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HARRIS SCORES TOUCHDOWN IN ROSCOE GAME— Quarterback Darryl Harris, No. 22, carries the ball over from the one yard line on a quarterback sneak. It brought the score to Baird-14, Roscoe-8.

Three Juveniles Arrested For Burglary

BAIRD- Three juveniles were arrested for robbing Baird High School. This arrest clears up possibly five break ins at the school.

Several items, belonging to the school, were recovered by Sheriff Bill Skinner and Deputy Terry Addison.

Subjects were taken to Taylor County Juvenile Detention.

In other news, Cecil Miller, Jr., and Ronald L. Watson received an 8 year

sentence for an armed robbery committed in Callahan County. Subjects are now serving their sentence in the pen.

The Spookhouse held at the County Jail was a huge success. Approximately 300 people went through it. The Spookhouse netted over \$130.00.

The Sheriff Department stated that the Halloween spooks didn't give them too much trouble this year.

Brady Bulldogs Wallop Clyde 49-12 Friday

CLYDE- Friday night, the Brady Bulldogs defeated Clyde 49 to 12. Brady moved to 3-1 in district while Clyde is 1-3.

The Clyde Bulldogs scored first, when Larry Young made a one yard sneak. The kick failed.

After this, everything went right for the Brady Bulldogs. Halfback McDonald ran for a 47 yard touchdown. The kick failed.

Brady's next scoring came when quarterback Delos Santos passed for a 33 yard touchdown. He added the extra point. Brady scored two more times before the half ended.

In the third quarter, Brady scored again

on a 28 yard run. The kick was good.

During the fourth quarter, running back Ricky Winters ran for a 20 yard touchdown for Clyde. A try for 2 points failed.

Brady sealed it all up with a three yard quarterback sneak by Ellison. The kick was good.

Clyde had 14 first downs, 198 rushing and 23 passing yardage. They completed 1 out of 13 passes.

Brady had 18 first downs, 273 rushing yardage and 98 passing. Brady completed 7 of 15 passes.

Next Friday, Clyde will travel to Coleman for their game.

Baird Bears Roll Past Roscoe, Take on Tough Rotan Friday

BAIRD- Friday night, Baird won their fourth district game. Baird will play Rotan next week in a game that will decide who represents the district in the state playoffs. Both teams are 4-0 in district play.

Coach Edmiston was really pleased with the way his team played. They played well together and played good football.

The defense and offense both did well. The backs ran well and had good blocking.

Roscoe scored first, as halfback John Pieper ran for a 16 yard touchdown in the first quarter. Denman passed to Jay Mullins for the 2 point conversion to give the Plowboys a 8-0 lead.

But Baird jumped ahead 2 touchdowns in the first half for a 14-8 halftime lead.

Halfback Greg Austin scored on a 16 yard run and quarterback Harris hit Segura with the 2 point conversion to tie the game. Five minutes later, Harris

scored on a one yard run.

Baird's Zane Wright tackled Denman in the Roscoe end zone for a Baird safety in the third quarter.

Harris scored on another one-yard run with 11:56 left in the game to give the Bears their final margin.

Baird had 292 total offense, 165 rushing and 127 passing. The Bears completed 9 out of 15 passes and had 4 penalties for 30 yards. They had 13 first downs.

Roscoe had 200 yard rushing and 34 yards passing. They completed 5 of 13 passes. The Plowboys had 4 penalties for 45 yards. Six lost fumbles really hurt the Plowboys.

Friday night, November 9, the Bears will host Rotan at 7:30 p.m.

This is a very important game and the Bears want all their fans to come and support them. Everyone come on out and watch the Bears win!

