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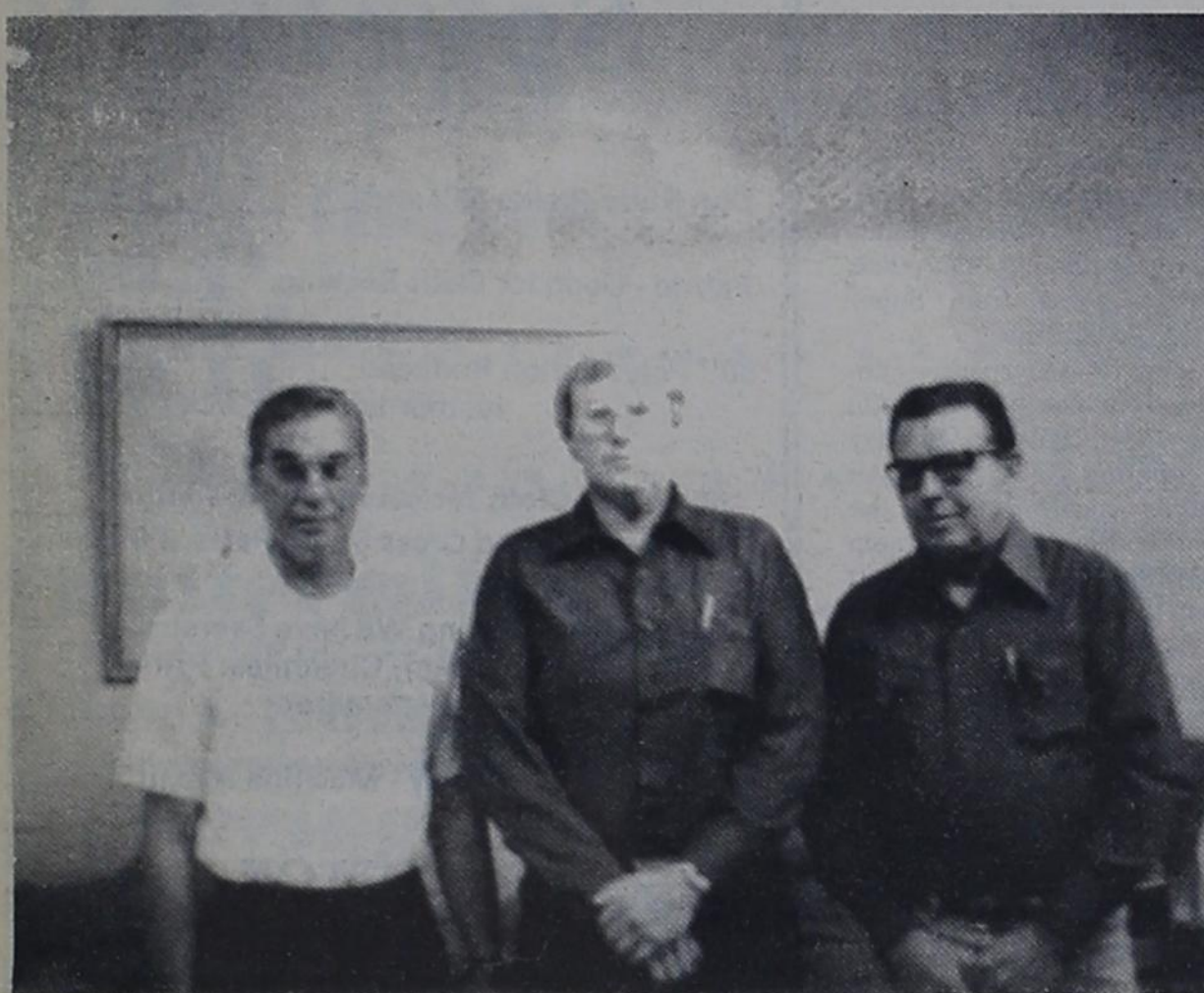
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BUDDY BRAME
... Mayor

SCOTTY MITCHELL
... Councilman

LEE ROY BROOKER
... Councilman

Junior High Tennis Teams Capture Top Honors at District

The Baird Junior High tennis team captured the team honors at the District 8-A Tennis Tournament on Monday, April 7th. Ronnie Casey and Kye Corn defeated their teammates, Bobby Lovell and Jeff Clark, 6-4, 6-1 in the finals of boys doubles. Tresa Hatchett and Rebecca Elliott also defeated their teammates, Doobie Moore and Tonya Tucker, 6-0, 6-0 to make a clean sweep in the doubles competition.

Beth Ringhoffer of Baird defeated Johnson of Jim Ned 6-1, 6-2 in the finals of girls' singles. Stephen Jones of Albany defeated Billy Deel of Baird, 6-1, 6-0 in the finals of boys' singles.

Results of the District 8-A Tennis Tournament are as follows:

Girls' Singles
Quarterfinals
Clarida, Baird, def. Carnes, Albany, 6-2, 6-0
Dacus, Jim Ned, def. Hill, Albany, 6-1, 6-0
Semifinals
Johnson, Jim Ned, def. Clarida, Baird, 6-4, 6-3
Ringhoffer, Baird, def. Dacus, Jim Ned, 4-6, 6-2, 6-0
Finals
Ringhoffer, Baird, def. Johnson, Jim Ned, 6-1, 6-2
Girls' Doubles
Quarterfinals
McCoy-Williams, Albany, Bye
Hatchett-Elliott, Baird, default
Tucker-Moore, Baird, def. Garcia-Shirley, Albany, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3

Semifinals
Hatchett-Elliott, Baird, def. McCoy-Williams, Albany, 6-0, 6-1
Tucker-Moore, Baird, default
Finals
Hatchett-Elliott, Baird, def. Tucker-Moore, Baird, 6-0, 6-0
Boys' Doubles
Quarterfinals
Baker-Middlebrook, Albany, Bye
Lovell-Clark, Baird, def. Conley-Smith, Jim Ned, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3
Tankersley-Fain, Jim Ned, Bye
Casey-Corn, Baird, Bye
Semifinals
Lovell-Clark, Baird, def. Baker-Middlebrook, Albany, 7-6, 7-5
Casey-Corn, Baird, def. Tankersley-Fain, Jim Ned, 6-2, 6-0
Finals
Casey-Corn, Baird, def. Lovell-Clark, Baird, 6-4, 6-1
Boys' Singles
Quarterfinals
Deel, Baird, Bye
Earnest, Jim Ned, Bye
Graham, Baird, 6-2, 6-0
Jones, Albany, Bye
Semifinals
Deel, Baird, def. Earnest, Jim Ned, 6-2, 6-1
Jones, Albany, def. Graham, Baird, 6-2, 6-2
Finals
Jones, Albany, def. Deel, Baird, 6-1, 6-0.

