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## Barry Williams Places 2nd in Speaking Contest at Stephenville

BAIRD—The Baird FFA Chapter has been very busy these last few weeks preparing for district leadership contest. Several teams were planned and prepared for competition but due to quarter exams at school all teams were not able to compete.

Our greenhand (freshman) parliamentary procedure team, and an extemporaneous speaker, Barry Williams made the trip to Cooper High School and competed.

The students who made up the parliamentary squad were Joe Payne as president, Jay Moore, vice-president; Russell Rhynes, reporter; Mark Allen, secretary; Craig Griggs,

treasurer; Brock Watson, sentinel and Devin Welch as student advisor. This group was assisted in their practice by Mel Herweck, our student teacher.

Barry Williams placed first in district and second in the area competition.

The Vo. Ag. I class has finished their annual fruit sales, if you were not contacted and wish to buy



Barry Williams

some of the oranges, apples, or grapefruit, please call Dick Vestal at the Baird High School Ag. Department. We expect the fruit to be ready for delivery about December 15.

We appreciate all the support you have given our Future Farmers of America Chapter and we hope you will continue your support in our future projects.

## RATES DECREASE BY 7.1 PERCENT, SIGNS CONTRACT

BAIRD—The Baird City Council met Monday night, November 19, 1979. During this meeting, they voted to reduce electrical rates for residences and commercial property.

The council also signed a 10-year contract with West Texas Utilities to purchase power wholesale starting January 1, 1980.

The current rate was charging residents 7 cents a kilowatt hour for electricity, but the new rate will be 6.5 cents a kilowatt hour. This will be a 7.1 percent reduction.

Businesses have been paying 7.4 cents per kilowatt hour, but the new rate will be 7 cents, or a 5.7 percent decrease.

BAIRD is already receiving a third of their power from WTU and the city is making a reasonable profit, and are able to lower the charge. When the other two hook-ups are completed with WTU they will lower it again.

middle of December and at that time the bills will be cut another 7 percent.

It is hoped the complete city hook-up will be by March 1, 1980 and another 7 percent will be cut.

The City is currently buying power at 2.7 cents a kilowatt hour, but the rate could go up after the first of the year to a maximum 3.13. WTU has asked for a price increase.

There have been two petitions since August from Baird residents to the council over the light plant. One asked that the light plant be sold to the highest bidder, another asked for an election to renegotiate with WTU for an offer for the electrical generating and distribution center and to submit that offer to the voters of Baird in a referendum to be held at the earliest possible date.

Two summers ago, a vote to sell the plant to WTU failed by 50 votes. No action has been taken on the two petitions.

## Baird Girls Open Season With Wins Over All Opponents

BAIRD—The Baird Junior High girl's basketball teams opened the 1979-80 season on Tuesday, Nov. 20. The girls A team scored a shut-out victory 27-0 over Carbon eighth grade girls team.

Beth Ringhoffer led the Baird scoring with 7 points. Missy Higgins added 6 points while Kay West and Tammi Barron each scored 4 points. Donna Defosses, Pattie Walker and Rhonda Clarida scored 2 points each to round out the Baird scoring attack.

Clyde Junior High visited the Baird gymnasium on Monday, Nov. 26. The Baird Girls B team opened their season with a 22-4 victory over the Clyde seventh grade team. Donna Defosses led all scorers with 14 points. Leanna Parker added 4 points. Candi Creecy and Lisa Rhynes contributed 2 points each to the scoring.

The girls A team outscored Clyde's

eighth grade 30-14 for their second win of the season. Tresa Hatchett led all scorers with 11 points. Missy Higgins contributed 8 points while Beth Ringhoffer netted 7 points. Tammi Barron added 2 points. Rhonda Clarida and Pattie Walker each contributed 1 point.

A team members include Tresa Hatchett, Beth Ringhoffer, Tammi Barron, Missy Higgins, Rhonda Clarida, Donna Defosses, Rebecca Elliott, Kay West, Karla Anderson, Pattie Walker and Leann Hodges.

B team members are Donna Defosses, Cande Creecy, Leanna Parker, Michelle Keith, Jill Turnbow, Marilu Hart, Penny Phillips, Lisa Rhynes, Doobie Moore, Anita Gomez, Cay Shelton and Tonya Tucker.

The coaches for the Baird Junior High girls teams are Barbara Corn and Sandra Carter.

## Livestock Show Deadline Set For December 1

COUNTY - Callahan County 4-H members are reminded that Dec. 1 is the final date to certify entries for the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show to be held Feb. 23 at Cross Plains.

Validation sheets are available from the County Extension office if you did not receive one in the mail. The validation forms will be used by the Callahan County Junior Livestock Show Association to make

final plans for the sale and show.

Entries not validated prior to Dec. 1 will not be eligible to show. Call the County Extension office for more information at 854-1518.



FAMILY LOSES HOME—4 units of the Baird Fire Dept. made an excellent effort to save this 3 bedroom house, about 6 p.m. Tues. evening, the house is located 1 mile south of Belle Plain road, just off 283, the house belongs to Barbara Parrish. The fire apparently started from an electrical short, the family managed to save only some clothes. 3 units from Clyde fire Dept. also assisted in putting the blaze out.

## Football Banquet Set For December 3

BAIRD—The Annual Football Banquet will be held December 3, 1979 in the Old Gym. It is sponsored by the Baird Booster Club.

Tickets are on sale at the High School, or you can get them from the football players. They are \$3.50 each.

The banquet will begin at 7:00 p.m.

## Bearettes Win Season Opener Against Carbon

BAIRD- The 1979-80 varsity girls Bearette basketball team opened their season with a 48 to 26 victory over the Wolverines of Carbon. Pacing the girl roundballers was Charlotte Perryman with 12 points. Marty Brumbaugh, Terri Tomlinson and Connie Eubanks chipped in 6 points each.

Outstanding defensive performances were turned in by guards Jamie Pate and Jodi Jennings. Their play along with the rest of the team kept Carbon confused all night.

