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SWEET N' SOUR

Here we are knee-deep in April, five more weeks of school, three weeks until rodeo time. and we still don't know whether to stoke the furnace or hook up the air conditioner. That's West Texas weather, pure and simple and little wonder that they used to say the old cowpoke carried a slicker, a mackinaw and a palm leaf fan whenever he rode off from home, and he never really knew which of these items he'd use

Regardless of wind and weather (and we've had plenty of each) this is a bumper year for Iris in the home town. Never have they been in more abundance and never have they been prettier, and you might add a ditto for tulips. Mrs. J. W. Brown has one of the most gorgeous tulip gardens this side of Holland and not only solid colors, but varigated ones as well and the four sentences of four years it's worth anyone's time to go by for a look.

is the Earl Hall yard and it is given. truly lovely. You'll want to see that one, too. And while you're still on Vine Street, you'll be sure to see the Kerby yard with its lovely Iris and Mrs. Ault's place next door is particularly nice this spring.

Mrs. Neithercutt has some beautiful tulips in her yard and so do the C. Z. Andersons -- they are attractively arranged and the bloms are exquisite.

Edith Bowlus has some of the most magnificent Iris in pale blue that you'll see any where, and the landscaping technique has an oriental flavor that some of the gardening magazines could very well take note from.

Fleeta Johnson's Iris and tulips, her red roses, and just the overall appearance of her lovely yard is (to borrow an expression from our bobby sox friends) fabulous. You'll want to go by that spot again and again and I'm sure if you stop Fleeta will welcome you as a guest and show you the finer points of her gardening -- she's that kinda' folks.

The Latimer home never looked prettier than it does now with it's pools of scarlet verbena, like frothy red lace against its white walks.

Elsie Bowlus has some beautiful verbena too and her yard grows prettier each time we see

Joe (Green Thumb) Arvin has a lovely tulip and Iris bed in his beautifully groomed yard and we think you'll love seeing this

Yard of the Month for April is Anna Jackson's and it truly is a dream to behold. There are Iris and pink roses to name but two of the blooms found there, and if you sum it up by saying

it's a symphony of spring you'll be so right. Congratulations to Cecil and Reba West who are the parents of a beautiful baby girl, Cathy Jo, born last week in an Abilene

hospital. Saturday will be picnic day for the Fifth grade. They'll travel via train to Cisco where they will have lunch in the park and do all the wonderful things children do on picnics when

We haven't touched on all the pretty yards in town but give us a wee bit o' time and we'll do it -- and that's a promise.

they're ten and the world is

We had time for a "grocery shopping chat" with your friend Girlie Hill, who knows just what to say and how to say it to make you feel glad you've lived if only

to know people like that. And more "people like that" we met in Abilene Saturday -Mrs. Olaf South. She brought now and feels like it's old home week down there with so many of his Baird friends and class mates also doing work at the

University. And that is sorta' that for this week and remember about the gardens and yards -- what you pretty or unsual plant in your yard, do invite us by to enjoy

it with you. Bill P. Work of Amarillo, spent the week end with his parents,

Miss Myrtle Gunn, who has been a patient in an Abilene hospital for the past several weeks, is much improved and was brought back to Callahan County Hospital the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Work.

April 30 Through May 5 Set As City-Wide Clean-Up Week Here

fifth has been designated as an- paign" in Baird.

Sentence Rustlers

Five cattle rustlers were convicted in district court at Baird Wednesday, however, terms of all but one were probated.

Tommy Windham, 22, who already owes the state one year for attempted murder, did not benefit from adult probation as did the four others, however, of each assessed against him, all Acres. are to run concurrent, along Right next door to Mrs. Brown with the one year previously

Pleading guilty along with Tommy, and the length of probated sentences each received

Windham, 18, Tommy's

brother, five years. Edward Rice (Scotoer) Lumpkin, 18, of Abilene, three years.

Marion Eugene (Gene) Gist, 20, of Hamby, three years. Carl Douglas Nix, 18, of Midland, two years.

Hal Windham was the first member of the youthful cattle theft ring to be tried.

District Attorney Wiley Caffey refused to accept a plea of guilty from Hal with a recommendation for probated sentence.

Hal's attorney, Davis Scarborough, made his bid before an all-male jury.

16 head of cattle March 20 from his and Tommy's uncle, Tom Windham, Jr., of Oplin.

The uncle was a witness. He refused to intervene on behalf of Hal's bid for probation, he

"I ain't gonna' say. I'm gonna leave that up to Judge (J. R.) Black and the jury."

Tommy and Gist were originally named in the same indictment with Hal for theft of the 16 head but were granted separate trials.

Two statements made by Hal were introduced. They told of room of the First Methodist his, Tommy's and Gist's stealing of the 16 head and of his and other cows from the uncle.

theft of cattle from A. L. Mc-Ginnis of Oplin.

The March 13 theft of eight cattle from his uncle and the McGinnis theft are still pend-

Tommy sat in the courtroom through the day-long trials and listened as he was branded in testimony and attorneys' arguments as the ring leader of the cattle theft operations. Sam Windham, father of Tom-

my and Hal, testified that he thought he could "salvage" his younger son but realized that Tommy "was going to the pen." The statements made by Tommy and Hal introduced Wednesday revealed that the two Windhams and Gist fled to Mexico

March 22 when they learned officers were hunting them. The returned March 25 when

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If Baird Lions have their

way, there'll be more new

brooms in Baird next Tues-

day night than in any town

The service clubmen are go-

ing all out in a community-

wide broom sale, designed to

dispose of the products pro-

duced by a Texas factory,

manned by blind workers. A

truck loaded with brooms of

all sizes and types will be

parked in the center of Mar-

ket Street all day Tuesday.

April 24, and merchants and

householders are being en-

couraged to purchase a year's

supply of brooms at that time.

the street from eight in the

morning until dusk. Then in

the early evening Tuesday.

members of the Lions Club

will make a house-to-house

The truck will be parked on

of equal size anywhere.

Baird People Urged To Support

Broom Sale Here Next Tuesday

Acting on request of the Wednesday Club, organizational sponsor of the program, members of the city council voted last week to throw full influence of the municipality into the cleanup campaign in the hope of ridding Baird of all filth and unsightliness. Notice of the forthcoming campaign is being given early to permit householders and pro-

time to make arrangements for complete compliance. A city truck will start in the east part of town Monday morning, April 30, hauling away rubbish, and will work toward the western section of the city as rapidly as possible, ending with the north part of town and Ross

perty owners to have sufficient

It is pointed out, however, that householders should burn as much trash as possible. Limbs and brush from tree trimming must be cut small enough for one man to load, and be stacked in a neat pile easily accessible to the route of the city truck. Rocks and dirt will not be haul-

ed away free. Sponsors of the clean-up week are hopeful that there will be 100 percent compliance with the campaign, and as a result breeding places of insects and pests will be destroyed before summer.

Baird is one of the few cities of its size in West Texas which has sufficient water to permit green lawns and beautiful gardens," say members of the Wednesday Club, "but all this can be offset by uncleanliness. Let's all work toward the objective of making our city the cleanest, Hal pleaded quilty to stealing healthlest and prettiest in Tex-

Magic Suitcase

"The Magis Suitcase," a program depicting the many unusual commodities derived from oil, was presented at the regular meeting of the Callahan County Luncheon Club in the dining Church in Baird Wednesday at

chairman of the oil industry's Hal was also charged with the information committee, introduced the program which presented Miss Gladys Saracen. She opened a suitcase, which she explained had been made from she was wearing at the time. From the handbag, Miss Saracen withdrew the following items, few of which were known by any of the 32 clubmen present to have derived from oil: lipstick, nylon hose and lingerie, bath salts and colognes, cold creams of several types, dyes, swatches of orlon, dacron and rayon, polythlyne bottles, and tars, waxed cups and paper safety matches, shoe polish, ink, phonograph records, comb, crayons, handles for eye grasses and tooth brushes, and numerous other incidental items.

The program had been secured by B. H. Freeland, a member of the club and county chairman of the oil information committee.

ditional brooms. L. C. Cash,

chairman of the drive, urges,

however, that householders

make their purchases from

the truck if at all possible to

expedite the canvass later in

It is pointed out that

through efforts of Texas Lions

is the factory which employs

blind workers able to profit-

ably market its products. The

sales, however, make it pos-

sible for the enterprise to em-

ploy handicapped workers and

Baird people who have pur-

chased the brooms in other

years are highly complimen-

tary of the quality of the pro-

ducts produced by the blind.

brooms in Baird homes Tues-

day night than any other city of equal size in the nation,"

"Let's have more new

the day by clubmen.