Cubs Win 7th Straight Game

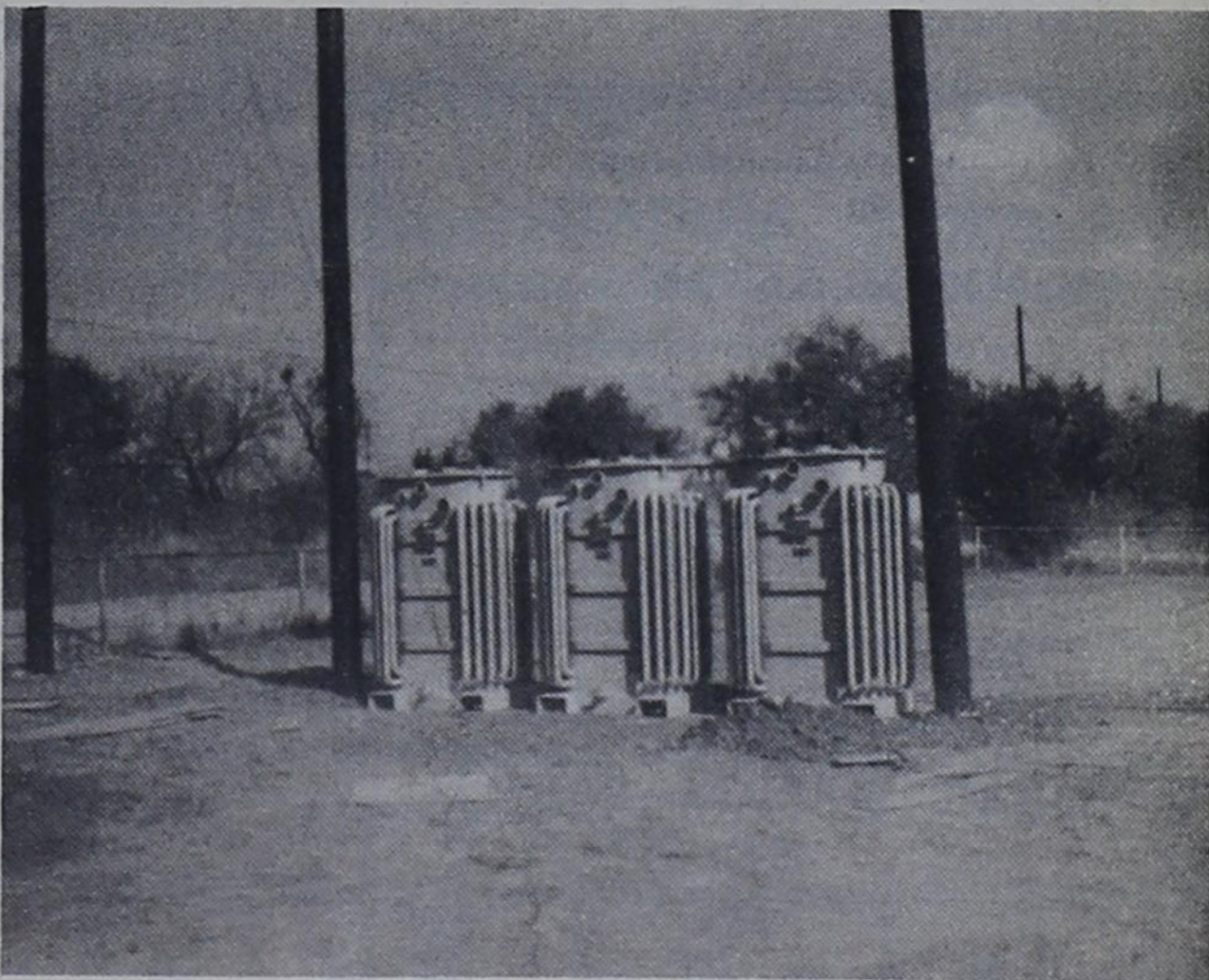
BAIRD- The Roscoe Plowboys and the Baird Cubs had a real hard fought game Thursday night. The cubs came out on top 18 to 12. The first half was all the Plowboys as they scored all 12 points. The Cubs regrouped at half and fought back the second half.

Ronnie Casey scored two touchdowns while Billy Deel scored once. The offen-

sive line did an excellent job of blocking. The defense did a tremendous job the second half.

This week the Cubs are playing Rotan for the lead in district. The Cubs are 7-0 for the year and will travel to Rotan this week.

There will not be a Junior Varsity game this week.



TRANSFORMERS TO BE HOOKED UP IN NEAR FUTURE— The north circuit will be hooked up in the very near future. The City will be ready in 2 weeks, if WTU is also ready.

The City already has one circuit hooked up with WTU.

Putnam Reporter Back After 4 Weeks Vacation

PUTNAM- This reporter is glad to be back home again. I spent four weeks at Farmington, N.M. with my daughter and husband, Mary and Ross Finley. I had a wonderful time. The most thrilling was a tramway ride to the top of 10,000 ft. Sandia Peak. We had dinner there. Then we went to Hesperus and Purgatory Colo., to see the Aspens. They are indescribable this time of the year. The whole mountain sides are one blaze of color. Also I went down to Gallup, N.M. to visit my granddaughter and family, the Gary Guerreros, and the precious great-granddaughters, Kimi and Jemi. That part of New Mexico is interesting too. It is almost a desert, but the mountain formations are grand such as Majestic Ship Rock and the Grand Old Ute Mountain. However, I was very glad to get home. There is no place like Putnam and

Callahan County. Bill and Dorothy Taylor of Weatherford met me at DFW Airport and brought me home. I just returned today, therefore I have not collected very much news. I am glad that nothing drastic happened while I was away.

