Baird All Set for Quiet Fourth

The Fourth of July is being observed by most Baird folks in a quiet manner. There is no big entertainment planned for us, and we are at liberty to spend the day as we see fit. Many Baird people will take advantage of the long weekend to make trips, attend numerous celebrations throughout this region, or to retreat to some nearby lake for outdoor pleasures. Most of us will prefer to remain at home where we can relax in comfort and really enjoy the Fourth. In this way we will avoid the highway accidents, the miseries of camping out where red bugs, mosquitoes, and rattlesnakes annoy. Everyone to his own liking, and we wish for all a happy, glorious

We might be living too much in the past, but today we let our thoughts drift back a few years to our childhood. The Fourth of July was really an important day in our young life. We were reared in the Hill Country of Texas where, in that time, all the roads were poorly constructed and cars traveled slowly. Nearly every year our family piled into the Model T and spent the Fourth at a barbecue on the head of the Medina River. Almost everyone in Bandera county would turn out for these affairs and there wasn't too many there either. Everyone knew everyone else. We were really glad to see each other too, and would gather in groups and talk and laugh and sing favor-

The barbecue was the main attraction, however some would pitch horseshoes and play other games. The barbecue wasn't like the kind we have today. The pits were prepared the day before and an ample supply of seasoned liveoak wood was hauled up. The meat was cooked all night and by noon on the Fourth it was removed to the carving tables, brown, tender, crisp, and retaining all of its nourishing juices. The chef who prepared the meat was a master at the art. He had been schooled around the cow camp or on sheep range, or at the round up. Barbecue sauce wasn't bought out of a store. The chef didn't drown the meat in tomato catsup like many would-be cooks do today. No, it was far different then than it is now. Present day recipes for barbecue sauce cannot take the place of the "know-how" of those old timers. The menu of the modern day barbecue has changed too. In those days the women brought cakes, pies, pastries and preserves, homemade bread and real butter. Combined with the barbecued meats, all this made a great feast, and those people feasted.

We are sure the Fourth of July was spent in much the same manner in Callahan county then as it was in the country where we grew up. It is pleasant to dwell on these old customs and refresh our minds from the hurry blurry customs of today. While we know that we can never turn back the pages of time and live over those old days and participate in such events as the old time Fourth of July berbecues, we can reflect on them with much pleasure.

Livestock Marketing By Texas Group

Building a marketing service to meet the needs of livestock sponsoring a ten night singing producers in the range country, the Texas Livestock Marketing p. m. School will be held five Association, with offices at Fort Worth and San Antonio, handled 433,249 head of livestock, valued the teacher. at \$46,762,476.61 in 1951, according to Jim W. Mitchell, who is for all to attend who wish, there Executive Vice-President of the will be no tuition charge. The Association. Of this volume, money to pay the teacher will be there were 272,072 cattle and raised by free will offering or calves, 152,712 sheep, and 8,455 some other manner if necessary.

with a few in Oklahoma, Arkan- Church. sas and Louisiana, the trade territory served by the Association is equivalent to the combined area of the six major Corn Belt states, and the many and varied problems confronting livestock producers in an area this size offers a real challenge.

As the major feed crop produced in the Southwest is grass, and as a large percentage of the cattle and sheep grown in this area are in stocker and feeder flesh when sold, one of the most important functions of the Texas Livestock Marketing Association is to be able to serve both ranchers and feeder-buyers providing outlets throughout the nation for ranchers and assuring feeder-buyers of a reliable source of feeder cattle and sheep.

From its small beginning as a livestock cooperative marketing agency, it has steadily progressed until today it has a mem-bership of nearly 6,000 livestock raisers in addition to many customers who are not members.

Singing School Set At Rowden Church

The Rowden Community is school, beginning July 7th at 8 nights a week for two weeks. O. L. Francis, of Abilene, will be

In order to make it possible

to everyone in surrounding comers located principally in Texas munities to attend. The school and New Mexico, says Mitchell, will be held in the Baptist

Clyde Soldier Attains Corporal Rank

Marvin J. Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mitchell, Rt 1, Clyde, was recently promoted to corporal while serving with the 25th Infantry Division in Eastern Korea.

The 25th, approaching its 3rd the Reds at Pusan in the summer of 1950. Now the senior unit in Korea, its patrols are harassin Korea, its patrois are harassing enemy positions northwest Dupree, Gene and Fred, Mr. and of the Punchbowl.

Corporal Mitchell, who arrived in Korea in October of last year, is serving as an automatic rifleman in Company L, 3rd Battalion, 14th Infantry Regiment and has been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Before entering the Army in January 1951, he was employed by the San Antonio Construction Co.

F. O. Scroggins, Monahans George Morgan, Alc, station-football coach, visited his uncle, ed in San Antonio, visited his

A. T. Scroggins and Mrs. Scrog-gins Friday. parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan last week.

Baird Garages Will Be Closed Friday - Saturday, July 4 - 5

The public is hereby notified that the garages listed below will be closed Friday and Saturday in observance of the Fourth of July holidays.