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A. G. Black Quits As Co-Op Head

A. G. Black, who for the past plant. seven years served as manager of the Callahan County Farmers Cooperative, Inc., with operations in both Baird and Clyde, resigned the post Saturday. He is being succeeded by Ray Alderman, who has been with the coop since separation from military service several months ago.

Black, who guided the organization from a small enterprise to one of the largest in this county, reports that his plans for the immediate future are indefinite, other than for a while he plans to rest Later he may enter business at Clyde.

Alderman told this newspaper will continue to policy institut-ed by Black of continuing to work and plan for greater service to the farmers and ranchers of Callahan County.

Mrs. A. G. Black, who has been employed in the auditing department at the co-op for several years, is remaining with the

Armed Robbers

five and no more than eight years were given Myral Wilson, petroleum, as well as the clothes 21, and Richard Stachowski. 22, in 42nd District Court here Thursday. The sencences were for armed robbery of Robert A. Dixon, 26-year old Fort Worth man, who had picked the pair up and given them a ride. Near Baird the hitch-hikers thrust a eer took charge of his automobile. Dixon was left tied in a pasture.

The pair was apprehended the following day and returned to health several years. jail at Baird, where they were held without bond.

I. G. Mobley In Race For Re - Election As Commissioner

I. G. Mobley, of Putnam, county commissioner from Precinct 3. this week filed official announcement of his candidacy for roelection, subject to action of the Democratic primaries.

Mobley's introductory statenext week's edition of the Star.

Nearly Inch Rain Covers Callahan

Rain, variously measured between three-fourth and one inch fell over most of Callahan Couny Wednesday and Thursday Overcast skies yesterday gave some promise of additional mois-

SON BORN TO COUPLE FORMERLY OF BAIRD

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Thompson have received word of the birth of a new grandson. The child is the son of Mr. and Mrs. to the Cancer Drive. Dee Thompson, of California. The lad weighed seven pounds, five ounces at birth. He has been named Richard James.

The motto of Texas is "Friend-

Implement Firm Opens In Baird

The Baird Weekly Star, Established December 8, 1887

Baird. It is the Barton Truck and Tractor Company, located on South Market Street in quarters terscholastic League meet. formerly occupied by Sutphen Motor Company.

The firm, owned by S. O. Barton, will handle International Harvester Company trucks, tractors and implements. Manager of the concern is Fred Thompson, who until recently was employed at Ray Motor Company in Baird.

Court Upholds **Utility Ruling**

Texas Utilities Co. franchise dispute was refused last week by the State Supreme Court at Austin and attorneys here were undecided if the court will be asked to reconsider its decision.

The latest round in the long standing legal battle between Baird and WTUC concerns whether or not the corporation can power in Baird since its franchise expired last year.

Baird owns its own power The Supreme Court's judgment left in effect a decision of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals at

Eastland The Eastland Court reversed in part and affirmed in part the judgment of District Judge Floyd Jones of Breckenridge in 42nd District Court here.

Judge Jones ruled that WTUC could not do business in Baird without a franchise

The Eastland court held that WTUC could sell power in Baird as long as it does "not cross over, under or encroach in any manner on city streets and al-

The WTUC contends it should Wednesday afternoon that he be allowed to tunnel under the

> The Eastland court restrained the company from selling power when its lines involved city property

The WTUC franchise at Baird expired March 19, 1955. The injunction barring it from doing business here was granted May

Jim Look of the firm of Wagstaff, Harwell, Alvis, Pope has handled the case for West Texas Utilities. Dallas Scarborough of the Abilene firm of Scarborough, Yates, Scarborough and Black and the firm of Jackson & Jackthe city of Baird.

Relative Of Local Woman Laid To Rest Wednesday

Mrs. Artie Missia Fite. 77, pionresident of Shackelford gun in his face, robbed him and County and a sister-in-law of Mrs. R. L. Elliott of Baird, died Monday in a Fort Worth hospital. She had been in declining

> Mrs. Fite was born Artie Missia Parish Aug. 9, 1878, in Paris, Lamar County, the daughter of the late Benjamin F. and Sally Virginia Parish. The family moved to Shackelford County in 1892, and she married Perry A. Fite, brother of Mrs. Elliott, February 9, 1898. The couple was married by Rev. Frank Marrs, Baptist minister in Albany

She was preceded in death by her husband who expired in 1950. Attending the funeral services

Wednesday afternoon were Mr. ment to voters will appear in and Mrs. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. James C. Asbury of Baird. Burial was in Albany cemetery under direction of Wylie Funeral

Survivors include six daughters, one son, two sisters, three brothers, seven grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Clyde Cancer Drive Nets \$195.00

The Clyde Cancer Drive netted

Mmes, Joe McGowen, Bobby Jackson, S. E. Settle and Miss injured. Myrtle Boydstun attended the ion in Ranger last Tuesday.

6 Baird Students In Regional Meet This Week End

Six Baird high school students accompanied by two coaches. will journey to Brownwood this week end to participate in regional competition of Texas In-

in six events in the literary divi- Commission. sion. The girls and the events in which they will participate two pieces of necessary rightare: Mary Brown, debate and of-way have been secured, and ready-writing; Martha Ann Mar- it was pointed out that these and debate, and Barbara Snyder, the May letting. number sense.

events in which they are enter-A review of the Baird-West vault, and Glen Kerby, high much-needed road, have now all

Admiral Road Now Certain

County Commissioner I. G. Mobley said yesterday that contract for building the hard-surfaced road from Baird to Ad-Mrs. Archie Nichols will take miral would be let at the May three girls who are to compete meeting of the Texas Highway

Easement deeds for all but shorthand, ready-writing would be obtained in time for

Pavement from Baird to Ad-Coach H. R. (Jeff) Jeffries will miral has been a number one take three athletes to Brown- project of Callahan County wood to compete in track and Luncheon Club and residents of field events. The boys and the the Admiral locality for a number of years. Numerous obstaced are: Paul Jones, 100 and 440 les, which have heretofore, slowyard dashes; Tony Price, pole ed or impaired progress of the been removed, the Star was told.

Construction Moving Rapidly On Baird's New Swimming Pool

that the municipal swimming chain-link fence, including a pool now under construction in wading pool to be built just Baird will be finished before the south of the swimming pool. June first due date. Evacuation has been completed and the being extended to the grounds floor was poured this week.

depth on the deep end and a was necessary two and one-half foot depth on at the bath house.

feet, and there will also be a be installed near the swimming 12 by 14 foot office and conces- pool.

sion quarters. The entire prem-Indications yesterday were ises will be surrounded by a

A 2,400 volt electric line was this week to accomodate pumps, The pool is to be 45 feet wide filtering equipment and other at the shallow end, 25 feet wide mechanical appliances necessary at the deep end, and 60 feet for operation of the pool, A 450 long. It will have a nine foot foot extension of existing lines It is pointed out that with ad-

the shallow end. The entire pool jacent property owned by the will be encircled with a six foot Eugene Bell American Legion concrete walk, which is to widen Post, which is expected to be dedicated to public use, a seven-Bath house is to be 12 by 40 acre park and playground could

Senior Class Will Present 3 Act Play Here On April 27th

"Finders Creepers," a threeact mystery-comedy, will be preium Friday night, April 27, by members of the senior class. The vation office on the second floor production is being directed by of the courthouse in Baird. 5, 1955 in 42nd District Court Mrs. W. Clyde White, class spon-

Stroy of the play is centered in this area. about a mortuary and the hu- "Farm ponds are capable of morous situation which unfolds producing fish for food as well as present a comedy that is expect- providing water for domestic ed to be highly pleasing to Baird needs and livestock", says local people of all ages.

Parts in the play are taken by: Glen Kerby, Paul Jones, son of Baird were attorneys for Ethyln Tabor, Martha Ann Martin, Ramona Cummings, coach H. R. Jeffries, Mary Brown, Charles Barron, Ray Lawrence, Barbara Gilmore, Bo Ault, Willie Bell Bruce and Charles' Mosley. three bus drivers, two janitors,

Egg Marketing Will Be Discussed At Meeting May 1st

nounces two egg marketing Hugh Ross again serving as presmeetings to be held in Callahan ident; Roy Higgins, vice presid-County Tuesday, May first. F. Z. Beanblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist, will be present at both gatherings and discuss advantages of unformity in egg marketing.

Second meeting is to be at Clyde at eight o'clock that night, in the Community Center.

"Everyone interested in any phase of the poultry industry is specifically urged to be present," Green said.