Many Donations Being Given

BAIRD- Christmas is approaching real fast and we thought some of you would like to take part in a sort of "White Christmas" for the shut-ins. We have a box at the American Legion and hope it will be filled with such things as cans of pumpkin, cranberry sauce, fruit cocktail and other fruits for fruit salad. We have been given 3 turkeys so far and need one more for Christmas. Col. and Mrs. H.L. Brame, B.P. Stephenson and Irvin Corn were the ones who gave them.

Cash donations have been given by Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom and Mrs. Viva Peek.

Fruits and vegetables by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gray, Mrs. Leonard Farmer of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne.

The quilters are real busy getting out a quilt for our December Musical, but we sure could use some more helpers. We have the Center opened until 3:30 so come join the fun.

Try real hard to come to our Thursday covered dish lunch, then you can see what good cooks we have around here. Just bring your favorite dish and come share it with us.

Ferne Lee
Director

I have learned that Mr. John Petty has been in the hospital at Eastland all week with a back injury. We are glad to report that he is home now and doing fine.

Mr. G.P. Jobe and his son from Kansas left last week for South America. He will be gone for some time.

Kim Hiedelburg of

Breckenridge and John David Isenhower of Coleman spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Burham.

Mr. Chris Sunderman of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Ruie Sunderman Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dorothy Caraway of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mrs. Dovie Pruet spent Sunday with her son Benton and family at Baird.

Don't forget the regular

monthly musical at the school house Saturday, Nov. 9. Food and drinks will be served as usual.

There will be a community Garage Sale at the school house Saturday, Nov. 9, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing through the musical hours. If you can not come during the day be sure and visit the garage sale during the musical!

I want to thank Dovie Pruet for writing the Putnam news for me while I was away.

Annual Bazaar, Bake Sale Nov. 15

BAIRD- Coming on Nov. 15, from 9:30 to 2:30 p.m., the Annual Bazaar & Bake Sale of the United Methodist Women of Baird.

The proceeds will be used for our projects in the up coming year. We will also be serving lunch of pinto beans and cornbread. Cobbler will also be available.

Come shop and have lunch with us.

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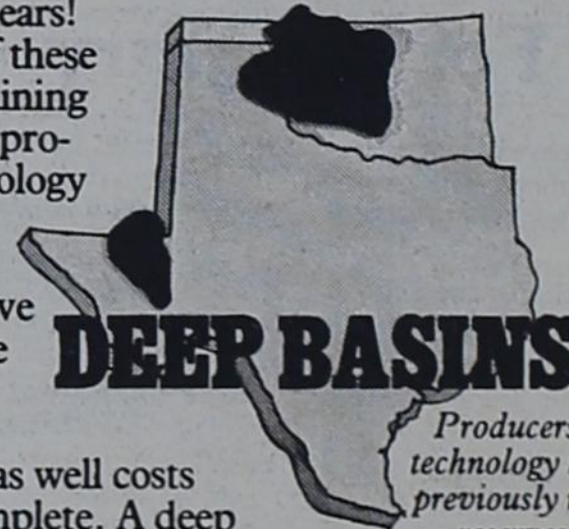
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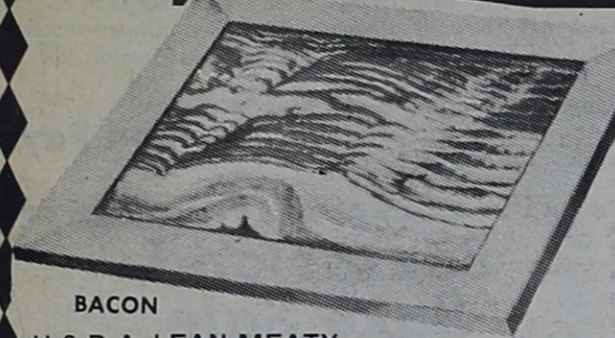
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New Technician Added to Staff

BAIRD- Callahan General Hospital is proud to announce a new member recently added to the hospital staff. Mr. Eddie Bull has been hired as the new head of the x-ray department. Before his retirement in 1978, Mr. Bull spent twenty-six years as head of the radiology department at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. He graduated from the University of Texas at Galveston School of x-ray Technology and later attended Baylor University in Waco.

Mr. Bull is currently residing in Abilene, is married and the father of three children.

Callahan General Hospital is fortunate to have



Eddie Bull
someone of Mr. Bull's education and experience as our new head of the x-ray department.

