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McKlavenhauger On Newspapers By V. H. Torrance

My friend Bustamante Mc-Klavenhauger was in to see me early this week. I have known him longer than forever, and sooner or later encounter him wherever I go. He is the most remarkable, and probably the most civilized man I know. He has read everything worth reading and I doubt there are seven words in the language he can't spell. He can even spell Waxahachie and Nacogdoches without taking aim.

Like most talented and accomplished men, Bustamante McKlavenhauger as a man of infinite modesty, but he clings tenaciously to one conceit; he is, he asserts almost defiantly, the only ambidextrous snuff dipper in Texas. He has a mordant tongue in the presence of inexcusable ignorance. I have, therefore, lack the courage to seek enlightenment on that matter. but I am sure it is a major distinction

Bustamante McKlavenhauger is by birth, part Irish and part tain three counties, each coun-Scotch. By preference he is mostly Bourbon. He has an odd facility; you may not see him for five years but he can, without preface, preamble, or ceremony, resume the conversation tic enrollment, distances, and where you left off.

"I didn't know you made Callahan County," I said as he dropped to the bench. "Passing through," he explain-

ed.

It is his practice to migrate has been completed and the rewith the seasons between the Red River and the Rio Grande; holding to the conviction that North Texas is cooler in summer and South Texas warmer in win-

"Little late this year, aren't you?" I asked.

bladder-headed sheriff insisted

the three was an eight." I had finished editing a story and hung the copy on the hook. Bustamante reached over for it and read it.

"You're going to lose your card in the editor's union," he predicted with an amused chuckle. "How come?" I asked. I had

read the story carefully.

serted. "You're a nonconformist, marketing quotas on the 1957 crop heretic. You still cling to the belief that newspaper should be written and edited for the benefit of the readers."

When Legislature Meets Next Year Co. Sunt. L. C. Cash returned from Austin with the word that, the next Legislature will very likely abolish Texas' county In School Program school setup, including the office of county superintendent. Exceptions to the change may be Harris, Bexar, Tarrant, and

New Rural School Set-Up Expected

Dallas counties. If recommendations now approching completion are adopted by the legislature, school districts comparable to the present senatorial districts will be created. Cash suggested this 10county senatorial district may

areas

compose two of the new school Under the proposed plan each school district would be administered by a board of five members. This board would employ an executive who would have the general functions of the county superintendent. For ex-

emple, Cash explained, in a fivecounty area one board member would be elected for each county. Should the new area conty would elect one member and the other two would be elected at large.

The proposed new school areas will vary according to scholasarea

Cash recalled that the last legislature directed a survey be lilene made of county school organization. He learned on his recent visit to Austin that the survey

pleted. Exception of the four large counties to the provisions of the suggested revision is likely to insure adoption by the Legislature, Cach believes. He pointed

commendations are all but com-

that inasmuch as those out "Defective eyesight," he ex-plained with rancor. "The judge distinctly said 30 days but that will vote for any bill containing these provisions



wheat farmers over the nation "You're unorthodox." he as- to vote on whether they favor

No Early Change

Rural and urban school au-thorities in Callahan County this week agreed that proposals to tighten up qualifications for high school graduation cannot be effective the coming school year

proposed new require-The ments include two years of labratory science instead of one; an additional half unit of history or government; make physical education non-credit courses; and limit athletic practice dur-

ing school hours. These steps have been made to the State Board of Education and even if adopted in the near future could not be incorporated in curricula this year.

School Mates Joined In Ceremony At Eula

Wanda Mae Huddleston and George Edd Risley of Abilene were maried in the Eula Baptist Church last Friday night.

She is the daughter of Mr. and ley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Risley,549 EN 22nd St., Ab-

Norman Crisp performed the double ring ceremony.

Edwin Huddleston, brother of the bride, was best man. Linda Loving was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Pat Johnson, Dolores Black and Virgina Jones of Potosi. Junior bridesmaid was Joyce Hale of Seagoville, cousin of the bride. Georgie Favors was flower girl and candlelighter was Jerry Rhedes of Mesquite, cousin of the bride. Another cousin of the bride, Leo Field of Hamlin,

was ring bearer. Ushers were Adrian Huddleston, brother of the bride, Joe Dan Risley, brother of the bridegroom, and Waylan Warren. Larry Risley brother of the bridegroom, served as junior us-

her. Mrs. Ralph Brock, planist, and Mrs. Norman Crisp, soloist, furnished music.

The bride's father gave her in length dress of lace over satin. It is Gulf Ol Corp. No. 17 R. A tiara of seed pearls held a D. Williams, et al, T&NO Survey the bids have been studied. Swimming lessons. Only three failed to learn to swim. Barra of seed pearls held a D. Williams, et al, T&NO Survey the bids have been studied. marriage. She wore a waltz Baird in the Herr-King pool.

S. S. Harville, Ovalo M. C. Eastham, Fort Worth Mrs. C. J. Ault. Baird E. O. Battles, Baird A. A. Davis, Newata, Okla. J. H. Carpenter, Abilene Sarah Parks, Baird Gilmer Hughes, Baird R. D. Dalton, Baird Fabian Bearden, Baird Bessie Jobe, Putnam Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Sr., Baird Ruby Black, Abilene

New and Renewal

Subscriptions

BAIRD, CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1956

George W. Damon, Putnam Mrs. M. H. Cook, Putnam Frank Crow Baird Vernon Donoway, Putnam J. W. Evans, Baird Mrs. R. E. Bounds, Baird

Emergency Hay Program Urged

Texas Farm Bureau President Walter Hammond has urged Gov. Allan Shivers to request an emergency federal hay program for drought-stricken Texas livestock producers. He suggested county ASC committees could determine eligibility of produc-

"Direct payments would per-Mrs. Earl E. Huddleston, Mr. Ris- mit purchasing of hay on the open market," Hammond said. "This would expedite the hay program and reduce adminstrative costs."

The Texas Farm Bureau president said his organization "deems immediate action necessary to enable producers to re-tain foundation stock and to prevent a disastrous run on the market.

Eligible producers in droughtdesignated counties are able to buy feed concentrates under the present emergency feed program. Feeds eligible for payment include corn, maize, barley and

Hammond said that such feed concentrates did not meet needs of livestock for a "filler" feed such as hay

Dual Producer Flows Northeast Of Baird

A dual producer has been com-pleted six miles northeast of

What's The Gripe?

Everybody has, with vary ing frequency, the urge to air his views in print on this. or that, of the other subject. Here is your chance

This paper will be glad to publish the opinions of readers, non-readers, and anybody else on any subject under the sun, including this paper, but excepting religion.

Letters should be kept as short as practicable. All letters must be signed and bear the address of the writer -unsigned letters will be ignored. In exceptional instances agreement may be made to withhold the names of writers from publication.

Cash Bats .333 in Plea For Drivers & Teacher

Efforts of the county superintendent to gain teachers reirement benefits for two Callahan bus drivers and a teacher were one-third successful.

Co. Supt. L. C. Cash went to Austin in behalf of Ira Craw-1956 ford, Goerge Eubanks and J. H. Kelly, Eubanks was found to be eligible, Cash said, but the other two were technically disqualified

Stop Building

Monday night with a half apprehensive, half hopeful eye on Pittsburgh where the strike of steel workers could delay construction of Baird's projected new \$140,000 high school building

said, "and contractors have told us they do not believe it will." The school board would be confronted with a serious problem if, as a result of the strike, the price of steel increased con-

able \$140.000.

