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Local News In Brief

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hansen of Guymon, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ramsey and son of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Ramsey of Tucson, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ramsey of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hallmark and son of Eastland, Mr. and Ms. Bernard Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hallmark, Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Carter of Abilene visited George Carter and family Sunday.

Victor Pack and family, Paul Norris and family and Truett Norris and family attended the Pack and Alexander reunion at Stephenville Park in Stephenville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan, Berry Greenwood and Henry Collins attended the musical held at Sipe Springs Saturday night preceding the homecoming Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen of Fort Worth are the proud parents of a son born July 21 in a Fort Worth hospital. He weighed eight and one half pounds and has been named Larry Dean. Mr. Allen was high school coach and principal here last year.

Jerry Matejek and family of Midland have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wright of Lubbock visited her father, J. W. Guy, and wife over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rhyme of Phillips have returned from a three-weeks trip spending three days at Cimarron Canyon near Eagle's Nest in New Mexico. Also camping and fishing at Yellowstone with friends from Oklahoma. They also toured Glacier Park and on into Canada.

Kenneth Snyder and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell, and left Friday for Rose Bud, Ark., to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bewel McGaha of Clifton, Ariz., are visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright. Also, his father, W. S. McGaha, in Lawndale Home in Gorman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Post and David Cozart and family of Breckenridge visited Houston Cozart and family Sunday.

Berry Greenwood and W. M. Dunn attended the Homecoming at Sipe Springs Sunday.

Staff Sgt. Weldon Bruce Gilbert, son of Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, who has retired after serving 20 years with the Marines, is visiting his mother and his children here. His children, Linda, Laura and Bruce Jr. plan to accompany him to California to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert of Hurst and Lowell Hughes and family of Fort Worth visited their mother, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert recently.

Tim Stacy who is in the Army stationed at Fort Polk, La., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stacy, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hughes were visiting in Abilene Saturday.

Leland Jackson and family of Hobbs, N. M. and A. D. Jackson and family of Fort Stockton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson, last weekend.

Mrs. J. F. Connell and son, Tony, of Breckenridge, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stone, Sunday.

Visiting with the James Smith family last week were Mrs. Brookett and children of Ozark, Ark., Mrs. Nettie Pezridge and daughter, Pat, of Arizona, Mrs. C. H. Pezridge of Rising Star, Mrs. Alice Smith of Weinert and Mrs. J. A. Brooker.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ables of Lubbock visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ables, last week.

Art and Timmy Smith spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. George Gary, of Weinert.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson and son, Steve, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Rayneel Baze and son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Mas-singill, all of Eastland, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been and Jo Ann.

Joe Collins and family of Sweetwater, Pat Collins and family of Ranger and Mike Collins and family of Eastland visited their father, Henry Collins, Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. A. Hall during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner and Mrs. Ima Jordan of Eastland, Mrs. Lillian Hall of Big Spring, Mrs. Frances Coldwell of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wyatt and granddaughter, Debbie Wyatt of Fort Worth and Miss Sidna Moore of Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Jody Tyrone of Sulper Springs, Ark., visited in the Joe Barnett home last weekend.

Farm Bureau's Barbecue, Queen Contest Set Friday

G. A. Putnam Dies At 60

George A. Putnam, 60, died at 10:15 a. m. Tuesday in Eastland Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient for the past 11 days following a heart attack.

Funeral was held at 10 a. m. Thursday in Arrington Hamner Funeral Chapel in Eastland with burial in Flatwood Cemetery. The Rev. Ross Grace, pastor of Wesley Methodist Church in Cisco officiating, assisted by Dennis Johnson, minister of the Eighth St. Church of Christ in Cisco.

Born March 22, 1907, in Eastland County, he had lived in Carbon most of his life. He was a veteran of World War II, a member of the Methodist Church and an employe of Carbon Trading Co.

He is survived by two brothers, Dave and Joseph, both of Cisco; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McDaniel visited their daughter, Mrs. Jerry L. May, and family in Lubbock last weekend. On Saturday they toured the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum on the West Texas State University campus in Canyon and visited Palo Duro Canyon State Park. Saturday night they attended the musical production "Texas" in the pioneer Amphitheatre.

Savings Bonds Total \$111,937 For Six Months

Guy Peyton Parker, Chairman of the Eastland County Savings Bonds Committee, reports that E and H Savings Bond sales during the first six months of 1967 totaled \$111,937. June sales for the county were \$7,551 and 30 per cent of the sales goal has been achieved.