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Tommy Gorman is a hero in

the eyes of Baird fishermen and

efforts to catch a big fish at the

are so many lines set out at the

up some dandy fish during the

past weeks. Several bass weigh-

ing from three to seven pounds

have been caught by local fisher-

On completion of his furlough,

Freeland will report to Ft. Sill,

Okla., for reassignment some-

hut in Baird Monday, July 7,

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mitchell of

COX TO START SWINGING

IN POLITICAL RACE

from 8-9 p. m.

out the rally.

resentation in Washington.

las when he became ill. Mrs.

Tuesday until Saturday.

Heat Endangers

He said the extreme heat in

where in the United States.

Sgt. Jack Freeland

Home From Korea

Freeland of Baird.

Legion to Elect

Officers Monday

beginning at 7:30 p. m.

DAUGHTER BORN

MARVIN HUNTER, Jr., Editor

66-Pound Catfish Caught Saturday Night at Railroad Lake

Adult Training Union **Elects Officers**

The Adult Training Union railroad lake just east of Baird this week. Tommy caught a 66group met Sunday evening at pound catfish at the lake Satur-6:45 'oclock at the First Bap- day night, and the event has tist Church, with president, Garvin Jones, presiding.

During the business meeting, the following officers were elect- lake that they are giving the ed for the new quarter: presi-dent, Medford Walker; vice-pres-bass. ident, Mrs. M. L. Hughes; secretary, Mrs. Conley Pruitt; Group Captains, Frank Payne and Mrs. Irvin Pruitt; Bible Leader, Mrs. Arvel Woosley.

Everyone is invited to attend men. Training Union services at the Baptist Church each Sunday

GEORGE MORGAN SUFFERS SPIDER BITE

George Morgan was passing out campaign cards in town Saturday after being laid up in bed for the past three weeks suffering from a spider bite. He lost twenty pounds during his convalescence, but he is now well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Eugene Walls and daugher, of Falfurias, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Walls from Friday until Monday. Gayle Walls accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Work and daughter, Pat, returned to their home Monday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth George, and family on their ranch near Leach, Okla. They all vacationed in the Ozarks in

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Fenton and daughter, Helen, from Sunday until Thursday were Mr. Fenton's brother, Art Fenton, and his uncle, Gene Fenton, of Pittsfield, Ill.

Mrs. Edith Wiles, of Gentry, Ark., and her granddaughter, Sandra Shaffer, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stiffler June 27. Mrs. Wiles is a sister of Mrs. Stiffler.

Billy Doroe Harris returned serves in California.

A special invitation is given will be in Baird to spend the Mrs. James R. Gibson of Temple weekend, Mrs. Gibson, who has proved and will remain for a while to arrange her house at 443 Vine into two furnished apartments.

Oplin Observations Sylva Gail Gwin Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.

Kay Johnson, who is attendyear on the peninsula, held off Simmons University, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson.

Mrs. Ted Slough, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jursack and Judy, all Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. S. R. Bradley, Joyce Jones, and Patricia Kirby, of Novice, visited friends in the Oplin community Friday. Mrs. Bradley is Homemaking teacher at Novice. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Breed-

ing, Dorothy and Patricia, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Landers of Lawn.

them to Big Spring for a few Visitors in the home of Lucien Warren Sunday, were: Mr. and days visit. Mrs. Joe Warren and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gwin, all of Baird. Mrs. Era Betcher is in Glen-

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Landers were honored with a miscellan- of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ashlock eous shower Saturday night at of Pecos, formerly of Baird. the school house. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to some 80 guests.

Miss Ione McIntyre and Mrs. Some Tank Fish Johnnie Hornbeck and Joan, of Lawn, visited their sister, Mrs. Mamie Johnson Sunday after- Aquatic Biologist of the Game

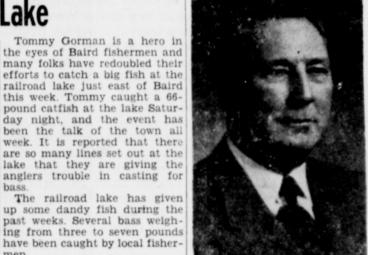
Frank Maurice and Tommie ranchers and sportsmen to guard Howard Barton, of Baird.

Johnson, and Clint McIntyre against fish loss in shallow lakes made a business trip and visited and tanks during summer heat. relatives in Rosebud last week.

Joyce, Pat and Judy Johnson, sult that the fish smother. The Neal, of Abilene. of Midland, are visiting their kill usually occurs during the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint early morning calm.

board motor.

Representative Post



L. R. Pearson

Sgt. Jack Freeland, who has been serving with the Seventh Division in Korea for the past nine and a half months, returned home Saturday for a thirtyhan and Shackelford counties. day furlough. Sgt. Freeland is Judge Pearson issued the folthe son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H.

