye peas. They had several okra stalks and they looked like they were really ready for a rain, and so did the pea vines. Poor old cucumber vines looked like they had "give up the ghost." The beans need rain too.

We are glad to say Ollie Burnam and Johnny May Ramsey are both home from the hospital. They both entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Sunday afternoon for tests and a general check-up. They came home Thursday afternoon. Think they got pretty good reports. Of course, they will have to slow down some, maybe not eat just what they like and want like some of the rest of us do, but we are glad nothing seriously wrong with them.

Mary and Jack Everett of Midland are visiting with Ollie Burnam this week.

Fay and Emmett Wood of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wood and son Dan, of Big Spring, visited a while with me Thursday afternoon. Mack, Emmett and Dan fished a while but never caught anything except some chigger bites. They visited a while with the Burette Ramseys, also.

John McIntyre attended a cotton meeting in Stamford Thursday afternoon.

Matt Jackson and David Petteferly of Midland spent this week out here with their uncle and aunt, Weldon and Louise Isenhower. They had the time of their lives.

Mrs. Nell Prindle of Cisco visited with me last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Prindle is Lula Isenhower's nurse. We are glad to say Lula is still gradually improving.

Visiting with the Burette Ramseys Friday evening were Reba and Walter Francisco of Putnam and Mr. Leonard Alvey of out here.

Visiting the Ramseys Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Clovia McCollum and Maurine of over Pueblo way.

Roma McIntyre and I attended funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Martin Hopkins in Moran Monday afternoon. Maggie passed away Sunday morning in her home. She was preparing to go to church when death overtook her. That makes us know that we must be ready to go at

any hour or time for we know not when God shall call us from this earth.

Burette Ramsey and I attended church in Moran Sunday night.

Roma McIntyre and I went to see D. A. Yarbrough a while Wednesday. We also visited with Mabel Carrico a while. She is doing pretty well. We visited in Clyde with Mrs. Clint McIntyre. Found her out working in her yard. Went on to Abilene to shop and look a little, then visited in the Randall McNeice home and found no one home except Jim. We took him some peaches and visited with him a while. Jim will go to Houston this weekend to visit his brother, Buster for a few days.

Guess I better get busy so be good and I hope to see you next week.

Schedule For Band Listed

Lee Bulls, new director of the Baird Bear Band, announces the following schedule for summer rehearsals.

Monday, Aug. 19 - 7 p. m.
Tuesday, Aug. 20 - 7 p. m.
Thursday, Aug. 22 - 7 p. m.
Friday, Aug. 23 - 7 p. m.

The summer rehearsals are important for a good head start in preparing for the first football game, which will be September 13.

Mr. Bulls will be in his office August 15 and 16 between the hours of 9 and 12 and 2 to 4 to get acquainted and to answer any questions.

This year the Baird Bear Band will take on a new sound. Along with the more traditional repertoire, there will be songs of a popular nature. You will also hear some special arrangements taken from the repertoire of Herb Alpert's Tia Juana Brass, a sound which has swept the country.

As a special feature, at some of the football games, you will see the twirlers in special feature solos. Twirlers for the coming season will be Charlene Black, drum majorette, Paula Godfrey, Kay Barron and Cathy Barton.

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MRS. STELLA MARIE FELLER

Marie Canada - Bobby Fellers Wed In Methodist Church

Stella Marie Canada and Bobby Glenn Feller were married Saturday in the Clyde Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selan L. Canada of Baird, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Margaret Fellers of Clyde.

The Rev. Wayland Dowden officiated. Organist was Mrs. Harold Holden and soloist Mrs. Larry Edwards.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a satin gown, overlaid with organza. Her lace bodice and sleeves were trimmed with seed pearls and sequins, and a pearl and crystal crown held her veil. She carried an orchid with canations and English lily.

Mrs. David Canada, Baird, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Beverly Webb of Marfa and Linda Faircloth of El Paso. Flower girl was Sherie Lewis of Fort Worth, and ringbearer was Dwight Canada, brother of the bride.

Attendants wore pale yellow empire dresses trimmed with white lace. Yellow roses held their veils and they carried long stemmed yellow roses.

A. C. Yandell was best man. Groomsmen were the brides brothers, Stanley Joe Canada of Baird and Dwayne Canada of Abilene.

Ushers were Selan Canada Jr. of Baird, Gary Yandell of Fort Worth. Candelighters were Janice Canada, sister of the bride, of Baird, and Don Yandell of Fort Worth.

Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live at Post.

The couple are both graduates of Clyde High School. Fellers is employed with Weather

Holiday Nursing Home Visitors

The Assembly of God Church held a service Sunday, August 4th, which was enjoyed by all. The residents of Golden Holiday Nursing Home would like to express their appreciation to all the churches for their kindness and thoughtfulness.

