### **Dangerous Highway Intersection Gets New Traffic Safety Markers**

ly, the State Highway Department is installing more adequate protection for motorists at the intersection of Highways 80 and 283 at the east edge of Baird. past few weeks and the highway Lubbock. Mrs. Baum was born department was asked to place Sept. 17, 1876. more warning signs there. The department is going a step farther than was requested and is constructing an island at the approach on 283 where stop Plains. Rev. Cecil Tune officiatsigns will be placed in the center of the highway. This will be similar to the stop signs in front of the courthouse, and there will be no excuse for a driver not to see the sign in plenty of time to stop, look both ways, before entering the giant U.S. 80 high-

The Baird Safety Council, primarily a group of observers of received splendid cooperation of Oregon; one sister, Mrs. Lily from the Texas State Highway Williams of Colorado City. Department, and every effort is being made to preserve life and property and to make Baird one the safest towns of its size in Texas. Outstanding among accomplishments of the Baird Safety Council in its effect is the recent removal of cars from the center of Market Street.

#### Summer Meeting At Church of Christ

Plans for holding the summer meeting at the Baird Church of Christ were advanced at a meeting Sunday night. Andy Burks, of Slaton, will preach during the meeting which opens August 15 and closes August 24 at the local church building.

a drinking fountain will be in- foreign countries. stalled for the comfort of those ust days and nights of the meet- in several years. ing, and they are extending an invitation to everyone to plan PERRY HUGHES now to attend all the services.

Services will be held each morning at 7 o'clock and nightly at 8 o'clock. The hours were arranged with the working man and woman in mind so they might be able to attend regularly.

#### POLITICAL RALLY AT MORAN JULY 19

Join the crowd July 19th at ENTERS U.S. NAVY ing candidates have been invit-ed to attend the Political Rally, where he is stationed with the July 19. Several of them have Navy. The Harrises live on the accepted the invitation, and Jackson ranch, and Darryle atothers are expected to do so this tended the local high school. week: Omar Burleson and Jack Cox, candidates for Congress; Chief Justice Clyde Grisson; MET MONDAY AT CHURCH District Judge J. R. Black; Dis-H. Dawson and John Wood, can- dent. We sang several songs and 76th District.

be on the platform.

#### DUDLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST ker visited our G. A. TO HOLD MEETING

A. W. Burks, minister of the Christ beginning Friday night, Missions. July 18, and continuing through Sunday, July 27. Services will be held at 8 p. m. nightly. Jim Coffman and L. H. Hayhurst will direct the song services.

#### Cross Plains Woman Dies At Lubbock

Mrs. Theresa Allien Baum, 75, of Cross Plains, died unexpect-Two serious accidents occurred edly Wednesday morning while at this intersection during the visiting her son, W. T. Baum in

Services were held at 10 a. m. Thursday in the First Methodist Church in Ackerly with a graveside service at 5 p. m. at Cross

beside her husband who died in 1927, and her three sons.

of Tulsa, Okla., G. P. of Big Spring, and W. T. of Lubbock; marily a group of observers of grandchildren; two brothers, D. business activity in Baird. The safe practices in this city, has W. Bryson of Ackerly and Albert two fronts not to get the new

> Pallbearers were R. Z. Cozart, Alvie Hogg, Leon White, Dolph Rasberry, Luther Rudeseal and

### On Doll Collection

dolls at Dr. Andrew W. Hunt's to permit the workmen to do To my Neighbors and Friends: education class at McMurry Col- their job better and quicker. Dill. Dill. Webster, who is enrolled in the from the city to park cars in education class for public school the center of the street instead teachers.

Mrs. Estes gave a lecture along with her collection. Her display

Mrs. Estes has displayed her who attend. Every effort is be- rare collection of dolls in Baird ing made by members of the and surrounding towns. Because church to make the building of illness in the family, this has comfortable during the hot Aug- been the first display of the dolls

### TO HAVE SURGERY

Perry Hughes is to undergo surgery Saturday morning in an Abilene hospital. Mr. Hughes has been in ill health for several weeks. He and Mrs. Hughes have moved back to Baird, at 326 Pine St., from Ozona

Moran and see and hear the man Jack Darryle Harris, son of

#### BAPTIST GIRLS AUXILIARY

State Senator Harley Sadler; 5 p. m. Monday. The meeting COMMUNITY NIGHT ASSTATE Senator Harley Sadler; 5 p. m. Monday. The meeting COTTONWOOD JULY 18 Omar Burkett, L. R. Pearson, C. was called to order by the presi-All county candidates will also ward Steps. Miss Martha Gilli-

The following were present: Edwina, Jenice, Janis, Marjorie, Church of Christ at Slaton, Tex- Ann, Carolyn, and Martha. We as, will preach for a gospel meet- dismissed with a prayer. Our ing at the Dudley Church of next program is on Community

Martha Payne.

### **New Voting Box To Be Provided For County Absentee Voters**

Callahan, like all other Texas the county clerk, interpreted the

The new law provides that opinion noted absentee ballots shall remain in So if precin

The legal opinion received by election day.

She was buried in Cross Plains

Survivors are three sons, J. R. one daughter, Mrs. Mildred De-Bush of Littleton, Colo.; nine grandchildren; and eight great

Lester Brown.

### Mrs. Estes Lectures

The local congregation has was composed of American dolls been working and planning for and dolls of foreign countries. the summer meeting since the All of the dolls and their clothdates were first decided three ing were hand-made by Mrs. months ago. The building is air Estes, who has given much reconditioned, a new speaking sys- search and study to the history, tem has been installed, and be- customs and clothing of the fore the meeting gets under way American people and those of

#### JACK DARRYLE HARRIS

the girls for our work on our Forland helped us in the absence of Mrs. Fugitt. Mary Grace Wal-

Mrs. Zolon Melton, of Coleman, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolin, of Floydada, stopped by Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thompson Mrs. Melton's aunts, the Gunn and son, Gene, visited relatives Sisters. They had been on their in Sweetwater Sunday and Mon- vacation to Fannin county and were enroute to Coleman.

counties, will have one addition- law to mean that the ballots al voting box this year for the should no longer be distributed primary and general elections. to the voting precincts. It will be the county absentee Instead, the opinion h Instead, the opinion held, the voting box set up under the new absentee votes should be listed Election Code which re- on one tally sheet and the re vised the procedure for absentee turn made direct to the county voting. Concerning the new law, clerk as are those from any the Fort Worth Star-Telegram other polling place. However, in November's genhas this to say:

Under the old election law, eral election, the board should Neb., absentee ballots were sent by make separate tally lists by prethe county clerk on election day cincts of the absentee votes for were joined by the Charles Tipto the voting precincts of the governor, the opinion said.

It is on the basis of the num-There, they were cast and ber of votes cast for governor counted by the precinct election in general elections in the prejudges and reported along with cincts that delegations from prethe other returns from the vot- cincts, county and state party conventions are allotted, the

So if precinct records are to the county clerk's office and be cast and tallied by a special can-vassing board. be accurate, the gubernatorial absentee votes should be listed with precinct returns on general



Our Motto, "Tis Neither Birth, Nor Wealth, Nor State, But the Git-up-and-Git That Makes Men Great." Callahan County Clarendon Established November 15, 1879 The Baird Weekly Star Established December 8, 1887

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### Sidewalks to be Paved In Business District

In keeping with the progress of Baird and through the efforts of a committee from the Callahan County Club, new concrete which makes it very difficult to American Legion Stands For." obtain authority for the work. It is hoped by leaders of the movement that the estate will be able to join their neighbors and complete the new sidewalk through the entire block.

The contractor will pour the will probably take three days. Mrs. Fank Estes displayed her Business along the walk are conunique collection of hand-made templating closing for one day Tuesday, July 2. Mrs. Estes However, it is not yet determinher daughter, Mrs. Alvis ed which day will be the best for and granddaughter, Linda this, or that it will be necessary were guests of Mrs. R. A. at all. Permit is being sought while the work is in progress.

#### Graham B. Smedley For Supreme Court

HOUSTON - Endorsement of the legal profession was given July 5 to Judge Graham B. Smedley for re-election to the Supreme Court of Texas, Place No. 2

President Cecil Burney of the State Bar of Texas in reporting the poll, said that "lawyers of the State in an official poll conducted by the State Bar gave Judge Smedley an overwhelming vote of confidence and voted he should be retained on the court by more than a 9 to 1 count."

The vote of the Bar was: Judge Smedley, 5,177. His opponent, 598.

Judge Smedley won the endorsement of the attorneys in his home county of Tarrant by a 18-to-1 margin, the vote being

In Gregg county, Judge Smedley was favored over his opponent by nearly a 3 to 1 margin, who gets your vote. The follow- Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harris, left 9 for his opponent, although the county was the home of his op-

> is not only an ideal "layman's but he also has the overwhelming respect of the legal profession.

#### COMMUNITY NIGHT AT

A Community Night program will be held at the Cottonwood didates for Representative of the the program was turned over to school building Friday evening, July 18. The evenings activities will begin with a ball game at 5 p. m., and everyone is welcome

to take part in the game.

A "Pot Luck Supper" will be served at dusk, and those attending are asked to bring either a can of meat of vegetables, or pre-cooked fresh meat or vegetable, and enough bread and lemonade for their family, also

After supper the Polka Dot Boys will be on hand to provide plenty of music, and politicat candidates are invited to attend and speak to the gathering. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Baird and Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Williams which I shall always be grateful and children, of Henrietta, spent I have received splendid co-Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stiffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dupree Bryant and family, of El Paso, return-ed to their home Sunday after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell spent a few days on the San Saba river recently. Mrs. Fred Thompson and sons, of Sargent visited the Mitchells and made the trip with them. They tons of Austin.

Mrs. T. P. Bearden, Mrs. Frank Bearden and children returned to their homes Monday afternoon from a two week's vacation trip to California.

way community Thursday of last week, from an extended vacation trip to the West Coast.

With the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mrs. Ludie H. Owen left Thursday of last boyd, Sr. He will report to Fort day for her home in Oklahoma on her ranch here.