"My name has been filed by petition with the County Chair-

"For this expression of confi-All Legionnaires are urged to dence, I am truly grateful. I attend the election of officers have concluded to let my name meeting at the American Legion remain on the ballot, and will appreciate any consideration my candidacy may be given. I served three sessions in the Legislature, and my philosophy of state Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tatum, of affairs is generally known to the Fort Worth, are parents of a voters of the district. I have no daughter, Monica, born in Callaeasy political promises to make. han County Hospital June 26. They Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. value They are usually of little or no

A. A. Manion of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tatum of Abilene, and the great grandparents are

power of man to build dams and store up water when rainfall is received. As nearly as practic able, water should be retained BRECKENRIDGE-State Repin the vicinity where it falls. resentative Jack Cox said today Human needs and municipal use to his home Sunday after two that he will "take off the gloves should have the first claim on and start swinging" when he water. Aged downstream permits launches his political drive for -kept on the books to block the Congressional seat for the West Texas-should be removed. Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McGee and 17th District. Start of his cam- As your Representative I will paign will be an old-fashioned fight to keep West Texas water the Congressional seat for the West Texas—should be removed. As your Representative I will be in Baird to spend the political rally on Tuesday, July in West Text

been in Temple recuperating Breckenridge. Free pink lemon- Primary — Our convention sys-1, on the courthouse lawn in ade, a band, and a barbershop tem for selecting delegates to Capitol. quartette as well as Cox' speech national political conventions are on the program scheduled has become a battle between Cox promises to lay plain facts port a bill to remedy this intolbefore his listeners and show erable situation. All Texans Army Air Base which necessiwhy there should definitely be should have a direct vote on this a change in this district's rep-important function of govern-Washington until the House rea change in this district's rep- important function of govern-

> "The Texas programs for Education, Highways, including Holley was at his bedside from farm to market, Public Health, Public Welfare and adequate care of the State wards have always Mrs. C. T. Clay and sons, of received my support.

> "On other issues coming be-Big Spring, who visited relatives her the past ten days, returned fore the 53rd Legislature, I will to their home Friday. Her father, vote for the best interest of my Homer Boatwright, accompanied State and District.'

> > Judge and Mrs. J. L. Farmer,

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Young Monday even-They report good crops in that small water areas sometimes exhausts the oxygen, with the rechildren, Carolyn and Ronald

Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straley and Freida visited Mr. and Mrs. Le-land Straley at Austin over the The Assistaint Chief Aquatic Bearden and children, Karen, Tommy and Taber, left Saturday an a vacation trip to California.

They will visit relatives in

L. R. Pearson Seeking

L. R. Pearson of Ranger, a veteran of three terms in the Texas Legisalture from Eastland County, has authorized The Star to announce that he is a candi-76th Legislative District. which includes Eastland, Calla-

lowing statement in connection with his candidacy:

man of Eastland, Callahan and Shackelford Counties for a place on the official ballot in the approaching Democratic primary as a candiate for Representative of the 76th Legislative District.

"If elected State Representative, I pledge to fight for three

foremost legislative needs: "1. Water — Only nature can provide water. But it is in the

Presidential Preference state political bosses. I will supment

"3. No New or Additional Taxes tions There will be plenty of chairs on the courthouse lawn and free -Taxes have reached the satuparking adjacent to the Cox- ration point. I am pledged to r'or-Congress Rally location. vote against any new or addi-Everyone is invited and free tional taxes. The state budget is lemonade will be served throughbalanced now and can be kept in balance by rigid economy. I have consistently voted against a general sales tax and a State C. F. Holley is reported to be Income Tax. Also, I will not favor improving nicely after undergothe creation of any additional ing surgery in a Dallas hospital. Boards and Commissions. He was visiting relatives in Dal-

L. R. PEARSON.

Jimmy Ashlock, junior student their children and grandchildren at A&M College, visited friends met in Cisco park Sunday for rose taking medical treatment. and relatives in Baird during their annual reunion. Present the weekend. Jimmy is the son were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Farmer and daughters, Patricia, Ann and Glenda Gayle of Cisco Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Farmer Phyllis and Dub, of Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson and Vivian of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farmer of Eula; Mr AUSTIN - The Assistant Chief and Mrs. Benja Pillans, Reggie and Denese, of Abilene; Mr. and & Fish Commission counsels Mrs. Julian Farmer, Mr. and Mrs

Mrs. T. P. Bearden, Mrs. Frank

Ellenburger Discovery Looms Five Miles Southeast of Oplin

cated Ellenburger discovery well in the area five miles southeast of Oplin. It is Southern California Petroleum Corp. of Midland 1 Andrew Johnson, Section 118, GH&H Survey.

lenburger was topped at 4,184.

tested at 4,182-96 feet with the tool open for two hours. Gas sur- free parking." faced in two minutes. Top choke | Swimming races are planned plugged and oil flowed in one for 2 p. m. for both boys and hour and 15 minutes. Operator girls, divided in to two age unloaded 300 feet of oil while groups: Junior High and Senior coming out of the hole. No water High. A free-for-all greased pole was recovered. Flowing pressure walk over water is scheduled as was 1.060 pounds while shutin is a water-pole match between pressure was 1,625 pounds.

Four miles southwest of Oplin, U. Bay & Morriz Mizel No. John Windham, Section 129, date for Representative of the GH&H Survey, is drilling below for 3,900 feet with rotary.