Dick and Fern Davis visited Mrs. R. C. Davis Friday. Mrs. M. O. Moring, Tait and Zachary of Austin visited Mrs. Berry and Mrs. Hill Saturday. Other Saturday visitors were E. J. Hill and family of Huntsville, Ala., and H. V. Conlee of Odesa.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jobe of Big Spring visited Mrs. Laura Jobe Sunday. Visiting R. O. Williams Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kerby, Troy and Gayla of Big Spring.

Sunday guests of Myrtle Berry were Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson of Fort Worth, and Cade and Lynn Berry of Clute.

Visiting the Tyners Sunday and Monday were Mrs. M. H. McCumbie of Dallas, Mrs. Margaret Quinn and Mrs. M. N. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nichols of Putnam and Mrs. Buster Hatchett visited Miss Myrtle Gunn Monday afternoon.

Doctor's Refrigerated Air Conditioning in Post.

At the reception immediately following in Fellowship Hall, the table was laid with a white linen cloth, with flowers and other decorations in yellow.

Serving the white and yellow wedding cake was Dee Batley of Clyde, Diana Canada of Abilene served punch, and Elaine Faircloth of El Paso registered guests. Other members of the houseparty were Janice and Carol Yandell, cousins of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Margaret Fellers, mother of the bridegroom, hosted the rehearsal dinner in the yard of her home in Clyde.

Land Bank Adopts Slogan

Mr. Leslie Bryant, Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Coleman, announced this week that the Federal Land Bank System has adopted as a permanent slogan, Serving America's Farmers: Providers of Plenty. The local association, is a part of a national network of twelve regional banks and 695 local associations. The Land Bank System, which last year celebrated its 50th anniversary, is moving ahead into the second half-century of operations with renewed dedication of purpose to meet the essential long term financial needs of the nation's farmers and ranchers.

"Our System has coped with a variety of great demands made on it the past fifty years, all the while maintaining a dependable loan service to farmers and ranchers. As agriculture continues to increase its productive capacity through technology, it will be our purpose to continue to serve the changing credit needs of farmers and ranchers," Mr. Bryant stated.

The Land Banks and associations comprise a system which is operated entirely on private funds and is owned by its 394,000 member-borrowers whose elected directors formulate its policies. The Board of Directors of the local association are Johnnie I. Henderson, President; R. O. Nichols, Vice-President; Ralph M. Edens, W. R. Hickman, Jr., and Hadden Payne.

Haynie Gilliland Makes Dean's List

Haynie J. Gilliland has been presented a certificate for scholastic achievement, qualifying for the Dean's List at Texas Tech College in Lubbock. These certificates are awarded only to those students who have attained a grade point ratio of 3.0 or better during the past semester.

Jud is the son of Mrs. Margaret Gilliland of Baird. He is married and the couple has one daughter. They live in Houston.

AREA SERVICEMEN

JAMES H. CULWELL ON BOARD USS PRINCETON

Chief Ships Serviceman James H. Culwell, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Culwell of Putnam, and husband of the former Miss Elaine Borns of Magna, Utah, is serving aboard the amphibious assault carrier USS Princeton (LHP-5) off the coast of South Vietnam.

As a crewmember of the ship, he is helping to provide medical aid to wounded Marines. In addition he plays an important role in keeping the Princeton an effective operating unit of the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

The assault carrier is providing amphibious support to the Third Marine Amphibious Force stationed in South Vietnam and is one of 190 ships that make up the world's largest naval fighting force-the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

TOMMY R. LOYD SERVING WITH U. S. MARINES

Marine Private First Class Tommy R. Loyd, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Loyd of Clyde, is serving with the Third Battalion of the First Marine Division in South Vietnam.

As a member of the First Marine Division, he recently participated in Operation Mameluke Thrust. The operation was conducted against the enemy in Happy Valley area, 16 miles southwest of Danang.

Operation Mameluke Thrust was conducted by the First Marines to find enemy forces and destroy their capability to strike against the Danang area.

FRED WAGNER SERVING IN SOUTH VIETNAM

Marine Lance Corporal Fred Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wagner, and husband of the former Miss Lola Kaufman, all of Clyde, is serving with Force Logistic Support Group Alpha, a unit of the Marine Force Logistic Command, based at Phu Bai, South Vietnam.

More Books Placed On Memorial Shelf

Callahan County Library has received four new books for the Memorial Shelf.

Honoring the late Judge Roy Gilbreath is the title, "Three Men In Texas - Bedichek, Webb and Dobie," edited by R. Dugger. In memory of Mrs. Mary Ramsey of Putnam is an unusual book, "Just As I Am," based on the famous hymn of the same name, by Eugenia Price.

