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## Local News In Brief

Monte Walker of San Antonio spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker.

D. D. Sandlin and family spent the week end visiting with relatives in Spring Town.

Mrs. A. M. Montgomery and little daughter of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greer, this week.

Kenneth Powell left last week for San Diego, Calif. where he will receive his boot training in a Naval Training Center.

Larry McAfee, student of Hardin-Simmons College, Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McAfee.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Powell of Littlefield visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hays, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Heflin Sunday.

B. L. Snodgrass and wife have moved from Olden back to Carbon where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade White visited their daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Everett, and family of Olden last week.

Gene Underwood of Denton spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Underwood.

Rev. Jackson and family of De Leon visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGregor Sunday.

Mrs. Florie Schletz of San Angelo visited her sister, Mrs. C. V. Ables, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese visited their daughters, Mrs. Don Bennett, and Mr. Bennett of Austin and Mrs. Dean Turner and family of Gatesville over the week end.

Sexton Martin and family of Cisco visited his parents, Jim Martin and wife, Sunday who accompanied them to Okra to visit Otto Adams and wife.

Jaunita Turner of Gorman spent Sunday night with Betty Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Vessels and children of Eastland visited her mother, Mrs. R. K. Justice, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Underwood have returned from a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield, of Bartlesville, Okla.

Buddie Gann and family of Colorado City visited his sister, Mrs. Allie Campbell, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Petree visited her mother, Mrs. May Ivy, of Eastland last Friday.

Jaunice Reed of Breckenridge spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Reed.

Bernard Campbell and family and De Elton Turner and family were visiting in Cisco Wednesday.

Marjorie Hines visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adair and family of Temple last week end.

Mrs. A. J. Woodard and Mrs. Truman Mahan were visiting in Gorman Tuesday.

Melvin Wyatt and family of Levelland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wyatt, and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Claborn visited T-Sgt. and Mrs. Clifford McCulley at Camp Campbell, Ky. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bond of Austin visited his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bond, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha and Mrs. W. O. Hamilton visited their mother, Mrs. W. S. McGaha, of Gorman Sunday.

## Honor Roll For First Six Weeks Is Announced

The honor roll of Carbon High School for the first six weeks has been announced by Superintendent T. E. Robertson as follows:

- Grammar School
- First Grade
- Dale Blake  
Barbara Ann Benton  
Colleen Campbell  
Linda Gale Eaves  
Jan Robertson  
Loretta Fay Simmons  
Annie Mae Stephenson
- Second Grade
- Betty Mae Bond  
Mary Frances Butler  
Linnett Capers  
Virginia Craighead  
Pat Guy  
Zelma Hendricks  
Peggy Holliday  
Sandra Lasater  
Mittie Rone  
Ethel Shugart  
Maxine Stacey  
Kenneth Tucker  
Gene Wood
- Third Grade
- Corynne Benton  
Donald Cook  
Bulene Kiker  
Ann Mangum  
Wanda Lee May  
Lyndall Morrow  
Carol No.ria  
Ronald Robertson  
Bob Trimble
- Fourth Grade
- Sue Garrett  
Leta Norris  
Wanda Payne  
Elmora Phelps  
Patsy Jackson  
Patsy Byrd  
Wanda McCollough  
Jeannette Lindley
- Fifth Grade
- James Holt  
Ray Burton Norris  
Reba Campbell  
Lavanda Jordan  
Madeline Justice  
Glenna Rae Dover
- Sixth Grade
- Edwin Robertson  
Johnnie Holloway
- Eighth Grade
- John Morgan  
Betty Jane Jackson  
Monda Ruth Underwood  
Bettye Joann Robertson  
Velma Maynard
- High School  
Sophomores

## Wade White Is New Owner Of Drug Store

A deal was made last week in which Wade White purchased the Dixie Drug Store from Ray Wyatt, who has owned and operated the business for about two years. Mr. and Mrs. White are well known having lived here for a number of years and were formerly in the cafe and filling station business. They will feature the same line of drugs and cosmetics as usual and solicit a share of your business in that line and assure you courteous and friendly service at all times.

## Quilting Party

The W. M. U. ladies of the Baptist Church gathered in the home of Mrs. O. C. Payne Monday and quilted two quilts for Buckner's Orphans Home. Each lady carried a covered dish and a lovely dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour. Those present were Mmes. Stone, Bourland, Dunn, Archie and Elbert Jackson, Sandlin, Mitchell, Hare, Mary Thompson, Lovell, Couch, Ford, Carter, Pittman, Reese, Been and Payne.

Frank Mangum and son, Maurice, were in Texas City on business and visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. R. W. Bunton, and family last week.

Mrs. Alice Speer and Mrs. Bill Edmondson were visiting in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Mamie Redwine spent the week end with her son, Frank Redwine, and wife of Wichita Falls.

- Ruth Beaty  
Myrna Caudle  
Juniors  
Norman Bethany  
John Kent Gilbert  
Seniors  
Lavene Burnett  
Lois Wyatt  
Janett Murray  
Wanda Keith  
Louella Vaughn

## Business Men And Farmers Have Meeting

The business men of Carbon had as their guests around seventy farmers of this community at a banquet held at the high school cafeteria last Friday night. The meeting was called to order by L. R. Higginbottom who introduced the business men and they in turn, introduced their guest.

Mr. Higginbottom stated that the meeting was for the purpose of organizing a Soil Conservation Program in the community. Mr. Cooper, the local county agent, made a splendid talk on Soil Conservation. Mr. Jack Lynch, planning engineer for the State Soil Conservation Board, who was the principal speaker for the evening, spoke on The Importance of Soil Conservation. He was followed by other speakers who gave very informative talks on the subject. The food for the banquet was prepared and served by Mmes. W. H. Gilbert, Elbert Richardson, H. M. Thompson and Jess Cavanaugh.