Sutphen Brothers **Barely Avert Bad Accident**

ther, Bob, narrowly averted ser- ing clubs that they will be here ious accident late Monday af- for the parade." Lilley said, "and ternoon. They were returning to we're hoping for the most spec-Raird from a trip to far West tacular processional ever seen Texas. One mile east of Sweet- in Baird.' water, they were met by a swerv-\$195.00, it was reported by Mrs. ing automobile, driving at a rap-J. C. Snow, president of the id clip. Braking rapidly and teh Abilene Jubilee celebration Thursday Club. Members wish pulling hard to the side, the Friday evening. to express their appreciation to Sutphen car barely missed a all who responded so generously head-on crash. Seconds later the swerving vehicle crashed thru manager of the REA there, spent a barrier and over a 25-foot em- Tuesday night here with his parbankment. The driver, a 34 year ents. He was enroute to Dallas. Stanley, Bill Womack, Anna old Sylvester man, was fatally

wreckage.

Baird Office Taking Requests For Fish To Re-Stock Pools

Applications for fish to restock Callahan County lakes and sented in Baird school Cafetor- ponds are now being taken by technicians at the Soil Conser-

Channel-cat, bass and bluerin are available for stocking tanks

soil conservationists.

18 Teachers And 9 **Employees Hired** By School Board

Eighteen faculty members, and four cafeteria workers were re-elected for the 1956-57 school year at a recent meeting of the trustees for Baird Independent School District.

The Board of Trustees organ-County Agent Glen Green an- ization was also completed with dent and Rosco Shelnutt secretary. Other members of the board are: Curtis Sutphen, C. B. Snyder, Jr., M. L. Hughes and W. C. Edwards

Baird schools are now in the The first meeting is to be held final six-weeks period of the in Cross Plains at three o'clock current term. Commencement in the afternoon at the City Ha'l exercises are scheduled May 25.

GET READY FOR PARADE. POSSE PRESIDENT URGES THIS WEEK

S. W. (Scoot) Lilley, president of Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, yesterday urged local business firms and civic organizations to begin laying plans to participate in the street parade here May 10, officially open-

ing the three day rodeo. "We have already received as-Curtis Sutphen and his bro- surance from a number of rid-

Mrs. John McGowen attended

R. L. Elliott, Jr., of Dalhart,

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melton The Sutphen brothers were of Breckenridge visited her par-Eastern Star school of instruc- among the first to reach the ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence Monday.

us up-to-date with news on her family and the most important part was that son Charles Eddie is in the University of Texas do is always interesting to us and if you have a particularly

Abilene last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey and

for several days vacation.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton attended the Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atchison 75th anniversary celebration in were week end visitors in Fort Worth and Dallas.

his uncle, John Mowles.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

They Travel "In Class"

Our high school correspondent From where I sit, it doesn't says that Economics and Geography students are going in for "grass roots" studying.

They're going to charter buses and take off on Operation See-For-Yourself-have a ten-day look at some of the things they've been studying about.

As I remember, it was hard to keep your mind on schoolbooks at this time of year. Today's kids can give in to that old urge to bust out of the classroom-with a clear conscience. Wish they'd take me along.

hurt us adults, either, to get out and see how the rest of the country lives. We find the "typical American" doing everything from herding cattle to flying planes . . . with everything from steak to chowder for his favorite dish . . . everything from beer to buttermilk for his favorite beverage. And the more we study our differences the more we learn how alike everyone is underneath

goe Marsh

Oplin Observations

By Mrs. Daphene Floyd

Monday, April 16. Dear Diary, I have always heard that no Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown at- news is good news, so I guess run pretty smoothly the past

Oh, I did hear that Pinky Nobles was in the hospital with pneumonia the last of the week. Do hope she hurries and gets well for I know being sick would interfere with her school activities at McMurry.

Darrel Pierce visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Baird. Jack Pierce and son, Jackie Dale and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. (Pee Wee) Dyson and son, Steve Edward, all of Odessa, over the week end. He was accompanied by an uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clint McKinley and daughters of Baird, who visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud

Poindexter, Mrs. Bob Hines and on, Gary Dean, Mrs. Tommie from our community attended vey the Jubilee parade in Abilene was plenty good.

tell you next week, Diary - bye.

Tecumseh Topics

Mrs. Lillian Crawford

Sunday, and it's time to bring you a bit of news, but such as I have it's getting to be old news, just wind, sand and more sand. Some days I get out in the yard and feel kinda proud that the wind has deposited some good sandy soil in my yard, but then the next day its swept clean, so don't any of you ladies come looking for a flower garden.

Speaking of ladies, a group gathered in the home of Mrs. Jess Mason over in the Denton Valley community last Wednesday. Games were played and the day planned for the revealing of our secret pals had arrived, with each one receiving a nice gift. Fourteen ladies were present and it was planned to meet with Mrs. Elbert Crawford May 9th to

Recently heard that Mrs. Jim Barton had surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, last week. Certainly hope she is doing well, but haven't heard from

Congratulations (but a little late) to Mr. and Mrs. Todd Windham on the arrival of the new baby, a girl, I believe however its two weeks old or older, but I wanted to get the baby's name but up to this time I still don't know it's name.

C. W. Barnard, Jr., has been having quite a bit of worry over a breaking out or some sort of rash. It has worried him for several years, and possibly before duty during World War II. Hope for Junior as he tries to find relief and a cure that he'll be sful in his efforts.

L. V. Harris hasn't felt quite so well the past few days. Hope to hear Mrs. J. M. Whitley is feeling better after having her tonsils treated last week.

J. N. Poe of Clyde visited C. B. Poe last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. McGowen and daughter, Carol Lynn, and Ann Barton attended the Abi-Jubiles celebration last



An accident takes you from work.

Does your accident insurance help you meet your living expenses while you're laid up?



SUTPHEN Insurance Agency

2 New Wildcat Oil Ventures Stort In Callahan County

Two new wildcats have been announced for Callahan County. Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown atnews is good news, so I guess
grandson, Dusty Young, left tended a funeral last Tuesday in that must be true for things
Monday for Phoenix, Arizona, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, for several days vacation.

Deeper of the pair is L. L. Fost day.

Shell & L. F. Suttles Jr. of Abiday.

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The proper of the pair is L. L. Fost day. ed for 2,250 feet with rotary, it is six miles north of Putnam.

Site is 1.650 feet from the day afternoon. east and 5,189 feet from the south lines of Section 2, T&P

Co., Abilene, No. 1 Claude B. Os- Sunday night. born. 41/2 miles northwest of

Slated for 1.900 feet with ro- Thursday. tary, site is 330 feet from the 96, BBB&C Survey.

FINISH NEW WELL ON HENNESSEY LAND NORTH OF CLYDE

A Callahan County regular Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, field well was completed 71/2 Mrs. Louise Nobles, Mrs. Emma miles northwest of Clyde. It is Sojourner Drilling Corp., of Abilene No. 8 Sarah Hennessey, in Windham, and possibly others Section 91, Block 13, T&P Sur-

Daily potential was 40.13 barlast Monday and reported that rels of 40 gravity oil, flowing through a 20-,64 inch choke with Well, I'll try to have more to packer set on the casing and 75 pounds tubing pressure. It is producing from 44 perforations at 3,186-94 feet, with the casing set at 3,254 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1 366-1

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Atwell News

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Erwin and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Saturday night and Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark and daughter, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Tatom Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster Sunday afternoon Other wildcat is Metaco Oil and attended church with them

> Mrs. Alton Tatom visited Mrs. Lela Foster in Cross Plains

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellis vissouth and east lines of Section ited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Smith at Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Tatom and Beverly ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom of Cross Plains, Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Tatom and Beverly visited in Cross Cut with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and Dolores.

Love of Abilene, Elva Nell Rouse Cut, Wednesday. was home for the week end visiting her parents. Elva is employed in Abilene.

Mrs. Roy Tatom visited her Scranton.