Mrs. Ludie H. Owen left Thursday of their brother, D. H. Brownsville. Mr. Broydstun said the son of Mr. Brownsville. Mr. Broydstun said their brother, D. H. Brownsville. Mr. Brownsville. Mr. Brownsville and family at Brownsville and Mrs. Sano remained for a visit there. trip to the West Coast.

### **Legion Officers** To Be Installed

sidewalks will be constructed in the 200 block of Market Street the local American Legion post next week. All fronts except two will be installed at the Legion will get the new walks. The pro- Hall at 8 p. m. July 22. E. L. Jackject will overcome and do away son, commander of the 17th diswith the old worn rock walks trict will be the installing offithat have become such a hazard cer. Commander Jackson has to those who do business in that been elected to become 5th diblock, which is the center of vision commander after August business activity in Baird. The 1st. He served in the United States Navy during World War II walks are owned by an estate His subject will be "What The

Officers of the American Legion Auxiliary will also be in stalled at the same time, with Margaret Deford, commander of the Legion Auxiliary's 17th District, officiating.

The public is invited to atconcrete all at one time, which tend the installation ceremonies and home accidents are creatto be made.

In as much as a clean-up campaign is getting underway in Baird for the prevention of the spread of polio, I wish to announce that I am removing the hogs from the pens just over the west city limit line, and will parking them at the curb cooperate in every way I know in the effort to make Baird a healthier place in which to live. While I am among the first to respond to the plea that is being made to clean-up, I sincerely urge everyone who keeps stock in or near town, to lend their cooperation for the good of all. Eddie Konczak.

#### Revival Begins July 21 At Putnam Church

O. R. Perkins, of the Welch Street Church of Christ, Denton, will conduct a 10-day meeting at the Church of Christ in Putnam, beginning July 21 and continuing through July 30. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. O. R. Perkins is a brother of E. G. Perkins, of Putnam, who is the school superintendent.

#### DAVID EDMONDSON HONORED AT PARTY

'Snowballs in July" was the theme of a Birthday party held Tuesday, July 15, honoring David, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edmondson. Snowmen and snow-These figures prove, his supporters said, that Judge Smedley was centered by the birthday balls were featured in the games. was centered by the birthday cake, which depicted a snow scene, including an Igloo and GIVE CONCERT candy Eskimo men. Favors of balloons, bubble gum, and popcorn snowmen were given to take place July 19, on Main Street of the federal budget. By acthe following guests:

Wayne Alexander, Chuck and Bobo Coats, Bernice and Arnold Carroll, Carley Carrico, Nannez, Martha and Dale Coley, Floyd Come and bring your family. D. Collins, Jr., Jane Ann and Nancy Gardiner, Sharon Jeter, Robert Martin, Scotty Mitchell, Kitsey, Danny and Bobby Ross, Charlene Shelton, David and Mack Sutphen, Mary Jo Thompson, Bobby and Barbara Voights, Patricia Kaiser, Billy Seelig of Moran, Martha Carol and Ivy Lee Ferguson of Albany.

#### Mrs. Robinson Thanks Voters

To The Citizens of Callahan

County: Although I have no opponent Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lawson and County Clerk, I wish to express children, and Mrs. Gay Siria, of my appreciation for your inter-Arizona, have been visiting his est in my behalf. I am mindful mother, Mrs. P. L. Lawson, and for the many favors and courother relatives and friends in tesies extended me in the past, and the fine vote given me in my first race for this office, for

I have received splendid cothe 4th of July weekend with operation during the time I have served as your County Clerk, and I hope you will continue to be as helpful to me in the future. I sincerely appreciate your friendship and good will.

Thanking you in advance for your vote and influence for reelection on July 26th. Sincerely,

Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson. County Clerk.

#### Pvt. E. J. Boyd Home On Furlough

Pvt. E. J. Boyd, who has been stationed with the 508th Engineer Supply Detachment of the phis, Tenn., is visiting her uncle week vacationing in Arkansas Army on Okinawa, arrived home and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. and Oklahoma. They visited the on July 3rd to spend a 30-day Thompson furlough with his family. He is

# **Clean-Up Campaign Planned To Prevent Poliomyelitis**

taken by the Baird Safety Coun- the clean-up drive.

the Callahan men's club will join a committee place for flies, whether actually a meeting held in the Methodist they meet with the City Council the city, should be removed. Church basement Wednesday as at its next meeting to establish , Dr. M. L. Stubblefield spoke favoring steps that are being dates and other regulations for briefly at the club meeting to

cil and the Baird City Council Those who keep stock in town polio. He said, "We think of polio to clean up the town and make or near the living quarters of our as being something that people Baird as safe from polio as is people are urged to move them have who live in Houston or Dal-

#### Farm Safety Week Set for July 20 - 26

COLLEGE STATION - Farm and hear the speeches that are infg such a serious problem that President Truman has issued a special proclamation urging farm residents and all persons interested in farm life to observe National Farm Safety Week, July 20-26. Estimates just released from the National Safety Council show that 14,500 farm people were accidently killed last year and 1,250,000 others suffered lost time from injuries.

On Monday, of National Safe-Week, programs on home safety will be stressed. Home accidents are costing Americans over \$600,000,000 annually, in lost wages, medical expense and insurance overhead. The safe home, for family members and for children to grow up in, is one where the parents are safety conscious and where hazards are corrected.

happen because the homemaker specialists with the Texas Agrito save strength and energy. Use Texas. the head instead of the feet; don't carry heavy clothes baskets to the line; put the wash in a plastic bag over the shoulder or in a basket on a small cart; save lifting heavy loads and save bending by having work surfaces Methodist Church. of the right height.

It's a good idea to make Farm Safety Week last all the year turn the tidelands to the State Therest Hargett, according to the National Safety Council. Remember everyone is important, whether man, woman or child and cannot be replaced. Believe in the dignity of safety. It is worth the time it takes to

#### MORAN BAND TO

The first appearance of the Moran High School Band will ernment and the early balancing in Moran, when the Old Fash- complishing the former, he be-Donnie Atwood, Harold and loned Political Rally will be lieves, the later will be accomheard that evening. There will plished. be special music, and refreshments will be served everyone. Proceeds will be used to buy instruments for the Moran band.

Mrs. C. C. Cady.

#### KENNETH McPHERSON IN PUSAN HOSPITAL

son, is in a hospital at Pusan, a man of good moral character, ing places in Japan: stopped for a few minutes rest confidence of the people he is at Chuchon, and Kenneth jump- to serve. ed from the truck, catching his ring on a bolt. His finger was and his contacts with men of Honolulu, Hawaii. very badly hurt. He was rushed universal perspective, to a hospital in Chuchon, where 21 stitches were taken in his fin- he says, that the nation is in for re-election for the office of ger. After two days he was flown need of legislation that will to Pusan, where he is now re- stamp out organized crime. covering.

Kenneth, who has been on the Korean front since May, was ill Texas on matters of interest to most of the month of June.

#### SGT. SAM FREEMAN HOME FROM KOREA

Sgt. Sam Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman of Wylie, has returned home from Korean war area. After spending 30 days with his family, he will assignment.

His wife is the former Betty Cook of Clyde. The Freemans resided near Clyde for many years before moving to Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle King and sons vacationed in Beeville and and Mr. and Mrs. McElrath in tes soon. Charles is stationed Corpus Christi last week. Mr. Clyde. King returned home Saturday, and Mrs. King and sons remained for a longer visit with relatives in Beeville.

Carlene Thompson, of Mem-

#### Petry Announces for Congress-at-Large



Herb Petry, Jr. . . Foe of Communism

CARRIZO SPRINGS - Herb Accidents in the home may Petry, Jr., Carrizo Springs atland, Italy, Monaco, torney, businessman and past England and Holland is tired. The home management President of Lions International, announces his candidacy for the culture Extension Service, say Democratic nomination for Conits a smart thing to plan devices gress-at-Large for the State of

> County Bar Association, a director of the Texas Good Roads Association, a member of the Texas Economy Commission and Sweden, Denmark, Paris, Rome Steward in the Carrizo Springs and London. The candidate states that he

> is in favor of: legislation to reof Texas, soil and water conservation, an economy minded fednational defense, and a domestic policy which would safeguard Mrs. Winifred Kilgo, Sedro Woolthe nation from insidious attack ley, Wash.; Jane Proctor, Tulsa. from within.

Petry also favors strong and definite measures against Communism, the reduction of foreign way, returning by Scotland. aid, elimination of waste in gov-

Opposed to additional taxation. mits. It is the belief of the candi-

date that the man who occupies While movnig to Pusan, they one who enjoys the trust and Kamakura, Hakone, Atami, Ky His experience as a lawyer

> Petry pledges himself to work with all other Congressmen from

have

citizens of the state and to the best interests to the nation. A life-long resident of Carrizo Springs. Petry is a graduate of Westmoorland College, San Antonio, and the University of

Texas Law School, Austin. He is married to the former Josephine White, daughter of report to Fort Sill, Okla., for re- Mr. and Mrs. Ben White of Carrizo Springs. The couple has two sons.

> Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McElrath and children, of San Antonio. are visiting their parents, and Mrs. Felix Mitchell in Baird

Mrs. Royce Gilliland and daughter, Martha, and Mrs. Gilliland's sister, Mrs. M. A. Sano, of San Antonio, spent from Tuesday until Friday of last Monday to visit their daughter,

County Club went on record at from the Safety Council when in the city limits or adjacent to

warn people of this area against possible. A committe from the to the country. Every breeding las or some other distant city, but Callahan county certainly has had her share of polio. In fact," he continued, "Our per capita record is very bad." He explained that the spread of polio is traced directly to the common house fly, and he urged the people of Baird to clean up all

breeding places for flies. Among the serious conditions and breeding places for flies are pens for holding cows, horses and mules, dogs, hogs, and open toilets. Every resident of the town should inspect their property in advance of the cleanup campaign and see what is needed for a proper clean-up.