MAYOR, COUNCILMEN SWORN IN TUESDAY NIGHT

Saturday's election had probably the largest turnout in several years. A total of 623 turned out to vote in the City elections. 36 voted absentee.

Mayor incumbent Jon Hardwick was defeated by Buddy Brame, 387 votes to 236.

Incumbents Curtis Sutphen and Harold Hass were also defeated in the election. Sutphen had 236 votes and Hass had 224.

Winning candidates for council positions were Lee Roy Brooker with 395 votes and Scotty Mitchell with 387 votes.

The new mayor and councilmen were

sworn in Tuesday, April 8, by Jon Hardwick.

The councilmen, join Virginia Shanks, Robert Martin and Gilmer Hughes to complete the council. The three remaining councilmen's terms expire in 1981.

School Board Elections

Incumbents Robert Park and Pat McKennon retained their seats with 389 and 350 votes. Challenger Virginia Tollett lost her bid to the board with 112 votes.

TWO MONDAY NIGHT FIRES KEEP FIREMEN BUSY

Two fires were reported in separate areas near Baird Monday night. One fire causing a power failure in parts of the city.

Around 9 p.m., a 55 mph wind blew into Baird creating disruption to the power service and severely hampered firemen as they tried to extinguish a fire caused by fallen electrical lines. This fire was located east of Baird next to the residence of R.F. Lambert.

Thanks to alert firemen, no damage was done. Three fire trucks responded to the call.

Also around 9 p.m. there was a fire on the west side of Baird. It was apparently caused from sparks from a passing train. All the Clyde fire trucks were sent to that fire and two from Baird responded. Around 20 acres burned in the west fire.

Electrical power was restored several hours later by a WTU crew from Abilene.



TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT— A WTU power line broke about 9 p.m. Monday night, just east of Hicky Lambert's house, starting a fire that almost got to the Lambert's house. But thanks to alert firemen, nothing burned but a large area of grass.



BAIRD TAKE TOP HONORS— Pictured here are the tennis players who won first place in the District 8-A Tennis Tournament. they are, (left to right) Rebecca Elliott, Tresa Hatchett, Beth Ringhoffer, Ronnie Casey and Kye Corn.

REGISTRATION FOR BASEBALL LEAGUES APRIL 15

The registration for Peewee, Little League, Pony League and Senior League will be Tuesday, April 15, 1980 at 7 p.m. in the Baird School Cafeteria.

All parents are urged to accompany their children to the meeting.

Any support from the parents this year will be greatly appreciated.

There will also be a work day May 3, 1980 down at the Little League baseball park.

Track Boys Place In Wylie Meet

The Baird boys track team competed in the Wylie Invitational meet held at ACU Friday April 4th.

Highlighting the Baird performance was a 149'5½" discus throw by Soph. Ricky Defosses. Defosses also won 4th in the shot put and was selected the meets top field event person. Senior trackster Ricky Fleming placed 4th in the discus with a personal best of 131'.

Sid Grant, soph. speedster, placed 6th out of a large field in the 200 meter dash. Grant's time was 23.5 seconds.

Individual bests were recorded by 800 meter man Brian Fears, (2:14), Mike Duncan, 54.9 in the 400 meter dash, Scott Norman with a 25.8 200 meter time, Brent Shaw with a 59.0 400 meter dash.

Baird's next track meet will be at Albany next Friday, before competing in the District meet at ACU April 18.

Post 223 to Hold Bottle Drive Sunday

The Explorer Post 223 conducted their first April meeting last Monday night. They decided to buy their Post T-shirts from Super Sport of Abilene.

Post members then decided to conduct a bottle drive in Clyde on Sunday beginning at 1 p.m. All funds received from the bottle drive will go to help pay for the Corpus Christi trip this summer.

If you wish to join the Explorers, and go on this high adventure trip to Corpus, the deadline for joining is April 21, 1980.

If anyone wishes to contribute to the explorer fund, please contact Bill Hart, ph. 854-1732 or it can be deposited under the Explorer Post 223 savings account at the First National Bank of Baird.

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Public Hearing for Senior Citizens Program Set

A Public Hearing to gather facts for planning Senior Citizens services will be held at 11 a.m. on April 17, 1980 at the Clyde Senior Center, South 3rd and Austin.

The Hearing, conducted by West Central Texas Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging, will be one of 19 held throughout the West Central Texas Council of Governments region. It will be open to all residents of Callahan County, but will be directed primarily at

persons age 60 or over.

Included in the Hearing will be discussion about operation of Senior Citizens services under the Older Americans Act. National, State and local priorities will be reviewed with opportunity for input from the audience.

The bulk of the Hearing will be spent getting information from those present about the needs of older persons. This information will be used by the Area Agency on Aging in preparing its Regional Aging Services Plan for the period beginning October 1, 1980.

Results of this Public Hearing will directly influence the future of Senior Citizens Programs in this

County as well as in the West Central Texas Council of Governments region.

Student Transfer Deadline May 1

Students who wish to transfer to a school district outside the district in which they live should complete the necessary forms and return them to the district the student wishes to attend. Forms may be obtained at the school offices.