January - June 1967 sales for Texas were \$83,851,046 and 46 per cent of the sales goal has been achieved. This is an increase of 8.6 per cent during the same period last year.

Guy Warden and family of Irving visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Griffin, last weekend.

Chisholm Trail Commemorated By Book, Coin

AUSTIN—Roger Conger of Waco, chairman of the Texas Chisholm Trail Centennial Commission announced that as part of the centennial celebration of the founding of the Chisholm Trail, two official commemorative items have been issued—a bronze medallion and a soft-bound edition of the "Miracle of the Chisholm Trail."

The bronze medallion is embossed on one side with the outlines of the state of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas and shows the route the Chisholm Trail took across the three states from its beginnings in south Texas to its end at the railroad in Abilene, Kansas. On the reverse side is a scene symbolic of the Chisholm Trail—it depicts a cowboy heading rangy longhorns "up the trail". This scene is encircled with the phrase "Centennial of the Beginning of the Great Cattle Trail Era."

A centennial edition of the book, "Miracle of the Chisholm Trail", by Henry B. Jameson has been published. For his colorful retelling of the Chisholm Trail story, Jameson traveled the entire length of the route from Brownsville, Texas to Abilene, Kansas, making numerous side trips to special historical sites along the way in all three states.

Conger said the items are selling for \$1 each and may be purchased from either the mobile Chisholm Trail museum now travelling the three states or from the Texas Chisholm Trail Centennial Commission. Their address is Post Office Box 12276, Austin, Texas 78753.

The Eastland County Farm Bureau Annual Barbecue and Queen's contest will be held Aug. 4th at the Eastland City Park at 7:30 p. m.

Henry Fry, Route 4, Cisco; and Sam Kimmell, Cisco, are chairmen of the barbecue. Mrs. Henry Fry is chairman of the Queen's committee and serving with Mrs. Fry are: Mrs. Beth Coats, Mrs. Lois June Morgan, Cisco; Mrs. Betty Claborn, Eastland; Mrs. Meri Campbell, Carbon; Mrs. George Steele, Rising Star; Mrs. Luke Palmer, Gorman; and Mrs. K. P. Kirk, Ranger.

Tickets for the barbecue can be purchased from any of the directors or at the Farm Bureau office in Eastland. Adults tickets are \$1.25 and children under 12 are 60 cents. Everyone is invited to attend this annual affair.

Susie Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan, Cisco is the 1966 Farm Bureau Queen, she will crown the 1967 Queen who will represent Eastland County in the District VII contest to be held in Abilene, Aug. 19th.

Queen contestants so far are: Twila Kay Clark, Ivy Ferguson, Belinda Kay Hickman, Kathy Kinchid, Liz Leveridge, and Kathy Williams. Master of Ceremonies will be Gayle Baucom. Judges will be out of town, judges.

Eastland County was named in honor of Captain William M. Eastland, who participated in the battle of San Jacinto.

On Oct. 11, 1917, oil was discovered in Eastland County and a boom was started which lasted until 1922.

Eastland County is the fourth largest peanut county in Texas.

Panama was once known as the "White Man's Graveyard."

ANNUAL KENDRICK MUSICAL JAMBOREE TO BE SATURDAY

The annual Kendrick Musical Jamboree will be held at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, Aug. 5, at the Kendrick Amphitheater between Eastland and Cisco on Highway 80.

This year's musical promises to be the best ever presented as several well-known groups of professional entertainers are booked for the program, according to J. H. Kendrick.

Scheduled to appear on the program are the Blue Travelers Western Band from Mineral Wells; the Lewis Laundry Combo, a rock-n-roll

group from Mineral Wells; the Thomas Family Quartet, gospel singers from Dallas; the Black Mountain Boys, folk and western singers from Abilene who have appeared on Abilene television; and the hosts, the Kendrick Quartet, with special guest, Ivan North, a guitarist from Mineral Wells.

The program will be presented free, and those attending have been asked to bring chairs, or rent chairs on the grounds for 50 cents. The concession stand will open at 6 p. m. for those wishing to eat, Mr. Kendrick added.

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Salt Water Pits To Be Studied At Austin Hearing

A not-too-clear report out of Austin this week indicated that a public hearing will be held on Aug. 7 concerning salt water disposal pits in Eastland County, but none locally would comment on the hearing.

The report said: "The elimination of all salt water disposal pits from all oil and gas fields in Eastland County will be the subject of a Railroad Commission hearing Aug. 7.