Other game leaders were: Brumbaugh, leading rebounder with 7, Teresa Rhynes, leading offensive rebounder with 4, Perryman, defensive rebound leader with 3 and

Esther Mendez, assist leader with 6. Chosen players of the game for their over all play were Junior guard Pate and sophomore forward Deanna Patterson.

Other players rounding out the 1979-80 varsity are: Senior Tina Mendez, Juniors Kathy Fleming, Darla McWilliams and Nita Perkins, and Sophomore Carla Rodriguez.

The Bearettes play Callahan County rival Clyde November 27, before entering the Albany Tourney Nov. 29, 30, & Dec. 1.

Coach Graves invites every Baird Bear fan out to support the 1979-80 Bearettes as well as the other teams in the school.

## Cubs Start Season With Win

BAIRD- The Cubs started their basketball season Monday night with a victory over Clyde, 39 to 31. The Cubs played very well for their first game.

Ronnie Casey was high scorer with 15 points, and Chris Graham had 8 points. The team consists of Casey, Graham,

Billy Deel, Kye Corn, Ben Mendez, Freddy Mendez, Kenny Brubaker, Bobby Lovell, Gregg Holland and Bob Lindley.

The Cubs play Clyde again Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 in Clyde. We invited everyone to come and support the Baird Bear Cubs.

## Beta Upsilon Chapter to Meet

BAIRD- Beta Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will meet Saturday, Dec. 1, at 9:30 a.m. in the Ranger Junior College Library Building, Ranger, Texas. Hostesses will be the Ranger members.

Earlier this month twenty-six members, including Miss Isadore Grimes and Mrs. Cleora Nichols of Baird, and four guests toured the Comanche Peak Steam Electric Station which will be the first nuclear power plant operating in Texas. The plant, under construction about five miles north of Glen Rose, will begin operation in 1981.

Electricity from Comanche Peak plant will provide enough electricity for a city about one and one-half times the size of Ft. Worth.

The huge containment buildings, each 265 feet tall with an inside diameter of 135 feet, have a wall thickness of 4½ feet and their foundations are 12 feet thick. They were targets of and background for many pictures made by the group.

The 3,300-acre Squaw Creek Reservoir built to supply water for the plant was another point of interest for the enthusiastic group. Plans are that the lake and the shoreline will

be made available for recreational purposes.

Public safety was a major concern of Beta Upsilon members. They learned that the plant must conform to the most stringent safety standards, including multiple safety protection systems, and are built to withstand natural disasters or the worse accidents the experts have been able to imagine without harm to the public.

The Program Committee is to be commended for this relevant and educational program and our sincere thanks go to Emmett Lasater, our genial tour guide and host for Texas Electric.

## Letter to the Editor:

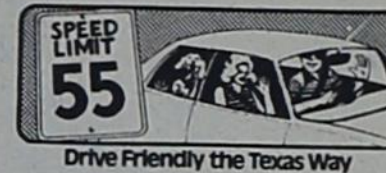
Dear Editor:

Last week I read with interest an article in the Abilene paper telling about the reductions coming with November billings for electrical consumption in the City of Baird....in the vicinity of 7%. Did a little figuring....1000 kws in Baird at the new rate will cost \$70.98. Thought I'd do some comparing....1000 kws in Clyde under identical circumstances will cost \$42.73. You people in Baird are very fortunate in that you are just being overcharged to the tune of \$28.25 for that 1000 kws of electricity....estimating a monthly usage of 700,000 kws you people are kicking in an extra \$19,775.00 per month just so a few mis-

guided people who are obsessed with the idea of Baird's retaining its electrical system instead of paying some attention to a couple of petitions which have been circulated and turned in to the City Council, with no action thereon taken.

Baird Citizens, it looks like your only recourse for a democratic form of City government to function will have to wait until the April elections.

Glenn E. Rockey



## Shower to be Held for Robinsons

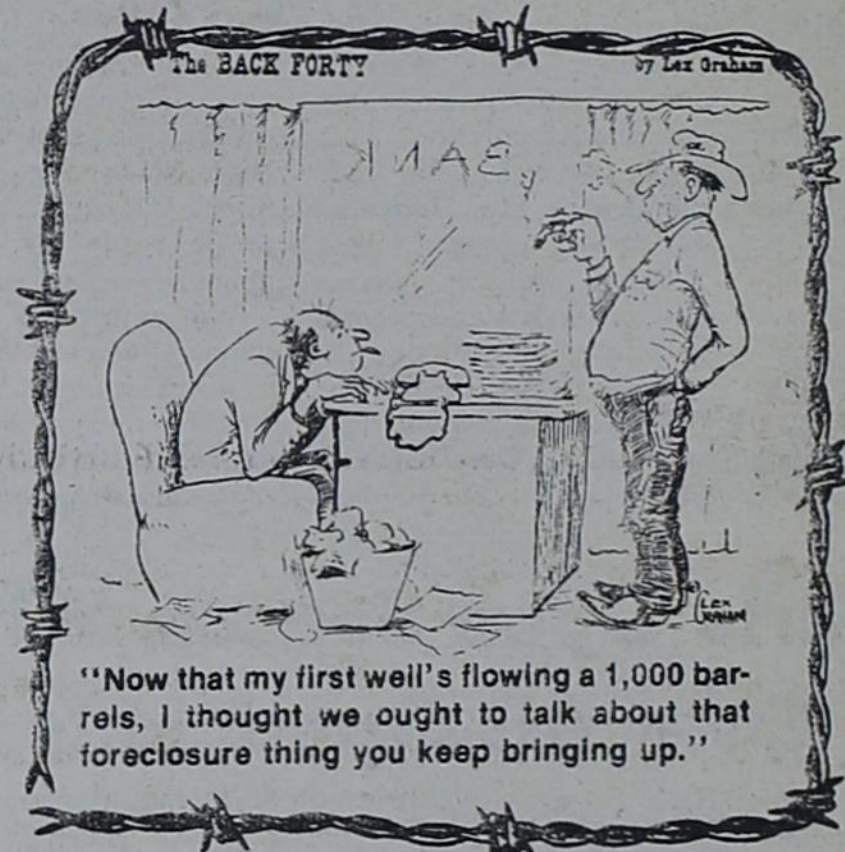
COUNTY- Cookie and Gayla Robinson lost their home and all their belongings when it burned 2 weeks ago in Putnam, Tex.