Visitors in the M. E. Rouse mother, Mrs. J. C. Foster in home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. | Cross Plains and Mrs. R. N. Ta-Roy Murray of Moran, Mrs. Ila tom and Beverly visited her mo-Rouse of Baird, and Rev. Don ther, Mrs. Leroy Byrd at Cross

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan and family attended a birthday dinner for Ike Morgan Sunday at

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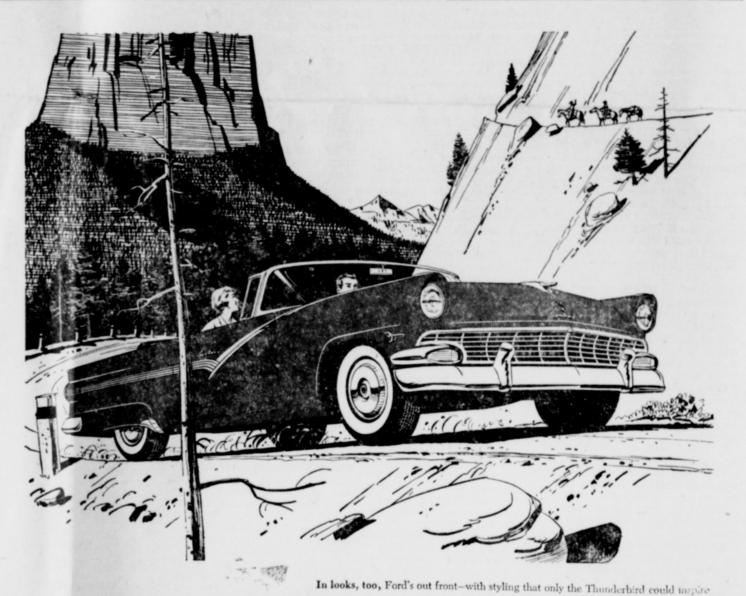
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Fourth, when death would enter a home there would be no minister of the Gospel to give them

a Christian burial and offer comfort to the hearts of the bereaved.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUTNAM

the R. W. Reynolds Sunday.

drick Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rutherford

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ruther-

Eddie Johnson has been home

on a fifteen day leave visiting

is to report to Great Lakes for

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mack Park

and family, of San Angelo, were

Mrs Luther Park has return-

Mr. and Mrs. Farris of Cisco

visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fran-

and son, Mike, of Cross Plains,

visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Everett Williams, of Post,

Mrs. E. B. Ross and Mrs. Ross

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Isen-

is visiting relatives in Putnam.

Finley and daughter, Debbie, of

Abilene, were visiting Mrs. R. D.

hower attended the funeral of

Mrs. Isenhower's uncle at Rotan

Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, Jr.

Mrs. McWhorter of Baird is

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell

and son, Buck, are visiting her

ningham. They arrived Saturday

from Caribou, Maine. He has

recently been discharged from

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cun-

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visiting her daughter, Mrs. Earl

went to Strawn Friday to at-

tend a Vacation Bible School.

E. Pruet Sunday.

Williams Monday.

Jobe for a few days.

in Ozona soon.

cisco Sunday.

ed from Houston where she at-

tended the wedding of her son,

Park over the week end.

Victoria after his leave.

tal at Archer City.

tal in Houston.

HOSTESS TO STUDY CLUB The Woman's Study Club met Clyde ,were visiting relatives in in the home of Mrs. Weldon Putnam Sunday. Isenhower Monday afternoon. Program suject was "Conservation of International Under- family, of Abilene, were visiting

Roll call was answered with current events. Human Rights was discussed by Mrs. R. B. Taylor and Eyes On The Far East by Mrs. John Petty.

Present for the meeting were: Mmes. Mark Burnam, R. L. Clinton, John Cook, S. M. Eubank, Tex Herring, Fred Heyser, Weldon Isenhower, John Petty, H. A. Pruet, F. P. Shackelford, Jr., R. B. Taylor, L. A. Williams, R. D. Williams, J. A. Yarbrough, R. W. Reynolds and Mrs. Feely.

Those home from Texas Tech for the week end were Mary Isenhower, Ray Green and Timer

Delores Sargent, of Cisco Junior College, was home for the ford. They will be stationed in week end.

Mrs. M. H. Sargent and Mrs. John Cook attended the Bible Clinic at the Baptist Church in with his wife and daughter. He

ter, Doris, of Boerne, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pruet over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wirt and family, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt visited the Fred Grahams at Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shrader and Cathy visited Mr. and Mrs. Rov Armstrong in May Friday night.

Those attending the Garden Show at the Victor Hotel Saturday were Mmes. Tex Herring. R. D. Williams, Mark Burnam, R. L. Clinton and Fred Heyser.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls spent the week end in Stephen-

Mrs. Brady Leveridge of Breckenridge spent Monday night with Mrs. Fred Cook.

Mrs. Mitt Cook is spending several days in Abilene visiting her children.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson of Fort Worth were visiting the John Shraders Saturday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clinton Sunday were Mrs. Neil Logan and son, Lannie, Mrs. S. E. Park and children and Lee Park of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Park of Abilene. Saturday was L. E. Park's birthday, 86

Mrs Roe Scott and Mrs. Jimmie Lee Austin of Moran visited the Vernon Donoways Saturday evening.

Mrs .Dock Weed and children of San Antonio, are visiting Mr and Mrs. Marvin Weed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown spent the week end in San An-

Pvt. James Abernathy, from Ft. Sill. Oklahoma, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Abernathy during the week end.

Mrs. R. L. Buchanan visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brazil over the week end, in Sedwick.

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Veda Yarbrough

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Brandon of Hi, neighbor, I will be glad when I can have something else to write about other than sand storms. We sure had two mighty Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hopkins and good one the past week.

James Carter, of Texas Tech, visited with us over the week end. He went back to Lubbock Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey this afternoon, which is Sunday. went to Archer City Saturday to Hope he didn't run into so much visit with Mr. and Mrs. Willie sand he couldn't see. He grad-Jeter. Mrs. Jeter is ill in a hospi- uates from Tech this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIntyre and daughter, Mrs. Randal Mc-Mrs. G. S. Pruet and Ricky Neice, visited with John and Shermace visited in Moran Sun-day. Roma, Jim and I a while last Wednesday. Sure glad to see them and glad Mr. Mc is feeling them for a few Mrs. Sam Jobe is ill in Hen- better.

Real glad to see her as she has day this time. Hope you had a Mrs. A. S. Reese is in a hospiand daughter, who have been beets and so on. Guess we will ty soon? in Hawaii, are visiting his par- have to go over to see them when we want fresh garden vegetables.

John and Roma McIntyre, James Carter and I went to a Pie Sale Saturday night at Bluff Branch school house, The pie sale was for the benefit of the Home Demonstration Club, which has just been organized. Mrs. Earline Clark and daughfive months school. His daughter, Carolyn Louise, was born
The pie sale was a great success.

April 3rd, weighing 7 lbs. 13 ozs. Dovie Pruet attended the pie Mrs. Vena Shackelford and supper too, also Burette and Johnny May Ramsey

Bettie Rutherford and sistervisiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther in-law came out a few minutes this afternoon. Clint wanted some more eggs to take back to Lubbock this afternoon. Bettie is working at the court house in Baird now Mr. Harrison, Wednesday, April

D. A. Yarbrough visited a while with us last Friday afternoon. He says he just doesn't sweep the dirt out of his house, he opens the door and lets it blow out. That might be the best way to Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet get it out.

John and Roma spent Sunday over at Oplin with John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint McIn-

Ollie Burnam and her mother. Mrs. Mary Ramsey visited Mrs.

Baird

Laura Jobe a was taken to Hend Hospital in Abile sorry Mrs. Jobe i she gets better

Margaret and J Loiry had she soon gets better. supper with Gayle rnam Sunday night. Think three girls cooked supper, ev nade a cake. I hear they did ood job, but wash dishwhen it came time es, they all three swered with a great big NO, w ooked supper. wash the So Ollie said ne the hired dishes, and I ima lon't you? If hand dried them should have, he didn't I think don't you?

I never hear any thing about the two sweet sisters that live course I mean down the way. Of Miss Dell and Miss Dove. Think every week I will minutes, but I just don't get gone. Mrs. Annie Gertrude Jones visited a while Parks out there in Arkansas, I with us last Friday afternoon. am so sorry I forgot your birthnot been by in a long time. Sha nice birthday and I will try not said Bert really had a pretty to do that any more. Guess you garden, peas, beans, potatoes, will be coming out this way pret-



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ille Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey liar but house didn't. He thought she will lay the same day the k Memorial and fantily. Sorry to say Bill's they can't finish outside paint- week, and I'll be seein' you. unday. So wife is seriously ill in the hospi- ing. II. We hope tal in Olney. We were so sorry to hear of her being so ill, hope

Mr. Neal Hack has been sick

but able to be about now. and Roma will live. Mr. Park the other day, he would have to said the land looked kinda fami- gather them every day. Maybe

D. A. Yarbrough went over to Cross Plains one day last week to get a hair cut, and visit with his brother, Ped a while. He says he doesn't have anything to do now but gather up the eggs and came out to where John and just does that every other day Roma are working on their house as he only has two old hens and Saturday morning. Mr. Park just one of them laying, and she lives in Knox City. He is a bro- just lays every other day. Now ther of the late Dick Park, and if the other old hen should dethe Park home is where John cide to go to laying and lay on

Mrs. Jobe was in Callahan County Hospital at that time, but she Johnny May's brother, Bill Geter when finished. Still so sandy No news so be good till next

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ADMIRAL NEWS Mrs. Roy Higgins

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Woodard, of Snyder, visited his parlast Monday.