These forms should be filed with the receiving school before May 1, 1980 for the 1980-81 school year.

Ada Miller Expires Monday

Services for Ada Ethal Miller, 93, a 74 year resident of Cross Plains who died Monday, was at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel.

Dr. Toby Irwin, pastor of First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Dreesey Cemetery.

Born March 14, 1888, in Brown County, she was a Baptist. She married James A. Miller March 30, 1903 in Comanche. He died Dec. 18, 1962.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmy of Calif. Claud of Lake Brownwood and Scott of Alamogordo, N.M.; three daughters, Dona Neeb of Cross Plains, Pauline Mustain of Truth or Consequences, N.M. and Adon Evans of Kerrville; a brother, Clarence Duncan of Midland; 15 grandchildren; and 29 great grandchildren.

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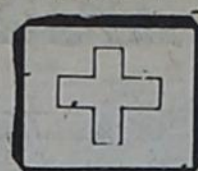
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HOSPITAL NOTES

BAIRD- The following persons were admitted to Callahan General Hospital last week:

Iva Reed
Annie Wood
Matilda Bates
Phillip Rodriguez
Ray Thornton
Otis Conlee
Robert McCormick
Lena Beard
Bernice Bryant
Gladys Lambard
Curtis Perryman
Wesley Holcomb

The following persons were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

Ray Thornton
Edda Saddler

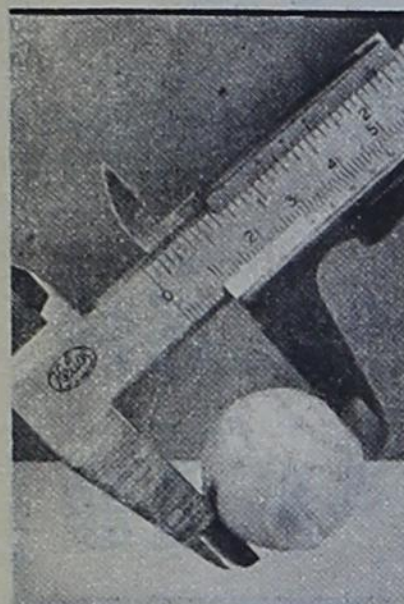
Edah Best
Bernice Bryant
Tillie Bates
Gladys Lambard
R.W. Eudaley
Robert McCormick

Phillip Rodriguez
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Margarita Ybarra
Robert Smedley
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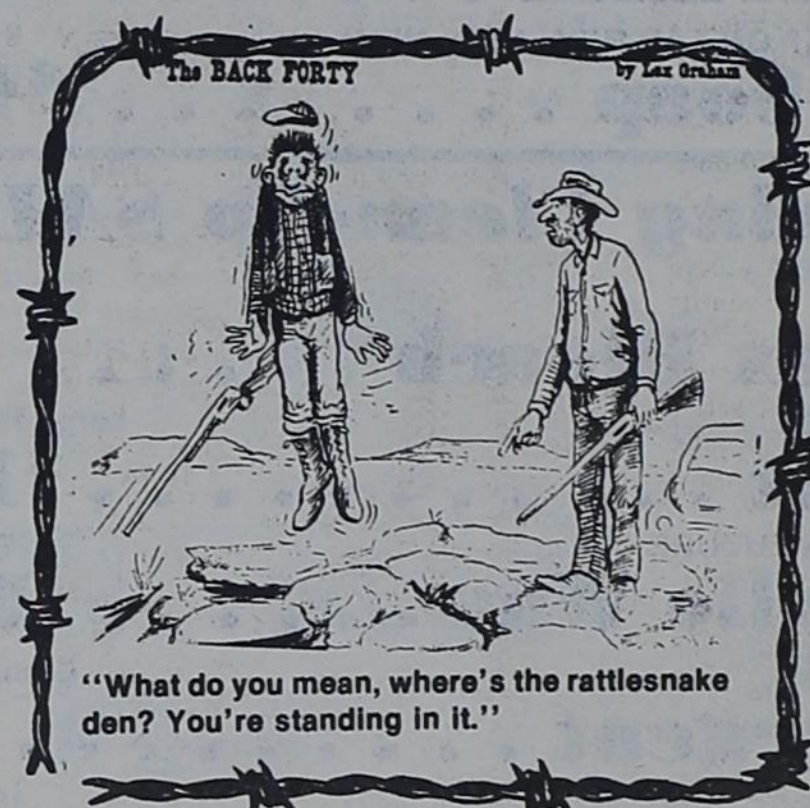
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April Fools Volleyball Tournament Results

The April Fool's Volleyball Tournament was wound up last week. Winners were as follows:

Womens- First place, The Fifties in Clyde, Lynda Goble, Joyce Hullum, Barbara Cullen, Linda Williams, Maurine Shewmake, Kay Hicks and Marca Chrane.

Second place, The Alley Cats, Wilda Joy, Pat Dyer, Judy Franke, Carolyn Graves, Virginia Shanks and Gayle Parkhill.

Third place- Aspermont. In mens competition, First place went to- Tuscola-Roberson

Second place- Bennett & Baucam

Third place- The Renegades, Endgate Hawk, Garry Jennings, Pat Railsback, Ricky Loper, Mark Bennett, Paul Burns and Curtis Smith.

Many thanks are expressed to all Lions Club members that helped and to everyone who came to the tournament.



COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
Judge Mack Kniffen Presiding:

CRIMINAL DOCKET
Willie Jones Jr., DWI
Michael Troy Panagakis, DWI
David Michael Fierro, DWI
Danny Lee Gotcher, speeding
Charles Edgar Cannon, speeding
Charles Edgar Cannon, illegal parking

Jerry Johnson Arthur, speeding

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Edward Ray Yates, Clyde & Devonna Peyna McManaway, Abilene.

