



Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Melton, Sr., of Austin, visited Mrs. Melton's sisters, Misses Lorena and Myrtle Gunn and Mrs. Homer Boatwright and family the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Forson of Portales, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray this week.

**PUTNAM NEWS**  
Mrs. Cleora Proctor

T. M. Heist of the Hart community, was in town Monday. He reported that the hail and wind did considerable damage to crops and gardens.

Charlie Pippen, of Dothan, made a business trip to town Monday.

Ervon Brown, C. B. Rosenbaum, Earl Shelley made a successful fishing trip Monday to Deep Creek. They made a nice catch of 8 nice yellow cat fish.

Quite a few of the Putnam people attended the tent show "Toby In Person" at Cisco Thursday night. To mention a few: Mr. and Mrs. Alton White, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wirt, Mr. and Mrs. Lorain Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Proctor, Clint Rutherford and Royce White.

J. W. Proctor and J. D. Dunn made a business trip to Brownwood Sunday.

Pierce Shackelford is driving a new Studebaker pickup this week.

Engene Brandon and family of McCamey, formerly of Putnam, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brandon Tuesday. Brandon is coach at McCamey high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones, of Monahans, are taking their vacation and visiting friends and relatives here. They are former residents of Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Garrett of Sipe Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Proctor Sunday.

Richard Bailey of Mason, formerly of Putnam, came through here last week and stopped for a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Nettles, Mrs. Erma Ingrah, Luther Ingram went fishing at Brownwood lake Saturday.

Mrs. Joyce Ingram visited her husband, Sgt. Harold Ingram at Hensley Field, Dallas, over the weekend.

**MRS. FETTERLY HONORED**

The Wednesday Club honored its retiring president, Mrs. W. A. Fetterly with a coke party at the home of Mrs. L. L. Blackburn Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The club presented her with a gift in appreciation of her splendid work as president the past two years.

The following members were present: Mmes. W. A. Fetterly, M. D. Bell, L. L. Blackburn, W. P. Brightwell, Sam H. Gilliland, Colenel Dyer, Lee Ivey, M. L. Stubblefield, Ernest Hill, Lee Alexander, V. E. Hill, Ann Jackson, N. M. George, Bessie Short and Miss Isadore Grimes.

**Hospital Notes**

Brent, little son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hughes, is a medical patient.

Mrs. J. T. Holmes, Clyde, a surgical patient, plans to return to her home Thursday.

Mrs. W. P. Splawn was admitted the 1st as a medical patient.

Mrs. Aubrey Gibson, who was admitted the 27th for medical treatment, is feeling some better.

Among patients discharged were Mrs. R. F. Starr, Mrs. Aubrey Ground and infant son, Mrs. Herman Threet and infant daughter, Mrs. J. R. McFarlane, Hugh Pritchard, W. F. Larned, Orice Rister and Master Ronald Doan.

Jo Beth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bentley, underwent tonsillectomy the 27th.

Kathleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mims, Abilene, is feeling some better.

J. T. Lawrence was admitted the 30th for medical treatment.

Born the 1st to Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Baker, a son, weight 8 lbs. 8 ozs.

Mrs. C. O. Elliott returned the 1st to her home while convalescing.

Mrs. Thelma Shelton, who underwent major surgery Tuesday, is resting as comfortably as can be expected at this writing.

S. P. Sprouse, a surgical patient, is reported improving nicely.

B. W. Lofton is feeling much better.

Among patients receiving medical attention are Miss Mattie Ashabanner, Mrs. Lucy Manning, Mrs. Edna Fiedler, and Mrs. Trinidad Flores.

J. V. Starr was admitted the 1st as a medical patient.

Mrs. N. E. McGee is feeling fine.

**CLYDE H. D. CLUB**

The Clyde Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Hoyt Rogers on Friday May 27, with Mrs. Aline Griffin acting as president. The meeting was opened with the Club Motto. Roll call was answered with a "Time Saving Hint." Mrs. Young gave the council report.

