

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Elbert Jackson and wife are spending their vacation with her brother, Jake Rhyne, and family of San Antonio.

Mrs. Gladys Bond and daughter, Betty, are visiting with relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. Lon Palmer is visiting her grandson, June Bond, and wife of Midland.

Buck Speer and family of Haskell spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Mae Speer, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brewer.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hays were Sam Bennett and wife, and Jim Bennett and wife of Big Spring, John Harris and Miss Lutie Harris of Roty.

Sam Gorman and wife of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Underwood.

Pvt. Charles McDaniel and wife of Fort Hood and Buster McDaniel and family of Dublin visit their mother, Mrs. C. N. McDaniel, Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Reese returned home Sunday after spending the week with Mrs. Betty Clark of Cisco.

George Jones and wife and Ike Butler attended services at the Church of Christ at Olden Saturday night.

Mrs. Beas Green of Ranger visited her parents, W. W. McNeese and wife, this week.

Mrs. Lillie Clement of Moran and daughter, Miss Opal Clement of Dallas visited Mrs. J. T. Clement Saturday.

Mrs. J. O. Green, who is staying with her father, Mr. McGaha who is ill at Mineral Wells, spent a few days at home last week.

H. L. Mullins and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fregia of Batson last week end and they returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas and daughter, Mary, left Sunday to spend the rest of the summer in Odessa where Mr. Nicholas is employed.

Maurice Hightower, wife and son, Charles, of Fort Worth visited over the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Bridges. They visited friends in Gorman Sunday afternoon and attended services at the Methodist Church there Sunday night.

Roy Iley and wife of California visited her father, Dan Boatwright, and wife last week end enroute to Gorman to attend the funeral of Mr. Iley's mother.

Miss Alice Gentry of Lubbock visited Mrs. Johnnie Trimble last week end.

Abe Hall of Hobbs, N. M. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall.

Jack Butler and Miss Sammy Walker of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. E. R. Butler, Sunday.

Rayneal Baze, who is attending NTSTC, Denton, spent the week end with Mrs. Baze.

Elmer Bethany and family visited their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Tonn, and family of Waco over the week end and Mrs. Tonn and children returned home with them for a visit.

Tommy Woody and family of Stamford visited her mother, Mrs. W. O. Hamilton, this week.

A. N. Mahan who underwent surgery at Eastland on Thursday of last week, was able to leave the hospital Wednesday.

Jerrell L. Cate, who enlisted in the U. S. Air Forces, left last week for Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio where he is taking basic training. Cate is married to the former Dorothy Mae Barnett and operated a service station here before entering the service.

## Baptist Revival Now In Progress

The Baptist revival, which has been in progress since last Friday night, is being well attended and Rev. Gene W. Davenport, Evangelist for the meeting, is bringing good messages each service. Good song services is also being enjoyed under the direction of F. H. Park.

The meeting will continue through Sunday night with services twice daily, 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. and every one has a cordial invitation to attend the remaining services.

## Baptist Revival At Mangum

The summer revival starts at Mangum Baptist Church Sunday, August 8, with Rev. Herman Gregory of Odessa doing the preaching and Frank Park directing the song service.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

## Weaver Reunion

The annual Weaver reunion will be held at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park near Gorman Saturday and Sunday, August 7 and 8 and all friends are invited.

## Cemetery Notice

Most of you are aware of the fact that our cemeteries were cleaned recently. This work cost a lot of money. Was your contribution a part of the money that paid these seven men who did that hard work? And had it occurred to you that when those places need cleaning again the Cemetery Board will need the funds already in the treasury with which to do this?

You have been very helpful in the past and it will be appreciated in the future if you will remember to help.

Mrs. C. Clifford C. Gilbert, Sec.-Treas. Cemetery Ass'n.

Bill Ramsey and family of Morienc, Ariz., W. M. Medford and wife and J. E. Ramsey and wife are spending the week near Palacios.

## CONSERVATION SERVICE WARNS OF DANGER OF PASTURE FIRES

### Wedding Date Announced

Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Route one, Eastland announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patsy Berlene, to Patrick Henry Collins, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins of Carbon.

Patsy and Pat graduated from Carbon High School and Pat attended Ranger Junior College.

They will make their home in the Hanson home in Gorman where Patsy is employed at the Backwell Hospital and Pat is employed at the Gorman Progress.

The wedding is planned for August 14.

Mrs. Guy Parker of Eastland spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield.

Neubin Vaughn and family of Albuquerque, N. M. visited relatives and friends here last week.

About 25 Methodist preachers and 35 laymen met at the Carbon Methodist Church last Monday for the purpose of studying plans of Stewardship and work for the Cisco District.