Friends are having a shower to help with replacing all the household items. The shower is at the Hamby Clubhouse Saturday, December 1, at 6:30 p.m.

If anyone wants to donate new or used items and, or money, and can't go to Hamby, please bring it by Gale Parkhill's house. Her address is 544 W 6, Baird, Texas, before Saturday.

Any items received will be appreciated.

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# Rowden Community News

By Mrs. N. V. Gibbs

ROWDEN- Thanksgiving holidays have come and gone, with many families having a home dinner and family members home for a visit. Others were elsewhere enjoying someone else's cooking.

Weather wise, this area is still dry. Light rain fell in the community during the week.

Those enjoying dinner in the Russell Dye home were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sayre of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dye and Lori Ann of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dye and Julie.

Those having Thanksgiving dinner in the Don Harrell home were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newberry and also, an aunt, Dorothy Kimbrough, all of Abilene. Also Mr. and Mrs. Mark Schreiber and Erin and Melissa Newberry of Austin.

Janet Reynolds was with the Cross Plains basketball teams in Cisco last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Don Sikes visited his aunt, Mrs. Leila Gibbs, Sat. morning. He is the son of Norban Sikes and the late Mrs. Sikes of Portales, New Mexico.

Mrs. Martha Kapper and daughter and grandchildren, Carolyn and children of Arlington visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mrs. Leila Gibbs and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose in Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris attended the funeral of Charles Sewell in Coleman last Tuesday.

Thanksgiving dinner in the Lynn Lawrence home in

Abilene was a special occasion for her family, L.L. Wills and two daughters and her mother, Mrs. Alice Wills, Lizzie Burks and Emma Johnson.

Gene Dye and his friend Terry Collins of Cisco had dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dye and Douglas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin were honored by their children and grandchildren with a 50th wedding anniversary celebration in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church in Baird Saturday afternoon. Their children are the Carl Mauldin family, Carl and Mable, and children David and Russell of Huntsville, and Karen and her family, the Bill Armstrongs and three children of Houston. Willie and Irene Masters and Charlotte and Melinda of Snyder, Danny and Margie Brown, Cindy and Teresa of Littleton, Colo. another daughter, Patty and Stanley Zwerneman of Houston, Roland and Fay Mauldin, Kenneth and Douglas of Abilene and Don and Sue Mauldin and Jackie of Aurora, Colo., other visitors in the Mauldin home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper of Farwell, Tex.

Those from the community attending the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Blain Odom, Mr. and Mrs. N.V. Gibbs, Mrs. Sterling Odom and Mrs. Ray Boen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Michael of Clyde spent Friday in the Sterling Odom home.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bennett and Jason had Thanksgiving dinner with his mother and grandmother, Mrs. Bo Bennett and Mrs. H.L. Antilley in Abilene. On Thursday night through Saturday the Bennett's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hubbard Jr. of Herford. On Saturday night the two couples ate out at the Petroleum Club in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds along with Jim Reynolds, Crecia Hardwick and Jim Sadler attended the special Thanksgiving service at the First Baptist Church in Baird Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price had Thanksgiving dinner in the Vergil Smedley home near Clyde.

Those visiting in the Warren Price home Sat. afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smedley, Stacy and Tracy and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Weeks of Blackwell, also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkson, Julie and Jason of Irving, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coots, Billy and Brian of Killeen and Vergil Smedley of Clyde.

Those having dinner Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris and Nicky were Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris, Misty and Paul and Terri Harris and Blandye. Afternoon visitors were Mrs. Ruby Spencer of Cross Plains and her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Coffery of Irving, also Mrs. Ruby Dilger, Carolyn Harris and Sherri Anderson of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Janet visited in the Bob Dye home Sat. night.

Company in the N.V. Gibbs home Thursday for dinner were Tony and Judy Steele and Tonya, Bill and Connie. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Springfield and his nephew, Keith Springfield of Azle came to spend the night. Bruce Rose of Ft. Worth came out on Sat. morning to hunt with the men.

The Bruce Rose family spent Friday night and Sat. in the Walter Rose home in Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Springfield and Keith Springfield were visitors in the home on Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Wells of Baird made visits with Raymond Gibbs and also with Lizzie Burks, Emma Johnson and Alice Wills during the week.

# Defense Nuclear Agency Asks Personnel to Report

COUNTY- According to I.G. Mobley, Service Officer for Callahan County, the U.S. Department of Defense has for more than a year been trying to identify former military and civilian Defense personnel who participated in the atmospheric nuclear tests conducted from 1945 to 1962. The Defense Nuclear Agency is the Executive Agent for this program.

If you participated in these tests, which were held largely in Nevada and at Bikini and Eniwetok atolls in the Pacific, you are urged to contact the Defense Nuclear Agency if you have not already done so. The Agency is attempting to reconstruct a complete history of the atmospheric nuclear test program including names of participants and any radiation doses they received. One of the purposes of this effort is to enable the National Academy of Sciences and other scientific organizations to determine if there are health hazards resulting from participation in the tests.

Based upon research to date, it is believed that radiation exposures were low. While medical science has no proof that exposure to radiation levels as low as these is hazardous to health it is generally assumed by scientists that even low levels can carry some slight risks. There is, however,

some disagreement within the scientific community about the magnitude of this risk.

If you were a participant in the atmospheric nuclear tests program, and you have not already done so, you are urged to contact the Defense Nuclear Agency at toll-free number 800-336-3068 if you reside in Texas. If you prefer to write, address you letter to Defense Nuclear Agency, Washington, D.C. 20305.

If you are concerned that your possible exposure may

have adversely affected your health, you are urged either to consult your private doctor or, if you are a veteran, contact the nearest Veterans Administration medical center, where you can obtain a physical examination at Government expense.

