

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barbee, Mrs. A. C. Underwood, Mrs. Mamie Redwine, Joe McAfee, Russell and Nickie Duggan and Marcele and Kathy Underwood were in Abilene last Friday evening to attend the wedding of Jimmy Sheerer to Miss Nona Sue Keenan. Mr. Sheerer is the Minister of the Carbon Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Duggan and Mary Lou have returned from Midland where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Rider, and family.

Elmer Bethany and family, Nathan Powell and family and Mrs. A. E. Guy and children attended the Pirtle family reunion at Lueders Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Casey of Fort Worth visited her sister, Mrs. E. M. Mills, and family last week end.

J. W. Jackson attended the funeral of a friend, Mrs. R. W. Jones, in Colorado City last week.

Alvin Brooker and wife of Abilene and J. A. Brooker and wife of Cross Plains visited Cecil Kanady and family Saturday.

Guests in the C. G. Stubblefield home over the week end were her sisters, Mrs. D. M. Loving of Grandbury, Miss Clara Hutchins of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Allen and Judy of Austin.

Frank Beaty and family are moving to Fanger where Mrs. Beaty is employed as teacher in the Ranger school system for the coming term.

B. B. Bledsoe and family of San Antonio visited her mother Mrs. W. O. Hamilton, last week end and she accompanied them home for a visit.

Babe Mitchell and wife of Monday visited his parents, R. F. Mitchell and wife, and her mother, Mrs. Laura Foley, this week.

J. E. Sarrells and wife of Rule visited her brother, Roy Lewis, and family last week.

Mrs. Vinie Henson visited her brother, Dr. T. G. Jackson, and wife of Gorman last week.

Charles Adair and family of Houston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines.

Mrs. Travis Bond visited her son, June Bond, and family of Heildon, Okla. and also visited in Gainsville last week.

Roy Lewis and family attended the Stampete Homecoming at Moody Sunday.

J. N. Poe of Clyde visited in the C. G. Stubblefield home last Friday.

Rev. Milton Burnett and family of Lyford visited his mother, Mrs. C. M. Burnett, this week.

Mrs. A. D. Thurman had as guests this week her brother, J. R. Armstrong of Vallent, Okla., and sisters, Mrs. R. O. Sutton of Uvalde, Mrs. Edna Williams of Grand Prairie and Mrs. Mollie Bennett of Gorman.

Mrs. Annie Reese returned home Friday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Tye, and Mr. Tye of Kermit.

Mrs. D. T. Martin visited her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bailey, near DeLeon this week.

Mrs. Monte Montgomery and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, W. J. Greer and wife.

Dora Holland of Mineral Wells visited Mrs. C. C. Fenter last week.

Bruce Southern of Mineral Wells visited Wilbur Dean Lewis last week.

Mrs. W. S. Maxwell visited her daughter, Mrs. Bil Vencil, and family of Jayton last week.

W. D. Dukes, who is working near Altany, spent the week end with his family here.

## Methodists Plan Revival Services

Plans for a series of revival services at the Carbon Methodist Church have been completed to begin Monday, August 29. The preaching will be done by the pastor, the Rev. John J. Mood. Rev. Mood will bring a series of messages on "Dramas of Salvation" and has announced his sermon topics as follows:

Monday, 8 p. m. - The Drama of Healing

Tuesday, 8 p. m. - The Drama of Reconciliation

Wednesday, 8 p. m. - The Drama of Justification

Thursday, 8 p. m. - The Drama of Adoption

Friday, 8 p. m. - The Drama of Redemption

Sunday, 11 a. m. - The Drama of Resurrection

Close with Lord's Supper.

## Former Carbon Man Injured In Calif.

John Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Phillips, who lives in San Leandro, Calif., was seriously injured while working for Hester McGuire Construction Co. He received a fractured skull and is in the San Pebla Hospital. Last report was that he was resting well and will be in the hospital for several days.

John formerly lived in Carbon and his many friends here hope for him a speedy recovery.