#### Mrs. S. L. McElroy On European Tour

Mrs. S. L. McElroy left New York Tuesday by plane on the first lap of a 34-day tour of 8 European countries.

Abilene Christian College is sponsoring the tour, and Mrs. Clarence E. Baley, associate professor of English, is director. Belgium, Germany, Switzer-

France,

are the

countries to be visited in that The group will attend the European Bible Lectureship in Frankfurt, Germany, and a member of the tourning party, Everett Ferguson, El Campo senior at ACC will be one of the speakers. They will attend services in

Others making the tour are Diane Estes, Betty Collins, Abilene; Edith Hester, Auburn, Ala.; Russellville, Ala.; Phyllis White, Toronto, Ontario, Canada; Dr. Stanley eral administration, adequate Whitacre, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Byrd, Fort Worth;

> Mrs. McEuroy and Mrs. Baley will leave the group upon their return to Belgium, and tour Nor-

#### Mrs. W. P. Brightwell To Visit Japan

Mrs. W. P. Brightwell is leaving San Antonio by plane today, this candidate for the important Friday, on an International Good state and federal post states that Will Tour to the Orient and he favors the reduction of taxes just as quickly as the establish-by The Texas Good Neighbor ment of national security per- Delegation, under personal leadership of Mrs. Preston H. Dial,

of San Antonio. Featured stops are to be made Pfc. Kenneth McPherson, son a position of public trust, either at Los Angeles and San Fran-of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McPher-elected or appointed, should be cisco, Calif., and at the followoto, Osaka, Nara and Nikko. The group will also visit Hong Kong, Manila, Philippine Island, and

> The group is scheduled to arbrought him to the realization, rive in San Antonio Friday, Aug-

#### Singing Convention To Meet at Oplin

Callahan County Singing Convention will meet at Oplin Sunday, July 20 at 2 p. m. All who enjoy good singing

are urged to be present. Mrs. A. A. Manion accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Jack Ta-tum and infant daughter to their home in Ft. Worth July 4

Mrs. Manion returned to Baird

Saturday, July 11. Sgt. Charles Waggoner wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Waggoner, this week that he is expecting to be back in the sta-

iian Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Boydstun, with their daughter, Mrs. Her-man Harper, of Abilene, left Mrs. S. L. Stokes and Mr. Stokes and Oklahoma. They visited the in Corpus Christi, and their Kenneth Georges at Leach, daughter and son-in-law, Mr. Okla., enroute home. Saturday and Mrs. W. D. Ferguson, at



#### Much Confusion in Seed Labels

tag. Unless the purchaser is fami- before either tag is issued. liar with each of them, he can

as to bag contents.

Purpose of this tag is to let the purchaser know exactly what farmer to save a generous samhe is buying. The law states that the dealer should include on the lates the Texas Seed Law

tag. Both of these do guarantee, rackets."

Judging from inquiries and to a certain extent, a high qualcomplaints which have reached ity of contents. The Certified Theatre. Co-starred are the first the Texas Department of Agri- tag is pale blue in color, and the lady of the Oriental theatre and culture in Austin, many farmers Registered tag, which is backed screen, diminutive and beautiful are confused as to the purpose of the Tested Seed Label which light purple. They are plainly is required on each bag of seed marked "Gertified" and "Regis-Taylor. tered." They also carry the name

There are three tags which of the seed grower, variety of lously and searchingly concerncan be found on seed bags, all issued by the department—the of production, and a serial num-problem of an American GI who tested seed label, the Certified ber. Field inspectors have de- returns from war service in Koseed tag, and the Registered seed termined qualities of the seed

easily become confused and be- have been known to attach these Cross station in the new demolieve he is buying seed guaran- two quality tags to inferior seeds, cracy not long ago our enemy. since it would be impossible for Understandably, the boy's par-The cream-colored Tested Seed the Texas Department of Agri- ents and friends find it difficult his Truman-Brannan Fair Deal label does not guarantee that culture to employ enough men the seed is of high quality. The to personally tag each bag. Any back with him to California. It Department of Agriculture issues such practice is a direct and is in the drama of that adjustthe tags and requires the dealer serious violation of the law and ment of different worlds to one to supply information on the tag should be reported to the depart- another, and in the learning of and the father of four children. ment at once. It is a good practice for each

ple of seed from each bag he purchases, and keep the tag with tag the commonly accepted name the sample. If the seed fails to ted States for picture work, the of the seed, its germination qual-ities, the purity, amount of in-ple can be sent along with the ert matter, weed seeds, date tag to the Department of Agri- knows English as thoroughly as tested, weight of bag, and origin culture for test purposes to be she does Japanese. She may soon of contents. This is the respon-used as a guide in determining star on Broadway in a new musisibility of the dealer, and if he if the dealer is mislabeling his falsifies this information, he vio-

#### Adult Theme Stated in McKay Opposes 'Japanese War Bride' Brannan Plan

The avid and unending search by film companies for timely of Fredericksburg, candidate for and fresh themes meets its latest challenge in "Japanese War Bride," the daringly frank and outspoken romantic drama about a marriage between an Oriental and Occidental, opening Wednesday and Thursday at the Plaza Shirley Yamaguchi, and the handsome caucosian actor, Don

This off-beat feature is serrea and recuperation in a Japanese hospital with his Japanese Some unscrupulous operators bride, who nursed him at a Red to adjust to the bride he brings policies," McKay concluded. many faces, that "Japanese War Bride" finds its purpose.

Representing Shirley Yamaguchi's initial trek to the Unipetite beauty has actually been ple can be sent along with the here many times before and seed. Cooperation between purchasers and the Department of ing American films and plays in Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds, own people.

MIDLAND - Walter McKay. Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, speaking here today, expressed his firm opposition to the Brannan plan "as advocated by Washington bureaucrats."

operate their own State Depart- Pfc. and Mrs. Gene Walker. tation from Washington bureaucrats and without favoring Socialistic theories such as the infamous Brannan Plan, which would ruin the economy of Texas in the Veterans Hospital at Daland the whole nation," said Mc-Kay. "If the bureaucrats will our farmers will produce adequate foodstuffs to supply the demand.

"I resigned my position with the Texas Department of Agriculture in 1950, after the election of the present Commission-er, because I could not carry out

McKay served 22 years in all the lesson that humanity wears He was born in Guadalupe county and was educated in the public schools of Luling and San Antonio and at Baylor University

The candidate pointed out that he is a native-born Texan, who was raised on a farm in Caldwell county. He is at present a Roy J. Clarks and other relatives Stephenville Saturday night. stock farmer and businessman here for a few days. in Fredericksburg.

Many farmers are mistaking this tag for the Certified Seed Label and the Registered Seed character of the Certified Seed Label and the Registered Seed character of the Certified Seed charact nolds, and other relatives

#### The Cottonwood and Turkey Creek News

Mrs. Edgar Albrecht

The Sunday afternoon baseball games at the Cottonwood school building have been attracting nice crowds

Visitors in the W. A. Burton home Tuesday afternoon were "I believe that Texans can Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burton and of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin ment of Agriculture without dic- Jeannie Albrecht visited her cou- Mrs. Charlie Myrick and Danny, for a few days last week.

after having spent several weeks and R. L. Smedley.
in the Veterans Hospital at DalMr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel visit-

Rev. and Mrs. Darwin just leave Texas farmers alone, Brown and daughter visited his Cpl. Gerald Stephens, who

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bilbrey and their son, W. C., and family, vis- of Admiral, visited her parents. in San Antonio recently. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robison,

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robison and levels of the department of agri- family. Little Marilyn and Jim- night with her grandparents, Mr culture. He is 47 years of age my remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Lena Lassiter and children, of Cisco, visited the K. B.

Robbins last week Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey last Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Clifton,

Sweetwater, visited the Fultons Rowden one day last week. Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McIntosh were visitors in Stephenville, Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner had Gibbs. a Griffin reunion at their home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Griffin of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griffin, of Lampasas, were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bennett, were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hays, Shawnee, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black, Holdenville, Okla.; Mrs. Lucille Brown and daughter, Edna, Enid. Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woody and Minnie Lois, Mr. and Mrs Ed Strahan and Gloria Ann, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilcoxen and daughter, Thaila, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woody and daughters, Virginia, Geneva and Barbara Ann, of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs Jim Hogan, Jack and Jimmy Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest McNalley of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Bee Newton and Dale, of Moran; Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Nigar, Vickie and Belinda, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bennett and family.

Visiting Mrs. W. O. Peevy Sunday were Lonnie Ray, Mrs. Mollie Ray and Mrs. Minnie Vaught, of Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Moore of Loraine, and Mrs. Mary Burton, Betty and Barry Gene of Abilene, over the week-

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cox attended the funeral of Mrs. Cox's uncle, H. P. Winter, at Snyder, afternen, Mrs. Cox's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brookshier, of Dallas, attended the funeral and visited with the Coxes during the weekend

Miss Estelle Freeland, of Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Freeland, and her brother, Sgt. Jack Freeland the weekend of July 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Foy, Jr., of Corpus Christi, visited relatives here this week.

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day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Odom

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Berry, of

The Roscoe Shelnutt family is

James Walls, of Hobbs, N. M.,

visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

W. V. Walls, the past weekend.

vacationing in the Rocky Moun-

and Mrs. Bill Lawrence visited

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mauldin Sun-

Baird, visited Mr. and Mrs. Blan

Odom Wednesday afternoon.

Rowden Round-Up Marjorie Mauldin Community Activities Reliably

Reported by The Star Reporter.

Don Mauldin and Nelda Smedley were honored with a birthday dinner Sunday in the home Those attending were Rev. and sin, Artie Mae Stokes, of Baird, Virginia Ann and Nancy Jane Odom, Donna and Alvin O'Dell, P. M. Duncan is back home Glenn Ray Lawrence, Mike Odom

> ed Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton, W. Sunday.

mother and nephew, who had re- has been visiting his parents, Mr. turned from overseas service on and Mrs. C. E. Stephens, and his Formosa Island, at Aquilla last wife and baby of Denton, left Saturday for New Jersey.

ited Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Purvis Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and Pearl Thursday. Mrs. C. O. Smedley and Sharon, of Abilene, also of San Angelo, recently visited visited the Smedleys.