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- \* Sunday Preaching: 11:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.
- \* Wednesday Night: 7:00 p.m.

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**'48 Study Club Meetings Held**

**Baird Nursing Home**

BAIRD- We enjoyed the groups from Clyde last Tuesday coming to sing for us. Omar and Johnye Moore, Laura Harbor, Edah Best, Dorothy Key, Frank Collins, Cortez Shanks, Juanita Collins and Margaret Boone were all here and Vida Hill of Baird and Mrs. Arno Roggenstein, Sarah Smith and Leta Graham from Putnam came to play the piano and sing for us. Thanks everyone! We look forward to Tuesday afternoon to hear all of you sing for us and visitation.

Norma Baulch is in our local hospital this week. Our get well soon wishes are sent to her.

Mary Martin and Alta Harris came Wednesday afternoon to play Bingo with Jimmie Stewart, Ella Fisher, Elsa Greene, Fred Farmer, Mattie Dickerson, Lula Lunsford, Eliska Gilliland, Delia Young, Pearl Sharp, Edna Whitt and Jack Tatum.

Several of our residents were able to go to the

homes of their families for Thanksgiving lunch. The ones who stayed in our facility were served a full course turkey and dressing lunch. Several members of our residents families came to have lunch with their loved ones in our home.

Dorothy Reynolds came Friday afternoon to sing for us. She also played some tapes that she had recorded earlier that we enjoyed a lot.

Lettie Parker played the piano for our singing and Louise Joy taught our Sunday School class Sunday morning. Eleven of our residents attended this week.

Frank Perry has returned to his home at Clyde to live. We will miss him but wish him lots of happiness at home.

Also Elsa Greene will be living in a nursing home in Abilene now. We will miss her a lot as she attended all our activities and was always in the lobby to visit with everyone. Good luck Elsa!

BAIRD- The Baird '48 Study Club met Nov. 5 at the home of Ernestine Moore with Joyce Parker acting as co-hostess. A poem entitled "Quilting" was read by Joyce Parker.

Mrs. Sterling Odom from Cross Plains presented an interesting program on the art of quilting and brought many of her prize-winning quilts. Quilting techniques and the history of quilting was discussed.

Nila Towler and Dana Barton were our guests. Members present were: Jane Ringhoffer, Ruth Elliott, Mary Jo Thompson, Frances Greenway, Carol Williams, Sue McNeil, Barbara Corn, Sally Goldsmith, Minnie Martin, Evelyn Hughes, Joann Ringhoffer, Joyce Smauley, Betty Jo Jennings, Billie Ann Earp, Nicki Harle, Linda Hatchett, Janice Grant, Kaye Taylor, Joyce Parker and Elaine Stephenson.

The Study Club met again Nov. 19 at the home of Janice Grant with Billie Ann Earp acting as co-hostess. A poem entitled "Because of Thy Great Bounty" was read by Billie Ann Earp.

A baby shower for Karla Gilliland and her baby Daughter Annie, was given by the member. Kristi Gilliland helped her mother with the gifts.

Members made Christmas gifts for nursing home residents, which will be taken to the nursing home the evening of Dec. 17 when members sing Christmas carols.

Our Christmas party will be held Monday, Dec. 10 at the Community Center with our husbands as special guests.

Vida Robertson was our guest for an evening. Members present were: Nicki Harle, Linda Hatchett, Evelyn Hughes, Karla Gilliland, Carol Williams, Sue McNeil, Janice Grant, Billie Ann Earp, Joyce Smauley, Joann Vestal, Joann Ringhoffer, Ruth Elliott, Sally Goldsmith, Minnie Martin, Mary Jo Thompson, Kaye Taylor, Jane Ringhoffer, Lanetha Walker, Betty Jo Jennings, Barbara Corn and Rhonda Hatchett.

Next meeting will be January 7, 1980 at the home of Evelyn Hughes.

**M. L. Sampson Expires Sat.**

CLYDE- Melburn Lewis Sampson, 46, of Pasadena, Texas died Saturday, November 17 after a lengthy illness.

Officiating at the service was Rev. Von Dell Drinkard a longtime friend and schoolmate. Burial was held at Old Waverly Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Delores Marie Sampson of Pasadena; three daughters, Karen Audene Miller, Diane Marie Sampson, Charlotte Ann Sampson; two sons, James Lewis Sampson, Lawrence Ellis Sampson, all of Pasadena; two brothers, Garlon Sampson of Splendora, Texas; two sisters, Jane Wheeler of Baird, Marguerite Arnett of Lafayette, Calif.; parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.J. Sampson of Clyde, Texas.

**COMING AUCTION SALES**

**NO. 1 COMPLETE CLOSE OUT OF ROBERTS**

**STOCK & FIXTURES**

ON I-20 SATURDAY DEC. 1, 1979 CLYDE, TEXAS 10:00 A.M.

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| Men's pants & shirts                     | Throw pillows   |
| Men's knit shirts                        | Table cloths  |
| Bathing suits                            | Wicker place mats   |
| Boy's shirts & pants                     | Zippers (several thousand!)   |
| Boy's sweat pants & shirts               | Swing sets  |
| Men & boy's underwear                    | Wheel barrow  |
| T-shirts                                 | Approx. 450 garden hoses (all lengths)  |
| Men's house shoes                        | Soaker hoses  |
| Ladies dresses                           | Approx. 600 automatic water sprinklers  |
| Blouses & slacks                         | Hand sprinklers   |
| Ladies dress suits                       | Hoes, rakes & shovels   |
| Ladies skirts                            | Edgers  |
| Housecoats & gowns                       | Hand cultivators  |
| Purses                                   | Hedge clippers  |
| Sunbanners                               | Gross clippers  |
| Ladies house shoes, tennis & dress shoes | Heavy duty pruning shears   |
| Children's dresses                       | Floral tools  |
| Sheets & pillow cases                    | Fertilizer pellets  |
| Beach towels                             | Garden dust & spray   |
| Wash cloths                              | Flower bed fences   |
| Dish towels                              | Big lot of garden seed  |
| Aprons                                   | Lawn chaise lounges   |
| Pot holder                               | National cash register  |
| Travel bags                              | All fixtures  |
| Bedspreads                               | MANY OTHER ITEMS NOT LISTED!!   |
| Curtains                                 | AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: This is all good, clean stock...no old or shelf-worn merchandise!! |
| Shower curtains                          |   |
| Throw rugs                               |   |
| Bath sets                                |   |