Dog is Natural Born Horse Wrangler

ing to the editor about his three- These short talks are scheduled year-old Bull-Shepherd dog this for 5 p. m. owned the dog since it was a 5- minute program ready and waiting for his master that will be long remembered. to start the day's work. The dog A big carnival, with attractions seems to delight in cutting out for the whole family, has already the saddle horses for each day's moved to the pool recreation work, and will, upon the arrival area. Then there are the reguof the cowhands, go into the lar lake features: swings and horse lot and run out certain see-saws for the kiddies; roller mounts from the usual 18 head. skating; miniature golf; and We asked Mr. Rutherford what he would take for his dog, "Snip." barbecue pits, and other things The question went against the needed for happy big family grain, we could tell for he an- gatherings. swered abruptly, "He's not for sale at any price

Burleson to Return Home Monday

son is due to return home by leading recreational sites. Monday from Washington, D. C. and begin his campaign for reelection, his campaign head-

Burleson has expressed intenons of arriving here at an earlier date but important legis- Teacher Associations are urged lation has detained him at the to attend the civil defense work-

housing and labor bills and also the proposed appropriation for W. S. Kemp, of Brownwood, the re-activitation for the Tye president of District One of the Army Air Base which necessicesses for the national conven-

Jimmy Cunningham Arrives Home

at his home in Ozona June 27, from Yokosuka, Japan, to spend Fourth of July. If we should a thirty day leave with his have mailed the paper at the mother, Mrs. R. M. Cunningham, usual time Thursday evening, mother, Mrs. Joe McGowen, for features while they are news. two weeks, recovering from the operation.

daughter, Nancy, of Comanche, weekend. They all attended the Albany Fandangle Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Baulch and Miss Ann Buckingham visited Norris Baulch, who is in the Air Force stationed at San Antonio, Harry Ebert and Mr. and Mrs. on June 22.

Big July Fourth At Lake Cisco

thal of Cisco, today invited Operator ran casing to 4,182 everybody in the Cisco area to feet, while total depth was 4,196 come to Lake Cisco Pool for a feet. Plans are to attempt com- grand and glorious old-fashionpletion from an open hole. El- ed Fourth celebration. "And be sure to bring all your friends," No. 1 Johnson was drillstem he added, "there'll be lots of fun for young and old, and plenty of

Cisco and Eastland. Jack Farleigh, former professional swimmer and widely-known acrobatic clown, will thrill everybody with

his spectacular aquatic stunts. Invitations to address the crowds briefly have been extended to Governor Allan Shivers, U. S. Senatorial candidate Lind-Backworth, congressional candidates Omar Burleson and Jack Cox, and other district, area Herbert Rutherford was talk- and precinct office aspirants.

week. Rutherford said his dog While some political sparks had not been trained but was are sure to fly, the real fireworks an apt horse wrangler. He has begin at 9 p. m., when a 50months old pup. He can handle beautiful display of pyrotechnics cattle better than a cutting will be the biggest ever shot off horse and rider. Answering to in this area. This closing feature the name of "Snip," he is always will climax a Fourth celebration

plenty of picnic table and seats,

The pool, rink and golf course are managed and operated by the John Wm. Butts Post, American Legion, of Cisco. All profits go for operation, maintenance and expansion of these attractions, which help make Lake ANSON - Rep. Omar Burle- Cisco one of the Southwest's

DEFENSE WORKSHOP IN BROWNWOOD

Local unit presidents and civil shop scheduled for Brownwood In the legislative mill now are July 7 on the campus of Howard

Baird Star Published Early This Week

The Baird Star is being published earlier than usual this week so the paper can be deliver-Jimmy Cunningham arrived ed to all the subscribers in Callahan county before Friday, the who is recovering from recent subscribers in the county would surgery. Jimmy and his father not have it to read before Saturcame to Baird Saturday to ac- day or Monday. In this manner company Mrs. Cunningham to our readers will have full benetheir home. Mrs. Cunningham fit of the advertising from local has been at the home of her merchants, as well as the news

Due to the Fourth falling on Friday, most Baird firms will be closed to observe the holiday and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Pinson and many of our people will take advantage of the long weekend to visited Mrs. Pinson's sister, Mrs. take distant trips. The Star of-Lee Ivey and Mr. Ivey the past fice is cooperating with the town by closing for business on the Fourth, and our force will take

> Mrs. R. F. Jones, of Weslaco, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Jones, a few days last week.

PRESENTING OUR CHILDREN





Pictured left is Nadene, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Shelnutt. Center is Linda Kay, eight-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Welch. Right is Jan, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ashlock.

a rest.

Mrs. Glenn Curtis and son, Eddie, Mrs. Roscoe Snelnutt, Mrs. O. D. Brown, Mrs. T. A. Martin, Mrs. A. V. Cartis and Mrs. M. L. Hughes and son, Lloyd Ray, were among those attending the final services of the Baptist Junior Girls Encampment at Lueders, Thursday.