Donna O'Dell spent Tuesday and Mrs. Walter Jones.

Mrs. Sterling Odom and children visited Mrs. B. Crow and girls Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hazel visit-

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred ed Mrs. Hazel's sister, Mr. and Kelly and Dixie, in Weatherford Mrs. James, in Coleman, Wednesday Ray Boen and Mrs. Annye

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parish and

Mrs. Roxie Young and son, of family, of Monahans, visited in unday. Those having Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox and with Mr. and Mrs. B. Crow, Velda and Thelda were Mr. and

Mrs. Barney Gibbs, W. B. and Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Irene and Marjorie Mauldin had Sunday dinner with Pearl

Smedley. Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Gibbs and Those present for the Bennett eunion, held in the home of price Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O'Dell and

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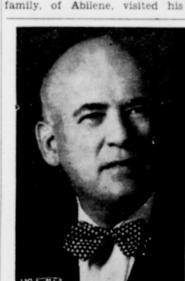
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FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Ben Ramsey of San Augustine County Frank Hessbrook Morales of Travis County

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR: E. W. Napier of Wichita County

Lindley Beckworth of Upshur County Price Daniel of Liberty County FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:

Billy E. Beard of Brazos County

Walter McKay of Gillespie County John C. White of Wichita County

FOR LAND COMMISSIONER:

Guy Patterson of Eastland County Bascom Giles of Travis County

FOR JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS: Kenneth K. Woodley of Travis County Jesse Owens of Wilbarger County

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER: Olin Culberson of Jackson County Joe Laird of Brazos County

FOR CONGRESSMAN AT LARGE: Edwin O. Nimitz of Orange County Roy Selman of Houston County Herb Petry, Jr. of Dimmit County Charles M. Dickson of Bexar County Martin Dies of Angelina County John Lee Smith of Lubbock County

Phil Hamburger of Harris County

FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS: Robert S. Calvert of Travis County

FOR TREASURER OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Jesse James of Travis County FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS:

John Ben Shepperd of Gregg County FOR SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO 1: Glenn R. Lewis of Tom Green County Frank P. Culver of Tarrant County A. R. Stout of Ellis County

Curt Stiles of Dallas County

Spurgeon Bell of Harris County FOR SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 2: Graham B. Smedley of Tarrant County Robert Bruce Keenan of Gregg County

FOR SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 3: W. St. John Garwood of Harris County

FOR SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 4: Clyde E. Smith of Tyler County

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, 17th DISTRICT: Omar Burleson of Jones County

Jack Cox of Stephens County FOR CHIEF JUSTICE, COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, 11th SUPREME JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

Clyde Grissom of Eastland County FOR STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT NO. 22: Wayne W. Wagonseller of Montague County

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 76th DISTRICT: L. R. Pearson of Eastland County C. H. Dawson of Callahan County

John Wood of Shackelford County Omar Burkett of Eastland County

Wiley L. Caffey of Taylor County

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 42nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT: J. R. Black of Taylor County FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 42nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT: FOR COUNTY JUDGE: J. L. Farmer

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: F. E. Mitchell

FOR CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT: Mrs. Corrie Driskill

FOR CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT: Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: Joe Pierce

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Hazel Reynolds

George Morgan

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4: Claud Foster

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 6:

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 6:

Bert Brown

FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN: Hugh W. Ross

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT NO.

FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT NO.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1: Roscoe R. Shelnutt J. W. Patton

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 1:

G. H. Corn D. J. (Justin) Anderson FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 5:

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 1: Joe C. Allphin Morgan Stokes

R. L. Payne

I. G. Mobley

G. C. Williams

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 5: Chas. H. Good

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT NO.

FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN: Hugh W. Ross

FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT NO.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2: Clyde T. Floyd

FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN: Hugh W. Ross FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3:

R. B. Taylor FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 8: Ollie Mae Fleming

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L. D. Maynard FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN: Hugh W. Ross

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. 8:

### From Cattle Range to Cotton Patch

By DON H. BIGGERS

(Continued from last week)

"Daylight found us only a short distance from our destination, and on the edge of a long slope that descended to the river. I took my field glasses and carefully scanned the country in every direction, but saw no signs of Indians. I felt greatly relieved and virtually out of danger, so I had the herd turned off of the trail, the wagons stopped and breakfast prepared, for had the Indians intended attacking us they would certainly have done so during the night or been upon us, or at least in sight, by daylight. After breakfast the wagons moved along, the herd was thrown on the trail again and, being thirsty and smelling water, traveled in a swift walk. My feelings of security were now almost as great as my uneasiness had been during the night, the bright cheerful morning had dispelled the gloomy forebodings of the men and they again began singing their lively Spanish songs, which commingled with the chatterings and whistling of the flocks of cowbirds and field larks which always hovered about. But notwithstanding this feeling I did not cease to be vigilant. When about six miles from the river I saw, with the aid of my glasses, what seemed to be a cloud of smoke or dust a considerable distance back the trail we had traveled during the night, and after watching it very closely for several minutes, discerned a large body of horsemen, apparently Indians, rapidly approaching. All my fears and apprehensions returned, for I was sure we were being followed and that a fight was certain, and that the only sensible thing to do was to make arrangements accordingly. All the men with the cattle were warned, the herd thrown from the trail and we rushed to the wagons, which had already reached the bank of the river, and began making all possible preparations to resist an attack. Where the fight occurred the river makes a small but almost perfect horseshoe bend, and fortunately for us, there was a heavy rise, the red, muddy waters whirling and swirling from bank to bank, and for a man to have ventured into that flood would have meant certain destruction, consequently the Indians could not cross the river and get in our rear, but must make a front attack. Another fortunate circumstance was that the Indians did not charge the wagons immediately, but dashed into the herd and spent several minutes killing cattle and endeavoring to stampede the horses, and this respite enabled us to make many necessary preparations to give them a warm reception.

"The wagons were drawn in a semi-circle across the crossing, the mules were unhitched, but not unharnessed, and turned loose, and bedding, boxes, sacks of flour and everything that would in any degree turn bullets and serve as a breastworks was piled under the wagons and between the spokes, and a few yards back of this we dug a small ditch, which was not a very difficult job, owing to the soft, sandy character of the soil, and in this ditch we took refuge, knowing the wagons would break the force of a charge. Owing to the large number of extra guns and the great amount of ammunition, each man went into the trench with from three to eight loaded guns and several extra rounds of ammunition, yet there were nearly two hundred of the Indians well armed and well mounted, and I really had no hopes of making a successful defense. Ten of my men had never been in an Indian fight, were excited and scared-in fact, almost panic-stricken. Had they all been experienced Indian fighters I should not have been at all apprehensive as to the outcome. I told the men that their lives depended upon their coolness and courage and the amount of execution they did; that they must obey my orders and must not shoot until I gave the order to do so, and then shoot to kill.

"After the Indians tired of killing cattle, they rode to a point where they could be easily seen from our intrenchment, and about fifty of them left the main body, riding slowly and shooting occasionally. Then, breaking into a fast run, whooping, yelling and firing an almost continuous volley, they came dashing toward us. I glanced along the line of men on either side of me and felt considerably relieved, for their fear and excitement had given way to grim determination. Every gun was in readiness, every eye was glancing down a gun barrel pointed at the approaching demons and not a nerve seemed to quiver. The Indians' fire was not returned until they approached close enough for us to do proper execution. I then gave the command to fire and every gun boomed at once, and the men continued to shoot as fast and accurately as possible. This checked, but did not stop the Indians, who made a desperate effort to pass the wagons, but the steep banks of the river and the high water stopped them, after which they resorted to their circling tactics, but we killed so many of their number and horses that they soon beat a hasty retreat. They left sixteen dead horses just in front of our wagons, but succeeded in carrying away all dead and wounded Indians. They had inflicted severe punishment upon us. Juan Gonzales, one of the men who had been with me in the Adobe Walls fight, and upon whom I placed my greatest reliance in this trouble, was killed; another one of the men was mortally wounded, and I was slightly crippled in the arm.

"As it afterward developed, Dull Knife, chief of the Comanches and one of the worst products that tribe ever produced was in charge of this band, and the failure of the first attempt not only enraged him, but made him more cunning and cautious. He sent one body of Indians to the left and another to the right, both bunches protecting themselves as much as possible by creeping from one sandhill or small mound to another until they got within range of the wagons and then began mercilessly shelling our position, and continued to do so for a considerable time. Once in a while we could get in a shot, but for the most part we were more than content to lay low in the ditch. As a result of this assault, the wagon sheets were riddled and torn to pieces, the bedding and boxes under the wagons were filled with holes, while thousands of bullets whistled over us, but not one of our party was scratched.