**NO. 2 ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE! AUCTION HOUSE**

2613 No. Treadaway SUNDAY DEC. 2, 1979 Abilene, Texas 1:00 P.M.

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Watches                   | Lots of toys                  |
| Jewelry                   | Christmas lights              |
| Calculators               | Christmas gift wrapping paper |
| Radios                    | Cosmetics of all kinds        |
| Cameras                   | Men's gift sets               |
| Small electric appliances | Grape jelly                   |
| Pictures                  | Health & beauty aids          |
| Sunglasses                | Oil of Olay                   |
| Carpet                    | Dishes                        |
| Lawn chairs               | MUCH, MUCH MORE!!             |

**NO. 3 W.H. CLARK ESTATE**

3201 So. 7th MONDAY DEC. 3, 1979 Abilene, Texas 10:30 A.M.

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## Letter to the Editor:

Dear Editor:

I would like to comment on the Glenn E. Rockey letter of Nov. 15.

After reading Mr. Rockey's figuring and results, I question the teaching and learning of that sixth grade arithmetic in that 2 room school in New Mexico.

Allow me to quote from a recent classified ad in the Texas Town and City, a monthly magazine published by the Texas municipal League, Austin, Tex. For Sale: three used 1000 KW Diesel generating sets price \$500,000. F.O.B. Lathrop Wells, Nevada. (\$166,666.67 each).

The City of Baird has 4 of these units, which according to this ad should be worth \$666,666.67 and to this add a reasonable price for the distribution system and you have over a million dollar asset.

Mr. Rockey, you write in your letter that you noticed on advertisement by Abilene Banks concerning one million dollar CD's and it started you to thinking (perhaps dreaming would be a better word) so you got out the copy of the June 30 audit report of the City of Baird and did a little figuring and you will pass on the results of your calculations produced as "simply as possible" I take offense that you suggest that we Baird readers are too stupid to understand your weekly letters, without you making them simple, and with sixth grade arithmetic.

I would like to say that you cannot buy million dollar CD's with "Hopefully", approximate, or calculated income, it takes cash! You write that the liabilities of the City of Baird was \$215,000. Of that \$120,000. was in bonds at 3½ and 4½% interest, you say subtract the bonds from the total leaves \$95,000. correct, and now you have two liabilities one for \$95,000. the other \$120,000. or the same as before liabilities of \$215,000 plus interest.

Now you write "Let us" sell the electrical system to W.T.U. for \$240,000. and hopefully they would increase that figure by \$35,000. If you sell the system for \$240,000. you can only HOPE that W.T.U. is stupid enough to make an error on your check, so now with \$240,000. you pay the liabilities of \$215,000. plus interest you mentioned above, you will now have \$25,000. left less interest to buy one million dollars CD's you mention above.

Mr. Rockey you seem to be overlooking, the fact that on August 12 of last year, the Citizens of Baird were given the opportunity (that you speak of) to express themselves, as is supposed to be done in a democratic society and the majority voted against the sale of the Electric system to W.T.U. for \$249,269. which is \$9,269. more money than you are asking for your system.

Gilbert Hinds



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."

The person who goes about wanting to be something is usually one who is not meeting his ego-needs in a healthy manner. This kind of person is detrimental to the Christian cause. His outlook on every potential Christian involvement is expressed by "How can I use this occasion to enhance my reputation? Teaching a class, helping with church visitation, singing in the choir, or taking the offering—can I use these opportunities to help myself?"

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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### Clyde Resident Dies Saturday

CLYDE- Ammon Petty, 78, a resident of Clyde since 1925, died at 1:45 p.m. Saturday at his home after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Mon. in First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Riley Fugitt, pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. H.B. Terry of Abilene. Burial was in Clyde Cemetery.

Born Aug. 25, 1901, in Alexander, Texas, he married Axilee Medley Feb. 8, 1924, in Weinert. He was a Marine veteran and a retired meat cutter.

In 1979 he was honored as a 50 year member of First Baptist Church. He was a deacon and for 25 years was the teacher of the

Victory Men's Bible Class.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, James of Abilene, Ed of Arlington and Paul of Tucson; two daughters, Dorothy Alexander of Houston and Evelyn Taylor of Abilene; seven grandchildren; and a great-grandchild; a sister, Ima D. Petty of Abilene, and a brother, R.L. Petty of Clyde.

Pallbearers were Mack Kniffen, Archie Pee, Omar Moore, Ray Medley, C.H. Landsown and Leo Dixon.

Honorary pallbearers were deacons of First Baptist Church.