Capt. Raymond Higgins, of Los Angeles, California, visited his Dallas, spent last week end with brother, Roy Higgins last week. Mr. and Mrs. Albro Wilson. Milton Shelton and daughter,

of Lubbock. Rev. Causey and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Porter were and children visited Mrs. Chatguests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hig- man's parents in Brownwood last ents. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock opens the fit gins Sunday

Mary Jo Goosby spent Sunday with the J. D. Cauthens.

Jones and Mrs. Roy Higgins attended the REA meeting in Mer- home Sunday night, returning with her. Another daughter of kel last Thursday.

visited in the home of Mr. and here.

Mrs. A. R. Dallas last Saturday. ker home over the week end were and Mrs. Prestidge and Tony Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Black and Kendrick. Mrs. Prestidge and son boys of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Odell accompanied Mrs. Griffin home Petty and family of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hershel Bryant for the very Griffin and Kendrick relatives. lovely flowers she sent to the

Mr. and Mrs. James Eubanks Faircloth and Mrs. Napier. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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Midway Musings

Mrs. Joel Griffin

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb and end with Mr. and Mrs. Webb. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson, of

Mrs. Lucile Van Vleck and Melba, spent the week end with children of Fort Worth, spent his sister, Mrs. Rosie Eubanks the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Chatman

Mrs. J. Z. Martin, Mrs. Miller and children spent Sunday even-Rob Walker, Mrs. Claxton ing with Mr. and Mrs. Griffin.

to El Paso Monday in a pretty Jake Dallas, of Cross Plains, new Ford he traded for while

Mrs. Griffin spent last week Those visiting in the Rob Wal- in El Paso visiting Bob and Mr. to spend a week visiting. The The church wishes to thank Oran Kendrick family and other

The Merry Quilters met Monday and made quilts for Mrs. Sue

A birthday party for Mrs. Webb George Eubanks over the week and Mrs. Wilson. At our next

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quilts for Mrs. Chatman and Mrs. Barbian and will have a birthday party for Mrs. Barbian

and Mrs. Prichett. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens and children, of Monahans, visents, Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard sons, of El Paso, spent last week ited Mr. and Mrs. Albro Wilson recently.

Cottonwood News

Hazel I. Respess

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Respess, of Brownfield, visited her par- one time, by at Cross Plains, and in the Respess home last Tuesday.

Mrs. L. I. Sudderth is back home, and has her mother, Mrs. Bob Griffin, of El Paso, was J. R. Baily, 93 years old, staying Mrs. Baily, Mrs. Butts, of Brown County, is here also with Mrs. Sudderth for a two weeks stay.

> Mr. and Mrs. Richard Purvis, son Dennis and daughter, Shirley Lou, of Clyde, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Joy and John Purvis over the week

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bowman Evette Meadows. and children visited relatives at Eden and Paint Rock Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bryan Bennett, of Fort Worth, visited Saturday night and Sunday with her father, J. meeting, April 30th, we will make H. Coats, Mrs. A. A. Holly and Byron.

Rev. Don Jobe, of Scranton, will preach at the Methodist Church the fifth Sunday in Ap- and boating in Buchanan Lake. ril, the 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Maas, of Houston, are visiting the first of week end. the week with her sister, Mrs. R: G. Gilmore and family. Mr. Maas is in Postal Service in Houston. The Cancer Drive netted \$20.90 Friday night. Was a small crowd, the amount was very good for the number there.

Miss Sandra Landon, of Abilene, visited her grandmother, Mrs. M. R. Lovell recently.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson spent last week with her father at Amarillo who was in the hospital. Then Monday morning received word of his passing away.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burton and family have moved into the Clarence Bush home 1 mile east of Cottonwood, from Abilene. Mr. Burton will drive a milk truck

for Claude Joy. Several attended Workers Conference and Clinic of Vacation Banquet will be held in Abilene School at Cross Plains, Some of those were: Mrs. Norman Coffey, Mrs. Lewis Coppinger, Mrs. Emmitt Price, Mrs. D. C. Hargrove, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Newberry.

Chinese astronomers recorded sunspots in 28 B. C.

United Nations World Health Organization says 370,- visiting the Rock family. His 000,000 people live in areas ex- name is Buddy Temple and his posed to the risk of malaria.

Girl Scout Meeting Held In Goleman

The Heart Council, In held its spring Council mee t the rodeo arena tion building in Coleman.

At a busine get for the co sented and a the Cookle S building of th established camp were read. raedy to acc modate 48 girls at day he time the camp week in June. At a dinner in the evening.

Elwana Ha thorne told the Council of t work the senior girls have d prepare ther tional Senio held in Pon girls and o from the H cil will attend this Round-Un.

Members of the Baird Association attending the meeting in Coleman were: Frank Gardiner, Mrs. Eddie Konczak, Mrs. A. A Manion. Artie Mae Stokes and

Miss Beverly Konczak went to Austin to spend the week end getting acquainted with the girls to Pontiac. The girls were entertained royally by members of visits to the State Capitol and Governor's Mansion; saw Longhorn Caverns; went swimming

The girls were guests of Austin Girl Scout Leaders for the end

Eula Items

Dorothy Ann Crook

The Eula girls softball team rill Monday. is entered in the softball tour-25. Eula will play the winner of Baird and Clyde at 1:00 p. m. April 25.

Eu'a grade school boys play Moran April 23 at Baird. This is a district volleyball tournament and the game will be played at Baird.

Eula boys play South Taylor in hard ball April 26 at Eula beginning at 1 p. m.

The annual Junior-Senior noon. at the Chicken Shack on April 21, at 8:00 p. m. Teachers of Eula school, the trustees and students and their parents are invited. Guest speaker is Dean W. A. Stephenson, of Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cribbs and family went to Nocona last week end to visit some friends.

Mrs. Claude Rock's brother is home is in Texarkana, Texas.

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Mrs. Bernard Crow and Mrs. ing year was pre- Linnie Stephens of Abilene spent roved Reports on the week end in Snyder with Mr. e, and progress in and Mrs. Dnoald Stephens.

Hansel Sanders and Jess Milhe camp will be ler visited Mrs. Leila Gibbs Tues-Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and

Thelda Crow visited their parents over the week end.

selves for the Na- oldest citizen, is spending a while Round-Up to be in a rest home at Merkel. Gentle rains fell in the Row-

rt of Texas Coun- Everyone is hoping for more of the same

to attend all services.

BITS FROM BERLO MRS. J. C. MEADOWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ingram Jr. nd Ricky, of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sherrill of Crane, and Mr. and Mrs. John Chadwell of the Austin Council. They paid Sweetwater visited Mrs. Sam Sherrill over the week end.

> Mr. and Mrs. Mike Horn, of Farmington, N. M., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kendrick Kenneth and Elmore last week

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McRaney, Darrel and Diane, of Eldorado, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C.

Mrs. Osie White of Midland and Mrs, Wayne Nichols and Sonya, of Anson, visited Mrs. prayer. Will Young and Mrs. Sam Sher-

The Enterprise Home Makers nament at Baird April 24 and Club met with Mrs. C. H. Gibbins last Thursday. Meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. E. M. Parks. Roll call was answered with An Interesting Elderly Person. A Club quilt was sung by Mrs. L. B. Lewis. quilted and members voted to piece another quilt. Some comng early, some late but in all twelve members and one guest finished the quilt. A sack lunch and soda pop were enjoyed at

EULA SUNSHINE CIRCLE TO MEET IN BATTLES HOME ON APRIL 25TH

Eula Sunshine Circle met in the home of Mrs. R. H. Brock Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Tom Stoker brought the devotional. Her subject was on "Establishing of the Church", taken from Ephesians and Cor-

Mrs. E. E. Harrison led a program dealing with Great Britain. If you want to rid your premises of Rats J. S. Baulch, Rob Farmer, Hilton Edwards, Newt Trotter, J. O. Hallmark, M. Russel, Max Logan, Cecil Harris, Ella Farrar, Ralph 1-lb. corton only 89c at Don't miss "Finders Creepers" Brock, E. E. Harrison, J. L. Farmer Porter Loving, Wilson Gray, Tom Stoker, Ross Farmer, Joe Bentley, Lera Battles, Dave

McClure, and Miss Gertie Harris. Next meeting of the club will WANTED - Experienced maid, pads, fittings, floats, hose, be in the home of Mrs. Lera living quarters furnished. Call pumps, copper tubing, belts, etc. Battles in Baird on April 25.

Pioneer Lodge 17-1-c White Auto Store, Baird, Texas. This meeting will be a covered 17-tf-c dish affair with quilting as the chief diversion of the day.