Bids on construction of the school are to be submitted July 31 and Ross said no alternative took advantage of the free

Officers Installed **By Baird Masons**

A new corps of officers was installed last Saturday by Baird Lodge No. 522. David L. McDonald of Santo Lodge was instal-

of Baird Lodge installing marshal

ling officer, and Russell Warren

installed: W. A. Fetterly, W. M. Gilbert Hinds, S. W. Garvin, T. Jones, J. W. Clyde White Treas., Virgil J. Haile, Secy., W. V. Walls, Chat., Sterling D. Abernathy, S.

Refreshments were served affrom Abilene were present.

Price Support Rates For County

The following 1956 rates of price support have been announced for Callahan County for Reeder told him not to."

Oats (no. 3 or better) 71c bu. Grain Sorghum (No 2 or better) \$1.93 per hundredweight. Wheat (No. 1) \$2.00 bu.

Rye (No. 2 or better) \$1.21 bu. Barley (No. 2 or better) \$1.00 bushel.

The above rates will apply from him only where the crop is stored on the farm. If the crop is stor- 3 p. m. Monday. Harwell was not ed in an approved warehouse or captured until 15 hours later. A elevator, storage charges will be deducted from the applicable ing Callahan and Taylor County price support rate for the crop. officers, highway partolmen, and

the above commodities will be supported through warehouse and farm storage loans and pur-

available through Jan. 31, 1957. **Hours Changed On** Pool Opening

Now that swiming classes have been completed for this summer the municipal swimming pool is opening at 2 p. m. Cliff Patton, manager said. The pool is open daily until 10 p. m. Patton said 108 youngsters

CALLAHAN COUNTY: fine ranches, diversified farming, and one of Texas most active oil producing areas, populat-ion 9,087, elevation 1,800 feet, annual rainfall 25 inches.

SUPPORT YOUR HOME TOWN

No Charge Seen In Gun Assault

A man your weganings

Because he has twice been confined in a state hospital, it is unlikely criminal charges will The following officers were be filed against Raymond Harwell, 24, in the alleged shooting of his 62-year-old stepfather,

George L. Reeder. Sheriff Homer Price said, after a conference with Dist. Atty Wiley L. Caffey, that an effort D., Irvin Corn, J. D., Fred A. will probably be made to have Thompson, S. S., D. A. Aber- Harwell committed to the state nathy, J. S., P. E. Dungan, Tiler. hospital at Rusk.

Ordinarily a suspect would be ter lodge was closed. Visitors charged with assault with intent to commit murder.

> Reeder, shot through the abdomen with a .22 caliber rifle, is in an Abilene hospital where his rocovery is expected.

The shooting resulted from a controversary between Harwell and Reeder over the disposal of sed tires.

'Harwell collects old tires," Sheriff Price said, "He was storing them in the garage and

Took Rifle

The two men were standing close together when the shooting occurred, the sheriff said. The instant he was shot. Reeder took the rifle from Harwell's hand, Harwell making no effort to retain it or to fire again. He fled when Reeder took the rifle

The shooting occurred about rozen or more officers, includ-Again, in 1956, the price of Ranger Jim Riddle took part in

the long search. It was the ranger who first saw Harwell, Sheriff Price said. chase agreements. Loans and Riddle was walking along Highway 36 when Harwell emerged from a culvert and started across a field. The ranger followed on fot a short distance, then, fearing Harwell would elude him again, returned to his car to radio his information and ask for help. Highway patrolmen, led by George Clark captured Harwell in a pasture about a mile south of Ray's service station,

Sheriff Price said. Harwell is being held in Callahan County jail.

Professor Named

John Lee Ware of Lufkin has



The Baird school board met

purchase agreements will be "We hope the strike won't af-fect us," President Hugh W. Ross

struction costs beyond the avail-

"Well?" I said.

'You don't have time to read as many papers as I do," he said quotas. gently. "You'd be surprised how many are written and edited for the benefit of the correspondents, reporters, stockholders, journalism professors, and whathave-you.'

I was having a little trouble with a story; I couldn't seem to find any verb in one sentence. I didn't answer him.

"You ever attend any of these sure-nuff, top-drawer, blue-ribbon publishers' conventions?' McKlavenhauger asked.

He knew I didn't and went on port a lot of hot-shot managing editors, news editors, Sunday editors, circulation managers, advertising managers. They deliver pontficial orations on how to increase the efficiency of their respective shperes of interest. But you never hear of 'em asking for the opinion of some ordinary, day-after-day, homegrown, garden-variety constant. reader.

I figured out what that sentence was intended to mean and worte in a verb.

"Why don't you bring that to points of interest in this local-the attention of the publisher's ity." Mrs. William editors' and publishers' society?' I asked

"Why don't I?" he exclaimed. "I'm a reader myself."

I went back to ask Lynn Ault something. I was not surprised Felix Mitchell, D. J. Anderson, that Bustamante McKlavenhau- John McGowen, Maria Leache. ger was gone when I returned Ace Hickman, W. V. Walls, O. to my desk. He may go father E. Warren, N. M. George, Jack north for the summer, but I Gilliland, Dick Young, Lee Ivey, have a feeling he'll be around for Al Young, and Ben Ross. a while, at least.

Someone estimated there are 24.000,000 cats in the U.S., in homes and alleys and on the back fence in full moon.

0 Mrs, Lee Ivey and granddaughters, Martha Carol and Ivy Lee Ferguson of Cisco, visited in Duncan and Oklahoma City during the week end.

Marketing quotas will be in effect on the 1957 wheat crop only if two-thirds or more of the eligible farmers voting in the referendum favor marketing

Callahan County wheat farmers may cast a ballot at the following polling places: Clyde - Community Center Eula - Schoolhouse Cross Plains - City Hall Putnam - Shackelford's Store Oplin - Schoolhouse

Denton - Methodist Church Baird - ASC Office. Courthouse

Polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and close at 7:00 p. m. An eligible voter is any person who expects to share in more than with his talk. "They always im- 15 acres of wheat for harvest on a farm in 1957 as tenant, sharecropper, or landlord.

Garden Club Visits **Belle Plain Ruins**

The July meeting of the Old Christ, with Mr. Varner, minis-Fashioned Garden Club was a pilgrimage to the site of old

lege, the business section of the Grubbs of Cushing, Okla., and town, once the county seat of Mrs. Dan Price of Seminole: a Callahan County, and other number of grand and great

A picnic supper was served at law of Mrs. Albro Wilson and

oldest homes in the county. Members and guests present of Clyde.

were: Mmes: C. Z. Anderson,

"Some women suffer for their beliefs. They believe they can wear a shoe one size smaller." -Vaughn Monroe.

The man who dares to waste one hour of his life has not dis- ens and family. Her little grandcovered the value of it .- Darwin.

Thicken a can of stewed tomatoes with cornstarch and at Baylor University Dental serve as a sauce for fish.

short veil and she carried a white Bible with a white orchid.

The attendants wore white or- had a daily potential of 117.72 gandy dresses over taffeta, made barrels of 41.2 gravity oil, plus waltz length. They carried cas- 9.96 barrels of water. Flow was cades of blue and white fenched |through a 1-4 inch choke with carnations.

A reception was held at the church. After the wedding trip to Fort at 2,422-27 fee

Worth, the couple will live at 1141 N. 31st St., Abilene. Both are 1956 graduates of

Eula High School.

Mrs. Tee Williams Succumbs At Ranger

Mrs. Tee Williams, 71, of Ranger, died in a Ranger hospital July 5, after an extended illness. She was born in New Castle, N. C. in 1885, and came to Calla-

han County at the age of 14. After her marriage to Mr. Williams, She moved to Eastland in 1918. where she had lived since. Funeral services were held Friday at the Eastland Church of

ter, officiating, Survivors include one son, and 330 feet from the west lines pilgrimage to the site of old Survivors include one son, and 330 feet from the unit of the southeast quarter in Sec-Belle Plain. Members visited Carroll Williams of Monahans; of the southeast quarter in Sec-the ruins of the Belle Plain Col- two daughters, Mrs. George tion 95, BBB&C Survey.