Miss Clara Hutchins of San Angelo spent several days with her sister, Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield, enroute to Dallas for a visit.

Area farmers and ranchers were warned Saturday by local soil conservation authorities to exert every effort to combat rural fires that take a huge toll annually. The following statement was issued by the Eastland County office of the service:

"Every year fires cause untold millions of dollars damage in the southwest. The damage may be to livestock, barns, homes, and fences as well as to grass and the land on which the grass is growing. Stock that survive a fire must be sold off or feed bought for them.

"The greatest damage though, the damage to the land, can not be accurately calculated in dollars and cents. When a pasture is burned the dead grass cover and litter, the partially decomposed litter that has been accumulating on the ground for years and years and yet un-sprouted grass seed are all lost. Recovery may take from 10 to 15 years even under careful management.

"Cover and litter enables the soil to take in and hold more rainfall and also provides a mulch to cut down on surface evaporation and prevent crusting. The loss of cover and litter leaves the barren ground open to the ravages of both water and wind erosion. When rain falls on a burned off area the barren ground seals over and the water runs off instead of soaking in and the life-giving top soil is lost with the water.

"Local soil conservation service personnel encourage farmers and ranchers in this area with pastures and range land next to busy public roads to consider constructing fire lanes in order to better protect their property from fires."

Callan Guy and family of Utah visited relatives here this week.

## ASC COMMITTEE CALLS FOR AID FOR EASTLAND CO. RANCHERS

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee for Eastland County has petitioned the United States Department of Agriculture that Eastland County be reinstated on the Emergency Drought Feed Program, according to an announcement by Emmett Powell, County ASC director, Friday.

In order to be reinstated the county must again be declared a disaster area. Some 30 Texas counties have already been designated as such areas, and a program of aid arranged.

Powell said that he expected an answer to the committee's request soon.

The action was taken after two

months of hot, dry weather had badly burned pasture land in the county. Practically no rain has fallen in the county during the 60 day period.

The emergency program was set up during last summer to aid drought stricken areas, and the program recently announced by President Eisenhower follows the same plan. Under the program ranchers may obtain hay and feed at reduced prices. Plans call for the feed to be handled through local channels.

If the program is set up in the county the same as last year, stockmen may purchase feed for basic herds of cattle, sheep and goats. Feeders are not eligible for the aid, it was reported.

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### Friday and Saturday

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## Two More Girls Entered In Farm Queen Contest

Miss Irma Lilley of Gorman and Miss Donna Blackwell of Ranger have signified their intentions to enter the forthcoming Farm Bureau Queen Contest, it was reported today.

Irma is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. Frank Lilley, of Gorman, and Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackwell of Ranger. Cissy Blackwell will be her sister's flower girl attendant.

It is hoped that many other girls will enter the contest before the deadline, August 3, was the statement issued this week by the queen committee chairman, Mrs. Clyde Coats, Cisco.

Committee personnel met Tuesday for the purpose of planning decorations and lighting for the program which will be held at the City park, in Eastland on Tuesday night, August 17.

To date, eight prospective County Farm Bureau nominees for the queen's race are listed. These are Beverly Gailey, Strawn; Joyce Fry, Cisco; Sandra Harrell, Olden; Mary Evelyn Laminack, Gorman; Madeline Justice, Eastland; Melba Brown, Gorman; Donna Blackwell, Ranger; and Irma Lilley, Gorman.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas  
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas- Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty eight days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper printed in Eastland County, Texas, the accompanying citation; of which the herein below following is a true copy.

Citation By Publication

(Either Court)  
File No. 21,854  
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: V. C. Nelson, Jessie Allen Dedmon, and the children of P. G. Dedmon and wife, Jessie Allen Dedmon, the family of P. G. Dedmon, the family of Jessie Allen Dedmon, if living, and if dead, the heirs and unknown heirs of each of the above named parties, Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Court-house thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 30th day of August, A. D. 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 21,854 on the docket of said court and styled S. W. Herring and wife, Annie Mae Herring, and Glenn Deitiker, Plaintiffs, vs. V. C. Nelson, Jessie Allen Dedmon, and the children of P. G. Dedmon and wife, Jessie Allen Dedmon, the family of P. G. Dedmon, the family of Jessie Allen Dedmon, if living, and if dead, the heirs and unknown heirs of each of the above named parties, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This suit is brought in compliance with Art. 2320b, R. C. S. of the State of Texas, to appoint a Receiver to execute an oil and gas mineral lease on the mineral interests of the above named defendants in and to the East 100 acres of the N. E. 1/4 of Section 31, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. lands in Eastland County, Texas; as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 14th day of July A. D. 1954.