> The Jack Flores family, of Andrews, spent the week end in Baird visiting friends and rela-

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Callahan County Is Well Represented In Abilene Parade

Callahan County was wellrepresented in the recent frontier days parade at Abilene, a part of that city's diamond jubilee celebration.

Entered in the processional were 24 local horses and riders, a covered wagon driven by R. J. Wyle, a chuck wagon driven by Gary, of San Angelo, and Miss Alvis Dill, a Texas longhorn steer exhibited by Mr. and Mrs. N. M. (Buster) Geroge, and a pick-"Uncle" Noah Smedley of this up truck advertising the Callane to qualify and community, Callahan County's han County Sheriff's Posse rodeo to be held May 10, 11 and 12, driven by E. O. (Easy) Parsons.

Other Callahan County people adult coursellor den area Wednesday morning, who participated in the parade were: Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Lilley, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Williams, Both Rowden church extend Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Warren, Mr. cordial invitations to everyone and Mrs. C. B. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Allphin, Mrs. C. K. Medows, Mrs. Orval Taylor, Mrs. Jessie Ramsey, Mrs. Harold Hass, Mrs. James Reynolds, Mrs. Dorse Harris, Mrs. Buddy Smith, Mrs. Merle White, Miss Betty Cunningham, Miss Le Von Meadows, Miss Melba Shelton, Bill Henry and Buck Smith.

Mrs. W. A. Fetterly

The Wednesday Club met in FOR COMMISSIONER, the home of Mrs. W. A. Fetterly with Mrs. Fetterly as hostess. Mrs. V. E. Hill, president, presided.

Is Club Hostess

Subject for the day was "Texas Folk and Folklore." The program was opened with the Lord's

Mrs. L. L. Blackburn told of the games and gatherings in early Texas. Legends of Texas was presented by Isadore Grimes and Mrs. Sam Gilliland gave familiar sayings and superstitions of old-time Texans. "Will You Come To The Bower," was

After a short business meeting, a lovely refreshment plate was served to fifteen members The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ace Hickman.

Miss Dolly Summers, student in Tarleton State College, Stephenville, visited friends and relatives during the week end.



Those present were: Mesdames, and Mice, get DURHAM'S RAT-KILL, Chemistry's new weapon to end the

Mrs. Tankersley Hosts Club Meet

The Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club met Monday even ing in the home of Mrs. G. H.

Tankersley. The meeting was called to o der by Mrs. Terrell William president. Thirteen members ar

swered roll call. A most inteersting program was given, the subject bein Outdoor Living. Those on th program were Mrs. Eddie Konc zak, Mrs. A. A. Manion, Mi. Burma Warren.

Present for the meeting were Mmes. Lynn Ault, Eunice Brock Jack Gilliland, Eddie Koncza': A. A. Manion, C. M. Peek, Mar gle Ray, G. E. Rockey, L. I. Blackburn, Misses Burma Wa ren, Edith Bowlus, and the hos

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Baird Star is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

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Soil Conservation Week Starts In Texas May 6th

May 6 - 12 is "Soil Conserva- forward to the coming year. tion Week" in Texas, reports D. C. Cox, head of the soil conservation office on the second floor of the courthouse in Baird.

The week will be especially launches over the state Sunday. with many churches noting mans duty to the land. During the remainder of the week, special program tours and field days are planned to publicize accomplishments.

districts which embrace 96 per- trict cent of the land area of the state.

comparable to counties and ian careers must be landowners themselves that the U.S. Army is imple-

SCD cooperator by applying to young man to fulfill his military the board of supervisors. Be- obligation while completing his coming a cooperator does not education or working at his civiinvolve any financial obligation. lian job. farmer and rancher coopera-15,000 each year. Last year these cooperators cover 1,180,000 acres and stubblemulched 256,000 acres of Texas 1.322,000 acres and had 6,963,000 acres under defedred grazing. They built 10,700 miles of ter-7.540 miles of waterways, built over 10,000 ponds and leveled 74,000 acres of land for proper irrigation.

George Walls and Miss Nor Massey both of Snyder spent the checkers, with plenty of tables. week end with his parent,s Mr. Admission will be 25c per perand Mrs. W. V. Walls here.

field and Mrs. Stubblefield

Eula F. F. A. Boys Re - Elect Dale **Davis President**

Chapter by-laws were suspendin order for the chapter to reelect President Dale Davis for the 1956-57 school year.

Twenty three members of the Texas, 2nd Class Matter, Act of Eula Chapter met at the Agriculture building for the meeting and the main business presented was the election of officers for the coming year. Dale Davis was unanimously elected by acclaimmation after a motion was carthat no boy could hold the same office for two was suspended.

pect, Cards of Thanks, etc., 2c advancements during the past another batch of eggs for the turned a few days ago from an day were: year under the leadership of market. Davis.

the character, standing or re- Vice-President, Curtis Lipham; visited their mother, Mrs. Jas- points while gone. putation of any person, firm or Secretary, Jerrell Martin; Trea- per McCoy Thursday. corporation which may appear in the columns of The Star will er, Charles Dick; Sentinal, Bill Worth and Mrs. Ed Star and lithome a few days ago from CCC be gladly corrected upon being Harris; Parlimentarian, Thomas tle daughter, of Thurber, were Camp in Arizona. Caton; Historian, Jerry Neal. guests of Mrs. C. G. Bloom last Mrs. C. B. Holmes and son, organization. The adviser is Mr. Claude H.

The Eula Chapter has been organized for 6 years and this year the membership was thirty boys. All members are looking

Emphasis On Reserve Military Training Throughout Texas

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country." These familiar words are particularly applicable to the young Texans of today, says Major General Lewis S. Griffing, Texas has 172 soil conservation Chief of the Texas Miltary Dis-

"The Armed Forces Reserve Each soil conservation district has a program whereby all qualwas organized after landowners ified young men can come to of the area voted to have such the aid of their country." Gen. a district. SCDs are legal sub- Griffing explained,"and with the divisions of state government, least interruption to their civil-

school districts, but they have no General Griffing, speaking in taxing power. Each is governed connection with Military Reserve by a board of five survisors who Week (April 22-28), pointed out and who are elected by farmers menting a program designed esand ranchers of the district. pecially for the youth of Amer-Any landowner can become a ica. This program permits a

Texas SCDs now have 172,000 Here's the way it works, he join's a Ready Reserve unit or a tors, and the figure grows by National Guard unit. He can finish high school (if he doesn't - cropped reach the age of 20 first), then go on six months active duty for He is then prepared They controlled brush on for his Ready Reserve service.

Baird Rebekahs To Sponsor Game Night

Baird Rebekah Lodge is sponsoring a Game Night, to be held Friday night, April 27, at the Odd Fellow Hall. There will be a games of canasta, forty-two and

Everyone is cordially invited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilbert of Spur spent Sunday night with her brother Dr. M. L. Stubble-field and Mrs. Stubble-field and Mrs. Stubble-field and Mrs. Stubble-field and Mrs. Stubble-field specified and served as refreshments.

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Mrs. Frank Harp has returned from a visit with her son Gord at the regular meeting of the don, who is attending agriculon, who is attending agricul-ure school at Fort Collins, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hart and mother, Mrs. E. B. Hart are vis-iting in New Mexico this week. Eula Future Farmers on April 9 ture school at Fort Collins, Colo.

children spent the week end with Mrs. Gee's sister, Mrs. Chas. Roe Keilty in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ross and with home folks.

little daughter, Helen Morine, Appleton.

W. O. (Billy) Maltby, of Ad- Dr. and Mrs. Rumph The chapter has made many miral, was in town Tuesday with

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APRIL 17. 1936

Texas, spent the Easter holidays Snyder Thursday.

the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fite rence went to Fort Worth Friday, returning Saturday, accom-Miss Opal McFarlane and Lee pained by Mrs. Pete Slatten and ried that the chapter rule stating Powell visited friends in Abilene children who will spend a few

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holmes reextended visit with relatives at Mr. and Mrs. Press Morris and Koperal. They also visited rela-Other officers elected were: little daughter, Jo, of Coleman, tives at Memphis and other first vice president; Lee Welch

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

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Area Firemen Again Name Jim Asbury Secretary Of Group

James C. Asbury, Baird city secretary and veteran fireman, was re-elected secretary of the Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haley, Mid-West Firemen's Association students in the University of in semi-annual convention at

Approximately 100 visiting Mrs. S. P. Rumph, Misses Polly firemen attended the convention spent the week end in Cisco, Rumph and Mary Alice Law- which ended Thursday night with a Firemen's Ball in the Snyder Veterans' . Club.