Two readings were selected for the club program which is to be held in September, proceeds of which will go to the council.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. G. R. Pritchard on Friday, June 10.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Laura Cole, H. B. Broadfoot, H. C. Harris, Aline Griffen, J. N. Broadfoot, G. R. Pritchard, R. C. Young, R. S. Darden and the following visitors: Mrs. D. C. Rogers, Mrs. Ford Wagner, Misses Beth and Betty Broadfoot and the hostess.

Raymond Foy, Dallas, arrived Sunday for a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. H. F. Foy.

**Clyde Comments**  
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Kendrick Kuykendall, of the US Navy, is spending an 8-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Kuykendall and family. After his leave is up, he will return to his base at San Diego, Calif., for further assignment.

Mrs. R. C. Davis and daughters, Dixie Fern and Bitsy Lee, of Shreveport, La., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Scott and son, Johnnie, of Freer, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Houston.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Church over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitt and sons, W. B. Church of Waxahachie and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Whitt and children of Weatherford.

Wanda Spinks, of Abilene, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Gilbert Spinks.

Mrs. O. H. Cowley and daughter, Janie, of Abilene, spent Monday night and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Caperton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Meadows visited Monday with her mother, Mrs. Claudia Harless, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dick, of Walsenburg, Colo., were recent visitors of Mrs. H. B. Terry Sr., and Rilla Frances.

**Tecumseh Topics**

Mrs. Dolph Hodges  
Tersely Told, Typographically  
Tendered and Tolerably True.

A fish fry took place at the home of Mrs. Olivena Lovén Friday night. Present were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitley and children, Pat and Jerry; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Allen and children, T. M. and John; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Preston and son, Billy; Mr. and Mrs. Walker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Rob Burrows and family; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Windham; Mr. and Mrs. Tod Windham; Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nobles and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Hodges and children, Olvina and Von; Mrs. Callie Windham.

Mrs. E. W. Menasco and baby, David, of Wichita Falls, visited her mother, Mrs. John Lovén, last week.

**PRICE REDUCTION**

In accordance with General Motors price reduction statement, Pontiac Motor Division announces a \$15.00 reduction on the list prices of all Pontiac models effective Monday, May 23rd.

Chevrolet's trade-mark, which has appeared literally billions of times through its use on products, in advertising and literature, had as its inspiration a piece of hotel wall paper. According to the story, W. C. Durant copied the design from a wall paper figure after weeks of fruitless search for an emblem that would be both simple and distinctive.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeder of Big Spring attended the graduation exercises of their nephew, Billy Preston Johnson, at the local high school Friday evening.

Miss Theda Kirby spent from Friday until Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. H. Allen, at Sweetwater.

Mrs. John McGowen and Mrs. Ella Farrar spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week visiting Mrs. H. C. McGowen at Dallas.

Mrs. D. T. Harp returned Friday from a two week visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ramsey of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Jones at Gregton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kirby and sons, Ray and Glen accompanied Miss Theda Kirby and Miss Fern Morgan of Amarillo, to Austin Thursday, where the girls will attend the University this summer. Miss Morgan visited in the Kirby home from Tuesday until Thursday.

Mrs. Roland Nichols received a B.S. degree from Hardin-Simmons University Monday. Among those attending the exercises were Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Mobley, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waddel and daughter, Putnam; Mrs. C. T. Clay and sons, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright; Misses Lorena and Myrtle Gunn, Baird.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarbrough and family were Lloyd and R. V. Campbell, Austin; R. V. Campbell, Sr., and daughter, Minnie Bird, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boatwright, Misses Lorena and Myrtle Gunn, went with Mrs. C. T. Clay and children to the H-S. U. commencement exercises on May 30, to see Mrs. Roland Nichols get her B. S. Degree.