Honoring the memory of Alzie Price of Rowden, are two books, "The Old Stone Ranch," by J. W. Cloud, an Albany resident; and "The Mier Expedition," as narrated by one of the survivors, Thos. W. Bell, by James Day.

For the Texas Shelves "Conquest of the Prairies," by Harry A. Stroud, a Texas and Oklahoma newspaper writer.

Young readers who hope to receive the Award from Texas Readers Club are urged to finish the required number of books to be read. This must be done by August 31.

Sue Howard Honored With Brunch

Sue Howard, bride-elect of Richie Crow, was honored at a brunch Saturday morning at the Ray Black Home. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Black were Mrs. James Herring, Mrs. Bill Henry, Mrs. Stanley Harris and Mrs. Kenneth McPherson.

Receiving guests with Miss Howard and Mrs. Black were the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. L. B. Howard and her fiancée's mother, Mrs. Irma Crow. Mrs. Eric Lovell of Abilene, sister of the honoree, presided at the registry.

Mrs. Dee Young and Mrs. Opal Crow, grandmothers of the prospective bridegroom, served guests.

Others in the houseparty were Ada Black, Charlene Black and Barbara McPherson.

The wedding will be held August 31 at the First Baptist Church in Baird.

Use Classified-Ads

Savings Bond Sales Total \$2,424.00

According to a report received today from Howard E. Farmer, Chairman of the Callahan County Savings Bonds Committee, sales for the first six months of 1968 in Callahan County were \$89,423.00. June sales for the county totaled \$2,424.00, and 64 per cent of the sales goal has been achieved.

Texas sales of E and H Bonds year to date reached an all time high of \$90,967,734 -- an increase of 8 per cent over June 1967. June sales in the state totaled \$12,741,809.

Nation-wide, the cash value of Series E and H Savings Bonds outstanding set an all time record of \$51,572 million -- a gain of \$342 million in the first six months. The Treasury report that June sales of E and H Bonds and Freedom Shares were \$381 million.

Hospital Notes

The following were listed as receiving medical care in Callahan County Hospital Tuesday:

Frank Payne, Baird
Mrs. J. W. Cross, Baird
Mrs. Patti McBride, Baird
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E. E. (Knox) Robbins, Clyde
Mrs. Louie Williams, Putnam
Mrs. Frank Cunningham, Baird

Mrs. Felix Mitchell, Baird
Mrs. Harvey Jones, Clyde
Ernest Higgins, Baird
Gene Hughes, Baird
Walter Bryant, Baird
Rev. Walter Deavers, Clyde
Mrs. Walter Deavers, Clyde

The following was dismissed from hospital care recently:
Mrs. Lily Morton, Clyde
Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle, Atwell
George Gillitt, Baird
Mrs. Willie Rameriz, Baird
Alex Barton, Clyde
Mrs. Edna Evans, Abilene
J. H. Thames, Clyde
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Atwell News

By Mrs. Roy Tatom

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchins of Lameas spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and children of Odessa are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Draper of Clovis, N. M., visited them over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom attended the parade and Junior Rodeo at Baird Thursday night. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Wednesday and Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ludlow and children of DeSoto, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children, Mrs. D. A. Abernathy, Lee and Ruby of Baird.

Word was received here Friday that Tee Stephens died last Thursday in Albuquerque, N. M., and was buried in El Paso Monday. He was an uncle of the Black's who live here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Mercer of Carlton and Mrs. Mercer's sister and husband of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Clint Brashear of Cisco visited Mrs. Dayton Sessions last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter and boys of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carter for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duke of Crane are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Black for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster and Gloria of Wilson spent last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster.

Barbara and Loy Don Black visited in Fort Worth the first of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Al Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reich and children of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sessions and children of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Sessions Sunday.

Lynn Tatom of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatom from Wednesday until Friday.

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Public Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To: W. S. Browning, and Unknown Heirs, Defendants,
 Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock, A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 9th day of September, 1968, at or before ten o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Callahan County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Baird, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1968, in this cause, numbered 11,979 on the docket of said court, and styled Hugh W. Ross, Jr., Plaintiff, vs. W. S. Browning, and Unknown Heirs, Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:
 Hugh W. Ross, Jr., is Plaintiff and W. S. Browning, and Unknown Heirs are Defendants.

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

No. 11,979
 Hugh W. Ross, Jr. vs. W. S. Browning.