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Mrs. W. D. Fleming Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining To Putnam People

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt left Thursday for Pomona, Calif., to visit Mrs. Wirt's daughter and

husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pet-Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Park and nam, Saturday. Lee, of Kermit, are spending

their vacation visiting relatives in Putnam. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Perkins and son spent the weekend visiting

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clark and family, of Aspermont. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jim Everett of Abilene, were visiting with relatives Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurst and family returned to their home in Beaumont, after spend-

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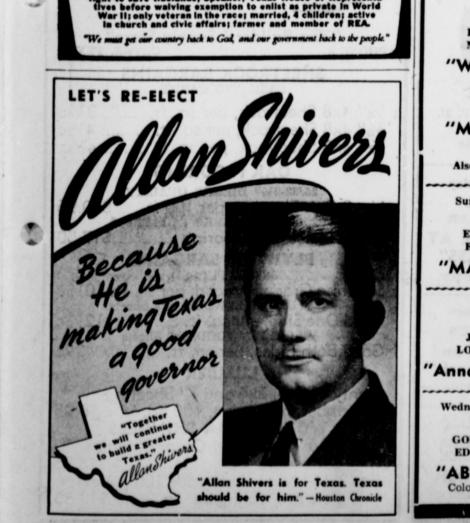
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ing their vacation in the home **Putnam Personals**

of Mrs. A. J. Hurst. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overton spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Overton at Granbury

Tommy Powell, of Dallas, is spending a few days in the home tal for the past week, is reported of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams. to be feeling better and should Joe Coleman, of Odessa, was be home in a few days. visiting among friends in Put-

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent Dale Gibbs visited Mrs. Crow's and Delores attended the Har- sister in Abilene Friday night. ber reunion in Abilene Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyal White, of Madill, Okla., were visiting with Sunday night and Monday. friends and relatives in Putnam

over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom, of Cross Plains, spent Monday visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Clemmer, of Cisco, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete King, Thursday

Mrs. Altis Clemmer and sons, to be with Mr. Odell's brother, Winiford Odell, who will under-go surgery Monday morning. of Westbrook, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey and other relatives.

Terecia Speegle is spending two weeks visiting her sisters in

Mr. and Mrs. James Waggoner and family, of Texas City, and of Baird, attended the Fandangle in Albany Saturday night, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holt and daughter, Betty Jo.

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Rowden Round-Up

Marjorie Mauldin

Community Activities Reliably

Reported by The Star Reporter.

land, spent the weekend with her

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker, of

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odell

went to Abilene Sunday night

Winiford was in a car wreck and

is suffering from a broken back.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones vis-

ited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel

dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gene

Mauldin and family Thursday.

Mrs. Swafford is visiting friends

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller, of Arizona, are visiting Grand-mother Miller and other rela-

Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Myrick

visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ste-

A large crowd of folks attended the services at the Rowden

Baptist Church, Sunday, to hear

just home from Brazil, speak. Rev. Treadwell told many inter-

esting things about his work

with the Brazilian people and

showed some slide pictures Sun-

Blan Odom and little daugh-

Velda and Thelda Crow spent

few days in Abilene last week

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gibbs and little son, Benine, of Jal, N. M., spent Sunday night with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney

Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter, Marie, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughes and

Mrs. A. M. Waggoner has as

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Rowland and daughter, Nancy, who are residing in Lubbock while Mr.

Rowland attends school, spent

and Beverly Ann and

her guests this week her son and amily, Mr. and Mrs. James Wag-

ter, Marion, had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatom

Treadwell, a missionary

Mrs. Lillie Swafford and Mrs.

Sunday afternoon.

at Rowden this week.

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tives of Rowden.

in Cross Plains.

visiting relatives.

son, Friday.

David, of Texas City.

this weekend here

Cisco, visited Mr. and Mrs. War-

mother, Mrs. Annye Miller.

Grandmother Miller, who has been in Callahan County Hospi-Mrs. Annie Tyler spent several days last week visiting in the homes of her brothers, J. E. and Tom Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow, Velda

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rosinbaum and Thelda, and Pfc. and Mrs. ook her father, Mr. Reynolds, to his home in Hollis, Okla., Sunday. Mrs. R. G. Edwards accompan-Raymond Mauldin and Wayne, ied them as far as Crowell, where of Weatherford, visited Mr. and she visited in the home of her Mrs. Gene Mauldin and family parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Miss Jo Bess Miller, of Mid-

Walter Miller has completed harvesting a plat of wheat one mile west of Eula that averaged a fraction more than 20 bu. per acre. Mr. Miller things the good ren Price Saturday night and yield was due to being planted on summer fallowed land. Building on the Methodist

Church is progressing nicely. It will have a new steeple and vestibule on the front. Rock masons complete their work this week. It will really be a beautiful addition to the communitly. Mrs. Ella Farrar, of Baird, was

a visitor in the home of her nephew, Cole Warren and fam-Katy Burleson, of Baird, had ily, Sunday,

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones have moved to their home in North

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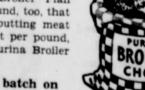
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From Cattle Range to Cotton Patch

By DON H. BIGGERS

(Continued from last week)