CRIMINAL MINUTES
William Wayne Nance, speeding, dismissed
Aaron Keith Cummings, speeding, dismissed
Randall C. Jackson, speeding, dismissed
William Wayne Nance, illegal parking, \$42, \$57cc

Aaron Keith Cummings illegal parking, \$42, \$57cc
CIVIL DOCKET

Thomas Lee Butler, Jeannie Kay Butler, divorce.

Vicki Anne Whitehead, Russell Belton Whitehead, divorce.

Valarie Sue Snodgrass, Ben E. Snodgrass, divorce.

Jeanette Sue Creamer, Forrest Grady Creamer, divorce.

State Dept. of Human Resources & Bonnie Sandoval vs. Lloyd N. Hurlburt, reciprocal child support.

TAX ASSESSOR'S OFFICE
NEW VEHICLES
Leslie H. Box, Abilene, 80 Chev. PU.
J. Paul Dugan, Clyde, 80 Chev. 4 dr.
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Robert G. Helton, Baird, 80 Chev. 2 dr.
Allen A. Teisburg, Abilene, 80 Pont. 4 dr.
Sherri Scott, Abilene, 80 Chev. 2 dr.
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International Trans. Inc., Baird, 80 Chev. 4 dr.

Garden Club Meeting Held

The Baird Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Dee Young with Mrs. J.W. Shelton as co-hostess.

Fifteen members answered roll call with the name of a favorite bird.

The topic of the day was Conservation- The Beauty of Our Feathered Friends. Mrs. Homer McIntosh discussed the feeding of birds and Isadore Grimes reported on the beauty of the wild flowers of Texas and how the highway department had helped to beautify the right-of-way of the roads of Texas. Mrs. Young had a very attractive arrangement of her own flowers on the dining room table.

During the business hour directed by Mrs. Young, president, the club reported the Baird Garder Club had won first place on their yearbook. Members of the yearbook committee are: Mrs. Lee Ivey, Chairman; Mrs. Frank Cunningham and Mrs. W.A. Hunt.

Mrs. Leonard Parker asked members to bring plants to her house for the outdoor garden at the Golden Holiday Nursing Home in Baird. The Garden is to be decorated and residents of the home may be caretakers if they wish. The committee of Mrs. I.E. Warren, chairman; Mrs. R.W. McKennon and Mrs. R.D. Williams announced the Horticulture Exhibit will be May 17, 1980 at the American Legion Building. Time is from 2 to 5 p.m. The Finance committee is selling correspondence cards of beautiful flowers and butterflies to make money for their projects, the beautification of the Bell Park and the Ross Cemetery.

During the social hour, delicious refreshments were served to the members.

The next meeting will be May 6, 1980 in the home of Mrs. R.D. Williams with Mrs. B.H. Freeland as co-hostess.

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Girls Get Ready For District

The girls district track meet will be held Thursday, April 10, 1980 at ACU.

The field events will begin at 10 a.m. and the running prelims will begin at 1:30 p.m. Finals start at 6 p.m. This meet is for varsity and Jr. high track girls.

In the high school division, Hamlin is the favorite to win, but Baird should prove to be stiff competition.

In the Jr. high division, the Baird girls are favored to win.

Varsity girls competing are as follows: Sprint Relay- Lisa Perryman, Sammie Harris, Renea Walker, Ester Mendez.

800 Meter- Jamie Pate, Sammie Harris.

100 Meter- Carla Rodriguez, Lisa Perryman, Doris Kelly.

400 Meter- Nita Perkins, Becky Summers, Ester Mendez.

800 Meter Relay- Charlotte Perryman, Marty Brumbaugh, Carla Rodriguez, Jamie Pate.

100 Meter Hurdles- Charlotte Perryman, Lisa Perryman, Dana Wright.

200 Meter- Carla Rodriguez, Ester Mendez, Ruby Kelly.

600 Meter- Tina Mendez, Terry Keith.

Mile Relay- Charlotte Perryman, Marty Brumbaugh, Nita Perkins, Jamie Pate.

Shot Put- Charlotte Perryman.

Discus- Teresa Rhynes.

Long Jump & Triple Jump- Jamie Pate.

Watch in next week's paper for the results of the district meet.

SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY

Smoked turkey, whole new potatoes, cowboy beans, rolls, milk and apple sauce.

TUESDAY

Tacos, tossed salad, pinto beans, milk and cobbler.

WEDNESDAY

Oven fried chicken with gravy, creamed potatoes, blackeyed peas, bread, milk and ice cream.

THURSDAY

Pork patties, sweet potatoes, buttered corn, bread, milk; and choc. cake.

FRIDAY

Hamburgers with cheese french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, milk and rice krispie bars.

BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY

Cereal, juice and milk.

TUESDAY

Cheese toast, juice, and milk.

WEDNESDAY

Donuts, juice and milk.

THURSDAY

Pancakes, syrup, juice and milk.

FRIDAY

Cheese toast, juice and milk.

THANKS

I wish to thank each and everyone who supported me in the Election for School Trustee. I feel that WE done very well, I might have lost the Election but I feel that I won a lot of friends, again thank you so very much and God Bless you all.

Sincerely,
Virginia Tollett

PERSONAL—

Nina and Connie Brown spent the Easter holidays in Jal, New Mexico with their son, Mickey and family.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

FOR SHERIFF

BILL W. SKINNER

Re-Election

Pol. Paid Adv. by Bill Skinner
619 E. 9th, Baird, Texas

ADRIAN HUDDLESTON

Pol. Paid Adv. by Adrian Huddleston, Rt. 4, Box 53, Clyde, Texas.

COMMISSIONER PRE-CINCT 1

M.D. ELLIS

Re-Election

Pol. Paid Adv. by M.D. Ellis,
P.O. Drawer X, Clyde, Texas

EUGENE KITCHENS

Pol. Paid Adv. by Eugene Kitchens, Rt. 4, Box 136, Clyde, Texas 79510

FOR CONGRESS

17th DISTRICT

CHARLES STENHOLM

Re-Election

Pol. Paid Adv. for Charles Stenholm by Political Communications Associates, Inc., 2017 Cedar Springs Rd., Dallas, Texas, 75201

Corley Rites Held Saturday

Albert D. Corley, 75, of Ft Worth died at 8 a.m. at a Ft Worth hospital after a two-week illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bailey Funeral Chapel in Clyde.