Haskell was named by the days with Mrs. Slatten's parents The convention will be held next group as its next convention site. October

Other officers elected Thurs-

Charlie Bennett of Rotan, president; Bill Brown of Snyder, of Albany, second vice president; Tom B. Smartt, son of Mr. Rev. Joe P. Self, Jr., of Albany,

re-elected chaplain. Bennett will succeed Roy Lusk of Haskell as president of the

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and sister, Mrs. Frank Bearden. Abilene one night last week.

Mrs. Willis Baulch visited the Rex Baulch family in Gainesville last week.

C. B. Jr., of Austin, spent the Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stanley week end with their daughter attended "Saddles To Jets" in attended the firemen convention in Snyder last Thursday.

> Robert Fowler attended the diamond jubilee celebration in Abilene first of last week.

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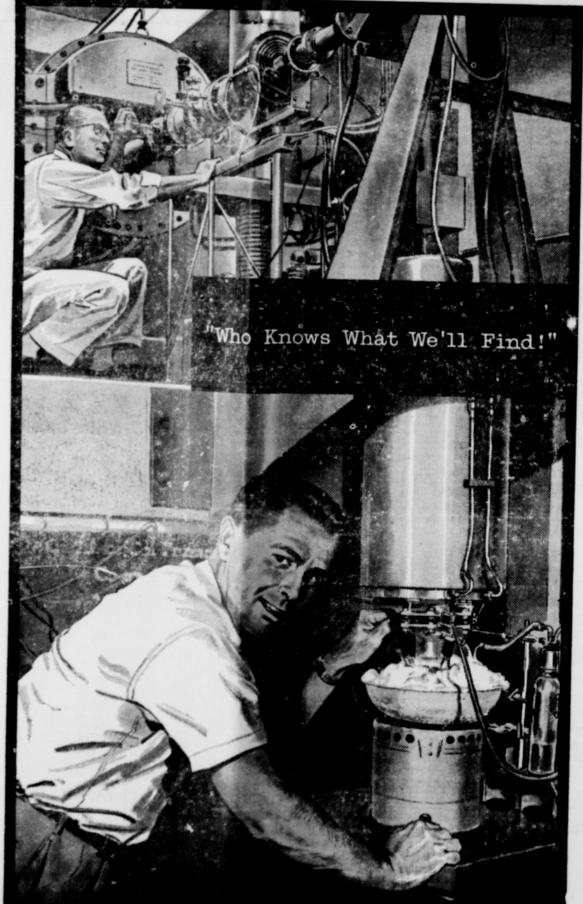
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W. B. Jones and Paul their son and brother, George Jones in Denton during the week end.

Mrs. T. P. Bearden and Mrs. M. D. Bell attended the Eastern Star school of instruction in Ranger last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daniel were week end visitors in San Antonio where they were joined by their son, Leon Daniel and family from Corpus Christi.

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SCRANTON NEWS Lynda Ledbetter

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simmons of Sweetwater visited in Scranton over the week end.

Mrs. Minnie Elam was on the sick list last week.

Miss Nelda Stuart visited Miss Wanda Avery Saturday after-

Ben Haislip is visiting his sister and family, Mrs. Raymond Sprawls.

Mrs. J. H. Elam and family attended the House Warming given in honor of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pippen

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bailey and children of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Bailey over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Lawson and family attended the funeral of ******************************* Mrs. Lawson's nephew, Earl Freeman in Brownwood last Thursday.

Miss Doris Avery spent Sunday night with Miss Linda John-

Donny Simmons was the hondored guest at a wiener roast Friday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Simmons, celebrating his 11th birthday. There were 26 guests. Games were played and gifts *****

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bailey and daughter, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reese Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darvin Ingram and girls of Stanton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Ingram W. P. Ledbetter and Miss Eunice Hembree visited Mrs. Mayme Ledbetter and Lynda Sunday

Miss Beulah Respess and Miss Hazel Respess visited Miss Eunice Hembree Sunday

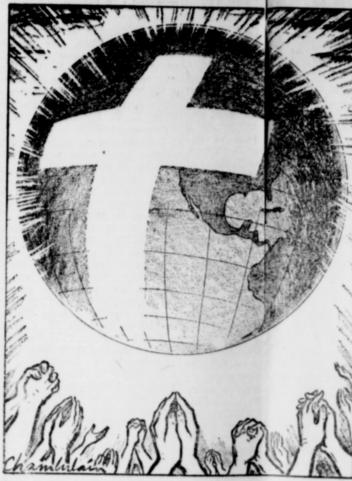
Rev. Black filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday and had dinner in the W. P. Ledbetter home.

Mr. I. W. Morgan was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday. He will be 80 years old on Mrs. Maurice Morgan. Vickie and David of Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. J W Flommings, Morgan, Millie and Billie of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bush of Cross Plains: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shaffer of Freer; Mr. and Mrs. George Morrd Judy, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan, Jr., Cheri Mrs. Albert Morgan, Vae Jeanne Mrs. Louis Morgan, Jerry and Susie of Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tonne, Bobby and Rodger

Hendricks of Eastland. Diane of San Angelo; Mrs. Glynn Morgan and Glenda of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Flemmings and boys of Burkburnett; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Flemming and Mrs. Britt Kellough, Linda and VS Carl W. Tyler defendant, ames of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. to wit: Johnson, Charles and David ton; Mr. and Mrs, Fred McCon-David of Fort Worth.

Mrs. E. C. Fulton was a visitor in Dallas the first of the week.

THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD



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Baird high school campus Thursdefeated the Baird Bears five

fifth when James Warren touched him for the Bears' only safe-

James Tyson, Baird pitcher, also turned in a creditable per-April 20. Guests were: Mr. and formance, yielding only six hits and whiffing nine Bulldogs.

and Mackey of Atwell; Mr. and ty, Texas, at the courthouse and Mrs. Garvin Jones and and Danny of Cisco; Mr. and County, Texas, at or before ten of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Dewight the issuance of this citation, Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Morgan and 1956, then and there to answ

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Campaign In Baird The Junior Wednesday Club

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met Monday night at 7:30 with Mrs. Clovie Johnson as hostess. Roll call was answered by 16 members

President, Mrs. Ray D. Black, appointed the yearbook committee for 1956-57. They are: Chairman, Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs. Bruce Bell, Mrs. George Warren and Miss Beckye Griggs.

An incomplete report on the Cancer Fund Drive was given and the amount already secured by the club was \$392.30 and there was one group of workers not finished with their soliciting. the City of Baird this year.

over to Mrs. Walton program business. chairman who introduced Mrs. a panel discussion with the assistance of Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs George Warren and Miss Floy McCaw. It was a very interestin and lively discussion with the subject being "Should Mothers Stay Home or Work," as there were several present who do work and several present who do not hold public jobs. It was very interesting to learn however, that through a recent survey that 'working mothers" do not have the lead in delinquent children. contrary to what seems to be the general opinion of so many peo-

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Bill Alexander, Ray Black, Bruce Rell, Frank Crow, Glen Green, Cliff Curtis, Emil Ringhoffer. Joe Harris, Coleman Walton. George Warren, Bill Womack, Arthur Young and Misses Floy McCaw, Beckye Griggs and Sarah Parks. Master Richie Crow was guest for the evening.

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PARTNERSHIPS

Have you ever toyed with the Sidney Harville of Oplin and idea of going into a little business with your brother-in-law or a friend? With all the opportunities these days, maybe you've thought about tying up with someone in an enterprise of your

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A partnership may be dissolv- the week end in Albany, or Bruce Bell, Mrs. Bell presented ed at any time by any one of of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Castle the partners, but a withdrawal berry.

way to combine talent, effort in violation of the terms of the partnership agreement may cause liability for damage Death or bankruptey of a partner are other causes for dissolu

tion The important thing is to ur derstand what you are gettir into and what your responsibil ties and liabilities are if thing

don't go so well. The best way to start a par nership is to enter into a writ ten partnership agreement pro pared by your attorn y, settir out in clear detail the rights an

responsibilities of each partne

Mrs. W. V. Stevenson -- er the week end in Danton visiting her daughter, Virgie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton ar Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross spent



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2½ Tons-All Makes		pounds
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2 Tons		pounds
2½ Tons		pounds

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Mrs. Charles Peek and son, Patton Leads Clyde Glen Dale, of Corpus Christi, have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy D. Williams and Mr. In Game Thursday Williams. In a baseball game on the Mrs. Will D. Boydstun returned home Monday after an exday afternoon, Clyde Bulldogs tended visit in Abilene in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Her-Bill Patton, Bulldog mounds- man Harper, Mrs. Boydstun was man, struck out 16 batters and also a patient in an Abilene hoshad a no-hitter going until the pital several days.

er. Janet remianed with her

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Harp, of

Yampa, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs.

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First Presbyterian

Church

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Virgil Hughes, Supt.

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Rev. James Price, Minister

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M.Y.F. Meeting-6:15 p. m.