Mrs. Williams was a sister-in-

the Kelton ranch, one of the Mrs. Brice Jones of Baird, and School met in an annual reunion an aunt of Mrs. Charley Mosely Burial was in Clyde Cemetery,

under direction of Hammer Funeral Home of Eastland.

Mrs. John Owens Guest of Her Mother

Mrs. John Owens of Abilene spent several days this last week with her mother, Mrs. E. M. Wristen. Mrs. Owens recently returned from a week's visit in

Dallas with her son, Bobby Owdaughter, Brenda, returned home with her for a week's visit.

Bobby Owens is a dental student School.

From the Cross Cut Sand it 600 to 340 pounds casing and 200 pounds tubing pressures. Pro-

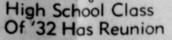
duction is fro 20 perforations

is from 44 perforations at 2,496

to 2.525 feet. Casing is set at 2,548 feet. Total depth was 2,591 feet, piugged Walker said. back to 2,537.

Warren & E. C. Johnson Co., operating from Abilene, spotted No. 3 Maggie Schaffrina. It is Maggie Schaffrina, three miles northwest of Baird in the Myers

(Upper Hope Sand) Field. Having a proposed depth of 1,650 feet with rotary, the project is 1.310 feet from the north



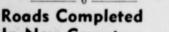
The class of 1932 of Clyde High the evening of July 6, at Kirby Park in Abilene with seven members and their families present

Refreshments of ice cream and ake were served.

Th se attending from Baird were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Konczak and son Mike, Mrs. Lynn Ault and son, Edwin; Mrs. Al Young and grandson, Bob. From Clyde were Mr. and Mrs. Mer-win Eager and children, Linda, Cecil and Frenda; J. R. Johnson, and Mrs. Thelma Goble and

daughters. From Abilene were Mrs. Johnnie Milam and Essie Lee Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Driggers of Midland spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Evelyn McQueen and Ocie.



In New Cemetery

Road work on the new citycounty cemetery was expected to be completed Friday, Com. Medford Walker said.

Approaches from the highway were installed and approximat-Daily potential from the Mo-ran Sand was 185.88 barrels of 40.6 gravity oil and 10.42 barrels

of water. Completion was on a nearly \$1,500. It was a co-opera-1-4 inch choke with packer set tive project with the city, coun- agreement to participate in the on the casing and 400 pounds ty and state highway depart-tubing pressure. The production ment participating ment participating.

The new eight-acre burial area, which has not yet been named, contains three graves, ty ASC, announced this week.

Rodeo Will Feature Texas vs New Mexico

Coleman's 19th Annual Rodeo will begin July 11 and run through the 14th. Night performances only beginning at 8 P. M. Parade each afternoon at 5 This rodeo is approved by The Rodeo Cowboy's Association, and will feature the five major events of rodeo plus wild cow milking. Also, featured will be a matched roping between Jim Bob Altizer of Del Rio vs. Troy Fort of Lovington, N. M. Top clowns, bullfighters, and special-

ty acts are also a part of the show, is the Ladies Flag Race.

Farm Safety Week

the week beginning July 22, as National Farm Safety Week. Each year many lives are lost and much property damage is done as the result of accidents on farms.

The word "vine" is applied to plants which have weak stems incapable of self-support.

give life guard instructions during August, but is not certain at this time whether is will be pra-

been appointed assistant professor of agricultural engineering at Tarleton State College, President E. J. Howell announced today.

Lion Club Members

Fogie Night Judges

Members of the Lions Club

Priesz will be awarded the old-

City Pharmacy has insisted on

giving the prizes in the women's

oldest bathing suit contest.

July 20th Is Final Date To Sign **U.S. Acreage Reserve Agreement**

The final date to sign an soil bank program is July 20. Barton B McPherson, office manager of the Callahan Coun-

will serve as judges of contests at Old Fogies Night at the muni-Producers are urged to sign agreements as soon as they have cipal swimming pool; Cliff Patdefinitely decided to participate ton, manager, announced. They in the acreage reserve. have not yet been named.

If payment is to be divided between tenant and landowner, est woman and the oldest man. both must sign agreement. First and second prizes will be Agreements are binding, and given for the oldest man's bathfarmers should not sign until ing suit, and for the oldest wothey understand the terms and man's bathing suit. Other prizes are willing to abide by them. are to be won by the best swim-Farmers who otherwise meet mers, and the best floaters, both the eligibility requirements may men and women. take part in the 1956 acreage re-

serve under the following conditions 1. Wheat, cotton, or peanuts were planted on the farm, but

were destroyed by natural causes such as drought, hail, etc. 2. A crop of wheat, cotton, or peanuts is growing on the farm, but the farmer decides to plow

under a part of the acreage in order to take part in the acreage reserve. 3. Underplanting the 1956 allotment of wheat, cotton, or peanuts either because of abnormal weather (drought) conditions, or in anticipation of taking part in the Soil Bank Program.

As nearly every farm is an individual case, farmers interested in the acreage reserve are requested to call at this office for complete details on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thompson O. P. Thompson.

Knights Of Pythias Install New Officers

Baird's Knights of Pythias Lodge No. 47 Thursday night held installation ceremonies to induct newly elected officers into their posts.

Those who were installed are C. C. Poe of Clyde, chancellor commander: Jon Hardwick, vice chancellor commander; Steve Warren, prelate: Ocie McQueen, master-at-arms; Robert Warren, secretary - treasurer; Truman Myers, inner guard; Cecil Barron, outer guard, and Fred A. Thompson, master-at-works.

Installing officer was Clive Pierce of Abilene ,deputy grand chancellor of District 13; Gray Brown of Abilene, grandmasterof Odessa spent the week end at-arms of Texas, and Claude with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Baird, deputy grand chancellor of Lodge No. 47.

The President has proclaimed

RETURN HOME

and Mrs. M. R. Simmons and Roberta Lawrence returned last

Brownfield, Seagraves and Loop.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Simmons

Friday from a two weeks vacation, visiting relatives at Olton.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM PUT

By Mrs. H. A. Pruet

Mrs. Emmetine Williams was married to Jim Tatum of Abilene Saturday night. She is the ett last week. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mabry latom. They will make their nome in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore und three children from Halifax, ger in Brownwood. lass., are visiting her parents Ir. and Mrs. Dick Ames. Mrs. Moore is the former Mary Ames. Mrs. Reid Francisco and son, Jimmy, of Grand Prairie, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Francisco

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Williams and family, of Wichita Falls, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eubank. They all have spent the week in San Antonio visiting another union at Big Spring from Putdaughter and family, Mr. and nam were: Mr. and Mrs. Her-Mrs. Calvin Gilbert and son Darrell

Mrs. Vena Shackelford has returned/home after several days visit with her mother, Mrs. Scoggins of Rogers. She was met there by a sister and family of

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Houston and a brother and wife from Corpus Christi.

Sprawls.

evening.

R. C. Hazelwood in Coleman.

Weed over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry Tatom

Mrs. Eddie Johnston and baby

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Cook

of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs.

with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen and

Dr. Paul Witt, of Abilene, vis-

Mrs. Kelly Peek and grand-

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Walker of

day with Mrs. D. D. Jones, An-

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell

Buel Everett, of Big Spring; visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ever-

Mrs. G. S. Pruet entered Callahan County Hospital Monday. Lynda Jones is spending a

visited in Cross Plains Saturday week with her aunt, Evelyn Yea-Mrs. T. J. Hoosier and children of Brownsville visited Mrs. F. P. Shackelford Thursday

Aura Frances Waddell was home for the Fourth of July with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardin of Waco visited E. C. Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey visited their son, George, who is son, David, of Merkel, were visstationed at Camp Hood. iting Mrs. L. B. Moore and Eva during the Fourth.