Continental, Fairchild Industries Acquire Share of Satellite System

BAIRD- Continental Telephone Corporation and Fairchild Industries, Inc. have reached an agreement in principle with Western Union Corporation to share jointly in the ownership of the company's Westar domestic communications satellite system as well as its Tracking and Data Relay Satellite System (TDRSS) subsidiary, Western Union Space Communications, Inc. The agreement is subject to approval by boards of directors of each company; the execution of a definitive agreement; and obtaining any necessary regulator authorizations.

The agreement applies to Western Union's existing Westar system, consisting of three satellites; a new 24-transponder satellite--Westar IV--to be launched early in 1982; and TDRSS,

which Western Union Space Communications is building for joint use with NASA in the 1980's.

Continental Telephone recently agreed in principle to acquire fifty percent in American Satellite Corporation, a subsidiary of Fairchild Industries. American Satellite provides specialized voice and data transmission satellite networks for domestic corporate users.

Under the proposed agreement with Western Union, American Satellite's lease for capacity on Westar will be converted to a minority ownership interest in the Westar system.

In addition, Continental Telephone and Fairchild each will acquire a 25 percent interest in Western Union Space Communications and will contribute jointly to the cost of operating TDRSS during its ten-year service period. The commercial capacity on TDRSS will be shared equally by The Western

Union Telegraphy Company and American Satellite.

Continental is the nation's third largest non-

Bell telephone company, serving more than 3 million telephones. Continental (CTC) is listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

School Menu

MONDAY
Barbecue on bun, pork and beans, cole slaw, milk and fruit cobbler.

TUESDAY
Macaroni and cheese, pinto beans, buttered spinach, cornbread, milk and ice cream.

WEDNESDAY
Steak fingers, buttered corn, whipped potatoes, bread, milk and pineapple cake.

THURSDAY
Fried Chicken, green beans, creamed potatoes, bread, milk and jello with fruit cocktail.

FRIDAY
Hamburgers with cheese french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, milk and brownies.

BREAKFAST MONDAY
Donuts, juice and milk.

TUESDAY
Cereal and rasins, juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY
Cinnamon rolls, juice and milk.

THURSDAY
Cheese toast, juice and milk.

FRIDAY
Pancakes, syrup, juice and milk.

TEACHER'S SALADS MONDAY
Cole Slaw and jello.

TUESDAY
Macaroni salad.

WEDNESDAY
Pear, cheese salad and jello.

THURSDAY
Fruit cocktail and cottage cheese with jello.

FRIDAY
Tossed salad, with boiled egg.



COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT
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CRIMINAL DOCKET
David Ross Miller, illegal parking

John Paul Peters, speeding

John Paul Peters, wrong side of road

Samuel Todd Jewell, speeding

Elizabeth Danise Pierce, speeding

Vernon Norris, speeding

Austin M. Hinds, Jr., illegal parking

Allen Marcell Rogers, illegal parking

Helen Faye Jeffers, illegal parking

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CIVIL DOCKET

Carrol Ashley McIlroy & Vivian Marie McIlroy, Divorce.

Rose Stringfellow vs. Billy Joe Hawk, Reciprocal child support.

TAX ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

NEW VEHICLES

Sarah M. Wilder, Baird, 80 Chev. 2 dr.

K&H Welding, Clyde, 80 Chev. PU

H.D. Hilburn, Jr., Cross Plains, 80 Pont. 2 dr.

Stephen John Rauchle, Baird, 79 Chev. PU

W.O. Crossland, Bay City, 79 Chev. S/W

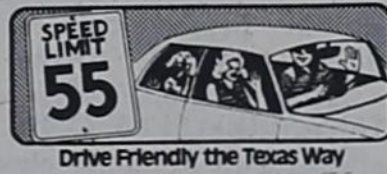
Garden Club Places Plaque

BAIRD- The Baird Garden Club's yard of the month has been placed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young, on 430 Vine St.

Shading the Teck Turf grass lawn are large pecan trees surrounded by Chinese holly and shrubs all across the front of the house. There is also a large copper and coleus plants that banks the door way.