The Rev. Danny Whitehead, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was at Clyde Cemetery.

Born April 1, 1905, in Winnsboro, he married Verna Mae Young Nov. 26, 1931, in Baird. He worked for Vandeborts Ice Cream Co. in Sweetwater. He moved to Dublin from Sweetwater in 1956. He moved to Ft. Worth in 1963 and he was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, LaVerne Pritchard of Hardin, Ky., and Sherry Carpenter of Lubbock; three brothers, Lundy of Winnsboro, Charles of Abilene and Vernon of Sweetwater; two sisters, Mrs. Lillie Brown of Galena Mo., and Vena Corley of Haskell; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Auxiliary to Have Bazaar

The Callahan General Hospital Auxiliary met on April 1, 1980 with 12 members present.

Suggestions for raising money for the Auxiliary was discussed.

The committee decided to have a bazaar on the same day of the rodeo parade.

The bazaar will be held on the front lawn of the hospital on Saturday, May 17, 1980. All donations to be sold at the bazaar can be brought to Callahan General Hospital in Baird.

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Investments - C. D.	\$ 400,000.00	Reserve for Taxes	\$ 159,804.36
Municipal Bonds and Warrants	\$ 2,555,146.50	Reserve for Contingencies, Bond Premiums, Improvements, etc.	\$ 774,455.36
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	\$ 9,000.00	Reserve for Losses, Depreciation, etc.	\$ 784,803.05
Federal Funds Sold	\$ 1,350,000.00	Reserve for Loan Losses	\$ 89,779.99
Bank House, Furniture, and Fixtures	\$ 41,449.15	Other Liabilities	\$ 679,789.65
Other Assets	\$ 15,721.56	Deposits	\$17,947,353.52
Cash and Due From Banks	\$ 1,709,148.70		
TOTAL	\$21,044,684.64	TOTAL	\$21,044,684.64

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Betty Walker, Mae West Dorothy Key and Evelyn Hollis of Clyde, Ila Shrader, Helen MacDonald and Vida Hill of Baird were here this week for our Tues. afternoon music. Thanks ladies we enjoyed it a lot. Frankie Miller of Anson and Georgie Graham visited that afternoon and joined our singing.

T.J. Collins will live at Leisure Lodge at Clyde. We will miss him here!

Ernest Kanady and Ureana VanDerLinden are on our sick list this week and are both in the hospital.

Mildred Chelf, Evah Gray, Lois Price, Myrtle Gunn, Delia Young, Jimmie Stewart, Eliska Gilliland, Fred Farmer, Pearl Sharp, Ola Weather, Edna Whitt, Jack Tatum, Lula Lunsford, Eudora Mitchell, and Sig Blakely enjoyed playing Bingo Wed. afternoon. Mary Martin, Alta Harris, Ora Mae Wilson and Ada Haile came to play with us.

We enjoyed having our Bible Study again Thurs. morning. Bro. James Radford had been out of town for two weeks and unable to come.

Maybelle Cline and Ila Shrader came to play dominoes with Adna Walker, Edna Whitt, Fred Farmer, Lula Lunsford and Jimmie Stewart Thurs. afternoon.

We extend our welcome this week to Lillie M. Childers. We are happy to have her as one of our residents. Mrs. Childers is from Cross Plains, Tx. Please come by and visit her.

Dorothy Reynolds and Vida Hill were here for our Fri. afternoon music and singing.

Lettie Parker and Louise Joy came Sun. morning for singing and Sunday School. Thirteen of our residents attended for the Sunday School lesson.

Members of the Methodist Church of Baird were in charge of our Easter afternoon worship service.

Several of our residents had family members to visit over the Easter holidays and we are always happy to see everyone. We are all enjoying the many Easter lillies that our residents received. Hope each of you had a happy Easter.

Students Make Dean's List

Two Callahan County residents were among the 3,497 students whose fall semester grades earned them places on the Southwest Texas State University Dean's Honor Roll and Superior Honor Roll lists.

To make the regular Honor Roll, a student must be enrolled for a minimum of 12 semester hours of coursework, excluding physical education activities, and achieve an overall "B" average.

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Undergraduate courses only are considered in the tabulated list.

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Callahan County students making the SWT Dean's List are Preston Cyrus Clark of 732 East 6th in Baird and Cynthia A. Laird of Rt. 2, Box 85, in Clyde. Both are listed on the regular Honor Roll.



THE ART OF DOING GOOD

Wouldn't it sound funny if the Bible said Jesus "went about being good"? Instead it says "He went about doing good."

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Christian service is an end in itself—not a means to an end. Any other outlook will distort one's view. The real need is hidden from this person since what is perceived is twisted by his own unhealthy ego-needs.

As Jesus, we should go about wanting to do something. Our ego-needs are healthily met from deep wells of personal worth which flow from within us. And the larger agenda in our lives calls for kingdom service. Perhaps this is the meaning of the scripture, "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man" (Luke 2:52). The larger task was the end, and He was the means to accomplish it!