"After some time the flanking parties ceased firing and occasionally displayed themselves in a manner calculated to draw our fire, but I understood their scheme and did not fall into their plans. The main body of the Indians was still in our front and their idea was to have us empty our guns, waste our ammunition and concentrate our attention on the flanking parties, and at a time when we were unprepared and off our guard they would dash upon us. The wary old chief, realizing that his ruse had failed, decided to make a desperate, over-powering effort, so he signaled the flanking parties to keep up a continuous fire while he with the main body came charging toward us. It was a magnificent and awe-inspiring spectacle, those hundred or more Indians in war paint and plumes, mounted on beautiful, fleet-footed horses, five or six feet apart, in single file, yelling, brandishing their guns and riding at full speed toward us, while the bullets of the flanking parties whistled above and rained about us. We gave no heed to the flanking parties, but as soon as the main body got reasonably close, turned loose on them. At our first volley a number of Indians and horses went down, the others halted and seemed confused, but while our bullets spatted and whistled among them they closed their ranks, began firing and came dashing on. It looked as though low it. they would succeed in passing the wagons, but our fire was so rapid, constant and destructive that when only a few feet from the wagons they wheeled and once more beat a hasty retreat, leaving nine dead Indians and several dead horses in sight. We had sustained no damage other than a few other additional bullet holes in the wagon beds, wagon sheets, bedding and boxes. It was now getting late in the evening, the men, who had not slept for thirtysix hours were becoming exhausted, discouraged and demoralized, the ammunition in the ditch was getting scarce, and as the Indians soon approached again and began firing rapidly, it was impossible to send a man to the wagons for a fresh supply, so we simply lay quiet, awaited ments, and things in general. his Oplin home to attend to busidevelopments and trusted to chance. Under cover of their They had real words of praise to ness at the county seat \* heavy fire a few of the Indians would dash up, tie a rope prohibiting center parking on ing in high gear recently, but around the foot of a dead Indian and drag him away. I Market Street. The town's pro- the water district auditor finishthen understood that they had enough of the fight for gress is reflected in the system- ed his work and approved her the present at least, and that what they now wanted was to carry away their dead. It was certainly a temptation to shoot these adventurous redskins, but I held the Mexicans sale is in run swing with rucky Jim Asbury how the city's many shoot these adventurous redskins, but I held the Mexicans shoppers receiving free prizes ces were doing. "We are getting down by telling them that if they killed any more of them and finding real bargains in along about as usual," he said, it would only make matters worse, for the Indians would standard brands of merchan- "barely making the income pay have their dead or harass us all night, and a daylight fight store, is calling it a sale to show wondering if the city would not was all we could attend to properly.

"When night came the dead had all been taken away held for the late B. L. Boydstun, light plant only breaks even unand not an Indian was to be seen, but knowing what to expect, we stood guard all night, and a solemn, gloomy elderly citizens, was talking about all the business. This is some vigil it was. Behind the trench lay the dead man wrapped in a blanket, the wounded man moaned in agony, while possible under the circumstances, and my wound was painbeen having lately, and all indipany's franchise expires in 1955.
There will probably be a decision ing me considerably. The bullet riddled wagon sheets flapped about the broken bows, and every breath of wind all around, and about to pour ties franchise and continue the whispered a mournful dirge. Save the lashing waters, the moans of the dying man, the occasional whisper, an op- new Dairy Bar is a welcome ad- pany to remove itself from the pressive silence reigned and the very air seemed charged dition to the town. The new ice city. In whatever manner the cream stand is enjoying a splen-proposition is handled, the peowith impending disaster.

"Daylight came at last, but not an Indian was in sight, only our own horses and cattle scattered through- shakes, malts, ice cream whip, fected, and he should know and out the valley, along the hillside and the river banks. About sunrise the wounded died and we buried both the dead aby low price \* \* \* Fire Chief authority. men on the right bank of the river near the spot they had sacrificed their lives defending. We then prepared breakfast, after which we rounded up the stock, and the river having fallen sufficiently, crossed the herd and reached Fort Dodge late in the evening.

The Indians had killed about two hundred head of our cattle and several horses, and these, added to their own dead stock, made a field of carnage that ought to have at least partially satisfied a savage's thirst for slaughter.

"While on the Fort Sill reservation some time after the Lone Tree fight, I became acquainted with Sun Boy, a sub chief and participant in the Lone Tree fight, and got some information from him that I had longed to obtain. I asked him why they had not molested us during the night or at least kept us in siege for some time, and he said it was because they had escaped from the reservation, knew the soldiers would follow them and consequently they had no time to tarry long in one place. He would scarcely believe me when I told him that after their first charge I had only eleven men left, and that when they dashed so near the wagons the second time I was sure we were gone. He said the number of wagons and the rapidity with which we fired caused the Indians to think there were at least forty in our crowd, and consequently they were not anxious to pass the wagons and engage in a hand to hand encounter. He then asked me how eleven men could load their guns so quickly and fire so rapidly, and when I told him that each man had from three to eight guns he looked like the victim of a lost opportunity, grunted a few times and then said: 'Huh, you fool Injun! Heap gun, shoot all time. Injun think him heap cowboys; get scared, go way! Huh, d--n!"

"And when I further told him that nine of the men left after the first charge were tenderfeet and had never been in an Indian fight, the 'noble red man' seemed humiliated beyond endurance, but presently his face lighted up as though a revelation had come to his rescue and after a few grunts and chuckles he said:

" 'Maybe so you talk heap lie to me all time. Him no tenderfoots. Tenderfoots no shoot like that. Tenderfoot shoot all time, no hit much. Cowboy heap shoot, hit all time. Him Cowboys. You no fool me,' and I never convinced him to the contrary."

(Continued next week)

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not think of anything else at night except a scene in which he saw his father kill his mother and then kill himself.

Miss Perry made him realize that this was something in which he had had no hand and told him there was just one way to overcome his distress: to do something for someone else every time the subject came to his mind. She encouraged him to go on long hikes on Saturday afternoons, and during the rest of the week to tire himself physically so he would fall asleep despite himself. And that was all; advice so simple that anyone could fol-

Shortly after that, Miss Perry left and began teaching in Clanton. To her great and happy surprise one day she found John singing in one of the church choirs, being enrolled as a student in the University engineering school. He had conquered his worry and his sleeplessness, and had achieved a peaceful mental attitude in doing for others.

#### 'Just Round About

atic, business-like appearance of books as being "in good order"

Bill Walls and his firement are stewing around to get ready for semi-annual convention of the Mid-West Texas Firemen's As we walked up and down Association which meets in Baird the street \* \* \* On every hand in September. A gala program is people were praising the Baird being prepared and all Baird peofolks for the neat appearance of the town, the modern improve- \* \* S. S. Harville was over from say about the new regulation Mrs. Margaret Gilliland was goappreciation for the love and es- be better off financially without teem people throughout this area the municipal light plant. If the der present operation, will it Scroggins, one of our beloved make more or lose more if it had the good prospects for rain. He thing for the citizens to think said these thunderheads look about for the next couple of different than the clouds we've years. West Texas Utilities Com-There will probably be a decision S. E. Webb says the old Indian as to whether the City Council sign is right. That is, it's raining will renew the West Texas Utili-Johnson's sparkling its renewal and order the comdid trade from local people as ple of Baird should know true well as from highway travelers. facts and figures. After all, the Serving hot dogs, sherbet, milk- taxpayer is the fellow most af-



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**Hospital Notes** 

Mrs. W. O. Wylie, Sr., who reently underwent major surgery, is reported getting along nicely. Mrs. J. E. Brannen, who was admitted the 1st, is improving. Mrs. Fred Cummings, who underwent surgery Tuesday, is

resting well. Willard Reynolds, Clyde, was admitted the 14th for medical

Mrs. Clyde West, Abilene, who was admitted several days ago, is improving.

Baby Steve Ingram, Nimrod Rt., who was admitted recently for medical treatment, is some

Mrs. Annie Bowers, who was admitted the 14th, is resting better. Homer Shanks, Clyde, was ad-

mitted Tuesday afternoon as a improving after several days

medical treatment. Mrs. L. Mendez, Putnam, underwent major surgery the 15th. Mrs. Hugh Dickson, a patient

for the past several days, is reported improving. be feeling some better the past

Mrs. Sallie Eastham, who recently underwent major surgery, is improving Mrs. H. A. McWhorter was ad-

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treatment. Recent dismissals include Mrs B. J. Stewart and infant daughter of Hawley, Mrs. Cora Rose, Mrs. C. B. OBrien of Olden, Mrs. W. H. Pillans and infant daughter of Rt. 4 Cisco, Mrs. J. W. Simmons and infant daughter of Clyde, Mrs. S. L. Canada and infant son, Baird Rt., Mrs. Henry Pierce of Clyde, Miss Laura Cole,

> Mrs. Bob Havens was admitted Tuesday for treatment. B. W. Lofton is getting along

and Mrs. J. R. Gunn of Putnam.

fairly well.

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Mr. and Mrs. Austin McClure medical patient.

Mrs. W. F. Mosely, Clyde, is left on a 6000 mile vacation trip.

They left for California then plan to follow the coast to Ore-Middle Western States.

and family at Kermit last week. Miss Tassie Jackson seems to Both families spent the weekend in the Davis Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley were hosts to an old-fashioned icecream supper Thursday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Stailey and sons, Jan and Charles, Mr. Stailey is a former resident of the community and for the past 10 years has made his home on what is known as the old Pool place. On June 10, he and Mrs. Jessie Ivy, of Abilene, were married and now live at 518 N.E. 16th St., Abilene. They have just returned from a Canadian honeymoon. Present at the ice-cream supper were: Mr. and Mrs. Reese Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brock and daughter Rosa, Mr. and Mrs. M. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Max Logan and son, Bud, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kellett and her mother, Mrs. Ferguson of Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harris and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards and daughters, Jose Fay and Vera Joe Davis, Jobeth, Robbie, Effeen

and Jerry Bentley. Will Edwards, of Arcadia, La. has been visiting in the homes of his brothers, Morris, Jim and Tom Edwards of this community; his sisters, Mrs. Lottie King and Mrs. Annie Tyler, of Abilene; and and wife, of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. King and in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Favor and family spent last Sunday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Russell, of

San Angelo. Little Jan Andra Nichols, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Nichols, of Abilene, is reported to be very ill. Mrs. Nichols was

the former Louise Smith. Everything is about to dry up and blow away in these parts Farmers have been casting wishful eyes at the sky all spring and early summer, wishing and hoping against hope for one of those "gully washers." It still has not come and I don't know what they are going to hang on to if one doesn't come soon.

and Mrs. A. A. Tate and children. of Ft. Worth, spent the weekend of the 4th with Mr. and Mrs. J.

OMAR BURKETT, candidate for State Representative, is for out-right Repeal of the "Car Inspection Law." 2tp

#### mitted the 15th for medical MRS. PHILLIPS HONORED ON 82ND BIRTHDAY

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips, of Clyde, surprised Mrs. Phillips Wednesday, July 9, with a family dinner on her 82nd birthday. Their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips, of Big Lake, visited her, but were unable to stay for the birthday dinner. Mrs. Katie Lee Smedley their daughter who lives with them, and another daughter, Mrs. W. C. Sikes, of Abilene, were hostesses for the dinner.