The first night after leaving his companions Benson's horse got away from him in some manner. Already feverish and partially delirious from thirst, the awfullest suffering known in the category of human misery, he must then make his way on foot across several miles of barren, sun-parched country before reaching the spring. In relating his experience Benson said he knew about how far it was to water and about how long it would take him to travel the distance, and that he formed a determination to reach his destination, to not give up or despond and to make sure of this to not stop to rest until the spring had been reached; to try to forget his sufferings, or at least not fully realize them by anticipating the certain relief awaiting him. As the sun rose higher and the heat became more torturing, beautiful lakes spread out upon the prairies before him, but he knew their deceptive glamorthey were only mirages. As the heat increased his thirst became more painful and his fever raged more fiercely, the beautiful lakes became more numerous, apparently dancing in mockery at his feet. At times he felt as though he was walking backwards or staggering in a direction contrary to that he wished to go, or reeling to fall, choked by his own tongue. Again it seemed that the light was fading away and that he was being consumed from without and within by an unseen fire; but he must not give up, for it was only a few miles farther, only a few hours more. Not even a wild animal ranged in that desert, but from out the dismal solitude came a medley of sounds which incessantly tingled in his ears. At last he reached the outskirts of the canyon, and it was only a few yards to the water, but the path was rough and he must move cautiously, and having become accustomed to mechanically treading over the smooth surface of the plains, could he walk among the rocks and along the winding trail without stumbling? He was growing weaker and a great mountain of weight seemed pressing down upon his body, and his only motive power was his powerful will, his determination to reach that spring, and to not fall, for should he fall he could never rise beneath that awful weight; then the weight vanished and his body was so light that every gust of wind seemed to whirl him about, but the spring was near, he was slowly nearing the goal and he must not fall. As he neared the spring reason asserted itself and began to give him counsel. He must not drink, only bathe in the water and then sleep and rest, for to drink too much would be fatal and to drink at all would be dangerous, for once tasting water he might not control his craving. Repeating this warning to himself he crept along to the spring, and there it was! Not mirage, but pure, delicious water. He could see it, could hear it trickling over the stones, but it was so strange, so unnatural, yet so pleasant. Repeating to himself the warning that he must not drink, he sank upon the bank of the spring and pulled off his shoes. He then attempted to wade in the water, but fell with most of his body in the spring. Then he became desperate, furious. He would drink his full, give his life as the price and die satisfied with the transaction, but nature had provided against his own rashness, for when he pressed the water to his mouth, his lips, tongue and throat were so swollen that he could not swallow. He bathed his face, head and hands, crawled upon the bank, pillowed his head upon a rock and with his throbbing, burning feet in the water he went to sleep. He had no idea what time of day it was when he reached the spring, nor how long he slept, but when he awoke it was night, though he knew not what hour; his feet were badly swollen and paining him, but he was rational and felt greatly relieved, took another good bath, drank a few handfuls of water and went to sleep again and did not wake up until late the next day. Then he was suffering nearly as badly from hunger as he had formerly suffered from thirst, but he knew that George Causey's outfit had been camped about two miles down the canyon and supposed he would still find someone there. His feet and legs were so swollen and sore that he could not walk, so he strapped his shoes on his back and crawled the entire distance from the spring to the camp, only to find it deserted, not even a scrap of buffalo meat on the ground. He found a little corn that had been wasted from the horse troughs, a small piece of rancid bacon, which he devoured with great relish, and some tow sacks in which he would wrap his feet. He then rested a few hours and succeeded in reaching a buffalo camp the next day.

When Benson reached the spring he had been about five days and nights without water and more than six days and nights without food when he reached the Causey camp, none of the men with the expedition having tasted food for several hours before their water was entirely consumed. Water being scarce, the discovery of more uncertain, they took only small quantities at a time, and to have eaten would have increased their thirst. I will add, as a postscript, that the Indians got away.

Jose, who was known by no other name, was doubtless the most noted scout and guide that ever operated in Western Texas, his most noted achievement being the guiding of Gen. Mackenzie to the camp of several hundred Comanche Indians, in the Tule Canyon, which resulted in their surprise and capture and subsequent slaughter of 1500 or 2000 of their horses. From the time of his capture in 1872 until the close of the Indian troubles Jose played a prominent part in the Indian history of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico. Jose himself was an acquisition by conquest of a somewhat peculiar character. Early in the 70's Gen. Mackenzie discovered that the Western Indians were procuring large supplies of guns and ammunition from some source and he began reconnoitering to find out the secret of this undesirable state of affairs. After several months' vain effort the General became discouraged and concluded that about the only way he could keep the guns and ammunition and Indians

