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Local News In Brief

A revival is in progress and will continue through July 27, at the East Side Baptist Church in Ranger. Services are held nightly at 7:30. Rev. Benny Hagan is the Evangelist and George Simms of Eastland is directing the music. Rev. Lee Fields is the pastor and the public has been invited to attend the services.

Mrs. Esta Lee Hughes and children and a friend, Miss Kathy Hampton, of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, last weekend and four of the children remained for a visit with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson and children of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ned Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Dulan Sandlin visited their son, Jimmy Sandlin, and family of Loving, N. M. last weekend and Larry and Carri Sandlin returned home with them after a two weeks visit here with their grandparents, the Sandlins and the Dean Collings.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clower and son of Shelbyville visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Clower and Mrs. Truman Bryant. Candy Bryant returned home with them after a two weeks visit in Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hays of Irving visited friends here last weekend.

Mrs. Clyde Campbell has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Newcomb, and daughter, Diane of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wilson and children of Houston visited friends here last week.

Capt. Bryan Butler of Abilene, who is in the Army Air Corps and stationed in San Antonio, and Jack Butler and son, Robert, of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler, last week.

John Collins Buried Following Friday Services

John Collins, 101, died at 10 p.m. Wednesday in Crestview Nursing Home in Abilene after a long illness.

Graveside services were held at Cedar Hill Cemetery in Abilene Friday afternoon. Born September 8, 1867 in Carbon, he moved to Thurber in 1870 with his parents. He was a retired coal miner and moved to Abilene in 1930.

Survivors include one son, Jim Collins and one granddaughter, Betty Jo Collins, both of Abilene.

Mrs. M. M. Brockman and daughter, Mrs. Eddie Turner, and children of Pasadena visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Johnson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wood of Odessa spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Heppy Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks of Rotan visited with the Bob Hastings family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton returned home last week from a vacation in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Post of Breckenridge visited their daughter, Mrs. David Cozart, and family Friday.

Mrs. Linda Taylor and daughter, Tammie, of Irving visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton, over the weekend.

Mrs. Ruth McCracken of Trinidad has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Dunn and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dulan Sandlin.

FB QUEEN DEADLINE SET FOR AUG. 15

August 1 has been set as the deadline for entering the Eastland County Farm Bureau Contest. Girls who will be 16 to 22 on September 1, 1969 and who are daughters or sisters of Farm Bureau members are eligible to enter.

The contest will be held at Eastland City Park August 8. Girls interested in entering are asked to contact the Farm Bureau office, box 470, Eastland, or write Box 470, Eastland. The phone number is Eastland 629-1704.

Girls Invited to Enter Farm Bureau Contest

The Eastland county Farm Bureau has invited all girls, who are daughters or sisters of Farm Bureau members and between the ages of 16 and 22 years, to enter the Queen contest this year.

The contest will be held in the Eastland City Park on August 8. Girls interested in entering the contest were asked to contact the Farm Bureau office, box 470, Eastland, or telephone Eastland 629-1704 before August 1.

Broom corn is a grass from which brooms and clothes brushes are made.

A Total of 185 Votes Cast Here in Tuesday Election

In the election held Tuesday on the question of the approval of forming a South Eastland County Hospital District, Carbon polled a total of 185 votes with 159 against and 47 for the proposal.

Desdemona voted 72 against and 10 for.

German polled a total of 484 votes with 373 for and 111 against.

Total votes cast in the three school districts for the creation of the Hospital District was 430. Total votes against was 322.

In the voting on the directors to be elected the final results have not been learned.

Case of Thanks
Our heart thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow in the death of our loved one. May God bless all of you.
Mr. & Mrs. Leo Brooks
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Brooks & Children

Jaycee Auction Begins August 2

Eastland residents are asked to contribute items for the Jaycee Auction set for August 2 in the building formerly occupied by the south side of the square.

This is the final week for the Jaycees to gather items, so citizens are urged to call 629-1495 this week.

Anything which is "resalable" is needed. Funds from the auction will be used to finance the airport project.

Wins Area FFA Farmer Degree

Frank Claborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claborn, was one of the ten "Area Star Chapter Farmers" honored Thursday night on stage at the Awards Program of the Future Farmers of America's state convention in Fort Worth.