In the 42nd District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVER TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW Hugh W. Ross, Jr., hereinafter called Plaintiff, complaining of W. S. Browning, if alive, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of W. S. Browning, deceased, all of whom are hereinafter called Defendants, and for cause of action, would respectfully show as follows:

I. That Plaintiff is a resident of Callahan County, Texas.

W. S. Browning, if alive, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of W. S. Browning, deceased, are a person or persons, whose place of residence is unknown, and said Defendants have absented himself, or themselves, for more than five years successively next preceding the filing of this action, and it is therefore requested by the Court that a posted notice be issued, and a citation by publication be issued for said Defendants.

II. Plaintiff would show that he is the owner of all the surface, and an undivided three-fourths (3/4) interest in and to all of the oil, gas and other minerals in, on and under the following described tract of land, to wit:

Being the South 80 acres of that certain 130 acre tract of land out of the West Side of the South west one-fourth (SW 4) of Survey No. 86, B.B.B. & C. Ry. Co. Lands, Abstract No. 385, Callahan County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the SW corner of said Survey 86;

THENCE East 775.4 vrs. with SBL of said Survey;

THENCE North 950 vrs. to North line of Southwest one-fourth (SW 4) of said Survey;

THENCE West 775.4 vrs. to WBL of said Survey;

THENCE South 950 vrs. to place of BEGINNING, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Plaintiff would show that he has heretofore executed an oil and gas lease to Hatchett, Ltd., covering his three-fourths (3/4) undivided interest in and to the minerals, and Plaintiff would further show that Henry J. Bauer, Edward Bauer, and Mrs. Teresa Reynolds, heirs of Joe A. Bauer, own and undivided one-sixteenth (1/16) interest in and to all the oil, gas and other minerals in, on and under said property, and that the aforesaid W. S. Browning, if alive, and all the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of the said W. S. Browning, deceased, are persons whose place or residence are unknown to this Plaintiff, and who have absented themselves for at least five (5) years successively next preceding the filing of this action, and said parties and said Defendants

have, claim or own an undivided three-sixteenths (3/16) mineral interests in and to said land, and they have not paid taxes on said mineral interest, or rendered the same for taxes within the said five (5) year period, III.

Plaintiff would show further that he has made a diligent, but unsuccessful attempt to locate such Defendant, and that this Plaintiff will suffer substantial damage or injury unless a Receiver is appointed, and this Plaintiff does herewith request the 42nd District Court of Callahan County to appoint a Receiver of said undivided mineral interest owned by the said W. S. Browning, if alive, and all of the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of the said W. S. Browning, deceased.

IV. Plaintiff prays that after the appointment of the Receiver, the Receiver shall have power and authority to execute and deliver to a Lessee, a mineral lease on such outstanding mineral interest, upon such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Court, and the money, if any, paid to such Receiver, after the payment of the court costs, shall be, by him deposited in the Registry of the Court for the use and benefit of such Defendant, and that upon the execution of said lease, the Receiver be immediately discharged, and the delay rentals under such lease be paid directly into the Registry of the Court, and impounded for the use and benefit of such Defendant.

V. Plaintiff would show that without the appointment of a Receiver and the execution by him of a lease as set forth above, in accordance with Article 2320-B of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas (1925), as amended by the 59th Legislature Acts, 1965, page 1413, Chapter 626, Section 1, effective June 17, 1965, that this Plaintiff will be unable to get a well drilled, in search of oil, gas or other minerals, by the present Lessee, on said property, and Plaintiff will therefore be damaged to the extent that he will not be able to recover any oil, gas or other minerals under the premises, and that wells in the area might drain this plaintiff, and Plaintiff will therefore suffer substantial damage and injury, unless such Receiver is appointed.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff prays the Court to set this petition down for hearing, in the manner provided by law, and that this Court enter an Order, directing the manner in which citation and notice shall be given, and that such notice be by posting, and a citation by publication be run in a local newspaper for four times, and that upon such final hearing, after an appointment of an attorney ad litem to represent said parties, if they fail to appear, then a Receiver be appointed over the aforesaid outstanding mineral interest, and that the Receiver be allowed to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease upon said premises, but upon such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Court, that the moneys received therefor be applied first to the court costs, and the remainder be impounded in the Registry of the Court, and that after due action hereon, such Receiver be discharged, and for such other and further relief to which this Plaintiff may be entitled.

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

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this 25th day of July A. D. 1968. (SEAL)

Attest:
 Mrs. Beatrice Deal, Clerk,
 District Court, Callahan County, Texas.

By Cora Mae Payne, Deputy 31-4-c

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Patrick Dean Jr. Born On Dad's Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McKennon announce the birth of a son, Patrick Dean McKennon Jr., born August 1st, at 6:55 p. m., in Graham Hospital in Cisco. The young lad weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces, and made his arrival on his father's birthday.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billie Henry, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKennon. Ma-

ternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Larmer Henry of Baird, and paternal great-grandfather is R. E. McKennon of Roscoe.