Those going to the Reid reited the George Biggerstaffs' bert Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Thursday Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hurst visited in Sweetwater last Smith

The Oliver Culwells and Eli week. Abernathys were fishing in Lake daughter, Marilyn, of Dallas, vis-Brownwood over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Eastus of ited relatives and friends the Abilene were Sunday visitors latter part of the week. Marilyn with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayis the daughter of Dr. Truman Peek of Dallas. nard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds Mr. Franks, of Amarillo, and and family, of Fayetteville, Ark. W. H. Cooper of Eastland and visited his brother and family. George Biggerstaff were Baird Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reynolds last visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones and week

Bud Booth of Moran was a Mr. and Mrs. Irving Pippin were visitor in Putnam Monday. visitors in Brady the Fourth. Clinton Waddell and family

visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

visit with her daughter and of Abilene spent the Fourth with nam. family, Mr. and Mrs. George Ba- | Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet.

and Mrs. Warlick Jones and worshipped at the Church of family. The three sisters are do- Christ Sunday.

ing fine home Sunday.

Mrs. Grady Leveridge of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell Breckenridge was in Putnam and Mrs. Earlene Clark were Abilene visitors Monday. visiting friends last week.

Mrs. Hubert Ray of Amarillo Dr. and Mrs. Anderson, forand Mrs. Roy Hecox of Paradise, merly of Fort Worth, have mov-Calif., were visiting friends and ed to their new home in the relatives in Putnam one day Scranton community. last week. They are daughters of

Drue and Raymond Sprawls the late Mr. and Mrs. Bob have gone to Wisconsin on business Nettie Lu Donoway is spend-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Green were ing the week with Mr. and Mrs. visiting relatives in Putnam Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco, Mrs. Reid Francisco and son, Jimmy Francisco, and Jo Verl Everett spent July 4th at Lake. visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cisco.

> Betty, Ruth, Mabel and Veda visited Mr. and Mrs. Zulus Mehaffey in Gorman Monday. John Payton Wingo and family visited the Mobley girls Sunday. John Payton has moved to

Baird from Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor had as guests for the week end: Bill Taylor and family of Weatherford, Ross Finley and family of Abilene and Homer Taylor and Mrs. Robert Young and Early wife of Cisco.

> Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Art Shaw of Odessa and Mr. Shaw, of New Jersey. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ruther-

ford of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foland Nichols and Mrs. I. G. Mobley took Hall Green to Dallas to fly to Wilmington, N. C., where he is stationed with the Coast Guard. Mildred Yeager of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. Sam Yea-

Dallas stopped a while Satur- ger last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams have moved to the R. D. Wil-Dr. Royce Pruet and family liams ranch northwest of Put-

> Mrs. Charles C. Jones of Cisco and her sister, Miss Shirley Davis of Longview, were visitors

with Mrs. Fred Cook Monday. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sprawls of way visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fort Worth have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Drue Sprawls this week.

Success nowadays is making more money to pay the taxes you would not be paying if you Donald and Billy Bowne were San Antonio visited with friends had not made so much money already.



Gerald and James Carter of Vernon were visitors here late last week

Mark, Ollie and Gayle Burnam Charter No. 3286 celebrated the Fourth by taking their lunch to the tank.

Ollie has spent most every day the past week with her mother. She and Mark took her to see the doctor last Friday. She is doing very well. Mrs. Dell Jones and daugh-

ter, Evelyn Yeager and Warlick Jones two children, Linda and Bert visited Thursday afternoon. Evelyn has a new air-conditioned car.

Bub Park and grandson, Ricki Pounds, of Idalou, came last week to visit with Mrs. Annie Park. While here they visited D. A. Yarbrough. They went on to Possum Kingdom Lake to fish. Ruth Mobley called and asked if I wanted to go to Gorman with them to visit their sister, Mary and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown have a TV set.

D. A. Yarbrough and Little Boy Jim went to the Abilene sale Monday. Jim took one cow and two calves. Brought back a load of cow feed and has gone for another load of feed today. Mark Burnam took some cows to the Abilene sale yesterday. He also sent a truck load to Ranger sale last week.



Mrs. Beulah Grantham of Pre. mont is visiting her grandmother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Poindexter.

Mrs. Tommy Windham had a nephew Jimmie Dick Murril of

New Mexico visiting with her last week. Marietta and Paula Windham were hosts at a picnic supper Hopkins' son and wife, Mr. and at their picnic grounds. Guests Worth were visiting them. were Sue Hall, Inez Windham

and Frank, Jr., Dick Murril and

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Dad Poindexter. Mrs. Hopkins and Clarice had company the Fourth as Mrs. Mrs. Lewis Hopkins of Fort - 0

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The First National Bank of Baird, Baird, Texas

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1956. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve	
balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,254,941.12
United States Government obligations, direct	1.2.5
and guaranteed	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	\$402,648.88
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	
Corporate stocks (including \$4,500 stock of	
Federal Reserve bank)	\$4,500.00
Loans and discounts (including \$2,403.20 overdrafts)	\$752,220.50
Bank premises owned \$1,000.00, furniture and	
fixtures \$700.00	\$1,700.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to NONE liens	
not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	\$1,000.00
Investments and other assets indirectly representing	
bank premises or other real estate	NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances	
outstanding	NONE
Other assets	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$5,015,667.30

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,739,854.66
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and	40,100,001.00
corporations	\$300,835.59
Deposits of United States Government (including	+++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
postal savings)	\$51,285,82
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	
Deposits of banks	
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) TOTAL DEPOSITS \$4,669,305.89	\$85,754.25
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities	-
for borrowed money	NONE
Mortgages or other liens, NONE on bank premises and NONE on other real estate	
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank	NONB
and outstanding	NONE
Other liabilities	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred, total par NONE (b) Class B preferred, total par NONE	2000
(c) Common stock total par \$50,000	\$50 000 00

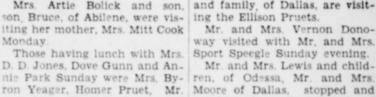
(a) Class A preferred, total par NONE (b) Class B preferred, total par NONE	1. 2	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000	\$50,000.00	
Surplus	\$100,000.00	1
Undivided profits	\$40,101.49	
, Reserves (and retirement account for preferred	Part and the states	
stock)	\$156,259.92	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$346,361.41	
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$5,015,667.30	
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dged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$578,200.00

I, Howard E. Farmer, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

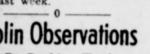


E. C. Waddell Sunday. Mrs. Mitt Cook returned to her nie Park and Dove Gunn. home Monday after several days ker, in Hobbs, N. M. Mrs. Artie Bolick and son. iting her mother, Mrs. Mitt Cook Monday. Those having lunch with Mrs. D. D. Jones, Dove Gunn and An-



Mr. and Mrs. Willie Culwell of

and relatives Thursday.



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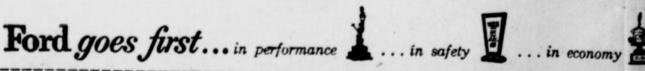
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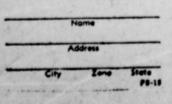
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CORRECT-ATTEST: Ace Hickman, Bob Norrell, Randall C Jackson, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank

(SEAL) B. L. Russell, Jr., Notary Public. My commission expires June 1st, 1957.