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**SENIORS VISIT SAN ANTONIO AND AUSTIN**

The Seniors of Baird High School left Monday morning at 6:00 a.m. on a Greyhound bus, driven by Sam Rees, for one of the most enjoyable of senior trips. The first stop was Kerrville where the Veteran Hospital and Shreiner Institute are located. From there the group went to Bandera where the Frontier Museum of Mr. Hunter, Sr. was visited.

The group arrived in San Antonio at 3:00 p.m. and began sight seeing. They visited Brackenridge Park, Playland, Sunken Gardens, the Alamo bowl, the Alamo, San Jose's Mission, Buckhorn Saloon, and Joske's Department Store.

Wednesday morning they left San Antonio for Austin. There we visited the Capital and watched proceedings of the House of Representatives. The group went swimming at Deep Eddy swimming pool in Austin, and then started the trip to Baird.

Those accompanying the twenty-five seniors were: Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mrs. L. G. Kerby, Mrs. C. Johnson, Mrs. Earnest Mobley, Mrs. Slim Dungan, Mrs. Glen Boyd, Mrs. Herman Betcher, and the sponsors Mrs. Archie Nichols and Mr. L. B. Russell.

**ART SHOW**

Mrs. Fred Tunnel will sponsor an Art Show from 3:30 until 5:30 p.m., June 8, at the Legion Hall at Cross Plains. Art pupils from Baird, Cross Plains, and Byrd will display their art work. The public is invited to attend the Art Show.

**E. B. PIERSON HOME AFTER FOUR YEARS OVERSEAS**

E. B. (Benny) Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pierson, arrived home Saturday after receiving a discharge from the Navy Monday, May 23, at Norfolk, Virginia.

Benny, in service four years with the Navy Engineering Force, spent six months in

China and Japan. Since '46 he was at Panama Canal, Gibraltar, France, Italy, North Africa, and Cuba. For the past two years he was stationed on Midway.

Mrs. R. L. Darby and Mrs. B. F. Russell of Dallas are visiting their mother, Mrs. Gibbs, at Rowden.

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**TIDELANDS FIGHT NOT LOST YET**  
 Attorney General Price Daniel today urged Texans to continue their firm stand against the Federal attempt to take the tidelands away from the State Public School Fund. "Our case is not lost. The fight has just begun, and we are going to win in the Court or in Congress, if Texans themselves do not weaken or give up the fight," Daniel said. A prepared statement by the Attorney General said:

"True, it is a hard fight, but with honest and righteous claims, a fighting chance is all most Texans ever ask for. The odds were ten to one against Texas at San Jacinto, but they won. Had they become weak-kneed and afraid to fight because of great odds, this area would still be part of Mexico. This has been my position on this subject constantly for two years, and I hope the people and especially the newspapers will not at this late date attribute future political significance to my actions. I had rather win the tidelands case than to hold any public office that exists, and if it becomes necessary for me to remove myself from unsolicited speculation on the political scene in order to maintain united support on this case, I shall do so without hesitation.

"Of course, Federal officers would like to compromise because even with a court decision such as they have in California, they cannot take over the lands without an Act of Congress authorizing them to do so. It will take both a court decision and an Act of Congress to enable Federal agencies to enter upon the lands which Texas has held in trust for its people for the past one hundred years. Even in California, that state still operates its land and leases two years after an adverse court decision. Therefore, there is no reason to rush into a settlement on account of fear as to what the Court will do in the Texas case. Expressions of fear only serve to weaken our chances in the Court and the Congress," Daniel said.

"I believe those few who have said we cannot win in Court have heard only the Federal side of the case. Anyone who has made a study of Texas' special claim under the annexation agreement knows these lands belong to Texas under the same claim of title by which the people of this State hold their own homes, farms, ranches, and factories. Principles are involved which apply to every foot of land in the State and these principles cannot be sacrificed," he continued.

Daniel said the Federal claims would destroy the solemn annexation agreement approved by the United States Congress in 1845, which contained the following words:

"... said State, when admitted to the Union... shall also retain all the vacant and unappropriated lands lying within its limits..."