Carley Carrioco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carrioco, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Serman to South Fork, Colorado to visit the Serman's son, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman are from Haskell. The vacationers left Saturday and will return this weekend.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)
 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding Section 1-J to read as follows: "Section 1-J. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 1 of this article, the Legislature may provide for the refund of the tax paid on the first sale of cigars and tobacco products in this state which are subsequently sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following: "FOR the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas." "AGAINST the constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the refund of the tax on cigars and tobacco products sold at retail within the corporate limits of Texas, or any incorporated city or town in Texas contiguous to Texas."

PUBLIC NOTICE
Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER FOURTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR22)
 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of Texas, Article III, be and the same is hereby amended by deleting therefrom Section 18, and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 18. No Senator or Representative shall, during the term for which he was elected, be eligible to (1) any civil office of profit under this State which shall have been created, or the emoluments of which may have been increased, during such term, or (2) any office or place, the appointment to which may be made, in whole or in part, by either branch of the Legislature; provided, however, the fact that the term of office of Senators and Representatives does not end precisely on the last day of December but extends a few days into January of the succeeding year shall be considered as de minimis, and the ineligibility herein created shall terminate on the last day of December of the last full calendar year of the term for which he was elected. No member of either House shall vote for any other member for any office whatever, which may be filled by a vote of the Legislature, except in such cases as are in this Constitution provided, nor shall any member of the Legislature be interested, either directly or indirectly, in any contract with the State, or any county thereof, authorized by any law passed during the term for which he was elected." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state, at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following: "FOR the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices." "AGAINST the constitutional amendment fixing the time during which members of the Legislature shall be ineligible to hold other offices." If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the votes cast therein are for such amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of Texas.

News Items From Putnam

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Williams Saturday guest of Mrs. F. P. of Crosbyton were visitors in Putnam Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Royce White and Mrs. Gwen Strickland was a

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell White and family of Phoenix, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Alton White and Marilyn of Eastland were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs. Lee White.

Mrs. Ralph Mitchell of Houston is spending a week with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet. Other visitors are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Schwarz and son of New Braunfels Mrs. Earline Clark of Boerne and Mrs. Henry Mundt of Abilene were Sunday guests.

Weldon and John Doyle Isenhower are spending a few days in Roswell, N. M. on business.

Pete Mendez of Jacksboro was visiting friends here Saturday.

R. C. Speegle celebrated his 74th birthday Tuesday, July 30 in the West Texas Convalescent Hospital in Abilene. He received many cards and visitors. A group of young people from the Hamby Baptist Church came and sang several songs, including Happy Birthday for him.

Mrs. Leta Graham and Mrs. John Fisher were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Culwell, who are patients in Dyess AFB Hospital, and reported they are doing fine. They also visited Mrs. Bill Lee, who is in a rest home in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Blakely in Abilene Sunday.

Debbie and Denise Finley, of Farmington, N. M., came Saturday and will spend two or three weeks with their grandparents.

Mrs. R. D. Williams of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Glady's Riggs of Cross Plains was a Thursday visitor with Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

James Taylor returned to his home in Laurel, Miss. Saturday after a two week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor.

Mrs. "Hap" Sprawls and W. S. Jobe Jr., of Fort Worth, spent

the weekend of July 28th in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Bentley of Cross Plains visited friends in Putnam, Friday.

Mrs. E. C. Waddell returned home Saturday from Dallas. She brought her two granddaughters, Renee and Barbara home with her. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Don Borsen of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Speegle and family left Friday for San Antonio, where he will be stationed for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rutherford of Port Arthur were Monday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford.

Mrs. J. R. Gunn was a Saturday visitor with her sister, Mrs. Lige Burnam and Mrs. Cleveland Allen in Cisco.

Vernon Donaway celebrated his birthday Sunday at his home. His sons, L. C. and family, and Dorris Lee and family visited him. His daughter, Mrs. George Ramsey and family talked to him from Germany.

Warren called him from Ruidosa, N. M., where they are vacationing.

Jake Hinds of Pass Christian, Miss., came last week to spend a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. E. E. Sunderman and Mr. Sunderman.

Mrs. John Smith spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams.

DIX FAMILY VISITS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dix and daughter, Cindy, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Dix in Coleman, and with her mother, Mrs. Bruce Brown here.