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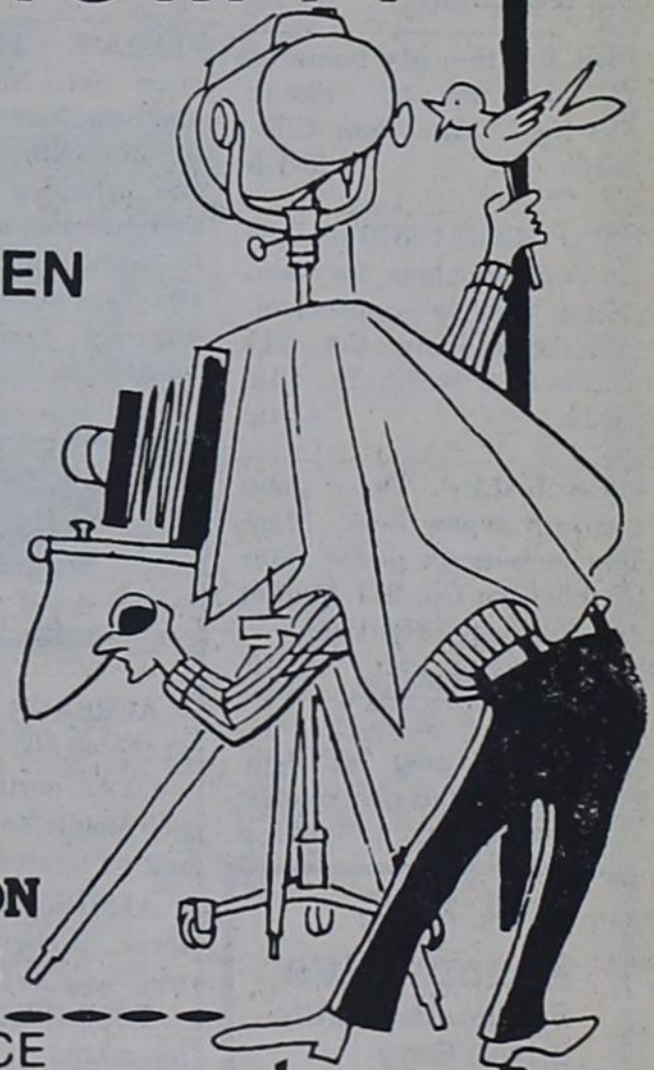
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CARD OF THANKS
 We sincerely appreciate the flowers, food, and expressions of sympathy which were so considerately given after the death of our loved one. We shall always be grateful.
 The family of Mabry Tatam 43-1-c

CARD OF THANKS
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Oil News

COUNTY- R.F. Madera of Ruidoso, N.M., will drill No. 2 O. Fleming in the Putnam, North Field in Callahan County.

Location is four miles north of Putnam on a 170-acre lease.

It spots 660 feet from the south and west lines of Section 135, University Lands Survey.

Proposed depth is 4,050 feet.

A regular field location was staked seven miles southeast of Baird as Jackie Chambers, Abilene, No. 1 Joe E. Jones.

The planned 1,500-foot venture is located on a 460-acre lease.

Site is 460 feet from the south and 305 feet from the west lines of Section 39, D&DAL Survey.

RENTALS

STAR OFFICE

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Editor:
One of our best sources for knowledge is a study of the past, so, let's do a little reviewing.

Back in 1976 and 1977 the City Council was made up of individuals who were not rabid Light Plant people but were devoted to doing the best they could taking care of the City's business. By 1977 the cost for fuel for the generating plant was escalating to prohibitive heights with not enough income to keep the City current with its financial obligations. Since the Light Plant was the canker the council set out to find a solution. WTU was contacted in regard to purchasing the electrical system and after their appraisal they made an offer in the vicinity of \$250,000. A referendum was called by the council for August 12, 1978 to give the people the opportunity to express themselves. The April 1978 City election was coming up and two council members and the Mayor were to be elected. Three men running on the platform of "saving the light plant" were elected. At the time they were seated the City had gotten up to date on its bills.

As the date of the August 12 referendum approached all sorts of stories were being told...the generators were good for 25 years...your gas bills would go up...your rates would go up but if we keep it they will remain the same...anything you might think of... but, now, the most prevalent comment I hear is that "we were lied to". As you all know, the sale of the plant was defeated by about 50 votes. Within a few weeks after the referendum the City was making plans to purchase three more generators, but the people rebelled and stopped it. As generating costs had grown to a prohibitive peak plans were started to tie in to WTU lines and let them furnish electricity for the town but to be distri-

buted through the City's distribution system. Work on the tie-in was started at an estimated cost of about \$70,000. Because of increased costs about June the electric rates were raised to about 80% higher than in other places but now, after four months of collecting those exorbitant rates which should have produced, about, an additional \$120,000, the City is having to borrow money to pay its bills. Doesn't add up to me. That is a look at the past. Now I would make some predictions for the future of Baird unless the idiotic idea of buying wholesale from WTU and retailing to you customers is stopped. All rates for all utilities will have to be too high to cover all the expenses involved. The people will rebel and within 12 months you will be begging WTU to come in and take over. I predict the Citizens of Baird are going to wind up losing about a quarter of a million dollars. WTU would buy the system now for about what they offered last year. You're spending about \$75,000 to tie in. After a few months with the plant sitting idle it would sell for little more than junk prices...so, add it up.