Four generations were present: Mrs. Phillips, the honoree, Mrs. Bill Wagner of Cross Plains, Bill Wagner, Jr., and his two-yearold daughter, Jan, of Amarillo.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Phillips, who were married almost 59 years ago; Mrs. Smedley, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sikes, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner, Jr., and daughter, Jan, Amarillo. The Phillips gon. From there they plan to have 3 grandchildren and two return through the Rockies and great granddaughters who were unable to attend. They are Don Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brock visit-ed in the home of their son, Billy O'Conner, Dallas; Mrs. Tyre Watson, Atlanta, Ga.; Suzanne and

Patricia Lee Watson, Atlanta, Ga. Many friends of Mrs. Phillips called in the afternoon, and she received many lovely gifts, cards, and messages of love and appreciation. Mrs. Phillips, who has been a shut-in for years, was deeply appreciative and enjoyed her birthday greatly.

#### **GLENN R. LEWIS** OF SAN ANGELO



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Houston and another in Fort Worth. There is one lawyer from each of those cities already on daughters, of Albuquerque, N. M., the Supreme Court. Doublinghave been spending a few days up should not be allowed to start. Lewis is thoroughly qualified, vote for him.

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I want to thank each of you who were so thoughtful and kind to me while I was in the hospital. Thanks to my Sunday School class for the lovely cards and gifts. Especially do I thank Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lawrence for being so kind and good to my wife, and thanks to Brother Riley Fugitt and wife. Each word of kindness is greatefully ac-knowledged and will always be remembered. May God keep and bless all of you.

V. A. Simmons.

Jerry Betcher, of Meridian, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Betcher, at Winters, and friends in Baird during the weekend.

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JAMES EUBANKS TO CALIFORNIA

burg with him.

Pfc. James Eubanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Eubanks, left nia, with orders for Far East duty. James spent three weeks with his parents here. Pfc. Wayne Lindsey, of Crowell, met James here and made the trip to Pitts-

GEORGE CRUTCHFIELD, JR ON OKINAWA

S/Sgt. George Crutchfield, Jr., is in the Air Force stationed on Sunday for Pittsburgh, Califor- Okinawa. Sgt. Crutchfield recently wrote his mother that he paid \$1.50 for a hair cut in San Francisco, just before sailing for Okinawa, and that in Okinawa haircuts are 25c. He has been on Okinawa since March.

### An Opportunity For The Voters

This newspaper is very interested in the fact that friends of L. R. Pearson, of Ranger, have filed his name as a candidate for Representative of the 76th Legislative District of Texas, comprising Eastland, Callahan, and Shackelford counties.

The office of State Representative is one of the lowest paid, but one of the most important in our state. On an average this office pays less than \$700 per year—\$10 per day for the first 120 days and \$5 thereafter—while the legislature is in session. The legislature meets every two years and usually remains in session from 120 to 150 days. The members are required



L. R. PEARSON

to pay their own expenses. The kind of state government we will have for the next two years will be determined in a large measure, but the kind and character of men elected to the 53rd Legislature. The Legislature truly runs Texas. It not only makes our laws, but levies our taxes and spends

When a man of Pearson's ability is willing to make the personal and financial sacrifice required by such an office it is indeed an opportunity for the voters of the district to cast their ballots in his favor. He served the 107th District (Eastland and Callahan) in three sessions of the Legislature, and it is generally conceded that the district has never been more ably represented. He has sponsored some of the most wholesome and beneficial legislation the states has experienced in the last six years. In the 1952 Legislature he carried one of the heaviest committee assignments in the House, including the committees on State Affairs, Judiciary, Oil, Gas, and Mining and two minor

His keen insight and foresight in government affairs are well known to those who know him best, and no one has a better knowledge of the needs of the state and the district than has Pearson. He is a successful attorney, business man and independent oil operator whose advice is sought in every walk of life. He has been closely associated with the civic development of his home town, county and state. He is conservative and retiring by nature, and his friends filed his name because of his proven ability. He is thoroughly versed in affairs of state, and has a first hand knowledge of the workings of the Legislature. His judgment is sound and fair and of the "down to earth" variety. He is a positive character and not easily swayed by fads and trends, but clings to the sounder principles on which our government was founded. He is a man of balanced judgment, thoroughly Democratic and opposed to socialistic trends in our state and national government, and again we say, it is a privilege for the 76th District to be represented in the Texas Legislature by L. R. Pearson.

This newspaper has adopted the policy of steering clear of partisan politics. But in the interest of good, sound government, if Mr. Pearson permits his name to remain on the ticket, this newspaper will be found in his corner.

-Ranger Daily Times.

The above editorial appeared in the Ranger Daily Times, Mr. Pearson's home town paper, under date of June 3, 1952, and it is convincing evidence of what his own people think of his ability to represent them in the Legislature.

(The above advertisement paid for by Bill Williams) and other Ranger friends of Mr. Pearson).

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### **Political Announcements**

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The Baird Star is authorized to publish the announcements of the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary election July 26.

For Representative, 17th Congressional District: Jack Cox, of Breckenridge Omar Burleson, of Anson Re-election

For State Representative 76th District:

C. H. Dawson of Cross Plains Omar Burkett of Cisco John Wood, of Albany L. R. Pearson of Ranger

For District Clerk: Mrs. Corrie Neithercutt Re-election

For County Judge: J. L. Farmer Re-election

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: Joe Pierce

> Re-election George Morgan

For County Clerk: Mrs. Chas. L. Robinson Re-election

For County Treasurer: Hazel Reynolds Re-election

For Justice of Peace, Prect. 1: G. H. Corn Re-election

D. J. (Justin) Anderson

For Commissioner, Prect. 1: J. W. Patton Re-election Rosco R. Shelnutt

For Commissioner, Prect. 2: Clyde T. Floyd Re-election

For Commissioner Prect. 3: I. G. Mobley Re-election R. B. (Slim) Taylor

For Constable, Prect. 1: Joe C. Allphin

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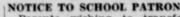
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L. C. CASH

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our aunt, Miss Susie new set of Ward's Riversides Walker. Special thanks are extended to the doctor and hospital staff, and to those who open-FOR SALE - 4-room house ed the grave at Admiral. Your and bath. See Lowell Boyd. tfn sympathetic understanding and your many good deeds will re-A vote for OMAR BURKETT main as a percious memory in

> H. L. Walker, and Other Relatives.

Oplin Observations Sylva Gail Gwin

Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pierce and Sue over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Melton Poindexter, Clarence and Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts, Donna and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McKinley and Gene, and Charley Pierce, all of Casa Grande, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crawford, of Pie

Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Nancy OMAR BURKETT Will Work with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace John- We are sincerely son and Mary Ruth, at Clyde.

Buster McNiece, of Big Lake, FOR RENT - 3-room house is spending two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Mrs. Era Betcher has return-

ed home ofter spending three FOR RENT — Furnished apart-ment, private bath. Mrs. T. B. took medical treatment. took medical treatment.

E. P. Whitaker attended the 4th of July reunion and picnic at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Butman, near Divide.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Coughran of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Finley Cougrhan, Betty and Ross over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilkerson visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jones Sunday.

Those having dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor Sunwere Mrs. Lona Schooley day and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schooley and Cliff, of El Dorado; Ross Betcher, Mrs. Bea Hollo-way of Voca; James Lawrence, of Rowden; Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Armor, Wilma, John and Margaret.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lilly Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Yaws and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburne Lilly and family, Abilene; Frank Carpenter and family of Denton Valley; Kathy Chrane, Leamon Earl and Joy Hayhurst, Thurman Atchley, Lyndon Edwards, James Lawrence, John and Wilma

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Coughran and Betty visited the Elbert Crawfords Tuesday night.

Cretha Betcher and Nyla Rich Welleman, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Coughran, Betty and Ross, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reid, of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilkerson, Saturday.

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their Ernest Cundiff and Elliott Mc- many kind acts of sympathy Kinley, former residents of this during our sad bereavement. community, visited friends and Our appreciation cannot be aderelatives in Oplin over the week- quately expressed. May God's end. They also attended the Mc-richest blessings rest on each Kinley reunion at Colemon. of you.

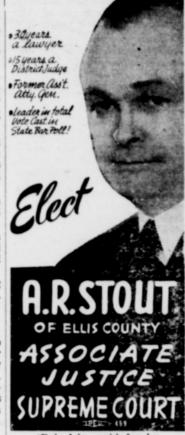
W. H. (Bill) McMillan.

CARD OF THANKS

ciation to the Texas & Pacific tesia, N. M., spent the first of last A. G. Waggoner, Monday. Railway men in Baird who bought a set of false teeth for Robert. We thank you more than we can say. Your kindness will Clyde. Mrs. Wade is Mr. Collett's out-right Repeal of the always be remembered.

Robert Foller, and mother, Mrs. Algie Foller

Rev. and Mrs. Riley Fugitt and children left Monday on a vacation trip to New Mexico.



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Mrs. Myrtle Wade and two | Knox Waggoner, of Ft. Worth. We wish to express our appre- children, Ann and Bobby, of Ar- visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

> OMAR BURKETT, candidate Collett at their farm home near for State Representative, is for Inspection Law."

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The HOUSTON PRESS

July 15, 1952

SHIVERS AGIN AUTO INSPECTION LAW; "SHALL CHANGE IT OR REPEAL IT" He Says

By Ben Kaplan, Press Staff Writer Governor Allan Shivers today said that the new auto in-

spection law should either be modified or repealed. The Governor told the Press before he left Austin for Houston to make a campaign appearance that he had some

ideas for changing the controversial law. His idea is to take the red tape and confusion out of the law. "The law was intended to bring about real safety and not

inconvenience," said Governor Shivers. "We need to stop killings on the highways. Texas has become the number one State in the United States for murder

on the highways. "The Legislature passed this inspection law by a vote of 117 to 12 in the House of Representatives and 19 to 9 in the State Senate, with the thought that it would save more than

200 Texas lives each year. If the law fails to do this and in-

stead causes confusion and inconvenience, it ought to be changed or repealed." The Governor said that he would recommend to the next session of the Legislature that it re-study and examine this law in view of the experience and either modify or repeal it.