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"The Railroad Commission has ordered a halt on all oil field brine disposal pits — unless specific exemptions are written — as of Jan. 1, 1939. But dozens of earlier no pit deadlines have been drawn, such as that to be proposed Aug. 7 on Eastland County operations."

quats. The Poes enjoyed the art exhibit of Mrs. Sam Matthews, former Eastland resident, in the Hotel Texas.

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In the first 11 months of 1951, 10,172 books were published in the U. S.

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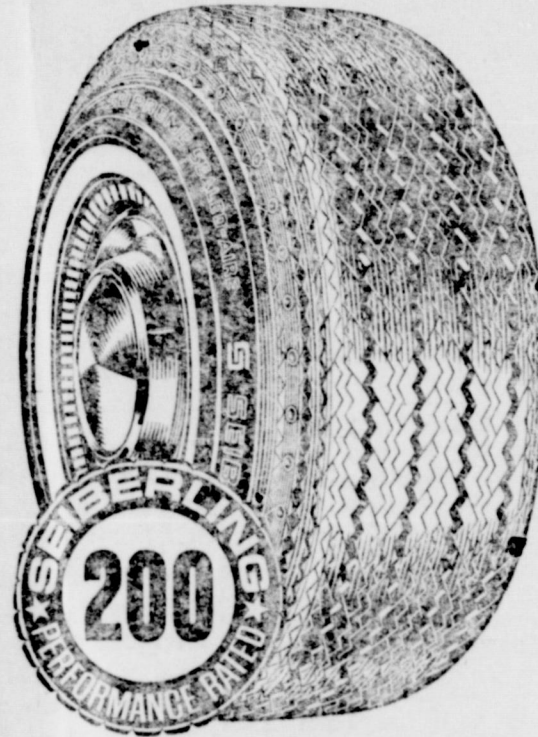
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SANDY WARLICK
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Star, was elected the new Shorthorn Lassie Queen of Texas at the annual meeting of the Texas Shorthorn Lassies Association held in Waco. She will represent Texas in the international Lassie Queen Contest held in Chicago in November. During the year, she will award the prizes and make numerous public appearances at the major livestock shows in Texas on behalf of the Shorthorn breed. Miss Warlick raises Shorthorn cattle, shows throughout Texas, and has been active in Shorthorn activities. She is a student at Cisco Junior College.

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ASCS Measuring Peanut Crops

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Jesse G. Meredith, office manager, has announced that Bill C. Caraway, Roddy M. Carter, Kenneth Foreman, Don Griffin, Gary Harris, Mike Moseley, Lindan Reynolds, Danny Schaefer, Bobby Simpson, Macky Williams,

David Rogers, Larry Snyder, and Bobby Little are helping.

Mr. Meredith also said there are indications that this will be the last year for the crops to be measured. He said the farmers would go under a Producers Certification.

When measurements are completed farmers will receive a notice of the measured acreage which should be reviewed carefully. A re-measurement service is offered which may be secured by making a deposit of the cost of the service with the ASCS Office within 15 days from the date of the notice of acreage.

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Courts Can Rule On SS Decisions

When an occasional social security claim for retirement, survivor, or disability benefits is denied, is that always the final word? No, for the claimant who feels such action was wrong certainly does not have to just sit back and fess to himself and his friends about how bad an error was made.

Decisions made by one group of persons about another person may not always be completely correct. For that reason, Congress wisely provided ways for the disappointed claimant to pursue his claim further than the initial decision.

If a claimant feels that any

part of the decision made on request formal reconsideration his claim is in error, he may within six months of the date on his denial letter. He may present new evidence, or he may just ask for a closer look at the evidence already submitted. This reconsideration action is taken by

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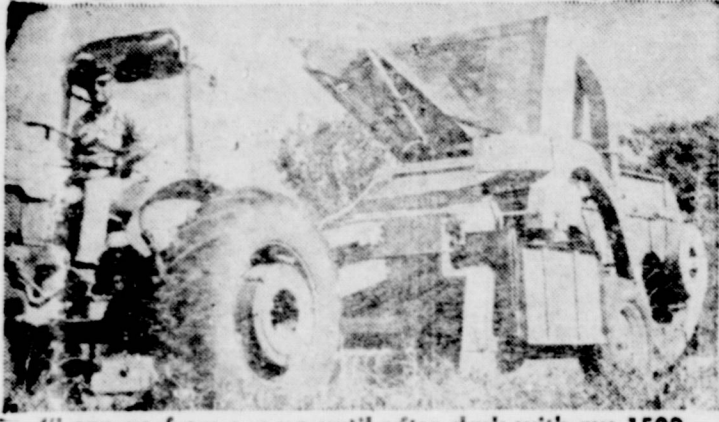
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