Dix is a lieutenant in the U. S. Navy and is stationed at the Naval Reconnaissance Technical Supply and Support Center in Suitland, Maryland. The family lives in Temple Hills, Maryland.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowery of Fort Worth are the parents of a daughter, born July 31.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Walls of Lubbock, and maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Melba Walls of Baird.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (HJR20)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 11a, Article VII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 11a. In addition to the bonds enumerated in Section 11 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, the Board of Regents of the University of Texas may invest the Permanent University Fund in securities, bonds or other obligations issued, insured, or guaranteed in any manner by the United States Government, or any of its agencies, and in such bonds, debentures, or obligations, and preferred and common stocks issued by corporations, associations, or other institutions as the Board of Regents of the University of Texas System may deem to be proper investments for said funds; provided, however, that not more than one per cent (1%) of said fund shall be invested in the securities of any one (1) corporation, nor shall more than five per cent (5%) of the voting stock of any one (1) corporation be owned; provided, further, that stocks eligible for purchase shall be restricted to stocks of companies incorporated within the United States which have paid dividends for five (5) consecutive years or longer immediately prior to the date of purchase and which, except for bank stocks and insurance stocks, are listed upon an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or its successors.

"In making each and all of such investments said Board of Regents shall exercise the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing which men of ordinary prudence, discretion, and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not

in regard to speculation but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income therefrom as well as the probable safety of their capital.

"The interest, dividends and other income accruing from the investments of the Permanent University Fund, except the portion thereof which is appropriated by the operation of Section 18 of Article VII for the payment of principal and interest on bonds or notes issued thereunder, shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purposes declared in Section 10 of Article VII of this Constitution.

"This amendment shall be self-enacting, and shall become effective upon its adoption, provided, however, that the Legislature shall provide by law for full disclosure of all details concerning the investments in corporate stocks and bonds and other investments authorized herein."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1968, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing for investment of the Permanent University Fund by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas in certain types of securities within the prudent man rule."

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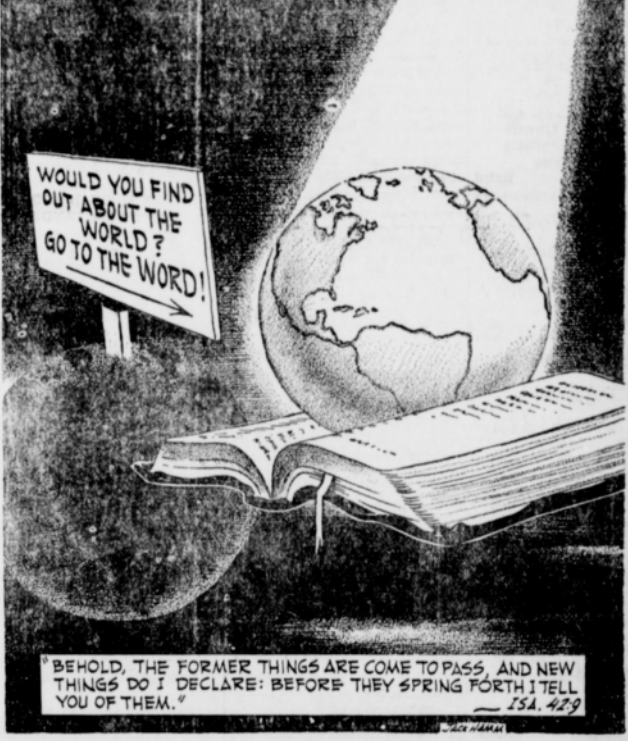
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Historical Markers Placed At Various Places In County

Callahan County Historical Survey Committee met Monday evening, July 29th, in the home of Mrs. S. L. McElroy. B. C. Chrisman, chairman, presided for the business meeting.

Mr. Chrisman read a list of the historical markers which have been placed in various parts of the county, on homes, trees and graves, which are of special significance in the history of Callahan County.

It was voted that, as soon as funds can be secured, markers will be placed on the Presbyterian Church in Baird (the oldest church building in town); on the Jim Prew home in Clyde (the home of pioneer settlers in Clyde); and on the old Varner home at Cottonwood (the former home of a pioneer school teacher, the late H. S. Varner).

Mr. Chrisman reported that the marker has been received to mark a location on the "Old Corn Road" on the John Berry ranch, north of Clyde. This road, extending from Austin to Fort Phantom Hill, was used before the Civil War for transporting, among other things, feed for the horses used for soldiers at the forts.

He also reported that the most recently erected marker, paid for by the State, is one at the site of Cottonwood Springs, in the town of Cottonwood.

The group voted to investigate plans for checking lists of persons in the old cemeteries of the County, Records at present are incomplete, especially for

the older parts of cemeteries.

Following the business meeting, refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, Joel Holmoe and Mrs. Dodson of Clyde; Mmes. W. P. Brightwell, Mike Young, C. B. Snyder, H. D. Driskill, Lee Ivey, and B. C. Chrisman and Mr. and Mrs. McElroy.