Daniel said the boundary limits, established by the First Congress of the Republic of Texas, were read to the United States Congress before it adopted the above agreement, as follows: "Beginning at the Mouth of the Sabine River, and running west along the Gulf of Mexico three leagues (10 1/2 miles) from land, to the Mouth of the Rio Grande..."

The boundaries were specifically recognized by the United States in the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo in 1848 and by the Gadsden Treaty in 1853, he said. "The United States has on many occasions recognized Texas' ownership of the submerged lands three leagues from shore. For instance, when the government wanted land for the Galveston jetty running two miles out in the Gulf from Galveston Island, it obtained a deed from the State of Texas."

"Texas had offered both its lands and mineral to the United States in 1844 in exchange

for assumption of Texas' \$13,000,000.00 debt. But this was defeated in the United States Senate. One Senator said the land was worthless, consisting only of 'marshes, tadpoles, and terrapins.' Another said 'Let Texas keep her lands and pay her own debts.' We did this over one hundred years ago and it is too late now for the Federal government to renege on its own deal," Daniel said.

**ARTHRITIS**

Most of us are inclined to make light of a "stiffness." It may come from walking or standing too long. Stiffness in the arms or hands may be caused by excessive stretching or by lifting heavy object — things that also may cause a stiff back. Such discomfort is often dismissed as a slight, though painful annoyance that "will wear off."

Stiffness may be one of the first warnings of arthritis, an inflammation of the joints. Unfortunately, the warning is sometimes ignored until the disease has taken hold and prevention of the crippling or deformity that it causes may be difficult. Anyone who has pain, stiffness or swelling in a joint should go immediately to his doctor or hospital clinic. If the person has arthritis, prompt medical treatment can not only relieve the pain, but also prevent the disease from getting worse.

Arthritis can occur in many different forms. But there are two general types: acute and chronic. Acute arthritis, the form to which the word "rheumatism" is most commonly applied, usually starts with sharp sudden pains and swelling in one or more joints. Sometimes this lasts a few weeks, then seems to go away.

Chronic arthritis develops slowly, first with stiffness in one joint, then stiffness in other joints which remains indefinitely. It is this type of arthritis that frequently leads to permanent crippling and semi-invalidism when neglected.

Arthritis is known to result from a number of specific infections, although the cause of certain types is unknown. Self-treatment is dangerous for a person who may have arthritis. So-called "rheumatism remedies" can be dangerous when they appear to give temporary relief and cause the patient to postpone visiting his doctor and getting the right treatment. In addition, such home measures as rubbing a painful joint or exercising it may be harmful. The doctor is the one to determine the cause of the arthritis and prescribe treatment that will be best for it.

There is no special preventive for arthritis, but people who observe the rules of good health, especially those who get enough rest and avoid nervous tension and worry, seem less likely to get the disease than those who are careless and indifferent about healthful living.

It is estimated there are about 7,000,000 people in the United States with chronic arthritis or some form of rheumatism. Much of the pain and crippling that it brings, however, can be avoided with prompt medical treatment.

**MARINE TRAINING PROGRAM ANNOUNCED**

Marine Master Sergeant W. E. Norton, in charge of the leatherneck Recruiting Office in the Abilene area, announced that the 1949 training program for the Marine Corps Reserve, both Organized and Volunteer, will be the largest Reserve training program ever undertaken by the Marine Corps. It is estimated that more than 33,500 Reserve personnel will participate in the 1949 program, including 31,000 members of the 145 Organized units located in 126 cities of the United States.

All units located west of the Mississippi will undergo their summer training period at Camp

Joseph H. Pendleton, huge leatherneck base located near Oceanside, California.

Reserves, upon reporting in to Camp Pendleton, will be billeted and reclassified into military occupations best suited for their talents.

The scope of the training to be given to the Reserves in their two weeks period will be most comprehensive. Infantry tactics, field problems, artillery practice and amphibious landings on the sands of the Pacific adjoining the camp will highlight the program. Detailed schooling in advances and changes in administrative procedures, logistics and weapons have also been scheduled.