from getting together would be to transport the whole Indian race to a region where deadly weapon distributors wouldn't venture because of the certainty of not getting back, but while the General was sojourning under a cloud of his own wrath near the line of Texas and New Mexico, a runner came from the scene of war whoops in Southern Kansas, No Man's Land and the Panhandle, bringing to the General a cordial invitation from the Secretary of War to hurry to the scene of consternation and participate as the guest of honor at the obsequies of an Indian outbreak. The General was riding in a sweeping trot and a circumspent attitude across the plains somewhere in the vicinity of the present right of way of the Pecos Valley Railroad when he came upon a train of thirty big freighting wagons. That was unusual and not expected. The General's eyes got full of interrogation points, his curiosity became aroused and the voice of duty whispered to him, saying, "Go see about it, find out to whom this outfit belongs, where it is from, where it is going, and what its business is," but when the General got within a few hundred yards of the wagons a voice from one of them commanded him to hide out. This was an embarrassing situation for the General. He was now convinced of two things that there was something crooked about the outfit and something very straight about the way the fellow talked. The General then commanded the outfit to surrender, and the commander of the outfit sent the General a message that took the horn off of his saddle and followed this immediately by another message that would have placed the General on the retired list if his head had been a couple of inches farther south. This rudeness made the General angry and he told the party in charge of the outfit that he was no part of a gentleman. Hard feelings resulted and then there was a fight, not merely a disturbance of the peace, but a typical pioneer day disagreement. The outfit had been completely surrounded by soldiers and could not escape, and after several hours' fighting, all of WE LIKE JOHN BEN them, with one exception, had been killed or so badly wounded that they could not use a gun. The General again commanded the survivor, who was evidently in command of the outfit, ot surrender, but he declined, giving as a reason that he didn't want to, and wouldn't, but after Allan Shivers. considerable parleying he changed his mind and agreed to meet the General unarmed on half way grounds. After a considerable conference he surrendered his entire outfit, including twenty-five corpses and four mortally wounded Mexicans to the United States Government. The man was Jose, owner of the outfit, and for whom the dead and wounded men had been working. His wagons were loaded known individuals. with guns and ammunition and his capture solved the problem as to who had been supplying the Indians with the sinews of war for several months, and also explained has a good educational backwhy he had made such a desperate resistance.

What kind of terms were made with Jose was a secret all has a burning ambition to go J. B. Waldrop and son, Joe, and known only to him and General Mackenzie, but subse- places as a public servant. quent events caused the general impression that they were very generous. At any rate the entire outfit of teams, guns, ammunition wagons and provisions, aggragating everal thousands dollars, were appropriated by the government as contraband of war and Jose entered the government service as a scout and guide, and by his subsequent faithful service more than atoned for his former mischief, for, though more than half savage himself when captured, he became the friend of the white men and never

In this connection it is perhaps not inappropriate to make further mention of Mackenzie's slaughter of the Indians' horses, which took place on the Tule, not far from the present town of Tulia, probably in 1873 or 1874, but this is said to have never been reported to the department, the General having acted upon his own initiative and responsibility, and in a manner calculated to effectively meet a dire emergency. This summary action came near getting the General, who according to the ideas of old buffalo hunters and ranchmen, was the best Indian fighter that ever operated in Texas, courtmartialed. The Indians, as already mentioned, were Comanches, and some of them had been on the reservation in the Indian Territory while others had never been captured, but had been leading a nomadic, sub-tribe, marauding life, and for several years the reservation Indians had been slipping away, joining the Indians in Western Texas, committing all kinds of depredations and returning to the reservation when it suited their pleasure, and it was against these Indians that Gen. Mackenzie inaugurated his famous campaign, which really lasted three years, beginning about 1870 and during which time he fought several battles, made the three Mackenzie trails on the northern plains and probably first traversed many others which have since taken his name. He never knew how many Indians were in the country nor what numbers he might encounter, so he always campaigned with a big force and one trip with his big train of heavy wagons was sufficient to make a trail that would remain for years, and those he traveled frequently now looked like great plowed furrows across the prairies.

When Jose guided Mackenzie to the Indian camp in the Tule Canyon they were so surprised on finding themselves completely surrounded that they made but a feeble resistance. The capture was made near where the town of Claude, in Armstrong county, now stands, but the Indians were at once moved several miles west. The place where the Indians were put under guard where the horses were killed is one of the most picturesque places in Western Texas. On either side of Tule Creek, a little stream of crystal water fed by perennial springs, its banks lined with willows, hackberries and other small timber, for a distance of three or four miles there is an impassable bluff from fifty to two or three hundred yards to half a mile wide, and by turning the Indians into this valley and placing a strong guard above and below them they were completely imprisoned.

(Continued next week)

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MODERN IMPROVEMENTS

The Baird Star has been replacing old equipment with new and modern machines ever since we purchased the Texas. 2nd Class Matter, Act of business nearly eight years ago. This constant effort has gradually transformed the Baird print shop into an upto-date printery where speed and efficiency in producing modren printed forms is an every day feature. While any kind of letter press printing can be done, we are specializing in business ruled forms.

Today the Baird printing shop is equipped with latest types of equipment and can hold its own in this age of keen competition. Today we are installing a new Hammond Glider Saw, a precision tool to increase the accuracy of type forms. With the Hammond Glider our commercial printing department takes its place among the most efficient printing shops of the state. Only recently an Eva Press, equipment for manufacturing rubber printing plates was installed. No town the size of Baird that we know about has a print shop equipped with an Eva Press. This equipment enables The Star to produce the finest business forms possible and then to reproduce the forms over and over in a minimum of time with highest efficiency. The rubber plate system is being used to reprint a number of books that have long been out of print. Among these books is the story that is now appearing weekly in The Star entitled, "From Cattle Range to Cotton Patch." With such equipment as a Model 31 Linotype, Hammond Glider Saw, Hammond Easy Kaster, Little Giant automatic printing press, Challenge paper drill, and other modern accessories, The Star printing shop is one in which all Baird and Callahan county people can take real pride.

well as has John Ben Shepperd. former state president of the

the people of Texas for his first elective office-that of attorney general.