(Several months ago, when it became apparent that the new law was causing inconvenience and confusion, Governor Shivers ordered it suspended until it can be reviewed by the Legislature.)

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Jack Dillard)



### OMAR BURKETT

-Candidate For-

### **State Representative District 76**

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IT BEING IMPOSSIBLE to meet and talk with each voter in this threecounty district, I take this method of giving you my views on certain public issues that will come before the 53rd session of the Legislature to convene next January, 1953. In addition to former statements made upon announcing my candidacy which appeared in each newspaper in the district, I wish to make this further statement:

- There is so much confusion regarding the teachers' certificate law that a new certificate law should be written. I shall favor a law written in such plain language that the teachers and the people as well, can make certain of its meaning.
- 2. I favor continued support of our Junior College program and adequate salaries for the teaching profession, especially the class room teachers.
- I shall oppose the movement to abolish the 21-member State Board of Education which is now elected by the people, same to be substituted by an appointive board with main office in Austin.
- 4. It is reasonably sure that the Federal Government will add an extra \$5.00 per month to the needy aged. I shall favor necessary legislation to make it possible to match same with State Funds. 5. The New Matter in the election code (House Bill 6) should be amended. The proponents and sponsors

of this measure stated that the Bill would purify Texas politics and put the government back in

- the hands of the people, yet, it has developed that the results of the first election held under this new code, has developed into a State-wide and National scandal. 6. Briefly repeating my former statement: I shall favor the out-right repeal of the "Car Inspection
- Law." It is indeed an added, unjust burden on the people. 7. I favor the repeal of the "Car Insurance Law," or radically changing its provisions by amendment
- so as to make it fair and just to all car owners alike. I favor retaining our present Rural Road Program and that our local roads and local road fund be kept under county control.
- I shall oppose any effort to set aside the "Road Bond Assumption Act," which has meant so much to each county of the District and area.
- 10. I shall oppose a State Bond Issue for any purpose. I am opposed to any new tax levies or increasing present rates as I am fully convinced that the present levies of around two million dollars daily will more than meet expenses, make necessary improvements for State Agencies, and lay up an emergency

These are My Principles-I shall steadfastly follow same, as is known by my past official record. On this I solicit your vote and help in this campaign.

> Sincerely yours, OMAR BURKETT

(Pol. Adv. paid for by Omar Burkett)

#### **Eula Teacher At Hardin-Simmons**

ABILENE - Mrs. Kelton Smith thirty persons enrolled in the dynamite fish, according to a Curriculum Seminar at Hardin-Simmons University.

Six visiting consultants who are well-known in field of the beside a creek. He held a stick public school curriculum serve of dynamite which had been as instructors in the ten-day lighted. He apparently thought course. The director is Dr. J. D. the fuse was not ignited. Adair of the H-SU education and phychology faculty.

instructor in the Eula High damaged the remaining fingers. School. Se is currently working It tore a large wound in his left toward a Master of Education leg. Part of the charge perfor-

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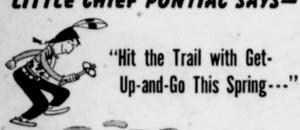
#### **Blast Mutilates** Fish Dynamiter

AUSTIN - A Texas man paid of Clyde, is among the more than a frightful penalty for trying to

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tells the police than an unknown motherhood.

The story of a woman with a driver" is responsible for the Tommy Rettig, who plays the

Paula is unable to turn herself in to the police, afraid the he Plaza Theatre. she takes Davey, mute as a re-Miss Young plays the title role sult of the accident, into her or Paula, a young wife, envied home and starts teaching him and adored, who learns she can- to regain his speech. The childnot bear children. One night, less couple learns to love the hurrying from a doctor's office to boy and plans ot adopt him. a party at which her educator- Davey suddenly realizes Paula husband is guest of honor, she is responsible for his condition. is unable to avoid hitting a small Despite his seeming hatred of orphaned boy, Davey. A rancher her, Paula warks harder to teach rushes the boy to a hospital, and the boy to speak the words she Paula, following him in her car, thinks will destroy both her marloses him in traffic. The rancher riage and her new and prideful

'drunken hit-and-run woman Kent Smith appears as the

husband of Paula, while Alexander Knox plays the doctor and family friend. The new film offers an unusual role to young

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#### Waggoners Hold Reunion Sunday

The Waggoners had a family reunion July 4th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kniffen north of Clyde. Present were Mrs. W. G. Lindquist, Milwaukee, Wis.; Mrs. R. A. Vestal, Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett Kingsley, Ark,; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowland, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Waggoner, Chester and Cilfford, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Waggoner and family, Baird; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Waggoner, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Christian and Donna, Clyde; Mrs. A. M. Waggoner, Baird; Houston Waggoner, Abilene; J. T. Waggoner, Texas City; James Wag goner, Texas City; Mr. and Mrs Melvin Dennis and family, of DeLeon; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kniffen and family, Clyde; Mr and Mrs. Arza Brown and family, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Clar-ence Holt and Betty Jo, of Al-bany; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Waggoner and family, Burnett; Mr and Mrs. Will Fuqua, Clyde; Mr and Mrs. T. L. Smith and boys Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Waggoner and family, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waggoner and Cecil, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs Alvin Rowland and family, Ft. Worth; Mrs. Firie Donally and Betty Jo, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Royal Waggoner and family, of Clyde; Miss Glynn Dennis, Ham-

J. B. Crutchfield of Breckenride, Dr. J. W. Crutchfield and daughter, Patty, of Abilene, visited their mother, Mrs. George Crutchfield, Sunday.

lin; Mrs. Mallie Johnson, Oplin and Mrs. Maggie Johnson, Oplin

Rudy Owen, who recently moved to Lovington, N. M., was Baird visitor July 2.

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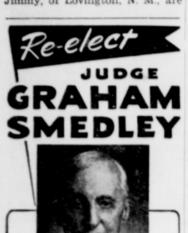
**Putnam Personals** Mrs. W. D. Fleming Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining To Putnam People

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent and Delores are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Holcomb and daughters, at

Kermit. Mr. and Mrs. Art Nolan and family, of Andrews, spent the weekend visiting with friends in Putnam.

Gayle Williams is spending the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Williams, of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCool and Jimmy, of Lovington, N. M., are King.



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spending the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring.

Mrs. Jack Ramsey and George Lee returned home Sunday after spending two weeks with relatives in Franklin and Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and

Gary, of Weatherford, spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Taylor and other re-

Sharron Shannon, of May spent from Sunday until Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brazil.

Betty Rutherford is spending the week with her friend, Joan

Nolan, of Andrews. Jimmy King, of Ft. Worth spent the 4th in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Williams, f Stanton, visited Sunday in the homes of Mrs. Louie Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey returned home Friday from a fishing trip to Buchanan Dam. They reported a nice trip and a few

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Russell, of Stephenville, were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring.

Bobby Gene Maynard left Friday for Fairfield, Calif., after spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. May-

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride, of Doris, Calif., spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell and son. of Crane, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr and Mrs. George Damon.

#### CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

C. H. Morgan celebrated his Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morgan and sion children, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Green, Stamford; Miss Peggy Morgan, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. C. Morgan, Gladewater,

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BAIRD

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1952. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, June, 1951. under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSELS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve	
balance, and cash items in process of collection United States Government obligations, direct and	\$1,150,988.5
guaranteed	\$2,142,697.6
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	
Corporate stocks (including \$3,750.00 stock of Federal	1
Reserve Bank)	\$3,750.0
Loans and discounts (including \$767.13 overdrafts)	\$612,344.8
Bank premises owned \$4,500.00, furniture and	
fixtures \$5,000.00	\$9,500.0
(Bank premises owned are subject to NONE liens not assumed by bank)	3
Real estate owned other than bank premises	NON
Investments and other assets indirectly representing	
bank premises or other real estate	NONI
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outsta	nding NON
Other assets	\$1,037.0
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,248,221.3
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and	
	\$3,305,421.2
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and	
corporations	\$160,512.8
Deposits of United States Government (including	
	\$16,103.8
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	\$360,904.6
Deposits of banks	NONI
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	\$147,632.9
TOTAL DEPOSITS\$3,990.575.54	1
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for	
	NONI
Mortgages or other liens NONE on bank premises	
and NONE on other real estate	NONI
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank	
	NONI
Other liabilities	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$3,990,575.5
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred total per NONE retirable	

#### (a) Class A preferred, total par NONE, retirable value NONE (Rate of dividends on retirable value is (b) Class B preferred, total par NONE, retirable value NONE

(Rate of dividends on retirable value is (c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00 \$50,000.00 \$75,000.00 Surplus Undivided profits \$58,134.18 Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts \$4,248,221.34 MEMORANDA Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and \$527,200.00 for other purposes (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of NONE (b) Securities as shown above are after deduction of

reserves of State of Texas, County of Callahan, ss: I, Howard E. Farmer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD E. FARMER. Cashier

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1952. B. L. Russell, Jr., Notary Public.

CORRECT-Attest: Ace Hickman, Fred Cutbirth, Bob Norrell, Directors.



KEEPING COOL-Miss Barbara Ann Healer is "sweating it out on a block of ice", waiting for Jaycee Rodeo time to arrive in Ranger, July 16, 17, 18, and 19.

#### Erring Anglers **Boost Arrests**

AUSTIN - The major factor 82nd birthday on July 4th. He in the June arrest report con-E. N. Morgan and son, Morgan code, according to the Director City, La.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. of Law Enforcement for the Morgan and Jeanne, Kilgore; Texas Game & Fish Commis-

He said all but 76 of the 305 prosecutions for the month involved fishing law violations. Betts declined to enter any for- figures are based upon tank wa-One hundred and one persons were charged with lacking ordinary fishing licenses.