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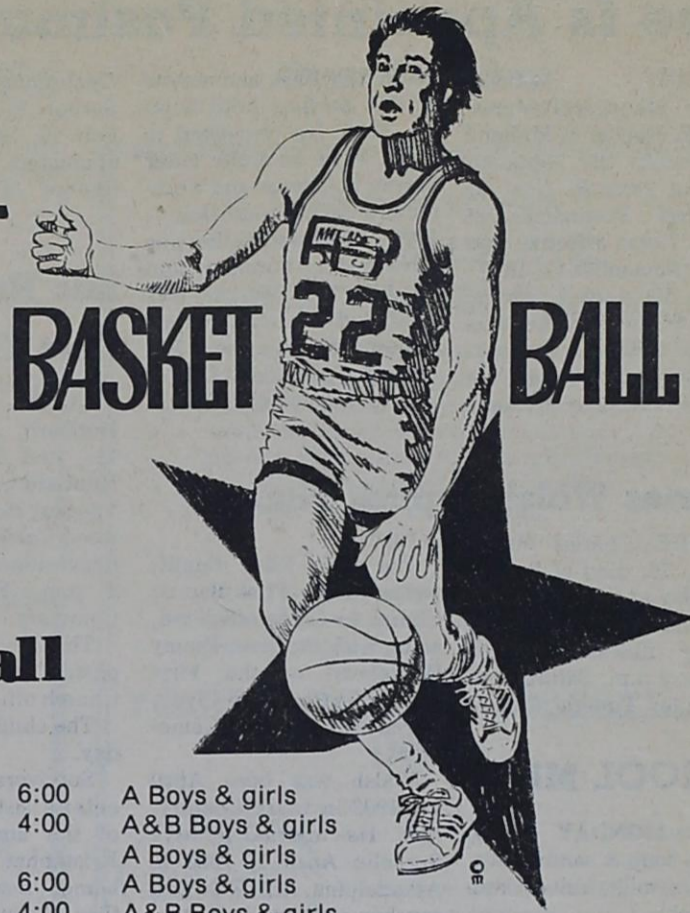
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## 1979-80 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 26	Lueders Avoca	There	6:00	A Boys & girls
Nov. 27	Clyde	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Nov. 29, 30, 1	Albany Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 3	Lueders Avoca	Here	6:00	A Boys & girls
Dec. 4	Clyde	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Dec. 6, 7, 8	Baird Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 11	Jim Ned	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Dec. 13, 14, 15	Rising Star Tournament			A Boys & girls
Dec. 18	Rotan	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 4	Roscoe	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 8	Hamlin	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 11	Hawley	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 15	Albany	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 22	Jim Ned	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 25	Rotan	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Jan. 29	Roscoe	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 1	Hamlin	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 5	Hawley	There	4:00	A&B Boys & girls
Feb. 8	Albany	Here	4:00	A&B Boys & girls

## BAIRD JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1979-1980

Nov. 26	Clyde	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 3	Clyde	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 10	Jim Ned	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Dec. 13, 14, 15	Jim Ned Tournament		8th boys & girls	
Dec. 17	Albany	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 7	Hawley	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 14	Jim Ned	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 17, 18, 19	Baird Tournament		8th boys & girls	
Jan. 21	Albany	Here	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Jan. 28	Hawley	There	7th & 8th boys & girls	4:00
Feb. 5	Zone play off			

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Hanner Chevrolet  
Kelton Flower Shop  
Baird T.V. Cable  
Pioneer Lodge  
Prescription Shop  
Baird Chamber of Commerce

# Gee Is Appointed Postmaster at Clyde

CLYDE- Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster D.E. Holster of Midland announced the appointment of John R. Gee, as the new Postmaster at Clyde, Texas effective Saturday, November 17, 1979. Gee, 58, started with the Postal Service in Odessa on Aug. 4, 1955 as a Temporary Substitute Carrier. He became Foreman of Mails

on Oct. 9, 1965, and served in that position until Sept. 10, 1966. He requested to serve again as a city letter carrier in Odessa and worked as a carrier until Oct. 7, 1967. On that date he was advanced to Foreman and on July 19, 1975 he was promoted to Post Office Supervisor in the Big Spring, Texas Post Office. Gee served as Supt., Postal

Operations in the Big Spring Post Office until Feb. 27, 1979 when he was appointed Officer-In-Charge of the Stamford

Post Office where he served until his appointment as Postmaster at Clyde. Postmaster selections are made on the basis of merit

from a list of qualified candidates submitted to the Regional Management Selection Board. The Board, composed of a representative of the U.S. Civil Service Commission, a

Postal District Manager and two postmasters, selects and recommends to the Postmaster General the best qualified person for appointment to each vacancy.

## Charles Walsh Expires Thurs.

CLYDE- Charles Milton Walsh, 76, died at 9 a.m. Thursday at the West Texas Medical Center after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Bailey Funeral Chapel

in Clyde. The Rev. Riley Fugitt, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Clyde officiated, along with the Rev. Danny Whitehead of the First Methodist Church in Clyde. Burial was in Stith Cemetery.

## Eric Hubbard Dies Tuesday

CLYDE- Eric Kinton Hubbard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ray Hubbard of Eula, died Tuesday morning in Brownwood Community Hospital. Graveside services were at 4 p.m. Friday at Eula Cemetery.

The Rev. Wallace Clay, pastor of Eula Baptist Church officiated.

The child was born Tuesday.

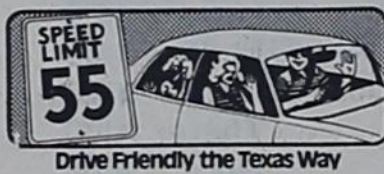
Survivors include his parents; a sister, Regina Rae of the home; a brother, Kristopher Don of the home; maternal grandfather, Rufus A. Miller of Eula; paternal grandmother, Pat Hubbard of Rising Star; paternal great-grandmother, May Patton of Dallas; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Walsh was born April 14, 1903 in Clark County, Ark. He married Mattye Spradlin April 1, 1925 in Arkadelphia, Ark. He was a rancher and farmer in Ark. from 1950-70. He moved to Clyde in 1970 to retire.

He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Charles of Abilene, James of Denver and Joe Wayne of Brownsville; a sister, Marie Church of Lubbock; a brother, Pete of Rogers, Ark.; nine grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family requests that remembrances be made to the West Texas Medical Center.





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## SCHOOL MENU

### MONDAY

Veg. soup & sandwiches, crackers, milk, fruit cocktail and cookie.

### TUESDAY

Macaroni & cheese, pinto beans, buttered spinach, corn bread, milk, ice cream.

### WEDNESDAY

Bar-B-Q weiners, butter beans, buttered corn, hot rolls milk and applesauce.

### THURSDAY

Open fried chicken, whipped potatoes, green beans, bread, milk and fruit cobbler.

### FRIDAY

Hamburgers with cheese lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, potato chips, milk, fruit and brownies.

### BREAKFAST MENU

#### MONDAY

Pancakes, syrup, juice and milk.

#### TUESDAY

Cereal, juice and milk.

#### WEDNESDAY

Donuts, juice and milk.