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Shepperd has long kept his Ie is widely known as a speaker, ground, a most pleasant person- Mobley and son, Jimmy, formerly ality, a fine family, and above of Baird, now of Corsicana; Mrs

Few have prepared themselves didacy, with the belief that for a successful political life as when he is elected he will fill that office in the same efficient Jaycees and for a long while manner displayed by his retiring Secretary of State to Governor predecessor and many other great Texans who first came into Now John Ben Shepperd asks prominence in that post.

> Mrs. B. C. Stewart and children, Sandra, Bernie and Jerry, of Ft. Worth, returned to their home Monday after visiting

Recent visitors in the home of political fences in good repair. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collins and Vernon Avery, were Mrs. W. H. Mills and son, Leo; Mrs. Irene Billye Ruth Ellis, of Euless

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Turkey Creek News Mrs. Edgar Albrecht

Recent visitors of the W. A. Burtons were: Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and Wanda, of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thomas, of Rowden.

Mrs. Calvin Champion, Sunday, Lilly Glen Dale Champion of Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Champion, Fullerton; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Summers and sons, of Oil Center, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Burleson and family, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Summers and family, Abilene; Mrs. Stacey Summers, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Champion, Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. W. F.

Champion, Goldthwaite. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin, Gladys and Anita, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gill, Sun-

Miss Pat Moore, of Loraine, The Baird Star is authorized spent the past week with Mr.

Rev. Darwin Brown is doing pital the past week. research work on his Master's Degree at Southwestern Seminary in Ft. Worth this week. Mrs. Brown and baby daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hill, Sr., of Graham.

Among people from Cottonwood attending the Fandangle parade at Albany Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Strahan and Gloria; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bur-

ton and family. Rev. E. M. Treadwell will preach at both day and night services at the Cottonwood Baptist Church, Sunday. He is a returned missionary from Brazil and will show color slides of his work at the Sunday night ser-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Archer and family visited the Edgar Albrecht family Sunday.

The Cottonwood P.-T. A. met in a special session at the home of Mrs. Slim Spivey on Friday, June 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Archer entertained their friends with an

A number of people from Cottonwood attended the musical at Cedar Bluff last Thursday day for Long Beach, Calif., on Visitors in the home of A. B.

McLeod Sunday were: Misses brother, Jim Scott.
Maggie and Myrtle Wilson of Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Brooks and son, of Abilene, and and children returned to their Mr. and Mrs. Mason Shuford, of home in Roswell, N. M., Sunday, Cross Plains.

Aransas Pass, and Mrs. Lyndell Cooper, of Austin, visited Mrs. A. B. McLeod Monday, bringing Memphis, Tenn., arrived last Friwith them Mrs. Nancy Washburn day to visit her uncle and aunt, who makes her home with Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thompson. McLeod.

Mrs. J. A. Hall and daughter, Miss Mable Hall, of Sidney, visthanks to everyone who was so ited Mrs. Hall's daughter, Mrs. kind and thoughtful during my Friday until Monday.

and children, Ray, Kay and greatly appreciated. Especially Lynda, of Houston, visited Mrs. do I want to thank Dr. Griggs Eatherly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Green and the hospital Lonnie Ray, last week. Kay re- staff. mained for a longer visit.

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Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lilly and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ware and fam- ++++++++++++++++++++++ ily of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Elda Bryant and family of Abi-Guests in the home of Mr. and lene, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence and family of Abilene, Shorty Lilly of Abilene, Jo Nelle Carpenter of Denton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, of Jal N. M., visited his father, Jim Bailey and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Loper and family, of Monahans, attended the funeral of Alf Loper, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawk Roberts Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gill, of visited in Colorado City Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Betcher accompanied their son, Melvin, of Winters, on a trip to San Antonio and other points south this

Karen Sue, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Bill Culpepper, been in Hendrick Memorial Hos-

Gary Chrane visited Frank Chrane Sunday. Frances and Yvonne Lilly vis-

ited Wilma Armor Sunday even-Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jones, of Denton Valley, visited Mr. and

Mrs. Claude Wilkerson, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Putnam and family of Colorado City, spent the weekend in Baird with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith. On their way home they stopped by Clyde for a short visit with Mrs. Putnam's aunt, Mrs. Myrla Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodfin Ray and daughter, Sue and Lou, of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. Ray's mother, Mrs. W. J. Ray, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Easter, of Midland, visited Mrs. Easter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Williams, the past weekend, and ice cream supper last Friday they all attended the Fandangle at Albany Saturday.

an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. D. Chisenhall, and her

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bellamy after visiting Mrs. Bellamy's par-Mrs. Mary Belle Cooper, of ents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell

Miss Carlene Thompson,

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I wish to express my sincere J. V. Thompson and family from illness in Callahan County Hospital and at the home of my mother. Your cards, flowers, Mr. and Mrs. James Eatherly visits, and the food sent were Especially

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross and daughters, Mary and Janet, are visiting Mr. Ross' sister, Mrs. J. J. Bookhout, in Dallas, this week.

Tommy Ivey, who is employed by T&P Railway Company, at Big Spring, was at home for the weekend.

SPEND JULY the 4TH AT LAKE CISCO

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