Marine Reserves who desire to know more about the summer training program are urged to contact MSgt. Norton at the Marine Recruiting Office, located in Room 203 of the Post Office Building in Abilene.

**County H. D. Agent's Column**  
 Evelyn Wieland Scott

**A La Chicken in Corn Bread Ring**

- A La Chicken
- 2 cups cooked chicken
- 1-3 cup margarine
- 1-2 cup chopped onion
- 1-2 cup diced celery
- 1-3 cup flour
- 1-4 teaspoon marjoram or thyme
- 1-4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1-2 teaspoon salt
- 3-4 cup milk
- 2 cups broth

Melt margarine over low heat; saute onion and celery until lightly browned. Add flour and seasoning, blend until smooth. Add milk and chicken broth, gradually; stirring constantly until sauce is thick and smooth. Add Worcestershire sauce. Add chicken to sauce and heat thoroughly. Pour into baked, cornbread ring. Serve immediately.

**Corn Bread Ring**

- 1 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1 cup corn meal
- 1 cup sifted enriched flour
- 1-4 cup sugar
- 1-2 teaspoon salt
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 egg
- 1 cup milk
- 1-4 cup shortening (melted)

Sift together dry ingredients into medium-sized bowl. Add egg, milk and shortening. Stir until ingredients are well mixed. Do not beat. Bake in a greased 8-inch ring mold in hot oven (425 degrees) 20 to 25 minutes. Turn out onto platter. Fill centers of cornbread ring with creamed chicken. Makes 8 servings.

**Complete Menu**

- Tomato-Roni Soup
- A La Chicken in Corn Bread Ring
- (A one dish meal)
- Buttered new potatoes
- Relish tray - pickled peaches, onion rings green pepper rings.

Fresh Fruit - Oatmeal Cookies Milk - Coffee.

**TIMELY TIPS**

1. The addition of poultry seasoning to the cornbread recipe gives it a slightly yellow color and also gives it the flavor of dressing.
2. Serve the a la chicken in cornbread ring on a chop plate - garnish with celery tops or parsley.
3. It isn't necessary to serve more bread unless the man in the family wants corn meal muffins too.
4. Poultry products are high in Vitamin B content. This is the vitamin which keeps the appetite up to par, prevents nervous tension and helps one have a good disposition.

**UPLIFT FOR OUTSIDE JOBS**

"When warm weather comes around, we like to do as much work out-of-doors as we possibly can," Mrs. Bernice Claytor, extension home management specialist of A. & M. College recently pointed out. "But don't forget that comfortable working heights are just as important outside as they are in the kitchen and laundry."

A sturdy bench or table conveniently near the back door or in the garage can take the stoop out of many spring jobs which too often are done uncomfortably and inefficiently on the ground, she said.

For example, window screen and garden furniture can be painted more easily when set up at a convenient working height. Refinishing furniture, upholstering and putting furniture into condition for the season can be pleasant jobs when done out in the sunshine and at a level where they are convenient to handle as well as to see.

"The principles that hold for indoor work apply outside, too," Mrs. Claytor concluded. "Indoors or out, work is easier, faster and pleasanter when done without stooping."

Preliminary records of 4-H club girls were turned in in May. Records were read and outstanding girls selected. Leadership



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ability was also considered.

Louise Smith of Eula, and Ann Burleson of Dudley and Eula were selected to attend the Annual 4-H Roundup to be held June 14-15. Nita Johnson, county dress revue winner, will also attend this meeting to represent Callahan County in the State 4-H Dress Revue to be held on June 15. A leader and Mrs. Evelyn Scott will accompany the girls.