Forty two persons were arrested for selling fish without a Reserve District No. 11 license. Ten used illegal nets or seines.

> The 305 cases reported resulted in fines and court coses of This compares with 310 cases and \$6,740.40 for May, and 214 cases and \$5,539.15 for

Mary Ross left Monday for Kickapoo Kamp near Kerrville. She was accompanied there by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross. Mary will attend camp for

vitation to all Baird churches to participate in this column to make public their announce-

First Baptist Church Rev. Riley Fugitt, Minister

Bonnie Thompson, S.S. Supt SUNDAY Sunday School-10 a. m.

Morning Service-11 a. m. B. T. U .- 6:45 p. m. (Depts. for all ages) Arvel Woosley, Director

Evening Service-7:45 p. m. MONDAY: W. M. S.—3:45 p. m. Mrs. J. T. Warren, Pres.

Sunbeams-3:45 p. m. Mrs. Lynwood Davis, Leader Junior G. A.'s—5 p. m. Mrs. Riley Fugitt, Counselor. R. A.'s-5 p. m.

Rev. Riley Fugitt, Counselor WEDNESDAY Sunday School officers and teacher's meeting-7 p. m., Rev.

Prayer Meeting-7:45 p. m. THURSDAY:

Fugitt, teacher.

Intermediate G. A.'s-4 p. m.

Presbyterian Church Rev. C. H. Akins, Jr., Minister Virgil Hughes, S.S. Supt.

SUNDAY: Sunday School-10 a. m. Morning Worship-11 a. m. Evening Worship-7 p. m. MONDAY

Ladies Group-3 P. M. WEDNESDAY: Choir Practice-7:30 P. M.

The First Methodist Church

\$74,511.62 Rev. Walter V. O'Kelly, Minister \$257,645.80 SUNDAY:

Sunday School-9:45 a. m. Morning Worship—10:55 a. m. M. Y. F.—6:45 p. m. Evening Worship—7:30 p. m. M. Y. F. Fellowship-8:30 p. m. THURSDAY:

> Church of Christ Merle King, Minister Phone 370

Choir Practice-7:15 p. m.

Bible School-10 a. m. Worship—10:45 a. m. Young People's Bible Class

Worship—8 p. m. TUESDAY: Ladies' Bible Class-3 P. M. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study-8:00 p. m.

### **Price Daniel Files Reply Brief** In Major Oil Companies Suit

Attorney General Price Dan- or about July 29, 1946, the ten iel Thursday filed in Judge Char- defendant oil companies had les O. Betts' 98th District Court combined their capital, skill, and of Travis County, Texas, the acts to fix, increase, and main-State's reply brief to the brief tain uniform prices on gasoheretofore filed by the defend-ant major oil companies in the tions. Daniel also alleged 'agreed State's antitrust suit pending uniform and non-competitive' against Arkansas Fuel Oil Com- prices with respect to crude oil pany, Cities Service Oil Com- purchased in Texas was a part pany, Magnolia Petroleum Com- of the alleged combination and pany, Standard Oil Company of conspiracy existing among the Texas, The Texas Company, Sin- defendants to fix, establish, and in Lubbock. clair Refining Company, and maintain uniform tank wagon Phillips Petroleum Comany for prices on gasoline. Daniel's by and through an alleged com- minated competition between bination of their capital, skill, themselves on the tank wagon and acts to increase, fix, and price of gasoline since July of maintain uniform prices on gaso- 1946 by forming and maintaining line delivered for sale at Texas a uniform price between themfilling stations. Appearing on selves in every city they served the brief with Daniel were his within the State. The six gaso-First Assistant, Charles D. Mat- line tank wagon price increases thews, The Chief of Daniel's covered by Daniel's suit which Antitrust Division, Willis E. Gres- have occurred since July of 1946 ham, and Assistant Attorney were almost simultaneous as well General Hugh Lyerly of Daniel's as identical and were according Antritrust Division who is ac- to the State's allegations tively in charge of the State's parti artificial and not the result

against the above named oil com- saying that tank wagon and repanies and refineries and mar- tail prices on gasoline are highketers of gasoline on February er than crude prices justify. 21, 1949. Thereafter, at Daniel's request a pre-trial hearing was he again alleged that during the held in Judge Charles O. Bett's period of time involved in the District Court between May 16, lawsuit the defendants main-1949 and May 25, 1949. Also heard tained a higher tank wagon price at this same times was the plea on gasoline in Texas than one of privilege of the defendant or more of them charged in other Magnolia Petroleum Company to States more distant from producmove the State's suit against it tion of crude oil and refineries. to Dallas county. At the conclu- The States, according to Daniel's sion of the pre-trial hearing and allegations, in which one or more 82nd birthday on July 4th. He in the June arrest report con-had as his guests: Mr. and Mrs. cerned violations of the fishing of privilege, Judge Betts over-gasoline manufactured in Texas ruled Magnolia's plea of privilege at from 1-10 of 1c to 1c lower and recessed the pre-trial hear- than in Texas are Louisiana ing at a later date in order to Maryland, District of Columbia comply with the State's request New Jersey, Virginia, Maine, for leave to amend its petition Massachusetts, New York, Rhode in certain particulars. Judge Island and North Carolina, All mal orders other than the order gon prices less taxes which vary overruling Magnolia's plea of in the different States. privilege but stated that after After the filing of the State's

of competition and are not justi-Daniel filed his original suit fied by economic conditions,

In Daniel's amended petition

the State had amended its peti- amended petition, Judge Betts, tion a further and additional at the State's request again set pre-trial hearing would be held. the case for pre-trial hearing for In August of 1950 Daniel re- March 17, 1952. However, by ornewed his fight against alleged der of the Court the pre-trial price fixing on gasoline by the hearing was recessed until such ten major oil companies with time as the defendant oil comthe filing in Judge Bett's court panies could file a printed brief of his amended petition consist- in support of their objections to ing of 100 printed pages. In this the State's amended petition and amended petition Daniel alleged the State would have ample time with particularity that since on to reply to the defendants' brief.

iel and his staff is the reply Midland. brief ordered and authorized to be filed by Judge Betts.

will in the near future set the remained to spend a week. case for further pre-trial hearing and trial on the merits.

#### Oplin Observations Sylva Gail Gwin

Odds and Ends Opportunely Offered in Open Order.

(Held over from last week) Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Floyd are acationing in New Mexico. her daughter, Mrs. Cleo Lawler lene.

July 4th visitors in the home children, of Odessa; Joyce, Pat, home.

The brief this day filed by Dan- Judy and Tommy Bowman, of

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morse and Margaret, of Ft. Worth, visited It is expected that Judge Betts relatives here July 4th. Margaret

Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Ivy. Freddie and Nancy, of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gwin and Sylvia last Ernest week, Freddie and Nancy stayed

for a two weeks visit. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner, of Premont, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McWhorter Mrs. J. H. Straley is visiting are visiting her sisters in Abi-

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry E. Malin, of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Miller were of Amarillo, visited relatives here alleged violation of the State's amended petition further charg-antitrust laws since July, 1946, ed that the defendants have eli-children and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. N. Webb returned to her home Miller and family of Stamford; here after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Terry Irby, Jr., and the Malins in their Amarillo

### COMING TO RIO-CLYDE

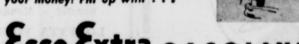
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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sargent and Delores returned home Mon-day after spending their vaca-in the home of her uncle and tion with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Holcomb, of Kermit, and Mrs. liams of Stanton B. E. Fulbright, of Dublin.

and Sharon, of May, were visiting friends in Putnam, Wednes-

granddaughter, of Lefors, visit-ed Thursday in the home of Mr. the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G.

and Mrs. I. G. Mobley.

of Colorado City, them for a visit.

spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Webb and

family, of Ranger, spent Wednesday visiting relatives in Putof Kermit, visited in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Gayle Williams returned home

Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Smith and lene, spent Friday afternoon in Brownwood Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt return-Mrs. Lula Fleming, of Abilene, ed home Tuesday after spending spent from Thursday until Sun- two weeks in Pomona, Calif., day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. with Mrs. Wirt's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pet-Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wadzeck zenick, who returned home with

and family, of Irving, and Mr. A. Everett. and Mrs. W. A. Everett left Tues-

day to visit Mrs. Webster's and Mrs. Everett's father, A. E. Ellis and other relatives in Athens, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harwell,

Mrs. J. H. Weeks. 

left Tuesday for Houston, where Mr. and Mrs. Glen Boyd and Mr. they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Herb and Mrs. J. M. McWilliams. Brown. They will then go to Champaign, Ill., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinton.

Betty Rutherford, returned home Sunday after spending a last week. week with her friend, Jo Ann Nolan, in Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hart visit- kin. ed Mr. Hart's brother, Russell Hart and Mrs. Hart, in Ft. Worth

Mrs. Delbert D. Foster and Mrs. Jim Conlon and daughter, gelo Wednesday.

daughters, Donna and Kathy, of H. B. Davis, of Abilene, return-daughters, Donna and Rathy, of H. B. Davis, of Abilene, return-daughters, Donna and Rathy, of H. B. Davis, of Abilene, return-daughters, Donna and Rathy, of H. B. Davis, of Abilene, return-daughters, Donna and Rathy, of H. B. Davis, of Abilene, return Saturday afternoon and Sunday day night of last week with Mrs. tended the Pierce reunion Sun-visited relatives in Modesto, Pating the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ramsey.

The Baird Star, Baird, Callahan County, Texas, July 18, 1952 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Webster Fred Cook and Mr. and Mrs. W. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McWillams, of Fort Worth, arrived her children, Jimmy, who is on Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowry Saturday to visit their parents, a 20-day furlough with the Army stationed in Louisiana; David, of Alice, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Webster and daughter, of Lui-

Mrs. Bettie Feldman, of New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blondie McIntosh. Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. Feld-Mrs. C. H. Siadous were Mr. and man visited friends in San An-

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Melton Poindex-ter and son, Clarence, and Mrs. M. L. Melton, Mr. and Mrs.



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