#### THURSDAY

Hot rolls & jelly, juice and milk.

#### FRIDAY

Cheese toast, juice and milk.

### TEACHER'S SALADS

#### MONDAY

Fruit cocktail with cottage cheese, cheese & jello.

#### TUESDAY

Macaroni salad & jello.

#### WEDNESDAY

Pear with cheese and jello.

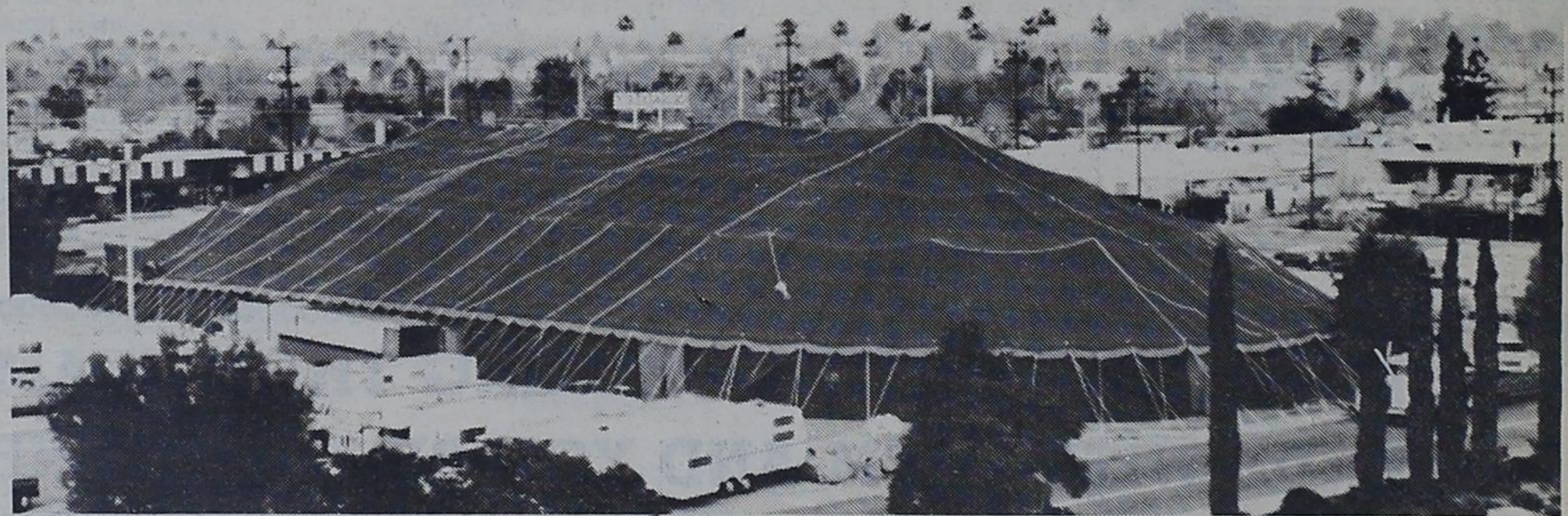
#### THURSDAY

Waldorf salad & jello.

#### FRIDAY

Tossed salad with boiled egg & jello.

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Saturday, December 1	12:30, 4:00, 7:30 PM
Sunday, December 2	12:00, 3:30, 7:00 PM
Monday, December 3	4:30, 8:00 PM




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Friday, November 30	8:00 PM
Saturday, December 1	12:30, 4:00, 7:30 PM
Sunday, December 2	12:00, 3:30, 7:00 PM
Monday, December 3	4:30, 8:00 PM

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**COURTHOUSE NEWS**

**COUNTY COURT**  
 Judge Mack Kniffen Presiding:  
**CRIMINAL DOCKET**  
 Nevelle Gene Stevenson, illegal parking  
 Grover Lawrence Chenoweth, DWI  
 Jay Rosamond, DWI  
 Kenneth Falan, enticing a minor  
 Clifton Boyd Lindsey, destroying property

**Belle Hickey Succumbs Tues.**

**CLYDE-** Belle N. Hickey, 87, of Clyde died about 5:20 p.m. Tuesday in Callahan General Hospital in Baird after a lengthy illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at the Presbyterian Church in Baird.  
 The Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor officiated. Burial was in Ross Cemetery in Baird.  
 Born Aug. 15, 1892, in Denton County, she married A.W. Hickey Aug. 2, 1908, in Denton. He died July 23, 1961. She was Noble Grand of the Baird Rebekah Lodge 112, receiving her 50 year pin Jan. 15, 1979.

She joined Pioneer Rebekah Lodge Jan. 10, 1929 transferred to Wink Rebekah Lodge, then to the Baird Lodge Feb. 20, 1950. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Baird.

Survivors include two nephews; three nieces; a brother-in-law, O.C. Burns of Okla.; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ollie Nelson of Gorman; and several great-nieces and great-nephews; and great-great-nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters.

The family requests any remembrances be made to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Pallbearers were E.L. James, Neal Tedford, Bobby Clark, Jimmy Clark, Rob Dugan and Boyd Turpin.

Honorary pallbearers were Raymond Corn, Lynn Ault, Charles Walker, Buster Gary, Curtis Sutphen, Gilbert Hines, Marvin Broom, Gil Rice and James Clark.

Richard William Collier, destroying property  
 Jeffrey Holmer Manning, speeding  
 Perry Maxie David, speeding  
 Richard Lynn Wiginton, speeding  
 Raymond Loyd Chapman, DWI

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
 Billy Don Parker, Clyde, & Kathy Jean Taulbee, Clyde.

Weldon Lee Watts, Clyde, & Debbie Lynn Young, Clyde.

**CIVIL DOCKET**  
 Irma Gene Reeves & Robert Lee Reeves, divorce  
 Zae Clinton vs. Ora Jane Clinton, construing of a will  
 Max Nolan Richardson & Vonda Ruth Richardson, divorce  
 E.C. Mosier vs. Whitaker Trucking Co., damages

**Classified Pay**

**Former Baird Woman Dies Mon.**

**BAIRD-** Services for Alma Williams, 79, of Greenville, and a former Baird resident, who died Monday were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Parker Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Herschel Thomas, pastor of Oak Street Baptist Church in Abilene officiated. Burial was in Ross Cemetery.