—Paul M. Stevens

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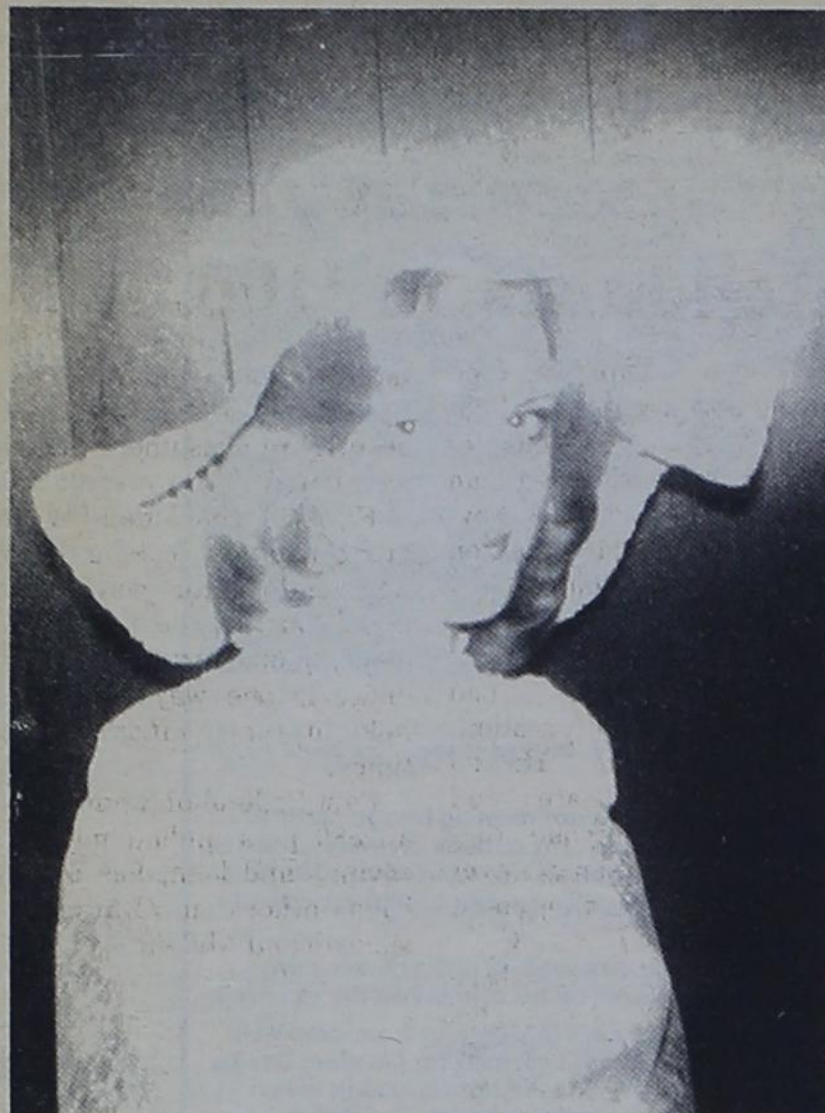
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Mrs. Froehlich
...formerly Miss Poindexter

Poindexter-Froehlich Exchanged Vows Fri.

Tonya Lynne Poindexter and Roger Andrew Froehlich exchanged marriage vows Friday at Highway 36 Church of Christ, Abilene, with Dr. Ed Headrick officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Poindexter and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Andrew Froehlich Sr., 5266 Texas Ave., Abilene.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Tammy Froehlich of Abilene, the bridegroom's sister, was maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bobby Beard, Mrs. Terry Smith and Mrs. Johnny Smoot of Abilene, sisters of the bride.

The bridegroom's father was best man.

Groomsmen were Bobby Beard, Terry Smith and Johnny Smoot of Abilene.

Candlelighters were Lori Jennings and Brenda Estes of Abilene.

Ushers were Mark Smith James Smith and J. Don Poindexter.

The reception was hosted by the bride's parents at the church and the rehearsal dinner was given by the bridegroom's parents at K-Bob's Steak House.

Tonya is the granddaughter of Billy B. Poindexter of Baird and Della Baucom of Clyde.

The bride is a graduate of Clyde High School and

is employed by the Abilene Country Club.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Cooper High School and is employed by Halliburton in Abilene.

The couple will live in Abilene at 3442 State, Apt. D.

Graves Marked in Eula Cemetery

Two years ago plans were made to mark all the unmarked graves in the Eula Cemetery. Since that time, 100 graves have been marked with 8x10 granite markers. Funds for these markers were contributed by persons interested in the Eula Cemetery.

Many of the graves were already unknown. All of the graves are now marked except those who have been buried in recent months, that their families may wish to mark themselves.

The cemetery is now kept in good condition due to the cooperation of those concerned for the cemetery.

Those contributing to the Eula Cemetery in the past six months are:

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Couple to Wed August 1

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth George of Baird are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lydia, to Boyd Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bufford W. Burns of Baird.

The couple plan an August 1 wedding at the First Baptist Church in Baird.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Baird High School and attended Baylor University and Abilene Christian University. She graduated from Americal Commercial College in Abilene, and is employed by Wolfe

and Roberson, CPA's in Abilene.

The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Baird High School. He graduated from TSTI in Sweetwater. He is employed by Baird Auto Repair, in Baird.

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Letter to the Editor:

From Jess Henley
Dear Sheriff:

This letter will confirm the conversation I had with you on 10 March at the Dyess AFB Hospital, notifying you of my intention to terminate my employment as Deputy Sheriff as of 1 April 1980.

It is with much regret that I find myself having to make this decision, but after suffering 2 heart attacks and on the advice of my doctors, and for the peace of mind of my family, I find that I must remove myself from the everyday stress of the position as Deputy Sheriff.

I would like to say that I have truly enjoyed the position that I have held since April 1978 and the association with the other officers of this County be they state, county or city and I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of them for their help and support, especially during the last 6 months, I know

that during that time that I have not been physically able to fulfill my responsibilities and I know that each of you have expended extra effort in my behalf.

I intend to allow myself plenty of time for as full a recovery as possible before committing myself to any full time employment or responsibility, but according to my health situation, I may at some future time ask the voters of this county to again place me in some position of trust.

I do desire to maintain my certification as a law enforcement officer and if at all possible would like to remain on board the Sheriff Department in a reserve deputy role.

I think that Callahan County can be proud of the accomplishments of the county Sheriff's Department over the past 3 years and the total law enforcement effort in this county.

Jess Henley

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Putnam Writer Spends Time In Hospital

PUTNAM- Hope everyone had a Happy and Joyful Easter.