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

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

POR CONGRESS 17th District: Dan Kralis **Omar Burleson**

FOR STATE SENATOR 22nd Senatorial District Herman Fitts

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 76th District **Omar** Burkett **Paul Brashear**

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY: 42nd Judicial District **Reed Ingalsbe** Wiley L. Caffey

FOR TAX ASSESSOR. COLLECTOR: Tee Baulch

FOR SHERIFF: **Homer Price**

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT ONE: Scott Bryant

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PRECINCT THREE Clovis McCollum I. G. Mobley

FOR STATE SENATOR

22nd District Floyd Bradshaw

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han bus drivers and a teacher will feature the five major ewere one-third successful.

Austin in behalf of Ira Crawford, Goerge Eubanks and J. H. Kelly. Eubanks was found to be eligible, Cash said, but the other clowns, bullfighters, and specialtwo were technically disqualified ty acts are also a part of the for participation.

No Early Change In School Program

Rural and urban school authorities in Callahan County this week agreed that proposals to tighten up qualifications for high school graduation cannot be effective the coming school year.

The proposed new requirements include two years of labratory science instead of one; an additional half unit of history or government; make physical education non-credit courses; and limit athletic practice dur-

ing school hours. These steps have been made to the State Board of Education and even if adopted in the near future could not be incorporated in curricula this year.

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Woman Breaks Arm In Street Collapse

Mrs. S. I. Smith of Abilene has been confined to the Callahan County hospital with a broken arm since she collapsed in the street here late last week. Mrs. Smith had spent some time in an air-conditioned beauty parlor. She had left the beauty parlor and taken only a few steps when she passed out. She has no recollection of having been in the beauty parlor. Hospital attendants attributed her condition to the contrasting intense heat of the street following the cool atmosphere within. Others in the hospital this week were:

Ray Rutledge, Cross Plains; Mrs. Grady Pruitt, Cisco; Mrs. Emma Hargrave, Baird; Mrs. G. E. Sutphen, Baird; Fred Brecheen, Abilene; A. T. Scroggins, Baird: Mrs. Fred Arledge, Baird; and Mrs. B. Herring, Putnam.

Rodeo Will Feature Texas vs New Mexico

Coleman's 19th Annual Rodeo mances only beginning at 8 P. Efforts of the county super- M. Parade each afternoon at 5. Cirement benefits for two Calla- Rodeo Cowboy's Association, and ance could reach him. vents of rodeo plus wild cow Co. Supt. L. C. Cash went to milking. Also, featured will be a matched roping between Jim Bob Altizer of Del Rio vs. Troy Fort of Lovington, N. M. Top show, is the Ladies Flag Race.



STARK REALISM in make-up and placing of "victims" in the faming "bombed-out" training buildings is designed to test both the physical and emotional stamina of students at the Federal Civil Defense Administration's Olney, Md., rescue school. Effects such as the bloody stump of an arm (above) are schieved by strapping on rubber or plastic "moulages."

In Games Monday

without a third baseman.

16 to 14 in a close one

The season will end July 23

health the past four years.

The Standings

Won

games were:

and Suniga.

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tison.

Wind Floors Pool With Layer Of Mud

That ancient description of the Rio Grande - too thick to drink and too thin to plow now applied to Baird's municipal swimming pool early this week. Sunday night's high winds left

a strata of black mud across the bottom of the pool. Cliff Patton and his crew broke out the vacuum cleaner.

Putnam Crash Fatal **To Abilene Youth**

Funeral services were held at San Angelo early this week for Natividad Maciel, 19, of Abilene, who was killed at Putnam last Saturday. The body was brought to the Bride.

Wylie Funeral Home at Baird, and after preparation for burial, was taken to San Angelo. Team

Highway Patrolmen George Cubs will begin July 11 and run Clark and O. E. Lusk said the Reds For Drivers & Teacher through the 14th. Night perfor- youth seemingly went to sleep Braves while driving. The car slammed Yanks into the guard rail of the bridge intendent to gain teachers re- This rodeo is approved by The Maciel was dead before assist-



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Baird Brevities

Baird, Clyde and Eula for their the nice cards and letters, I w? Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hananha many acts of kindness shown me ever be deeply grateful and of Lawton, Okla., recently visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Seelig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Hartley CARD OF THANKS have returned home after a vacation trip a part of which was spent with his parents in Lock-

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan of Cross Plains were business to Dr. Griggs and the entire hosvisitors here last Monday

Mrs. Lvnn Bryant and daughter Sandra Lunn of Pankin, are enending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant.

Mrs. Charlie Childs spent last sek in San Angelo with her expressing our thanks and apdaughter. Mrs. Carl Pfluger. who preciation to the doctors, nurses was a natient in a San Angelo and the entire hospital staff and hospital.

also the many friends for the Mr. and Mrs Scott Bryant and lovely flowers, cards and food Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bryant of sent during my illness. Words Fort Worth visited the Bob Aus- cannot express our gratitude for tin family in Abilene one day all the deeds of kindness. May last week God's richest blessings be with

Martha Coley, daughter of Mr. each of you. and Mrs. J. R. Coley, is visiting her aunt Mrs. Glenn Eager and

Mrs. Rov Gilbreath visited her CARD OF THANKS mother, Mrs. Ernest Penn and other relatives in Brownwood I try to thank my many friends and Mercury last Wednesday. and loved ones for their watchbaseball circles that third base- Kay Gilbreath, who had been care, their words of encouragevisiting her grandmother, rements and prayers during my recent illness. I especially enjoyed panied by her friend, Gayle and thank each for the lovely gifts, beautiful flowers, and all

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walls of Frederick. Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis and sons, of the Braves won over the Yanks Odessa, visited in the W. V. Walls home the first of the week.

Nannez Coley spent the week at Lueders attending summer

Glendale, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Tee Baulch spent the week end in Pearsall with Mrs. Baulch and Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Ed Houston and family. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left Tuesday morning for their home in California. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brown and Mrs. Kate Deeds, all from Brownwood, spent Sunday in the

Roy Gilbreath home.

Mr. - Mrs. Scroggins To Live In Abilene here and in Quanah. They also Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Scroggins

left Baird this week to make their home in Abilene. Their address will be 510 Victoria. The Willard Kelton and family in elderly couple has been in ill Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Markley are vacationing in Arizona. "How much better the world The Billy G. Hatchett family would be if wo only let Oppor-tunity do all the knocking!" is vacationing in Galveston.

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere appreciation to the Worry is like a rocking - chair -gives you something to do, but Eula Sunshine Circle, Methodist Church and to the people of doesn't get you anywhere.

during my recent illness. thankful to all the blood donors J. O. Hallmark. May I someday be permitted to repay in some way, at least, a

Mrs. John Morrison

Mrs. G. E. Sutphen

and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my friends for their visits, cards, and flowers during my recent illness in Callahan Hospital. Special thanks pital staff for every consideration shown me

We wish to take this means of

It is with a humble heart that

sorrow. We are especially grate ful Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClella

Our thanks to each one of the

many friends whose loving ex-

pressions of sympathy helped

us so much during our recent

part of all your kindness.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Sam H. Gilliland

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Cubs, Braves Winners family in Winters.

It is the general opinion in men are indespensible, but the Cubs ruined that idea Monday turned home and was accomnight when they knocked off the Reds 12 to 10 and did it Brown.