## Rev. John Mood Injured In Accident

Rev. John Mood, pastor of Carbon Methodist Church, was painfully injured on Tuesday of last week while delivering a 5 gallon bottle of mineral water. He tripped and fell cutting his right thumb and left foot. Four stitches were required to close the cut on his thumb and 15 stitches on his foot. As a result the pastor will be in crutches for two weeks.

One of the Jobe twins from Scranton filed the Methodist pulpit last week end.

Bro. Mood hopes to be back this week end to hold services.

## Ten Boys Report For Workout

The first football workout for the coming season was held Monday afternoon with Coach Bob Browder in charge. Ten boys reported with several more eligible.

This will be Carbon's first year of six-man football. Coach Browder stated he had a tough schedule, but hopes to give his opponents a hard, exciting game of football. Six-man football is fast and a very exciting game.

The scheduled games for the coming season are as follows:

Sept. 8, Iredell at Iredell

Sept. 15, Open

Sept. 22, Gustine at Carbon

Sept. 29, Sidney at Carbon

Oct. 7, Forsan at Forsan

Oct. 14, Flugerville at Flugerville

Oct. 20, Carlton at Carbon

## Methodist Board Plans Meeting At Glen Rose Camp

Central Texas Methodist Conference Board of Lay Activities will sponsor the seventh annual conference-wide laymen's retreat at Glen Lake Methodist camp near Glen Rose Friday, Aug. 26-Sunday, Aug. 28.

One of the program features will be a series of three group meetings. Subjects and leaders for the groups will be the Discipline, Dr. C. C. Sessions, Gatesville Methodist District superintendent, assisted by Dr. W. V. Bunn, Georgetown District superintendent, as a resource person; Methodist Men's clubs, J. Clinton Hawkins, St. Louis Methodist Conference Lay leader and president of United Church Men, with Dr. D. L. McCree, Corsicana Methodist District superintendent, as resource person; Stewardship of Possession program, Dr. Earl G. Hamlett, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, Abilene, with Rev. J. W. Whitefield, Brownwood Methodist District superintendent, as the resource person.

Hawkins will speak Saturday at 8 p. m. to the general assembly on the subject, "The Layman and His Church." Dr. Hamlett will deliver the closing address on Sunday afternoon.

Dr. A. S. Gafford, Waco Methodist District superintendent, and Dr. C. H. Sisserson, Cleburne Methodist District superintendent, will deliver the Friday and Saturday vesper Messages, respectively. Morning watch services will feature Rev. Leslie Seymour, Cisco Methodist District superintendent, and Rev. Stanley Williams, Wax-

## Carbon School To Open 1955-56 Term September 5

H. L. Mullins, superintendent, announced this week that school will open September 5 and the buildings and surroundings are being put into readiness for the new year. The high school gym has been completely renovated, the walls and bleachers have been painted and the floor refinished.

The second floor of the school building is in the process of being repainted, both the halls and classrooms.

The faculty is now complete. The assignments are: Mrs. Jim Brewer, First and Second grade; Mrs. J. N. Cooper, Third and Fourth grade; Miss Joyce Tucker, social studies for Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade; Mr. H. C. Jordan, Language Arts for Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade; Mr. Rayneal Baze, Math and Science for Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade; Mrs. Nell Rainey, Homemaking; Mr. Travis Spence, Agriculture; Mrs. Ed Willman, English; Mr. Bob Browder, Principal and Coach; Robert Simpson, Math teacher and Mrs. Dahlia Steele, Librarian.

More information on the opening of school will appear in next week's paper.

Mrs. Annie Palmer visited her grandson, George Nolan, and family of Dallas last week.

ahachie Methodist District superintendent, as the Saturday and Sunday devotional speakers, respectively.

Dr. Erwin Bohmfalk, Fort Worth West Methodist District superintendent, will speak at the Saturday morning worship service and Dr. Hayden Edwards, Ft. Worth East Methodist District superintendent, at the Saturday afternoon service.

Pat Thompson, Texas Methodist Conference Lay leader, is to speak at the Sunday morning worship service.