Roberta Edwards, Eula; Barbara Breeding, Denton; and Ann Gotcher, Denton, were selected to attend District 4-H Encampment held May 25, 26 and 27. Other girls had turned in records equally as good as those selected to attend the encampment but they were unable to attend due to the fact that school was not out in several schools. These girls have just returned from this encampment, being accompanied by Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Denton, and the agent, Mrs. Scott. These girls will assist in training other leaders on

camp activities during June. The county 4-H encampment will be held July 6, 7, and 8. Further details will be released at a later date.

**HEALTH FACTS**

Austin — There is an old slang expression that would make a good slogan for living a longer and more comfortable life, and that is "Be your age." According to the State Health Officer, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, many persons injure their health and endanger their life through indulgence in exercises and vigorous sports unsuited for their age and physical condition.

"While young man in prime physical condition may benefit from a fast game of tennis, older men and women have been known to collapse and suffer serious heart attacks following such a game. The same applies to golfing, swimming and other vigorous sports," Dr. Cox said.

During the hot summer months, it is of especial importance that you know your phy-

sical limitations, and indulge in only such activities as will benefit, and not harm your physical condition.

"Persons of middle age should never participate in activities requiring violent physical exertion, and should confine their physical exercise to such bounds as their doctor prescribes," Cox asserted.

The State Health Officer suggested that all persons of middle age be examined by their physician, before planning their summer vacation activities. A vacation can easily be more exhausting than refreshing, and in such event, more harm than benefit results from the time thus spent. Fishing, boating, hiking in moderation, and many other light recreations can be engaged in by the older people who must avoid heart strain, and it is a wise precaution to have your doctor advise you as to what sort of vacation you should plan.

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**MRS. WINIFRED SCOTT HOSTESS TO CLUB**

The Junior Wednesday Club held its final meeting of the 1948-49 club year with Mrs. Winifred Scott as hostess. Roll call was answered by each member naming a "New Timesaving Device for the Home."

Mrs. Richard Windham, retiring president, presided over the business meeting, at which time the following retiring officers made their semi-annual reports to the club, Mrs. Harold Ferguson, 1st. V-President; Mrs. Kenneth George, 2nd V-President; Evelyn Frazier, Recording secretary; Ruth Dyer, Treasurer; Mrs. Frankie Crow, Reporter.

Discussion was held on the planning of the yearbook for next year. Members of the yearbook committee are Mrs. Harold Ferguson, Miss Ruth Dyer, and Mrs. Russell Warren.

When the club assemblies in the fall the following officers will assume their duties: President, Mrs. Kenneth George; 1st V-President, Mrs. Winifred Scott; 2nd V-President, Mrs. Gilmer Hughes; Recording Sec-

retary; Mrs. Frankie Crow; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Richard Windham; Treasurer, Mrs. Carl Yarbrough; Reporter, Sue Hooker.

A lovely fruit plate and pineapple eggnog was served by Mrs. Scott during the social hour.

**DUDLEY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. CRAWFORD**

The Dudley Home Demonstration Club met May 25 with Mrs. Esker Crawford. Thirteen members, one new member, and three visitors were present. Roll call was answered with "A Time Saving Tip." Those present were: Mmes. C. H. Betcher, Dolph Hodges, Will Roberson, F. L. Coughan, A. L. McIntosh, Leo Chrane, Herman Scott, Elbert Crawford, Kate Crawford, Jess Mason, L. L. Atchley, R. T. Walls, Thurman Roberts, Roy Armor, Esker Crawford, Lawson Armor, Miss Irene Crawford, Kathleen Chrane, Margaret Armor, and Stanley Crawford. The next meeting will be June 8 at Mrs. Thurman Roberts.

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**CARD OF THANKS** — I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends who gave me flowers, sent cards and visited me during my recent illness. May God bless all of you. MRS. MELVIN SIKES.

**YOUNG PEOPLE HOLD PICNIC TUESDAY** — The Young People's Class of the Church of Christ enjoyed a picnic lunch at Hickman Park Tuesday evening. Present were: D. C. Cox, teacher of the class, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Spencer Price, Mrs. O. P. Thompson, Zelda and Gaylord Price, J. H. Poindexter, Mildred Ann King, Dolores Hunter, Gean Thompson, Glenda Yeager, Dwight Mayes, Franklin Miller, and Earabell Looney of Brownwood.