Frank, who represented the 93 schools in FFA's Area IV, was introduced to the crowd in Convention Center.

As nominee from the 24-county area, he competed for the "Star Chapter Farmer Award."

Mrs. L. O. Galloway had the misfortune to fall some two weeks ago while in Eastland and break her left wrist. The break was put in a cast and is mending satisfactorily.

Loretta and Opal Morris of Eastland visited Mrs. Jimmy Hughes recently.

Carbon Public School Faculty 1969-70 Term Is Completed

James L. Hughes, Superintendent of Carbon Public Schools, has announced that the school faculty for 1969-70 has been completed with two new teachers being elected. Mr. Clarence Wilson will teach Business and Government and Miss Patricia Harrison will teach High School English. Mrs. Janice McNair, who taught remedial reading and 7th and 8th grade Language arts only part time last year, has been elected as a full time teacher.

The teachers and their positions are as follows:
1st and 2nd grade, Mrs. Ray Norris; 3rd and 4th grade, Mrs. Oma Mae Hughes; 5th and

6th grade, Herman Jordan; 7th and 8th math and science, Mrs. Jennie Allison; remedial reading, 7th and 8th language arts, Miss Janice McNair; business and government, Clarence Wilson; home-making, Mrs. Alice Brooks; natural science and head coach, Mr. Charles Bryant; high school English, Miss Patricia Harrison; vocational agriculture, Mrs. John Rodgers; Algebra I and 8th grade typing, Mrs. Ruby Wright; high school math and art, James J. Hughes; custodian, I. D. Hogan; bus drivers, I. D. Hogan and Tom L. Garrett; bus maintenance, Woodrow Mangrum; cafeteria personnel, Mrs. I. D. Hogan and Mrs. Henry Harle.

Joyce Casey and Billy Pence Exchange Wedding Vows July 19

Miss Joyce Juline Casey and Mr. Billy Charles Pence were married at 8 p.m. July 19, at the Mangum Baptist Church, with the Rev. L. A. Sublett of Abilene officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Casey of Eastland; Mrs. Edna Pence of Cisco and William A. Pence of Eastland.

Candlelighters were Miss Debra Casey, sister of the bride, and Bryon Casey, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Roy L. Morrison of Fort Worth, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor and Miss Betty McDaniel of Carbon was bridesmaid.

Douglas Boyett, a Carbon man and Mike Joyner of Cisco was groomsmen. Ushers were Herbert Casey, Jr., brother of the bride, and Rickie Pack of Carbon.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-

length gown of peau de soie with Chantilly lace trim. A chapel train was also trimmed with Chantilly lace. Her veil was held by a pearl crown and she carried a bridal bouquet atop a white Bible.

"Whither Thou Goest" and "The Wedding Prayer" were presented by Mrs. Bruce McNair of Carbon, soloist, and Mrs. Charles Morgan of Carbon, pianist.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. Following a wedding trip, the couple will live at 510 East Seventh Street in Cisco.

The bride is a graduate of Carbon High School and is employed at Eastland Memorial Hospital. She is a daughter of Cisco High School and is attending summer classes at Cisco Junior College. He served four years in the United States Navy and is employed at Boss Manufacturing Company in Cisco.

Lesser Cornstalk Borer Is Threat to County Peanuts

The Lesser cornstalk borer, a destructive insect of peanuts, is now active in many Eastland County peanut fields. County Agent De Gordon reported finding infestations in the Gorman and Rising Star areas July 10. He said full grown larvae were found in most fields. The hot dry weather is a favorable condition for the cornstalk borer.

The county agent says this insect cost peanut farmers thousands of dollars in 1967, but was less destructive last year.

The insect must be controlled by applying insecticides before pegging. Diazinon, Parathion, or DDT may be applied as spray or granules. Gordon says to apply granules in a 12-14 inch band directly

over row and work into top few inches of the soil. For application, he suggests using two spray nozzles per row so that the lower stems and a 6-8 inch band of soil covered on each side of the row.

Gordon says each producer must make a decision whether or not to control the cornstalk borer. If borers have been a problem in the past it would be advisable to apply insecticide. Many times the infestation remains low when the peanuts are irrigated.