All that loss just because a few biased people think Baird MUST KEEP ITS LIGHT PLANT.

Look at your town...see what that type of non-progressive thinking has accomplished.

Glenn E. Rockey



According to a legend of the Guatemalan Mayans, the first four men created were made of corn paste.



Beverly Brame and William Curry
... to be married

Couple to Wed November 15

BAIRD- Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. H.L. Brame of Baird, Texas announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Beverly, to

Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Curry of Port Salerno, Florida.

The couple will be married Saturday, November 15, 1979 at Jensen Beach, Florida.

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Commissioners Faced With Jail Decision Soon

COUNTY- The County Jail inspection was held October 17, 1979. Callahan County failed on 16 counts.

Those 16 counts are:

Passage of contraband is not eliminated for highland medium risk inmates during visitation.

No Litter on hand. (stretcher)

Administrative space is not sufficient for personnel and supplies.

A secure exercise area is not provided.

The four single cells do not provide a table and seat.

Day rooms are not provided for cells 1 and 3.

Showers, tables and seating are not provided in the dayroom.

Safety vestibules are not provided for cell 3 or for dayroom A.

Ceiling heights in cells 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7 are 7 feet. Eight feet is required.

Bunks in cells 4, 5, 6 and 7 are only two feet wide. 2 feet 3 inches is required.

No separation cell is provided.

The temperature level cannot be reasonably maintained below 85 degrees F in summer months.

Plumbing is in need of repair, pipes under the jail leak into the apt. below.

No floor drains in the kitchen, dayroom or cell areas.

No emergency illumination system.

Inmates are not issued either a clean sheet or mattress cover.

The County has not yet decided what they will do. They are still involved in the planning stage. There are three phases to go through. First, of course is the planning stage, second is organization which will be the hardest and third is building.

The County doesn't know whether they will try to reconstruct the present jail, or build a brand new jail and use the present one for a 72 hour lock-up.

They hate to spend money on this jail if they are going to have to build a new one.

If something is not done, they will have to transfer all their prisoners like they do the juveniles now. It cost \$8.68 per day in Taylor County to keep them.

The County is expecting a letter any day now from the Texas Commission on Jail Standards. After they receive it, they will have 30 days to comply with it.

I. G. Mobley Attends Workshop

BAIRD- Irvin Mobley of Baird was among Veterans County Service Officers from 25 counties attending a workshop for veterans personnel held recently at Western Texas College.

Randy Collins of Waco, regional supervisor for the Texas Veterans Affairs Commission, directed the program which was designed to acquaint the Service Officers with the 1979 annual income questionnaire cards. The income cards are being mailed by the VA and must be completed and returned before Jan. 1, 1980. VA payments will be suspended Feb. 1, 1980, if the income reports are not returned.

E.H. (Dan) Dever, Jr., Scurry County Veterans Service Officer, served as

host for the meeting. Dr. Duane Hood, Dean of Student Services and Registrar at WTC, welcomed the workshop participants.