Evening worship-7:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church

Rev. L. A. Hartley, Pastor

Sunday school-9:45 a. m.

Morning service-11:00 a. m.

Training Union-6:15 p. m.

(Depts. for all ages)

W.M.S.-3:00 p. m.

Meeting-7:30 p. m.

Meeting-7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting-8:00 p. m.

Church of Christ

Lonnie Branam, Minister

Ladies Bible Class-3:00 p. m.

Church of God

David J. O'Neal

Sundal school-10:00 a. m.

Prayer mee ing-7:45 p. m.

Episcopal Church

Rev. Frank Myers, Rector

Services first Sunday in each

month at 4:10 p. m.

Evening worship-7:45 p. m.

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WEDNESDAY:

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THURSDAY:

WEDNESDAY:

Brotherhood

WEDNESDAY:

Church

Morning worship-11:00 a. m.

Mrs. Leon Freeman and children, Rusty and Janet, of Midland, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. grandparents for an extended

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Carl W. Tyler

DEFENDANT, GREETING: You are hereby commanded to Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Harville of appear before the Honorable Abilene weer week end visitors County Court of Callahan Coun- with Mrs. D. F. Harp and Mr. thereof, in Baird, Callahan daughter. o'clock A.M., of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of same being the 21st day of May,

o plaintiff petition filed in said on the 21st day of February, 1955, in this cause numbered 1408 on the docket of said Court and styled the First Na-Charles of Brownwood; Mr. and tional Eank of Baird plaintiff

A brief statement of the na-

Paul of San Antonio; Mr. and note executed and delivered to Mrs. J. W. Morgan and Jessie of plaintiff by the defendent on Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Billy March 21, 1954, bearing said date George Morgan and Billy Louise payable on or before June 20th, f Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. 1954, the sum of \$205.00 with ten Boland of Scranotn; Mr. and per cent interest thereon from Mrs. J. H. Weeks of Putnam; Mr. June 20th, 1954, plus customary and Mrs. E. M. Snoddy of Scran- ten per cent as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an atnell of Breckenridge; Mr. and torney for collection also an ad-Mrs. W. S. Jobe of Putnam, and ditional ten per cent on all past Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sprawls and due interest and principal. Said note is payable in Baird, Callahan County, Texas, and there is now a ten per cent interest due on \$205.00 from June 20th, 1954, plus an additional ten per cent thereon due as attorney's fee said petition being verified for the amount of \$240.46 as of the date of filing said cause of action and judgment to bear interest of ten per cent per annum, as is more plainly shown on

> same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

> Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Baird, Callahan County, Texas, this the 2nd day of April, 1956.

> > Callahan County, Texas. 15-4-c

RUSTLERS -

(Continued from Page One) themselves over to Sheriff Ho-

Following trial of Hal, Tommy entered his plea of guilty to the

four charges. He admitted: 1. That he and Edward Lumpkin stole eight head of cattle Feb. 28 from A. L. McGinnis. 2. That he, Lumpkin, Nix and

Hal stole three head from Mc-Ginnis Feb. 21. 3. That he, Hal and Gist stole

16 head from Tom Windham Jr.

uncle, Frank Windham of Baird. and Hal Windham gave him \$50 trial. of the \$1,103 received from the cattle. He was paroled to his par- paroled youths that they must ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gist.

to one of the cases in which he stay away from "juke joints", is charged, was placed under 3 lead good law abiding lives or go years probation to the Rev. O. to prison, and report regularly H. Horn pastor of the Zion Luth- to parole officers.

stealing three head of cattle penitentiary and come on back from McGinnis Feb. 21. He said and make a good citizen. he received \$20 one time and \$30

the second time in the two cases Nix, who lived in Abilene until about a month and a half their funds ran out and turned ago, was placed on probation to his father, Carl, for two years.

He said Tommy Windham asked me if I would help him sell some cattle.' Judge Black told Nix: "I guess

you know now not to help load cattle after midnight.' Nix admitted that before the

operation" was over he knew the cattle were stolen Nix said he got \$20 for helping with the "operation."

Judge Black spent about 15 minutes giving a fatherly talk to 4. That he and Hal stole eight the youthful cattle rustlers, adhead March 13 from Tom Wind- monishing them to repay his confidence in giving them pro-Hal was paroled to another bated sentences

He told Hal Windham and Gist pleaded guilty to steal- Lumpkin that "Mr. Caffey is also ing 16 head March 20 from Tom doing you a wonderful favor in Windham Jr. He said Tommy not calling those other cases for

Judge Black told each of the Lumpkin, who pleaded guilty ployed, keep respectable hours,

Lumpkin pleaded guilty to "make them a good hand" at the Concurrent sentences can be

Homecoming Here Sunday, May 13 Baird Methodist Church, now the stone buildi in its seventy-seventh year, will stands on West hold homecoming May 13, and is known as the all former members and friends home. All denomi ations of the are being urged to make plans town used this s time. The member rship of the dist Church Northern Metho One of the early-day pastors dwindled and s of the congregation will be semoved away and cured to deliver the sermon here

ones affiliated w

ern Methodist gro

No record of charter members

that all kneel for prayer.

the pastorate of Rev. R. F. Dunn.

Baird Methodist Church Will Hold

pastors and old time members will be recognized. Methodism came to America in 1776, to Texas in 1817, and to however, a few Paird in 1879. Belle Plain was responsible for the welfare of Meadow, J. D. Odom, J. H. Chamhe first station of the Metho- the church in the early days are blin, W. J. Lee, Clovis G. Chapdist church in this section and known. The late Mrs. M. G. Webb pell(who yet survives and is from 1879 to 1884, Baird was a has been called "mother of the one of the outstanding authors circuit of that place

that day, however, all former

Baird, under auspices of the Southern Methodist Church. Following him were Rev. J. M. Lane, a Rev. Miller and a Rev. Ander-

In May of 1882, a few families f the Northern Methodist Church who had moved to Baird with the coming of the railroad, organized a church and erected

served at the same time which Then in 1909 the corner lot, will make Windham eligible for where the present church now believed to be one of the yery

modeled and moved to the pre-

In 1923 during the ministry of Rev. T. J. Rhea, the present church building was built. The building committee at that time was composed of: Ace Hickman d Street and A. R. Kelton, J. E. Alexander, J. old Buckles Brice Jones, and M. G. Farmer, with T. E. Powell and W. S. ructure for a Hinds as advisors.

Ministers in the order of their service here have been: Revs. eral families George W. Rilev, J. M. Lane, B. he remaining J. H. Thomas, J. T. L. Annis, M. h the South-R. T. Davis, B. A. Snoddy, W. Lovi Harris, W. W. Doorman William B. Wilson, Charles W. of the Baird church is available, Irvin, W. W. Moss, J. A. Biggs. mes of those Charles W. church," for she was a devout of the country in the field of re-Rev George W. Riley preached and capable leader in the early ligious books), Macon Phelan, the first Methodist sermon in years. It is said that she insisted Alfred W. Waddell, W. Y. Switzer, S. L. Culwell, P. J. Huffman, August 22, 1885, the T&P Rail- T. J. Rhea, Cal C. Wright, B. W. Dodson, M. S. Levridge, J. T. way deeded to lots where the present parsonage stands to the Griswold, P. E. Yarbrough, J. A church, and a house of worship Scoggins, Hamilton Wright, Alsie was built on the site. The build- H. Carleton, W. B. Hicks, R. H. Campbell, John H. English, Daving was erected in 1885 during id W. Binkley, E. L. Yeats, Walter Later a Sunday School room was O'Kelley, Charles Lutrick, Royce added and the pulpit moved Womack and James Price, prefrom the west end to the south, sent pastor

The Baird Methodist Church is stands, was purchased from D. few anywhere which has a pic-

S. Orr and the old building re- | ture, and brief history of the interesting feature was started pastorship of each minister ever by the late W. E. Gilliland, founto serve the congregation. This der of the Baird Star.



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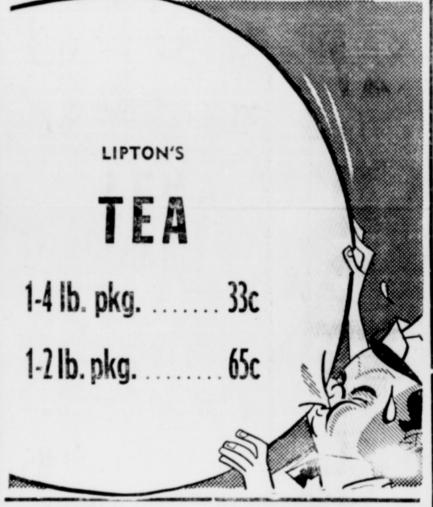
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