The cornstalk borer is found around the base of the peanut plant. The most noticeable sign is silken tubes or in the roots and stems of the plant. Their color is bright green to turquoise with brown stripes across the body.

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County Joins With Eastland In New Base Radio Station

The Eastland County Commissioners Court, meeting Monday, agreed to join with the City of Eastland in the purchase and maintenance of a modern police radio base station to replace the present which is obsolete and incapable of repair, it was announced.

Cost of the new equipment, which will increase the range and efficiency of the radio communications system, will be about \$2,200 and the station will be installed by an Abilene firm.

The Eastland City Police and the county peace officers have been using the old equipment installed on the fifth floor of the courthouse, and

is owned by the county. The county and the City of Eastland will own and maintain the new station jointly.

The commissioners also voted to buy a new radio for one of the sheriff's department automobiles, as requested by Sheriff L. E. Sublett. The sheriff will get bids from various firms on the installation.

The commissioners discussed but took no action on proposition for putting all constables in the county on a full-time salary basis as a move toward better law enforcement.

Some of the programs are yet to be worked out, it was explained. Action on the proposal was expected to be taken about August 1.

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The members of the cast are donating their time to the association for this worthwhile project.

The show will be presented in the rodeo arena where the replica of an old town has been erected for the cast to perform their many scenes of the old days.

The cast which comes from a wide area consisting of: Abilene, Rising Star, Breckenridge, Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Roby and Mineral Wells. The cast members are Ken Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Jubert Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Rust, Elaine and Randy Rust, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watson, and Jimmy, Don Kelley, Ron Jeter, Mickey and Suzie Wil-

lians, Randy West, Gary Christy, C. D. Harrington, Andy Morlatt, Mr. and Mrs. Peirre Kendrick, Mickey Kendrick, Phil Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kendrick.

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COUNTY OF EASTLAND
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By virtue of an execution issued out of the 90th District Court of Young County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 26th day of May, 1960 in favor of J. D. Rogers, Plaintiff and against C. H. Walker, Defendant, in the case of J. D. Rogers, Plaintiff vs. C. H. Walker, Defendant, No. 14,448 in such court, I did, on the 8th day of July, 1969, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Eastland, State of Texas, as the property of the said C. H. Walker, to-wit: Being 10 acres of land out of the R. R. Stubblefield 160 acre survey, as more fully described in Patent No. 544, Vol. 14, and recorded in Vol. N, page 578-9, Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, located about 10 1/2 miles North, 45' East from the town of Eastland and being more fully described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at the SW corner of the R. R. Stubblefield Survey; THENCE East 1080 varas along the SBL of said Stubblefield Survey to the SE corner of said Stubblefield Survey; THENCE North about 52 1/2 varas to a point in the WBL of the R. R. Stubblefield Survey; THENCE North in line parallel with the SBL of the R. R. Stubblefield Survey, 1080 varas, more or less, to the WBL of the Stubblefield Survey; THENCE South about 52 1/4 varas to the place of beginning, it being the purpose of this description to convey only 10 acres of land off the South side of the Stubblefield Survey in a regular shape, and on the 5th day of August, 1969, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said C. H. Walker in and to said property.

DATED at Eastland, Texas, this 8th day of July, 1969.
(s) L. E. SUBLETT
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BAIRD — A total of \$1,800 in prizes will be awarded to young cowboys and cowgirls at the 1969 Annual Baird Junior Rodeo, scheduled to open July 30 at the Sheriff's Posse Arena in Baird.

Co-sponsored by the Baird FFA Chapter and Callahan Co. Sheriff's Posse, the sixth annual Junior show will open its first four-night run Wednesday, July 30, and continue through Saturday, August 2. Also, for the first time, the street parade will be on Saturday, instead of on opening day of the show. Parade time will be 5 p.m. on August 2nd. Performances will begin each night at 8 p.m.

Howard Heath of Grosvenor will again produce the show, which drew entries from 185 boys and girls from Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona last year.