**SENIOR PARTY** — After graduation exercises last Friday evening, members of the senior class attended a party at the Hunter home.

Special guests were Rev. Dick O'Brien, who had delivered the graduation address, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter, Sr., of Bandera, the A. H. Pritchard family, Jimmy Ashlock, Billy Joe Brashear and Tommy Ivey.

Refreshments of sandwiches and ice cream were served by the room mothers.

Special gifts were presented to the room mothers, class sponsors and the superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ray and little son, Brett, of Ft. Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ray, the past weekend.

Hugh Ross and daughter, Mary, made a business trip to Midland Monday and Tuesday.

Rickey and Ann Stone of Odessa visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brashear.

**EVAJANE SAMPSON AND CARL M. WHEELER WED**

Miss Evajane Sampson became the bride of Mr. Carl M. Wheeler of Wellington, at 2 p. m. Sunday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sampson. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. A. A. Davis, local pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bride wore a white silk dress with lace trimmings, and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

The beautiful wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was served with ice cream to the guests following the ceremony. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Sampson, Jack Tatum, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Reed Scribner, New Mexico; Lena Pearl Hodges, Winters; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Sampson, Chesley Sampson, Margarette and Milburn Sampson, Anita Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lacour and children, Justin and Linea, the bride's grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Ramsey, and her son, Benny Frank, Charlene Linton, Patsy Goble and Jo Delle Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wallace Yarbrough and little daughter, Dian, of Odessa, attended the graduation exercises of Jack Yarbrough Friday night.

**MISS ALEXANDER WEDS ABILENE MAN**

Miss Leota Alexander became the bride of E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene, Thursday, May 26, in quiet ceremonies at the Church of Christ minister's home in Jacksboro. The double ring ceremony was conducted by R. C. Ledbetter, minister of the Church of Christ, and brother to the bridegroom.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Alexander of Baird, the bride was born and reared here. She is a graduate of the local high school and a charter member of the Corinne Blackburn Wednesday Club. She has been employed at West Texas Utilities Company at Abilene for several months.

The happy couple plan to reside in Abilene, where Mr. Ledbetter operates a barber shop.

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**McELROY DRY GOODS**

Mrs. Otto Schaffrina brought the editor a sack of delicious peaches gathered from their trees, Saturday morning. Usually the first peaches of the season that we have are from the Schaffrinas. Many thanks!

Mrs. C. T. Clay of Big Spring, accompanied by her father, W. H. Boatwright, and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nichols, attended the graduation exercises of their niece, June, Friday night.

J. T. Lawrence, who has been ill since Thursday of last week, is reported improving at Callahan County Hospital. Mr. Lawrence was taken to the hospital Monday morning.

**EULA COUPLE WED IN BAIRD SATURDAY**

Tommye Ann Stoker became the bride of Glendel Wayne Farmer in a twilight service in the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Davis of Baird, Saturday, May 28. Bro. Davis read the double ring service.

Mrs. Farmer is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stoker and Mr. Farmer is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer, both prominent families in the Eula community.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Wearing a white two-piece pique dress with white accessories, she wore an orchid corsage and carried an orchid colored handkerchief belonging to her mother - for something old.

Mildred McClure, maid of honor, wore a pastel pink cotton swiss dress with white accessories. She wore corsage of white carnations. Cornelius Lee Smith was the bridegroom's only attendant.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 1333 Poplar St., Abilene. He is employed with the Bell Telephone Co., Abilene.

**WEDNESDAY CLUB HOLDS LAST MEETING OF YEAR**

The last regular Wednesday Club meeting of the year was held with Mrs. R. L. Alexander as hostess.