This humble reporter pulled an April Fool last week and spent eight days in the Rolling Springs Hospital at Sweetwater. I want to express my thanks to Dr. Martin and the staff

of the hospital for the wonderful treatment I had there. They treated me like a baby. I am feeling fine and have the best of care. My granddaughter Debbie Guerrero and the great-granddaughters Kinni and Jenni from Gallup, N.M. are with me. They visited

their other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Williams at Baird last week.

There have been a lot of comings and goings around Putnam the past week but I haven't gotten many names.

The John Pettys had all their family with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee Ramsey and son of Glenwood Springs, Colo. visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Donaway and Jack Ramsey. All the Donaway boys and families also visited while George Lee and Nettie were here.

At the City election for Putnam Saturday, the following were elected. For Mayor, write in candidate, J.D. Fry won over Blayne Buchamon, Billy Wagley and John Doyle Isenhower won places on City Council over a number of write in votes. We are glad to see a good number of our citizens taking an interest in our City government and hope this will be the beginning of an improvement and clean up of our town.

I apologize for the lack of news. More next week and heres hoping for a good rain.

First Federal of Stamford Insures Accounts to \$100,000

In an unprecedented move last week, First Federal Savings & Loan of Stamford authorized an increase in insurance coverage up to \$100,000 on their savings account.

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Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN- Parts of Texas may fast be becoming the new dust bowl if Mon. and a few other days are a sampler. Ground is drying out fast, especially if it has been plowed a time or two since the last rain.

This writer killed the first snake of the season last week, and on Mon. saw baby grasshoppers on plants in the yard. Newspaper reports are that Texas may have an infestation of grasshoppers this year. These found in the yard seem to be getting a head start.

Mr. and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs drove to Marble Falls last Tues. for a visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gundy Gunderson. We found the road side bare of wild flowers until reaching the Marble Falls area. Trees were leaving and some blue bonnetts were in bloom. It was an enjoyable day.

Mrs. Ray Boen visited in the home of Bill and Ethel Lawrence in Cross Plains last Tues. She also had the pleasure of a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bains who also were at the Lawrence home.

Douglas and Kenneth Mauldin of Abilene spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin. The boys enjoyed fishing and riding their bikes over the farm.

Those having dinner in the Tommie Harris home Sun. were Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Terrel, Troy and Paul, Terry and Nicky Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris, Jared and Joanna, Mrs. Ivon Odom of Cross Plains and Evelyn Bartek of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wells of Baird visited Raymond Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price during the week.

Guests spending the day in the Tommy Dye home Sun. were her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J.D. Strickland of Abilene. The Bob Dye family visited in the home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell made visits on the John Schlittler and Bob Dye homes during the week.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom and Ivon Odom were, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trevey, David, Scott and Jennifer of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

Jim Reynolds of Cisco spent the weekend with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Janet.

Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Watson of Austin Hill, Maryland spent Friday night in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and sons. On Sat. Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson and Robbie drove to Wichita Falls to attend the wedding of Becky Watson and John Riley Jr.

Mrs. James Reynolds attended the funeral of Mrs. Ada Miller in Cross Plains last Wed.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week were, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Smedley, Staci and Tracey and Mrs. Gary Weeks of Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson and Jason of Dallas, the Bill Coots family of Killeen and Larry Smedley family of Arlington and Mr. and

Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde. Also Mrs. Gene Mauldin and Mrs. Tony Steele, Bill and Connie of the Community. An Easter egg hunt was enjoyed on Sat.

Douglas Dye spent Mon. in Abilene with his friend, Russell McDonald.

Fortune Rites Held Friday

Calvin Joel Fortune, 75, of Merkel and formerly of Cross Plains, died at 2:20 p.m. Tuesday at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in the Higginbotham Chapel.

Audie Moore, Church of Christ minister, officiated. Burial was at Cross Plains Cemetery.

Born April 18, 1904, in Cottonwood, he married Mabel L. Potter Sept. 21, 1934, in Coleman.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Fred J. of Hamby; four daughters, Mrs. Johnny (Kathy) Newton of Abilene, Mrs. Jackie (Eva) Langford of Merkel, Mrs. Bob (Sylvia) Collins of Clyde and Mrs. Arthur (Betty) Stout of Abilene; 13 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.





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to come with their daughters. We need to get behind the girls this year. Practice will start soon as the season is just around the corner. We look forward to seeing you Sun. April 13, 1980 at 2 p.m.

Services for Curtis Perryman, 60, of Baird, who died Wednesday when his pickup truck went out of control was at 2 p.m. Friday at First Baptist Church in Baird.

The Rev. Danny Wool-

dridge, pastor, officiated, assisted by Glenn Gray, minister of the Baird Church of Christ. Burial was in Ross Annex Cemetery, directed by Parker Funeral Home.

He was a retired Calla-

han County Co-op employee and a Navy veteran of World War II. He had lived in Baird seven years, moving here from Herford. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Pearlene Bryant of Midland, Mrs. Cheryl Hickerson of Abilene and Char-

lotte Perryman of Baird; two stepsons, Joe McCurdy of Ft. Worth and Glen McCurdy of Louisiana; three brothers, Charlie of Graham, Julius of Old Glory and Willie Hunt of Rule; 16 grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

**APRIL
1980**

COUNTY Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird Garden Club	2 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird Lions Club	3 Putnam Sr. Citizens	4 Boys Track-Mason	5
6 ATTEND CHURCH	7 Clyde Kiwanis, DQ, 6:45 a.m.	8 Baird Sr. Citizens City Council 6 p.m. Baird Delphian Club	9 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird Wednesday Club	10 Putnam Sr. Citizens District Track-Girls ACU	11	12 Boys Track-Brady
13 ATTEND CHURCH	14 Clyde Kiwanis, DQ, 6:45 a.m.	15 Baird Sr. Citizens	16 Baird Sr. Citizens Baird Lions Club	17 Putnam Sr. Citizens Baird B&PW Club Regional Track-Girls	18 Regional Track-Girls District Track-Boys ACU	19 Musical at Oplin Community Center, 7:30 p.m. Regional Track-Girls
20 ATTEND CHURCH	21 Clyde Kiwanis, DQ, 6:45 a.m.	22 Baird Sr. Citizens City Council 6 p.m.	23 Baird Sr. Citizens	24 Putnam Sr. Citizens Regional Track-Boys	25 Regional Track-Boys	26 Regional Track-Boys
27 ATTEND CHURCH	28 Clyde Kiwanis, DQ, 6:45 a.m.	29 Baird Sr. Citizens	30 Baird Sr. Citizens			
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Tennis Teams Place Second in San Angelo Tourney