Saddles will be awarded to the best all-round cowboy and cowgirl of the show. First place winners in each event will receive buckles. Spurs and blankets will be awarded to 2nd and 3rd place winners. There will be eight dif-

ferent events for boys and five events for girls, with three age divisions in each event. Age groups are 12 years and under, 13 - 15 years of age, and 16 - 19 years. Entry fee will be \$5.00 for each event.

Boys events will be Bareback Bronc Riding, Ribbon Roping, Bull Riding, Tie Down Roping, Breakaway Roping, Flag Race, Barrel Race and Steer Riding.

Events for girls will be Barrel Race, Pole Bending, Flag Race, Breakaway Roping and Goat Tying.

There will also be a Boot Race at each performance for cowboys and cowgirls eight years of age and under. There is no entry fee for this event and awards will be presented each night.

Entry blanks may be obtained by contacting Sarah Berry, Star Route 1, Baird, Texas, 79504. For telephone entries - call area code 915-854-1430. Telephone entries will be accepted July 21 - 26, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Entry deadline will be Monday, July 28 at 6 p.m.

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ORDER AND NOTICE OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF EASTLAND

WHEREAS, on the 16th day of July, A.D., 1969, petitions were presented to me for an election to be held in each of the following named School Districts located in (a) Eastland County, Texas, to-wit:

1. (b) Desdemona Independent School District No. 909, of said County, on the question of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said districts desire to be consolidated with each other for school purposes and with the following districts located outside of said county, to-wit:

1. (c) De Leon Independent School District of Comanche County, Texas;

It appearing that each of said contiguous districts have been properly established and created and are legally and validly existing school districts;

It appearing that at least 20 legally qualified voters signed each of the petitions received requesting said consolidation and that each of said petitions are otherwise in conformity with the law;

THEREFORE, I, in my capacity as County Judge of Eastland County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 9th day of August, 1969, in Desdemona Independent School District to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said Districts desire that they shall be consolidated for school purposes.

I further order that said election shall be held at the following places in said School Districts and the following named persons are hereby appointed election officials for said election:

1. In Desdemona Independent School at Desdemona School Building in Desdemona, Texas, within said District, with L. E. Clark as Presiding Judge and Docie Williams as Alternate Presiding Judge, and said Presiding Judge shall appoint the necessary clerks to assist him which shall not exceed 4

clerks. Absentee voting in said election in said School District shall be held at the same place as herein designated as the polling place on Election Day, and (d) Helen Grimshaw is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting and Mrs. Bobbie Widson is appointed Deputy Clerk for absentee voting. The above designated place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

The above designated places for absentee voting in each of said School Districts shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 and 5 on each day for said absentee voting.

None but legally qualified voters residing in said above named Districts shall vote at said election.

The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon:

FOR 3200 Consolidation

AGAINST

Each voter shall vote on the proposition hereby submitted by placing an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way he wishes to vote.

Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this Order and Notice of Election to Consolidate Districts within the boundaries of each of said School Districts, which posting shall be done not less than twenty days prior to the date fixed for said election. The sheriff's shall also cause a notice by publication of this election to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where said school district is located, which publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before said election. (e)

Immediately after said election has been held, the presiding Judge holding the same in each of said respective voting places shall make returns of the results thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County and return the ballot box and other election supplies to the County Clerk for safekeeping.

DATED this the 18th day of July, 1969.

SCOTT BAILEY, County Judge Eastland County, Texas.

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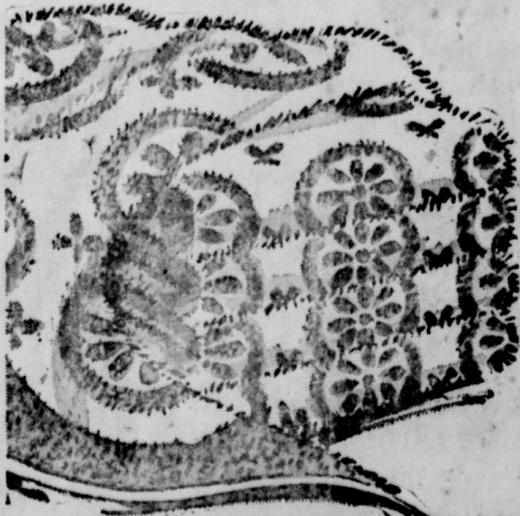
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