## Registration At CJC Starts September 6

Registration at Cisco Junior College will begin on September 6. President Carlos J. Turner reported. The teaching staff at the college has been completed and much work has been done on dormitory buildings, the cafeteria and the apartment buildings.

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### Cotton Farmers Warned Against Bollworm Spread

Heavy infestations of bollworms in cotton in various parts over the county pose a threat to the potential yield according to word at the County Agent's office in Eastland Thursday.

Yields on much of the 7,500 acres of cotton over the county will likely be reduced unless control measures are started in time. The boll worm, it was explained, was considered the worst of the cotton insect pests in this area.

The cotton boll worm is the same as the corn ear worm, more commonly known as the roasting ear worm. It has shown up in

parts of the country feeding on both peanut vines and on grain sorghums, besides cotton.

A mixture of toxaphene and DDT as a spray is being used in most instances. Other recommended sprays are Endrin and Endrin and DDT mixture.

It is very important according to County Agent, J. M. Cooper, to spray three times, five days apart in order to break up the life cycle of the bollworm. Sprays applied seven and eight days apart have not proven effective.

The worm has a pinkish cast as it grows older and larger and some are confusing it with pink bollworms. A generation of this worm may be completed in 30 days with four to six generations annually. The worm in the larva stage of its life cycle feeds upon the cotton squares and the

### TRANSPORT BURNS

A Gulf Transport Company truck from Sweetwater caught fire and burned some six miles west of Cisco on U. S. Highway 80 Saturday afternoon. According to investigating officers the transport was filled with gasoline and was completely destroyed. It did not explode. For about an hour during the blaze traffic was detoured on the old section of highway 80.

Boston is the largest state capital city in the United States.

### cotton bolls.

If bollworms are found on as many as five or six squares of bolls for each 100 examined the infestation is deemed high enough to warrant applying control measures.



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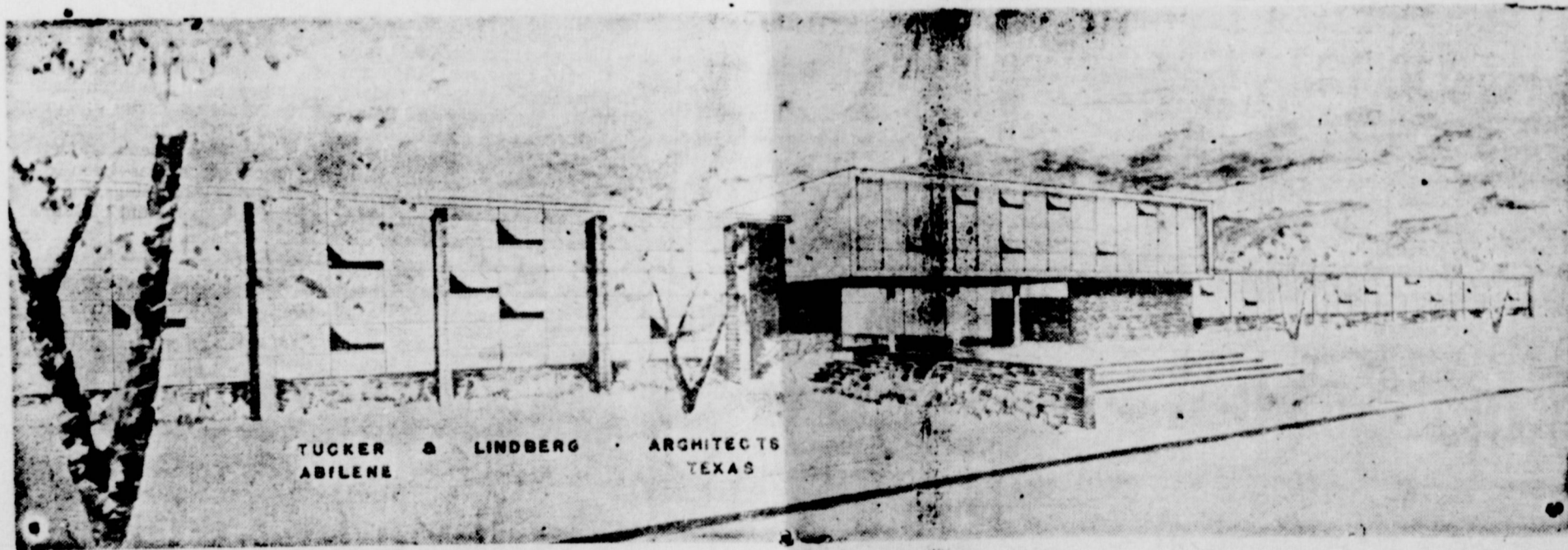
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**Soil Conservation News**