Two doubles teams from Baird placed second in the West Texas Junior High Tennis Tournament in San Angelo, April 4-5. Tresa Hatchett and Rebecca Elliott, the tournament's number two seed, lost a split set decision to Paula Shriver and Beth Watson of Mann Junior High of Abilene. In route to the finals, Elliott and Hatchett defeated Stephanie Rawls and Stacy LaRue of San Angelo Lincoln, 6-0, 6-0. In the semifinal match, Elliott and Hatchett defeated Becky Barch and Kathy Rathbone of San Angelo Lee, 6-2, 6-1.

Ronnie Casey and Kye Corn of Baird also captured second place trophies in the eight grade division. Casey and Corn defeated Clay Easley and Keith Carpenter of San Angelo Lee, 6-3, 6-4, in the first round. In their semifinal match, Casey and Corn defeated Joey Zapata and Carlos

Garcia of Mann Junior High of Abilene 7-6, 6-2. David Matthews and Terry Schultz of Brownwood defeated Casey and Corn 6-2, 6-1 in the finals.

Billy Deel and Jeff Clark defeated Shawn Bollin and Jimmy Wylie of Franklin Junior High of Abilene, 6-4, 6-4, in the quarterfinals. Matthews and Schultz of Brownwood defeated Deel and Clark, 6-0, 6-0 in semifinal action.

Beth Ringhoffer defeated Sheila Gordon of San Angelo Lincoln, 6-4, 6-3 in the first round of eighth grade girls singles. Melanie Wesson of Brownwood, the top seeded player, defeated Ringhoffer 6-0, 6-2, in the round of sixteen. Rhonda Clarida was defeated by Sylvia Delbasque of Jefferson Junior High of Abilene, 6-0, 6-2, in the first round of tournament play.

Clyde Jaycees to Sponsor Calf Scramble at Rodeo

The Clyde Jaycees, with the assistance and supervision of the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse, the Vocational Agriculture Teachers in the county and the county Extension Agent wish to launch a new program. The program will be a calf scramble in conjunction with the Annual Rodeo in Baird.

The reason for this is the extend education for the youth of this county, allow them to make some money hopefully for future education and to give them a chance to have a project, learn the importance of responsibility and how to feed and care for the animal.

The sponsors of this program need a sponsor for each of the calves they hope to award. The cost is \$200.00 or a calf.

They would like you to sponsor one yourself, or in conjunction with whomever you wish in order to lower the price. If more than 1,2, or 3 go together, it is ok with them. What they want is calves for the kids. They will award as many as are donated.

The way it will work is, if you donate a calf, the kids can scramble for it, whoever catches it will own it after the county show, provided all other rules are met. If you donate money, they will buy the best calf possible and the same will be done.

The sponsors have already received \$2,000.00 in donations. Their goal for this program is \$4,200.00.

Everyone is urged to get involved in this program for kids.

Ladies Ladies Golf Association Holds Meet April 2

Shady Oaks Ladies Gold Association met Wednesday, April 2, 1980 for their regular monthly luncheon and business meeting.

Twelve members were present for the meeting. Betty Hardwick and Cubelle Harris were hostesses for the meeting.

Rene Cloud, Tournament Chairman presented Erma Kemper with a gift of three golf balls for her recent hole in one on No. 4 which she made using a 5 wood. This was a first for Erma.

Play day winners for March were as follows:

3/6/80- Point Tournament- Erma Kemper

3/12/80- Hidden Partners- Theresa Sutphen & Mattie King

3/19/80- Two Man Scramble- Laverne Tabor

3/26/80- Hidden Holes- Susie Copping

Plans were discussed for the Guys and Dolls tournament which will be May 17 and 18. Entry for this tournament will be \$30.00 per team and it will be a scramble.

School to Dismiss ay 2:30 Thursday

The Baird Public Schools will dismiss at 2:30 p.m. and buses will run at that time on Thursday, April 10, and on Friday, April 18.

On April 10, Thursday, the girls district track meet will be held at ACU

and on Friday, April 18, the boys district track meet will be at ACU. This will enable students and faculty who wish, to attend these meets and encourage our students who will be participating.

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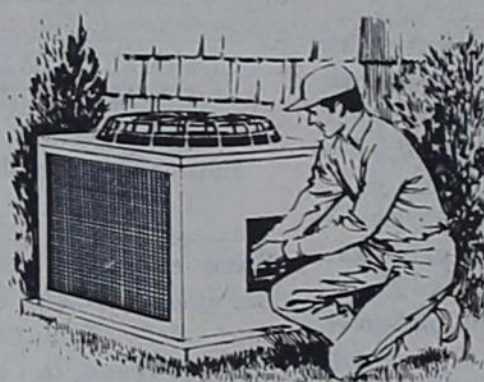
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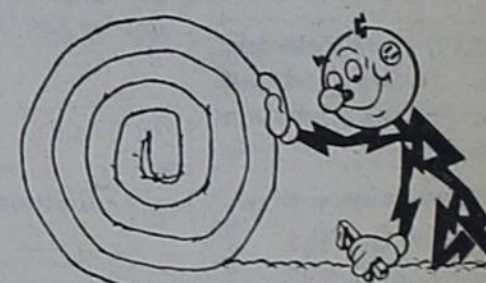


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