Born April 1, 1900, in Port Townsend, Wash., she came here in 1920 and operated the Williams Rooming House here for many years. She moved to Greenville in July from Big Spring where she had lived five years. She married Jesse Williams April 22, 1920, in Baird. She was a Baptist.

Mr. Williams preceded her in death.

Survivors include four sons, R.C. "Bob" of Abilene, J.C. "Pete" of Big Spring, Ray of Anaheim, Calif., and A.D. "Dan" of Quinlan; a daughter, Burniece Caldwell of Jackson, Ala.; a sister, Annie Brown of Anaheim, Calif.; 13 grandchildren;

five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

An infant daughter and granddaughter preceded her in death.

Pallbearers were Jerry Williams, Raymond Williams, Steven Dreher, Cobby Strickland, K.D. "Red" Poe and C.C. Poe.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

City of Baird, Baird, Texas 79504, has applied to the Texas Department of Water Resources for a renewal of Permit No. 10037, that authorizes a discharge of treated domestic sewage effluent at a volume not to exceed an average flow of 400,000 gallons per day from the sewage treatment plant which is located immediately to the east of the Baird Railroad Lake dam and immediately south of the Texas-Pacific Railroad right-of-way in Callahan County, Texas.

The treated domestic sewage effluent is discharged into Mexia Creek; thence to Deep Creek; thence to Hubbard Creek; thence to Hubbard Creek Reservoir in the Brazos River Basin.

The permit, if renewed by the Commission, will specify conditions and limitations generally the same as those currently enforced by the existing permit, except the volume will be reduced to 180,000 gallons per day. The expiration date of the existing permit is September 24, 1979. It is proposed that the expiration date be specified as midnight, five years after the date of Commission approval.

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Section 26.028 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, and Chapter 25 of the Rules of the Texas Department of Water Resources.

No public hearing shall be held on this application unless an affected person who has received notice of the application has requested a public hearing. Any such request for a public hearing shall be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address, and phone number of the person making the request; (2) a brief factual statement of the nature of the interest of the requester and an explanation of how that interest would be affected by the proposed action; and, (3) the names and addresses of all persons whom the requester represents. If the Commission determines that the request sets out legal or factual questions within the jurisdiction of the Commission and relevant to the waste discharge permit decision, the Commission shall conduct a public hearing, after the issuance of proper and timely notice of the hearing. If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 45 days of the date of publication of the notice concerning the application, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for final decision on the application.

Further information concerning any aspect of the application may be obtained by writing Larry R. Soward, Assistant Chief Hearings Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P. O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, Telephone (512) 475-1311.

Issued this 8th day of November, 1979.

(Seal)

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*Mary Ann Hefner*  
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 Texas Water Commission

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## Putnam Comings and Goings

PUTNAM- The weather is still perfect if you like it cool, clear and dry. We have missed the rain and snow. I hear that the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado are covered with snow. The ski slopes are open, so the ski lovers will be winding their way north from now on.

The John Doyle Isenhowers meta, John Doyle, Laura, Martin and Kim Massingale of Abilene. Butch and Beth Petty and family of Eastland and Ronald Green headed for Red River slopes last week.

I am sure they have had a wonderful time.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Dovie Pruet is out of Hendrick Hospital after suffering a light heart attack last week. She went to Brownwood to stay two weeks with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yeager. We will be glad when she comes home.

Ollie Burnom had most of her family home for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and family of Ft. Worth, the James Isenhower family of Cole-

man and grandchildren and the Heidelburgs of Breckenridge.

Mr. Earl Sunderman of Ft. Worth and Mr. Eugene Sunderman of Canyon spent most of the week hunting and visiting their aunt Mrs. Ruie Sunderman.

Mr. Bud Fleming and Mr. Chuck Thorne attended the funeral service for their niece at Eden last week.

The Grover Maxwells had a lot of their family home for Thanksgiving. I did not get all their names, but their daughter and family near Austin and Marie's brother, Mr. Dub Fisher of South Texas and several other family members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Burt of near Cisco entertained their family with a Thanksgiving dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb and son, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Fry, Syd and Phil, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Fry and Ken Sharp of Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor, Kirk and Barry of Sweetwater, Mrs. R.B. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Sales of Arlington.

Mrs. Mary Green and Mr. Calvin King were united in marriage Friday, Nov. 16. They plan to live at Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Taylor of Mineral Wells visited her mother, Maxie Solomon Thursday.

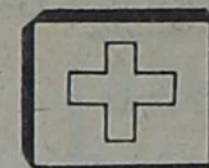
Mr. and Mrs. John Petty spent Thursday with their daughter and family, the Jerry Burghoms at Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Milam at Cross Plains.

Mrs. Jewel Mobley of Baird spent several days in the hospital at Cisco last week.

Mr. G.P. Jobe is planning to go to Tacoma, Washington soon where he will meet his son Robert. They plan to go to Kodiak Island, Alaska soon.

Mrs. R.B. Taylor spent the week end at Baird visiting Mrs. Maggie Cook and Mrs. Naomi Heyser.

This reporter wants to express her thanks to Mrs. Jo Lynn Collins of Cisco for the delicious plate of Thanksgiving dinner she brought to me.



## HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Cristi Mendez  
JoAnn Newton  
Mike Martinez  
Robert Rogers  
R.H. Jacobs  
Florence Houston  
Jessie Jennings  
Tommie Cummings  
Virginia Eaton  
Vickie Connel  
John Mask  
William Dixon

were discharged from the Callahan General Hospital last week:

W.C. Clinton  
Lavina Lewis  
Lottie Maltby  
Barbara Ferguson  
Denise Waldrop  
Cristi Mendez  
Hendry Martin  
JoAnn Newton  
Angus Turner  
Gilbert Eubank  
Geraldine Donaldson  
Robert Rogers  
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Tommie Cummings

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