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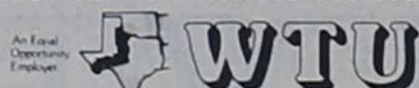
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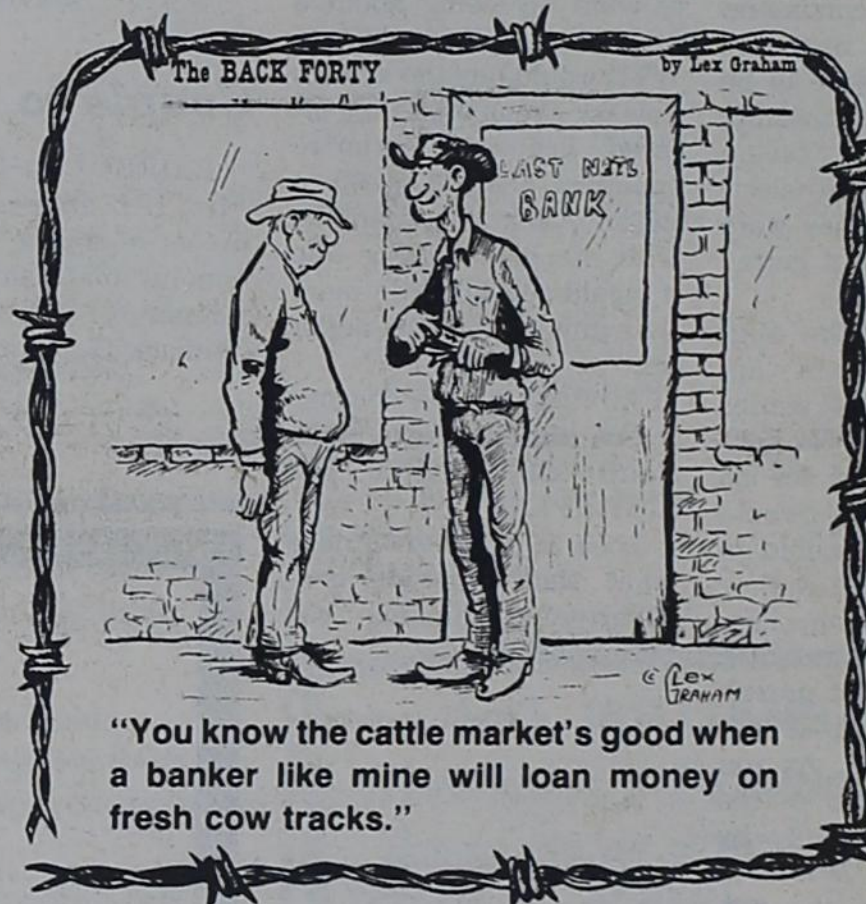
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Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN- A week of November is gone and special holidays will be here before we know it. Soon it will be time for all the children to let Santa know what they want for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Blan Odom became grandparents again Sat. when a baby son was born to John and Marion Scott of Bryan. The Scotts have another son, Odom Scott. Mrs. Blan Odom is helping care for Odom while his mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie spent the week end in Lovington, N.M. with her sister and family, the John Gibsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin visited in the Barney Gibbs home in Baird Sun. afternoon. Children of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gibbs of Ft. Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and their son and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gibbs and Meshell and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gibbs all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris were in Cross Plains Sun. afternoon visiting in the Franzel Odom home. Other visitors in the Odom home were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Odom of Lewisville and Mrs. Ivon Odom of Cross Plains. The Russell Odoms had returned Mrs. Odom home after visits with them and other relatives in the Stephenville area.

Mrs. Russell Dye spent Thurs. night in Abilene with the Edwin Dye family.

Hank Bennett and Jason were in Merkel Sat. visiting in the Jerry Gibson home. Mrs. Bennett attended the

volleyball games in Wylie Sat. night.

Jim Reynolds of Eastland and Crecia Hardwick of Baird had supper Sat. night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds. Ellen Reynolds of Abilene spent Thursday at home with her parents.

The Robert Watson family attended the ball-games last week when Baird played Roscoe.

The Jim Needham family of Coleman visited in the Robert Watson home Sun. night.

Mrs. Tommy Dye along with another Abilene teacher attended a workshop meeting last week in St. Petersburg, Florida. She reported a wonderful trip and that Florida was beautiful this time of year.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home during the week were the Bill Coots family of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smedley and Brianne of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Smedley of Clyde and Dale Gibbs of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason spent Sat. night and Sun. in Abilene with his grandmother, Mrs. H.L. Antilley.

Granvel Gibbs of Sonora and Stephen Gibbs of Odesa spent the weekend with Mrs. Leila Gibbs.

Dinner guests in the N.V. Gibbs home Sun. were Granvel Gibbs and Stephen and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Steele, Tonya, Bill and Connie.

Mrs. Gene Mauldin had lunch with the Roland Mauldin family in Abilene.

Those visiting Mrs. Ray Boen during the week Christine Bower of Abilene and Fred Blalock of Wea-

therford.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrell spent the weekend in Austin with her sister, Melissa Newberry and the Mark Schreiber family. They also attended Tex. Univ. and Tex. Tech game while there.

Mrs. Russell Dye attended the Big Country Porcelain Art Club meeting at K-Bobs in Abilene Sat. morning. Guest speaker was Doris Lisman of Monohans. Her program topic was scenic painting on china.

Those visiting Mrs. Alice Wills were her children, the Lynn Lawrence family of Abilene and L.L. Wills of Hurst. Mrs. Emma Johnson reports on receiving a call from her daughter, Pansy Johnson who is now living in Cairo, Egypt.

Baird 7th Shoots Out Roscoe 7th

BAIRD- The Baird 7th, holding Roscoe to 0 points, scored 18 in the first half and left the final score at 18-0. Jody Turnbow led the offense with one touchdown running and two aerial scores from Te Howard.