After the Cubs finished proving third basement superfluous. Batteries for Monday nights

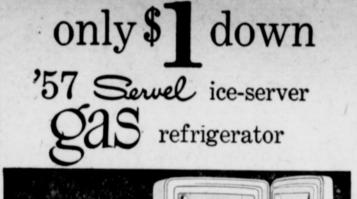
Cubs - Patterson and Chris- camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith of Reds - Manion, Dunlap, Ross, Yanks - Barnes, Cummings Braves - Floyd, Joy, and Mc-

Lost and daughters, Mrs. Nellie Penn

Dr. and Mrs. Thaxton Mc-Gowen and children of Waco are visiting his mother, Mrs. John McGowen and other relatives

visited relatives in Arkansas and Iowa. Mrs. A. R. Kelton has returned home after visiting her son,





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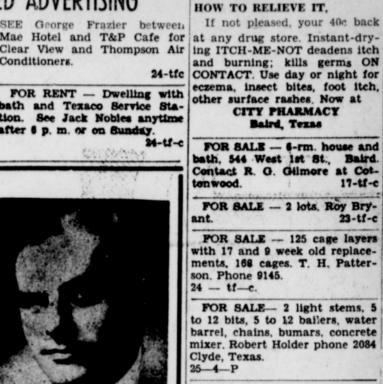
2. The losing candidate has been in office too long with too little accomplished for the people he is supposed to be representing, or he may have never been in office but also does not have a winning platform.

There is one politicians' tactic that all the people should know about. This method of campaigning has been often used by desperate politicians who cannot win by any other method. These politicians have little to offer in the way of a platform and their only recourse is to try to draw the voter's attention away from the opposing candidate's platform by attempting to create a duel between personalities. Their weapons are character assassination, prejudices, interences, and falsely creating a completely untrue or misleading picture of what the opposing candidate has said or done in the past or now.

In the heat of such animosities, both candidates soon forget why they are running for public office and their only concern is to tear each other's heart out, to stir up confusion, cause hard feelings, and in general, bring into disgrace this God given right which allows free Americans to run for public office.

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Election July 28.



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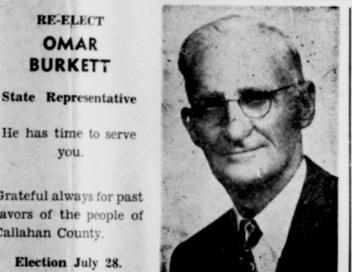
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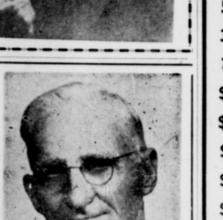
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home they visited their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will D.

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\$1.95 Straw Hats for	\$1.75
\$1.75 Straw Caps for	\$1.25
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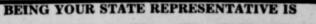
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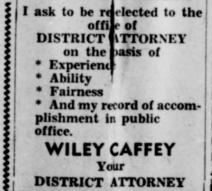
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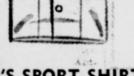






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said.

Lucille Hall **Attends Clinic**

Why should a boy 11 years old be unable to read better than a general capacity test and a read- return this coming week end to thrid grader? Can anything ing test. The corrective meabe done for him and, if so what? sures instituted are based upon

This is an example of the prothe results of theory and upon blems confronting the speech Dr. Borlan's lectures. Each clinic Mrs. Lucille Hall, third- teacher has had one child to grade teacher, has been attend-ing at Abilene Christian College work with. Asked whether the clinic is this summer. The clinic, which able to accomplish a lasting imwill close Friday of this week, provement in the child's ability is directed by Dr. Borlan. to read, Mrs. Hall said, "We don't

Forty teachers have been at- know. We hope so."

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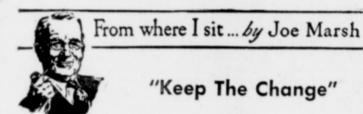
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If you've seen "Mac" Johnson this week, chances are he's told you his waitress story. For those who haven't heard:

"Mac" recently stopped at an out-of-town diner. He ordered the chef's special-and his waitress (brand new on the job) made every possible mistake. She confused the order, spilled the soup, dropped the rolls, brought him a wrong dessert.

Despite it all, "Mac" left a substantial tip. But she smiled and handed the money back. "Keep it, Mister-you've sure earned

HOME FOLKS AND VISITORS tending this clinic, Mrs. Hall

The first step, she said, is to of Temple spent the week end in Baird. Mrs. James R. Gibson study the child's background to determine the cause of his inthe week end and will be at her ability to read as well as he apartment on Vine Street for an should. The child is given a indefinite time. The McGees will

> Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop of Dallas and Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and children, of Denver, Colo., arrived Thursday

to spend several days with Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield. Lloyd Jones spent the first of last week at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. A. E. Stephenson, employee of Home Telephone and Electric Co., has been on vacation. She spent several days in Austin.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips, of Fort Stockton, spent the week end with Mrs. Perry Hughes. Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hickman are visiting their daughter, Betsy, in

San Marcos this week. . 0 Mrs. J. O. Taylor of Putnam

and Mrs. Arthur Burleson attended funeral services for Tom Kelly. Mr. Kelly was an uncle of George Kelly of Baird, and a long time resident of Putnam. - 0 -

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barron and family are visiting the E. B. Barron family in Hobbs, N. M. Mrs. Ruby Sabell and children

of Odessa, are visiting Mrs. Sabell's mother, Mrs. Bill Seelig, and sister, Mrs. Dale McIntosh. Mrs. C. D. Mitchell recently

visited her daughter, Mrs. Everett Allen in San Angelo.

Mrs. Clark Edwards is on the sick list with summer flu.

Bruce Brown and Mr. and Mrs. E B. Brown visited their brother and son, Rufus Brown, in a Fort Worth hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren and family, of Abilene, were Baird visitors last week.

Mrs. Herman Harper, of Abi-

E. Sutphen in Callahan County Hospital were her children: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sutphen, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. McGee and Mrs. Claude, Sutphen, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Sutphen and Mrs. T. G. Sweatt, all from Analso of Temple, arrived during drews; Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Sutphen of Kermit, I. B. Sutphen of Flagstaff, Arizona. Grandchildren who were visitors were: Mrs. Leonard Mprris and Mrs. Warren Costin, both of Colo-rado City, and Bloyd Sweatt of

Recent visitors with Mrs. G

Lonnie Lawrence visited Long. horn Cavern, near Burnet, on July fourth.

Mrs. V. E. Hill left Wednesday for Rome Georgia, where she will visit the next two weeks with her son, Lewis E. Hill and family.

Mrs. John Morrison spent last week in Kerrville with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Heinmann,

0 Mrs. J. T. Lawrence spent last week in Breckenridge with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Melton and family.

Mrs. Leola Martin, of Ranger, visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Williams, last Friday. .

Jim Clark of Big Spring spent the Fourth in Baird, visiting relatives and friends.

- 0 Mrs. Josephine Gardner of Galveston is visiting Mrs. J. R. Coley and family and Mrs. Al Gardner and family.

The Bernie Bryants of Fort Worth were visiting relatives and friends in Baird last week.

Bill Ray of South Texas, former Baird resident, was visiting friends here last Friday.

Hamilton Wright, of Abilene, was a Baird visitor last Friday.

Robert and Tommy Loper of Abilene, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hord the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Brown and daughter visited relatives in Fort Worth the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. V. Thompson and Mrs. Terrell Williams attended a class reunion in Comanche last week end.

Mrs. Willis Baulch is visiting her son, Rex Baulch and family in Gainesville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Joy and family, of Abilene, spent the 4th Ella Farrar.

Wildlife Official Describes Fight **Between Wild Turkey and Rattler**

(Note: In these days of science

fiction, stories of this kind are altogether too rare. This paper will be delighted to publish all the stories along this line that readers will be kind enough to

send in). A query about wildlife conflict prompted the assistant director of wildlife restoration for the Game and Fish Commission to describe a fight he once saw between a wild turkey hen and a rattlesnake. The fowl won.