Bairdite Shot Accidentally

Mrs. Vivian Payne, who lives at 715 West 8th Street, is reported to be recovering satisfactorily from gunshot wounds received in an accident Monday.

The accident occurred while Mrs. Payne and her two children, Sharon and Wayne Pinson, were visiting in the Sabanno community, 10 miles north of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Payne was preparing to shoot a copperhead snake in the yard when her .22 caliber rifle accidentally discharged, striking her in the chest.

After the accident, Mrs. Payne and the children drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins nearby. Mrs. Dawkins accompanied her to the office of a Cross Plains physician, and she was transferred by ambulance to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Two Weeks In Calif. and Mexico

Mrs. Maunle Brumbaugh of Baird traveled by jet to San Diego, Calif., and spent two weeks visiting with her son and family, W. C. Brumbaugh, Jr. During her visit the family went to Ensenada, Mexico, for a three day stay at the Bahia Resort Hotel near the ocean.

Mrs. Brumbaugh's grandson, W. C. Brumbaugh III, is now stationed in Saigon, Vietnam with the 199th Inf. Div.

TECUMSEH TOPICS

By Lillian Crawford

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Crawford and family of Cross Plains were on vacation last week. They went to Lake Brownwood, then to Proctor Lake, where Hulon Crawford and family of Comanche joined them for an evening meal. Friday and Saturday, Dale and family visited his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crawford, latter taking us to the lake where Roger was showing us he was a ski boy.

Sunday afternoon, Hulon and family visited his parents, also Lynda Crawford, from Howard Payne College was home from Friday evening until Saturday evening.

Mrs. Kate Crawford had visitors in her home Sunday. They were Mrs. Kate Allen, Annie Mae Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sherrod and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris.

Mrs. Kate Crawford and Lillian Crawford attended church services at the Baptist Church in Cross Plains Sunday night.

Would like to bring some news of interest to each and everyone, but what could that be? Oh yes, I know if it would come some good old slow rains for several days, that would help. It has been three weeks since we've had rain and I mean that heat is really burning the crops and gardens.

Karen Bearden has returned home after a three weeks tour of Europe. She is the daughter of Mrs. Madge Bearden of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Joy and family are visiting in Baird with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Joy and other relatives.

ROWDEN ROUNDUP

MRS. N. V. GIBBS

Mrs. Bill Lawrence was in Abilene Saturday where she visited Mrs. Glen Lawrence while Glen is in El Paso on National Guard duty.

Mrs. N. V. Gibbs accompanied Mrs. Granvel Gibbs and Carl Odessa to Love Field in Dallas Tuesday, where Carl departed for a vacation in Washington, D. C. with his uncle.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price during the week were: Mrs. C. W. Price and Mrs. Louise Price of Baird, Mrs. Jimmy West and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Price and Mrs. Frances Gilliland of Cottonwood and Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Outlaw of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sanders of Abilene visited Mrs. Lella Gibbs Wednesday.

August came rushing in, with five days already gone. This means that vacation time will soon be over and school will start once more. Your reporter has been watching two scarecrows in a garden on the Cross Plains-Cisco highway while taking Judy back and forth to college. Back in my younger days, when they were needed, one usually scared the birds away. Maybe this gardener needs to scare people way too.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price visited Gene Mauldin in Hendrick Memorial Hospital Saturday. Day is doing fine following surgery last week, and will be home some time this week.

Mrs. Mollie Taylor of Abilene is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elic Bainbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buckelew of Bronte, brother of Mrs. Bill Lawrence, visited in the Lawrence home Sunday. Mrs. Lillie Lawrence is also visiting in the home a few days.

Mrs. Ben Russell of Menard and two of her granddaughters, Robin and Erin Harold, of New York City, visited her mother and brother, Mrs. Mattie Gibbs and Raymond. Mrs. Gibbs is feeling much better.

League Officials Elect 1969 Officers

Texas Freshman League officials will meet at the ball park Monday, at 8 p. m., to elect officers for the 1969 baseball season. Everyone is invited to attend, especially if you are parents of boys who will play their first year next spring.

President Bob McNeil expresses his thanks to all who helped in any way during the season, and to the fans for their support.

Brooker's Yard Of The Month

Baird Garden Club's Yard of the Month Plaque has been placed in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brooker at 1133 Ross Dr., for the month of August.

This yard features both flowers and shrubs, shade trees and well kept lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis of Odessa spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Melba Walls, after returning from a three-weeks vacation in Scotland visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis.

Classified Ads Pay

Many from here attended the Junior Rodeo in Baird last weekend. The James Reynolds family, along with the Tommy Harris family and Terrell Harris, Judy Gibbs and her guests, Jane Miller of Stephenville and Evon and Rose Ann Boscarino of Houston.