This is the 7th grades third shut out in 4 games. Their district record is 3 wins and 1 tie.

The 7th grade meets unbeaten, untied Rotan at 5 p.m. this Thursday, Nov. 8 at Rotan for an important district game.

Degree Given to Clyde Teacher

CLYDE- Clyde High School vocational agriculture teacher James Trammel will be among a select group of 10 vocational agriculture teachers from Texas to receive the Honorary American Farmer Degree during the National FFA Convention here Nov. 7-9.

Teachers selected to receive this honor have worked very closely with their students, school administrators and community lead-

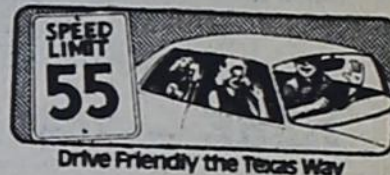
ers in developing and carrying out a complete vocational agriculture education program.

The Honorary American Farmer Degree is the highest award the national FFA may present. The award will be presented for outstanding leadership by a teacher in developing American Farmers and American Agribusinessmen, State Farmers, and State Agribusinessmen, and regional winners of agriculture proficiency awards.

Trammel has also trained students for area, state

Robert and Bobbie Burks of Cross Plains also visited in the Lizzie Burks home.

and national judging teams as well as state and national chapter rating awards. Recipients of the degree have also helped develop an effective public relations program in their respective communities.



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BAIRD- Our Tuesday afternoon music and singing is getting better every week! Coming from Clyde this week to sing for us were Annie Mae Murry, Cortez Shanks, Frand and Juanita Collins, Ducky Pee, Ellen Hicks, Evelyn Hollis, Ella Mae James and Laverne Harbor, site leader for Clyde Senior Citizens. Here from Baird were Helen MacDonald to play the piano and Vida Hill on Violin and Mrs. Ila Shrader to help sing. Thanks everyone, we look forward to Tuesday afternoons.

James Radford came Thursday morning for Bible Study.

Maybelle Cline, Ila Shrader and Norma West came Thursday afternoon to play dominoes with Adna Walker, Edna Whitt, Lula Lunsford, Jimmie Stewart, Ella Fisher, Fred Farmer, Mattie Dickerson, and Elsa Greene. Thanks for coming ladies. We love to play dominoes.

Lula Lunsford, Carl Tyler and Fannie Smith are in our hospital. Our get well soon wishes are extended to them.

The Esther Class of the First Baptist Church held our November birthday party on Friday afternoon. Three of us have birthdays this month. Ella Fisher, Norma Baulch and Aline Hensley. Members of the S.S. Class here to help with the party were Chigger Pruitt, Frances Dunlap, Lena Hulland, Vernie Belle Mauldie, Irene Walker, Jessie Odom, Cleora Nichols, Jean Evans, Alma Mitchell and Edith Lincecum. The Thanksgiving theme was used and gifts were given to the three honorees. Edith Lincecum played the piano and Bro. Dan Wooldridge sang several hymns for us. Our residents enjoyed this party very much and we want to thank the S.S. Class and Bro. Wooldridge for coming to share with us. Our Dec. birthday party will be hosted by the Church of Christ ladies of Baird.

Our home is again saddened by the loss of one of our long time residents, Letha Shelton. Our sympathy is extended to Lucille Saunders and other mem-

bers of Letha's family. She will be missed here.

Lettie Parker and Louise Joy report 14 residents in attendance for Sunday School and singing Sunday morning.

The Methodist Church of Baird members were in charge of our Sunday afternoon worship service this week.

Our welcome this week goes to our new resident, Mildred Chelf and welcome back to Nell Mobley. Please come by and visit these ladies.

Thanks to all the little trick or treaters for coming by our home. We enjoyed seeing you.

OIL NEWS

COUNTY- Sweetwater Drilling Co. Inc. No. 1 Naomi Heyser is a planned 4,500-foot wildcat for Callahan County.

It will be drilled nine miles southeast of Putnam on a 101-acre lease.

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- we trust in ourselves, and reap disappointments
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- we trust in wealth, and find it useless, sooner or later
- we trust in reputation and social positions, and find that one slanderous remark can steal it from us

But by trusting in God—the world, the flesh and the devil are put on a leash, muzzled like a dog. "I will not leave thee nor forsake thee so long as the world lasts" is His pledge to you. No thinking person would trust in anything else.

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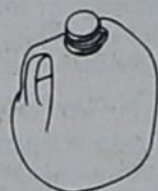


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