Jennings, who formerly majored in white wing dove research in the Rio Grande Valey, said four years ago in April he was patrolling a country road southwest of Falfurrias in B.ooks County about 6 p. m.

when his attention was attracted to the edge of a dry lagoon. At a distance of about 60 yards Jennings noticed the hen turkey was striking the ground rapidly with her left wing and dancing cautiously around at the same time. Then, he observed

that the hen was fighting a 3foot rattler. "The snake was not dead,"

Jennings wrote, "however, it was completely cowed and showed no tendency to fight when I walked up close. There is no doubt in my mind but that the hen would have killed the rattlesnake within a few minutes, by pecking at its head.

Beef Dollar Cut Up **On Way To Rancher**

Your dollar paid for beef is sliced many ways on its way back to the rancher who supplied the original calf, says the American Meat Institute.

Here's the story, based on Department of Agriculture figures, for a typical choice grade beef steer in the 1954-55 period.

The beef eventually sold at retail for \$293.17. The retailer grossed \$51.03 on the carcass -and out of that he had to pay all his costs and taxes, and earn some kind of a profit.

The meat packer paid \$247.40 for the steer and sold the carcass for \$242.14 -- a loss of \$5.26. He also had to pay shipping charges on the carcass. He was able to make ends meet by selling the inedible by-products for \$17.68.. His net return for turning 1,000 pounds of steer into meat was \$1.45.

The feeder had a net return of \$13.57 for taking care of his part of the job. And out of that he had to pay the costs of feed, labor and shipping.

Mrs. Maud Anderson of Big Spring is visiting her sister, Mrs.

dopted a pledge to the Texas flag: "Honor the Texas flag; We pledge our loyality to thee_ Texas, one and indivisible."

The 43rd Texas Legislature a-

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ADMIRAL NEWS By Mrs. Roy Higgins

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Berry of Lampasas, and Mrs. Guy Sibley of Carbon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sim Smith.

Rev. Causey and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgins Sunday. Mrs. Emma Hargrave was tak-

en to Baird to the hospital Friday, she had major surgery Saturday and is feeling better at this time.

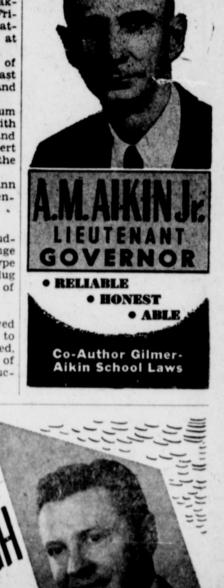
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Seminole visited a few days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lincecum of Clyde visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smartt, and Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Baird visited the Smartts.

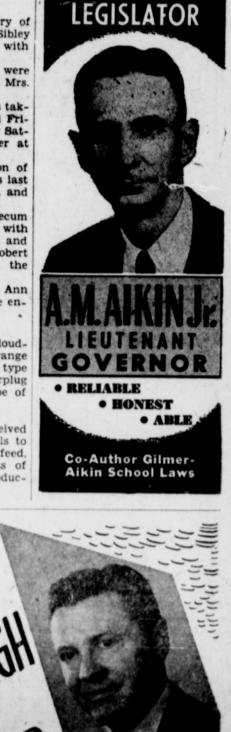
Barbara Higgins and Ann Smith are at Leuders at the encampment this week. . 0

On the market is a loudspeaker with a four-mile range -and, fortunately, a new type of wax-filled soft plastic earplug that conforms to the shape of the ear.

Finally, the rancher received \$129.47. He too had big bills to pay -- marketing expenses, feed, and the many other costs of carrying the herd which produced the steer.









it more than I have," she said.

serves credit for admitting her

shortcomings - something not

everyone is big enough to do. For

instance, I'm convinced lots of

folks know they're wrong when

they deny me the right to a glass

of beer with my supper . . . just

because they happen to prefer

some other beverage. They

wouldn't like me ordering them

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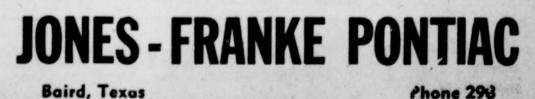
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with her paren ts. Mr. and Mrs Mrs. Barbara Wilson spent the DEMOCRAT IN THE GOVERNOR'S RACE Bob Jacobs last week in Graham. Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls spent faxwell and baby Mrs. Grove ARBOROUGHPROGRESS July fourth in Cross Plains with ome after a visit have return ity with Mr. and her uncle. in Oklahoma illmore and fam-Mrs. Warren Mrs. C. D. Mitchell and Mar-Mrs. Susie Thompson of Lawgaret Lynn, are visiting in Fort ton, Oklahoma, has been visit-Worth this week. ing her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seelig the past ten days. **REPORT OF CONDITION OF** Mr. and Mrs. Watson, of Ris-ing Star, visited their daugh-ter, Mrs. Albert Kanady the first The First National Bank of Baird, Baird, Texas of the week. AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 30TH. 1956 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyer of Abi-lene and Mr. and Mrs. White-RESOURCES LIABILITIES horn of Cross Plains, spent July Fourth with Mrs. Buford Tyson. \$752,220.50 Capital Loans \$50,000.00 U. S. Government Mrs. Homer Driskill and Mrs. Surplus \$100,000.00 \$2,306,473.40 Obligations B. L. Boydstun are visiting re-Other Investment Bonds \$289,687.50 latives in various cities in Okla-**Undivided** Profits \$40,101.49 homa Municipal Bonds Reserve for Taxes \$20,754.27 and Warrants \$402,648,88 Mr. and Mrs. George Walls, of Snyder, spent the week end with Stock in Federal Reserve Reserve for Losses. his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. \$4,500.00 Bank Depreciation, Etc. Walls. \$51,297.48 Cash and Due from Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox spent \$1,257,437.02 **Reserve** for Contingencies Banks the week end in Lubbock with Bond Premuims, her mother, Mrs. Susie Gabbert. Banking House and Furniture Improvements, Etc. \$84,208.17 and Fixtures \$1,700.00 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ray spent Deposits the Fourth with their daughter, **Real Estate for Future** \$4,669,305.89 Mrs. Gilmer Hughes and family. \$1,000.00 Expansion Ronnie and Brent Hughes returned to Austin with their TOTAL \$5,015,667.30 TOTAL grandparents for an extended \$5,015,667.30 visit. Mr. and Mrs. Blondy McIntosh DIRECTORS OFFICERS spent the week end in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Caldwell Ace Hickman Ace Hickman, Chairman are vacationing in the Ozarks in **Bob Norrell** Bob Norrell, President Missouri. Fred Cutbirth Fred Cutbirth, Vice-President Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Humphries of Sipe Springs spent the Fourth with their daughter, Mrs. Clif-ton Hord and Mr. Hord. The Frank Windham Frank Windham, Vice-President Fleming James Howard E. Farmer, Cashier Hords accompanied them to their home on Saturday and from there the Hords went to Howard E. Farmer Fred Goble, Assistant Cashier Randall C. Jackson James Eubanks, Assistant Cashier Fort Worth and visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin.

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When a deceased has no will, or dies "intestate" as the law calls it, the property of that person is distributed according to a detailed formula fixed by law. In some cases this may the way you yourself would divide it -but in many cases it is not.

The provisions of the law concerning the distribution of the and daughter in Cross Plains for property of a person who without a will are rather complicated, and all of the possibilities cannot be covered by a general statement.

Down Memory Lane

From The Baird Star Friday. January 27, 1922

white with black tips on its "Notices have been sent-out by cashier W. S. Hinds of the wings and tail, and has a wing Baird First National Bank that spread of nine feet. that Institution has taken-over the First State Bank of Oplin, Pelican's skin and will have it and that depositors will be paid mounted as a souvenir of the by the former bank, if they so Great April Storm of 1922. desire, although it is believed that the most of them will trans- birds to fly so far inland and it fer their accounts to the First is an evidence of the fury of National Bank. The Oplin Bank the storm that has, for the past was founded about two years afew days, almost marooned Baird go, Tom Windham being its pres- and its people.

ject to check."