Those from here visiting in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains Monday were: Mrs. Lella Gibbs, Mrs. N. V. Gibbs, also Mr. and Mrs. Granvel Gibbs and boys of Odessa, Mrs. Elveda Sikes of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sikes and son of Balmorhea.

Visitors in the Jimmy West home were Red West and Mark Baum of Baird.

Mrs. James Reynolds reports that a baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat McKennon of Baird last Thursday. Mrs. McKennon is a sister of Mrs. Reynolds.

Those visiting in the James Reynolds home Sunday were Vivian Franke of Cross Plains and Nicky Harris.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boen during the week were Miss Christine Bower and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sanders of Abilene, Mrs. Effie Holloway, Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Roy Thornton.

Oplin Observations

By Daphne Floyd

On behalf of the Oplin community, I want to say congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson, who adopted a cutest three-month-old baby boy last week. The baby has been named Larry Chris, Really. Larry Chris is the one to be congratulated for having such a wonderful couple to choose him to be their son.

Mrs. Tommie Johnson and Mrs. Ray Floyd attended the funeral last Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. James Cumby, age 87, of Lawn. The two ladies knew Granny Cumby when they were just little girls in the Rogers community.

Cotton Barrett of Lawn had dinner Sunday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd. Personally speaking, I will sure do a lot of "apple polishing" for a favorite brother just to get him to help husband with a little cow work in my place.

There are just a lot of ways to beat the heat and all of this work everyone has on hand these days. For example, it was nice for the Ray Floyds that Mr. and Mrs. Norman Haske accepted their invitation last Saturday to come down and eat lunch with them, picnic style, out in their yard. It didn't matter if the meal only consisted of red beans, fried ham, corn on the cob, tomatoes, cantaloupe and plenty of iced tea. It was especially nice for the Floyds then to accept an invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham Jr., to come down in the late afternoon and help eat a freezer of good ole home made ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Straley of Austin made a pop visit with his sister, Freida Straley last Saturday afternoon.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (SJR4)

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Section 48a of Article III thereof, so as to provide for contributions on the basis of the full salary of members of the Teacher Retirement System; providing for the submission of the proposed amendment to a vote of the people at an election and for proclamation and publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 48a of Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 48a. In addition to the powers given the Legislature under Section 48, Article III, it shall have the right to levy taxes to establish a fund to provide retirement, disability and death benefits for persons employed in the public schools, colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the state; provided that the amount contributed by the state to such fund each year shall be equal to the aggregate amount required by law to be paid into the fund by such employees, and shall not exceed at any time six percentum (6%) of the compensation paid each such person by the state and/or school districts; and provided that no person shall be eligible for retirement who has not rendered ten (10) years of creditable service in such employment, and in no case shall any person retire before either attaining the age fifty-five (55) or completing thirty (30) years of creditable service; but shall be entitled to refund of moneys paid into the fund.

"Moneys coming into such fund shall be managed and invested as provided in Section 48b of Section III of the Constitution of Texas; provided a sufficient sum shall be kept on hand to meet payments as they become due each year under such retirement plan, as may be provided by law; and provided that the recipients of such retirement fund shall not be eligible for any other state pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless such other state pension or retirement fund, contributed by the state, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid; providing, however, that this Section shall not amend, alter, or repeal Section 63 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas as adopted November, 1954, or any enabling legislation passed pursuant thereto."

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1968, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words: "FOR the amendment to Section 48a of Article III allowing contributions to be made on the basis of full salary of members of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas." "AGAINST the amendment to Section 48a of Article III allowing contributions to be made on the basis of full salary of members of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas."

Each voter shall mark out one of said choices on the ballot leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment. If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the state constitution and be effective from the date of determination of such result and the Governor's proclamation thereof.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said special election and shall have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this state.

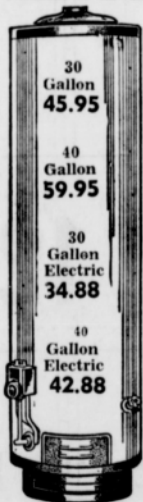
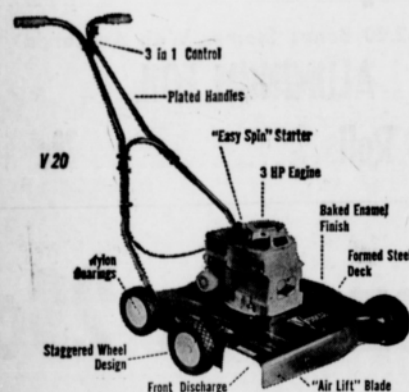
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