**BEING CONSTRUCTED IN AREA TERRACES AND FARM PONDS ARE**

The terraces on the Emery L. Booth farm located 6 miles S.E. of Cisco have been completed this week. A short diversion terrace and approximately two miles of field terraces were required to

**Lost**

White male pig, weight about 50 lbs. Two tags on hips. - Bob Wyatt, Carbon.

There is room for 40 people to stand at one time on the Statue of Liberty's head.

protect his cropland.

The terraces run on the A. R. Jennings farm last week are now being built. Jennings has about 1 1/2 miles of field terraces and a diversion terrace. The diversion terrace is to be constructed above the cultivated field to protect the terrace system and carry outside water safely away from the field. Terrace lines have also been run on Mrs. Sallie Bishop's farm located 9 miles north of Gorman, John Thurman farm and ranch located 11 miles S.E. of Eastland, Ira Hanna, F. M. Spurlen, and Charles T. Brockman of Eastland and F. R. King of Ranger plan to terrace their croplands in the near future.

Farm ponds have been staked for H. R. Casey 1 mile S.W. of Mangum, O. F. Carter, Orval Treadway, and J. E. Weaver located west of Gorman, A. E. McNeely 9 miles south of Cisco and Clint McCain 6 miles S.W. of Eastland. Farm ponds have been built and checked for completion on J. M. Webb, J. W. Harper and B. M. Atwood of Eastland, W. I. Brooks and A. E. McNeely of Cisco area, and L. D. Waddington, Murry Ott and L. W. Riddell of the Strawn and Desdemona area.

Diversion terrace lines have been run and construction completed on Booth and Snoddy farms located S.W. of Cisco. These diversions were built to protect cropland from outside water from pasture areas.

A farm water way has been staked for E. E. Donaldson, 7 miles S.W. of Eastland. A water way is a properly located well drained grass strip designed to handle terrace water and in some instances outside water which can not be diverted from the cropland.

Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the supervisors of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District have worked with land owners in planning laying out and applying the above conservation practices.

It will soon be time to seed Winter Cover Crops. No single practice can do more to protect and improve our farming land, especially the sandy soils. A cover crop will "cover up" the land and help to reduce soil loss from wind and water. Winter cover crops including a legume make both tight land and loose sand easier to plow. The tight land becomes more mellow, and the loose sand more firm. Cover crops add organic matter which helps to hold water, plant food and air. Legumes add nitrogen to the soil which is essential to the growth of all crops and grasses. Cover crops will under normal seasons increase crop yields on the following crops and will furnish supplemental income from grazing and seed production.

The Supervisors of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District along with others, wish to encourage farmers to plan now to seed their fields to cover crops this fall. The peanut fields are especially subject to severe wind erosion if they are not "covered up."

**Methodist Church**

Rev. John Mood, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Services 8:00 p. m.  
MYF Worship & Recreation 9:00 p. m.

**First Baptist Church**

Rev. Harry A. Grantz, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
W. D. Dukes, Superintendent  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:30 p. m.  
Bernard Campbell, general director  
Evening worship 8:30 p. m.  
W. M. S. Monday 2 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wed. 7:30 p. m.

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**Sunday Monday**

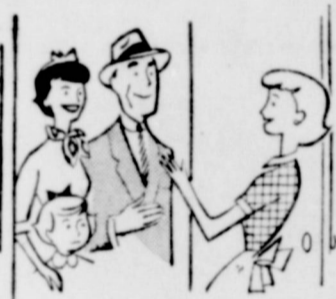
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