Attest: Roy L. Lane Clerk, 91st District Court, Eastland County, Texas.  
By Oletha Barker, Deputy.

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To: Ruth Helen Weeks, Defendant, Greeting:

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or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 13th day of Sept. A. D. 1954 to plaintiff's

petition filed in said court, on the 28th day of July A. D. 1954 in this cause, numbered 21,861 on the docket of said court and styled Houston Weeks, plaintiff, vs. Ruth Helen Weeks, defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This is a suit for divorce; as is more fully shown by plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law and the mandates hereof; and make due returns as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas this the 28th day of July A. D. 1954.

Attest: Roy L. Lane Clerk 91st District Court, Eastland County, Texas  
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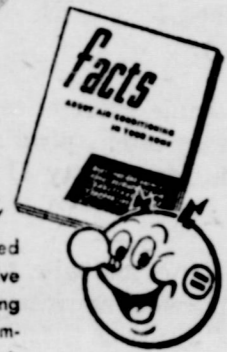
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## TWO NEW INSTRUCTORS ADDED TO STAFF OF JUNIOR COLLEGE

Carlos J. Turner, president of Cisco Junior College, reported Tuesday that the teaching staff of the school was complete for the beginning of the 1954-55 school year with the exception of a social studies instructor.

He reported that two new instructors had been employed for the new year to fill vacancies on the staff. Joe H. Stephenson, a graduate of the University of Arkansas, has been employed as science instructor, and Dulan Clegg has been employed as math instructor.

Stephenson, who holds a masters degree from Arkansas, will assist L. L. Lewis with coaching duties in addition to teaching science classes.

Clegg is a former resident of Cisco. He lived here for several years while his father was pastor Church of the Nazarene. He is a graduate of Bethany Peniel College in Okla. For the past few years he has been a teacher in the Berger school system.

Turner said that the school was seeking a woman to fill the social studies post, and to live in the girls dormitory.

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**YARBROUGH:  
Thanks, Friends;  
Predicts Victory**

AUSTIN, Aug. 5. — Democratic gubernatorial candidate Ralph Yarbrough said this week he will win the Aug. 28 second primary by a sweeping margin.

Said Yarbrough, confidently: "678,000 Texans — a majority of Texans — can't be wrong."

"678,000 Texans have hammered home their belief that integrity in their government can be achieved only by a change."

"678,000 Texans have noted their distrust and disapproval of a third term for their governors."

"678,000 Texas Democrats have made it crystal-clear they want a leader whose loyalty is unquestioned, who will never betray them."

Yarbrough thanked "each and every one of the brave Texans who voted for and with me" in the first primary. He said he was "especially and particularly grateful to the citizens of Eastland County who have joined our common fight to restore decency and honor to Texas government."

Yarbrough said the campaign issues now are sharply drawn. He said: "Texans can now choose for or against a tradition-breaking third term, for or against straightforward Democratic leadership and for or against integrity in their State Capitol."

The Democratic candidate repeated his thanks to "his friends of Eastland County and urged their voting support along with the votes of all other Texans."

Paid Pol. Adv.

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Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.  
Young people's class 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m.

**Heavy Fines Are  
Warning To Game  
Law Violators**

The Director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission said recent severe penalties inflicted by Texas courts for out-of-season deer hunting should serve as ample warning.

He called attention to several \$200 fines plus costs, in the latest arrest report, which were levied for raids on the state's big game herds.

The Director of Law Enforcement said wardens are trying particularly hard now to protect deer since the game animals are beginning to reappear again after the fawning season.

"Deer usually disappear for a time after the new fawn crop comes on," said the Director. "But now the does are beginning to quit seclusion with some of the early fawns, especially in view of the drought-seared ranges. They are showing up in public places as highway shoulders in search of food and therefore tempt a few to shoot them."

The Director recommended some of the arrest report cases for high priority reading material for persons getting itchy trigger fingers. A Corpus Christi man was fined \$200 plus costs for killing a doe deer. The same penalty was assessed a Portland man for "hunting deer in closed season." Men from both Dallas and Ingleside got similar sentences.

"Some of our deer are desperate for nourishment," said the Director. "In fact, in the more severe drought areas, we are getting occasional reports of deer actually starving to death."

"This crisis gives Texans a fine opportunity to show their true sportsmanship. For those who choose otherwise, they stand reminded that our wardens are using every modern means of law enforcement available to protect the deer herds."

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**Announcements**

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Re-election  
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**For Constable precinct 5:**

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