The program of the day was led by Mrs. M. D. Bell. The Future of the Pacific was ably discussed as follows: "What Are The Problems," Mrs. L. B. Lewis; "Europe and the Pacific" by Mrs. D. F. Short; "The United States And The Pacific," Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.

Mrs. W. A. Fetterly presided for a short business meeting. Mrs. V. E. Hill and Mrs. B. L. Russell, Jr., were elected members of the club. Mrs. J. R. Jackson was appointed to serve on the City Park Board. Mmes. J. R. Jackson, Ace Hickman, L. B. Lewis and M. D. Bell were appointed to serve on the civic committee to aid in a city wide clean-up campaign, which is especially to prevent the spread of polio.

The officers for the ensuing year are: Miss Isadore Grimes, president; Mrs. Ace Hickman, 1st vice-president; Mrs. L. B. Lewis, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. M. D. Bell, recording secretary; Mrs. A. E. Dyer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. A. Fetterly, treasurer; Mrs. Sam Gilliland, reporter; Mrs. Lee Ivey, chairman of library board; Mrs. L. L. Blackburn, chairman of museum board; Mrs. R. L. Alexander, club counselor; Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield, legislative chairman; A delightful social hour followed. Delicious angel food cake and ice cream were served to seventeen members, and little Alice Fay Alexander, granddaughter of the hostess.

**BENDIX DEMONSTRATIONS TO BEGIN MONDAY**

George Morgan, owner of Morgan Appliance, returned from Abilene where he attended a special dealer demonstration of the sensational new Bendix Economat Automatic Washing Machine, conducted by Sun Electric Company, distributors for this area. Mr. Morgan states that demonstrations for the public will begin at his store on June 6, which is the date established for the simultaneous showing of this new product by 7500 Bendix dealers throughout the United States.

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**MORE BAIRD RESIDENTS WANT MAIL DELIVERY**

Everyone in Baird seems to want their mail delivered to their door now that the post office department has established city mail delivery here. A very few have requested that their mail be placed in their post office box and not delivered, but in every case there is a special reason. For instance, there is the business man who likes to take his mail out of his box on his way to the office. And a few ranchmen living in town prefer to pick up their mail at their own convenience. As we have said, the number who do not make use of the delivery service is small.

As a matter of fact, the service is so well taken that those who do not live on the routes are asking for the routes to be extended to include them. Routes have been established only in the more concentrated areas of the city. The service

now goes to only a little more than half of the population. Where there is a gap of a block or so with no dwelling, the route stops or turns down another street. In view of the fact that Baird is more compact than most cities in West Texas,

Baird residents are in hopes that the post office department will decide to span the gaps and carry the mail to all who live within the city limits. These requests have come from those who are aware of the benefits of the mail service, and none

are of a pealous nature. Everyone in Baird is indeed proud of our mail service.

Gerald Dallas, student at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, was home the past weekend.

**SATURDAY SPECIALS**

- CAKE FLOUR, Sno-Sheen, 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. size 39c
- ORANGEMARMALADE, Welch's 1 lb. jar 15c
- POTATOES, Whole Kimbell's 2 no. 2 cans 25c
- TISSUE, with valuable coupon, 4 rolls .. 39c
- RAISINS, fresh, good, 2 lbs. .... 25c
- PRUNES, 2 pounds ..... 25c
- BACON, market sliced, lb. .... 39c
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- COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb. .... 49c
- SYRUP, Georgia Ribbon Cane, gallon ..... \$1.00
- FLOUR, Gold Chain, 10 lbs. .... 79c
- PEACHES, Heart's Delight, in syrup, lg. can ..... 29c
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- APRICOTS, Hunt's, No. 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> can ..... 25c
- PEACHES, Sliced, No. 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> can ..... 25c
- PICKLES, Concho, sour or dill, quart ..... 25c
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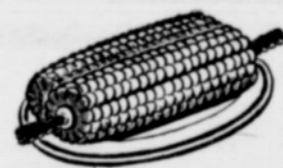
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