The Baird Star Friday.

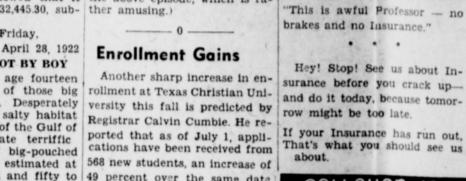
Ocean, alighted therein.

first shot.

ident and Ben Allen as cashier. (NOTE-In a 1956 interview, Fabian gives an added twist to It had a capital of \$10,000, and its last report showed that it the above episode, which is rahad deposits of \$32,445.30, sub- ther amusing.)

BIG PELICAN SHOT BY BOY Fabian Bearden age fourteen brings down one of those big birds in T-P Lake. Desperately driven from their salty habitat in the blue waters of the Gulf of Mexico by the late terriffic storm, a flock of big-pouched Pelicans, variously estimated at from one hundred and fifty to 49 percent over the same date three hudred in number, flew in 1955.

over Baird from the West Wed-He predicted a total increase nesday evening (the 26th) and of between 10 and 15 percent. mistaking the swollen waters of the T-P Lake for the Atlantic



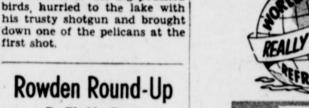
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Rowden Round-Up

By Thelda Crow

Master Fabian Bearden, who is fourteen years of age, noting

the descent of the big-pouched

Visiting in the Rowden Baptist Church Sunday was Frank Gray of Howard Payne College, Frank's father of San Antonio, and Edward, also of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stephens and Debra, of Snyder, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda Tuesday night and Wednesday. Miss Doris Williams, of Midland, who is attending Hardin-Simmons University, visited with Miss Irene Mauldin over the week end.

Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda visited Mrs. John Adair and Mr.s Johnny Adair, Bobby and Gina

Thursday evening. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin and boys over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Chief Horner and family of Abilene and Mrs. Chick Davis and daughter, Marporie of Austin. Mrs. Almer Chattam is visit-

ing Mr. and Mrs. Alec Shockley a few days.

Cottonwood News By Hazel I. Respess

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Varner, Bentley and Vedra Gay, of San The pouched fish-eater is a monster of feathered beauty. Clemente, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Durward Varner, Tommy and Juda, of East Lansing, Mich., are visiting M. and Mrs. H. S. Varner this week. Fabian carefully removed the

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and son, of Loving, Jew Mexico, vis-ited her father, J. H. Coats and other relatives here last week. Mrs. Anne Heine is visiting

other places this week and last. | The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, July 13, 1956 Mrs. Floyd Ellis was a business visitor in Abilene last Friday

Miss Linda Watkins of Cross Plains visited in the Albrecht home Saturday night and Sunday. She attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday. Mrs. Artie Foller of Baird spent Sunday night with Mrs. W. O. Peevy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Robbins and two girls, Mr. and Mrs. David Salla of Coaldale, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Robbins for a few days. The Methodist Church has a

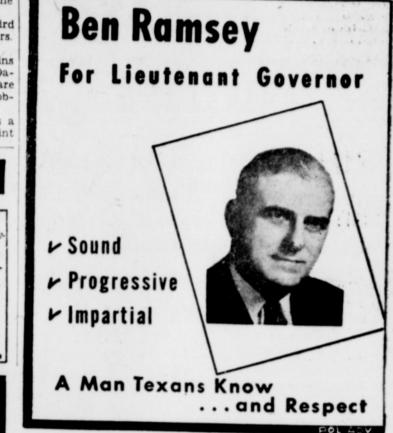
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For example, here is a general idea of how the community property which you and your spouse have accumulated will be divided if you do not make a will prior to your death.

If your husband or wife survives and there are no children. the surviving spouse receives all of the property.

If, in addition, there are surviving children or descendants of deceased children, they would divide one-half of the property, while the surviving spouse would receive the other one-half.

Of course, grandchildren do not share in the estate unless is deceased. And when descendants of previously deceased children do inherit, they receive only the portion that the child would have received, regardless of the number of such descendants.

Nothing Added

An odd note, perhaps, is that the surviving spouse already owns one-half of the community estate prior to your death, and the law adds nothing to this share where there are children surviving.

When there are only children and their descendants surviving, TUESDAY - THURS. - SAT. they divide the entire community estate between them

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform -- not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mrs. Voncille Gibbs and Judy visited Mrs. Odie Smedley and Mrs. B. Crow and Thelda Monday evening.

Tecumseh Topics By Lillian Crawford

Mrs. J. B. Sherrod and husband were planning to go to De Leon for the annual get-together singing when she fell in the bathtub and broke two ribs for which she will be wearing a cast

for at least three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crawford moved to Arlington Saturday, where Bobby will enter a training school and plans to work in an aircraft factory upon completion of the required school term. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Crawford and Stanley visited in the Grady

Jones home Sunday. Mrs. C. W. Barnard was unable to attend Sunday School becuase of illness.

"It would be tragic if, in labor's craving for greater union their parents who would inherit protection and government paternalism, we lost faith in the work of free men-and thereby lost everything."-NAM President Cola G. Parker.

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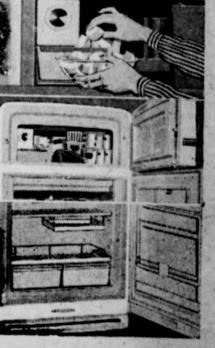
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ica visiting her brother. Bob Darby and wife, Corrie Lou, and Jones is will return sometime next week. Baird. The very best reports possible

Robert Martin has returned are coming in from the Stanley room a vacation with his father children, Debby, David and Paul, ernie Martin in Arkansas. Mrs. who are fighting nephrosis. All hartin has been in South Amer- three youngsters are improving

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Mrs. C. D. Jones of Abilene spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Bowlus, Mrs. a former resident of

Jerry Loper has returned from gon and other points on the West Coast We saw Ellen Marie and Bill

Young and their children in Abi-******* lene Know who is going to be a

dressed up buckaroo at the Coleman rodeo this week end? Frank Windham, Jr., that's who. He has some trapaderos to add to his saddle, and Roy Rogers ain't have nuthin' on that gonna'

Mary and Janet Ross packed their gear this week and took off for summer camp at Kamp Kickapoo in Kerrville. They'll enjoy weeks of swimming, hiking, boating, and all the things that makes camping fun. Artie Mae Stokes is taking a

business course at an Abilene college. Tommy Sue Pruitt has a July birthday celebration and so does

her mother, Essie Mae Pruitt. Faye Smith has a July birthday and ditto for daughter, Betty Lou Higgins. Mrs. Donald Smith of Abi-

lene, teacher in Baird schools, is visiting in the home of Mr. and ******** Mrs. M. L. Hughes

Mrs. Albert Kanady Shower Honoree

Mrs. Albert Kanady was honored with a pink and blue shower, Tuesday, July 3 in the home his vacation to California, Ore- of Mrs. V. L. Robbins. Hostesses were: Mmes. Wilma Carlile, and V. L. Robb

Mrs. Kanady received many beautiful and useful gifts and after viewing the gifts a refreshment plate was served to Mmes. Troy Watson of Rising Bertha Kanady, Virgil Star, Hughes, W. A. Robbins, Fabian Bearden, Winnie Wheat, Veda Mae Wheat of Brownwood, Dale Freeman Sheln t. Jake Collins McIntosh, Lena Bibb and Cliff Curtis.

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