The meeting was a success and Mr. Higginbottom stated that they hoped to get the soil conservation program started in the near future.

## County Votes Dry By Nearly Two To One

Eastland County went overwhelmingly dry in Tuesday's election giving 2612 votes to legalization of the sale of beer and 4367 against the legalization of the sale of beer.

Every one of the 26 Loxas reported gave the dries a majority.

## Football Game

Henderson Junior College plays Cisco Junior College at Cisco tonight (Thursday). This is a conference game and both teams are out to win. Cisco has a strong team and from all reports this will be a thriller from start to finish.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin were in Gorman on business Tuesday.

## Groceries

Pork Sausage	55c
Slab Bacon	63c
Tide	35c
Pork Chops lb	68c
Spuds, Idaho Russets 1 lb	5c
Sugar Syrup, Kits Kettle Gal	1.00
Shortening, Armours Star 3 lb	89c

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## The New Majestic

Eastland  
Friday and Saturday  
"The Street With No Name"  
Mark Stevens  
Lloyd Nolan  
Sunday and Monday  
"Johnnie Belinda"  
Jerry Wald  
Stephen McNally

Tuesday, Wednesday  
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There are several romantic castles in the West Indies, notably the one built by Ponce de Leon in Puerto Rico, Christopher's castle in Haiti, the buccaneers' castle in St. Thomas, and the Morros of San Juan, Pinar del Rio, Santiago de Cuba and Havana.

**Automobile Vapors**  
Water produced by the autos in this country in the form of vapor from the exhaust annually amounts to 17½ billion gallons, or enough to fill a canal 25 feet wide and 5 feet deep running between New York and San Francisco.

**Oregon's Criminals**  
Statistics kept by the Oregon state penitentiary fail to confirm the popular belief that the criminal class is being recruited more and more from young men. The average age of convicts in the penitentiary between 1866-76 was 30 years, 10 months. The average age of those now in the prison is 33 years, two months.



You Will Find  
Inspiration  
and Spiritual  
Comfort in the  
**SUNDAY  
SCHOOL  
LESSON**  
Read It Now

**Air? Presto!**  
Windows that can be raised or lowered electrically by pressing a button may be a household convenience of the near future, according to John D. Biggers, president of a Toledo, Ohio, glass manufacturing company.

**Insult to Injury**  
Less than 10 minutes after Judge H. D. Moncar, Yuba City, Calif., gave Mrs. Clema Ayres, 23, a six-months suspended sentence for disturbing the peace, he married her to Fred Conkin, 47, the complainant.

Tractor mechanic work and engine  
Jack Lusk, midway between Carbon and Eastland on highway

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Sunday School 10 a. m. B. D. Sandlin, Supt.  
Worship 11 a. m. J. D. Holt, Pastor  
B. T. U. 6:45 p. m. Olive Murray, director.  
Evangelistic Service 8:15 p. m.  
The Friendship hour Wednesday evening 7:45 p. m.  
"Come then with us and we will do thee good."

**Church Of Christ**  
We invite you to come with us each Lord's Day.  
Preaching by W. E. Moore.  
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Lord's Supper 11:00 a. m.  
Bible Study 8:00 p. m.  
Preaching 8:45 p. m.

**Methodist Church**  
Rev. Edmiston minister (Program of Service)  
Church School 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11 o'clock  
M. Y. F. Service 6:30 p. m.  
Junior Service 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 o'clock  
Church Night Service, Wed. 7:30  
The public welcome

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**Pressure Saucepan Saves Time and Fuel**

IN A comparatively short time the pressure saucepan has won an assured place in farm kitchens, according to Laura Dalley, in an article in Copper's Farmer, one of the best known farm magazines.

It saves time and fuel. Many different foods may be prepared in a pressure saucepan. It is particularly good for those which need long cooking. "Pressure cooking," Miss



Dalley says, "preserves food value, color and flavor."

A few rules of operation are important:

- 1.—Never fill the pan more than two-thirds full.
- 2.—Be sure that steam flows steadily from vent before you close it.
- 3.—Wait until weight or pressure control jiggles or hisses or cooking indicator is at right position to your directions before you start counting time. Then reduce the heat and let cook for specified time.
- 4.—Reduce the pressure as each recipe indicates.
- 5.—After pressure is reduced, be certain to remove the weight, or lift the pressure control, before removing cover.

Some farm women are doing a limited amount of canning in their pressure saucepans, Miss Dalley points out.

**Sharp Characters Act At Ease With Others**

WHY is a sharp character sharp and why is a sad sack sad? Why do some guys and girls seem at ease with others? Why do others with just as many assets seem to be beating their brains out trying to decide what to do with their hands?

It's all a matter of learning to control your outward actions, no matter how awkward you feel, says Holly Miller, whose column in nationally circulated Copper's Farmer is a popular feature among teen age boys and girls as well as their elders.

"The smoother you act, the smoother you feel," she counsels.

To be well-groomed may cost you an effort, but don't let it show. Mend your clothes by midnight oil, get up at dawn to press your suit, spend half an hour before your mirror getting your make-up right—if you must. Then forget your appearance.

"Boys, that means no fussing with ties and trying to make a cravat where there should be one. Girls, that means no peering in mirrors, no patting your hair, no pulling of clothes and straightening of stocking seams."

Among Miss Miller's suggestions for cultivating poise and ease are: Stand up straight; Look 'em straight in the eye; Avoid mannerisms; Don't talk with your hands.

"Beat your gums—but not so loud," she advises. "A shrill, loud voice is cordial to the spirit. On that same subject, resounding giggles and horselaughs are strictly for the birds."

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