

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lee Hays of Irving are the proud parents of an 8 pound six ounce boy, born at 1:37 p. m. June 29, in the Irving Community Hospital. He has been named Travis Bryan. He has a sister, Carrie Francis, who is four years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Baird of Olden and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hays of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Cozart formerly of Mineral Wells, have bought the home in the west part of town from Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Groves of Odessa and the family moved in this week. The Cozarts have two children at home, Gala, 16, and Tommy, 13, and a married son, David, who lives in Breckenridge. Mrs. Cozart is the daughter of Mrs. Joe Barton of Carbon. They are members of the Church of Christ. Mr. Cozart is employed at Camp Walters, Mineral Wells. We welcome the family to our town.

Alvie Allison is leading the singing for a 10-day meeting at Huckaby Baptist Church.

Joe Ward of Crowell and daughter, Mrs. Melba Holt, of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ables of Lubbock visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medford over the weekend.

Lynn Hogan and family of Midland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan and O. H. Byrd, last weekend.

Mrs. H. Hall returned home Sunday after a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Athol Claborn, and family of Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Estes and family of Farmington, N. M. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan and other relatives.

The Campbell family reunion was held Sunday at Lake Cisco Park with about fifty relatives and friends present. The Campbell children attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell of Carbon, Raymond Campbell of Skellytown, Mrs. Della Brown of Eastland, and Mrs. Lillie Bell Mason of Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Browning Friday.

Gene May and family of Irving visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud May and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan, over the weekend.

Nancy C. Justice, a freshman student at Cisco Junior College, was on the Dean's list for the Spring 1967 semester. All students on this list must attain a 2.5000 or better grade point average. Nancy had a 3.0000 grade point average which is a straight "A". She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Justice of Route 2, Gorman and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel of Sweetwater visited friends here Monday while on vacation.

Jerald Cates who has been stationed in Viet Nam for the past year, is visiting with his family here in the home of Mrs. Cate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett. After a furlough, they will be stationed in Florida. Mrs. Cate's and children have been living in San Antonio.

The Putnam and McBee Reunion will be held Sunday, July 16, at the Cisco National Guard Armory. All friends and relatives have been invited to attend.

## Local Honor Graduate Gets Annual Award

Alvie Allison, valedictorian of the graduating class of Carbon High School has been given the annual award of the Readers Digest Association for students who by their successful school work, give promise of attaining leadership in the community.

Alvie will receive an honorary one-year subscription to the Reader's Digest which is given in senior high schools throughout the U. S. to the highest honor student of the graduating class. The award to Alvie, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Allison, was made possible through the cooperation of the faculty, designed to stimulate scholarship, citizenship, and continued contact with good reading after graduation.

## Baucum Shower Called Success

The shower held by the Eastland County Farm Bureau for FB Agent Gayle Baucum and his family last Monday night has been called a success and anyone who failed to make it to the vent at the FB office in Eastland, may still contribute by leaving things at the office, according to a report

## Carbon School Faculty Complete

Charles Bryant has been elected head teacher and head coach of the Carbon schools, according to an announcement by Superintendent Jimmy Hughes. Tom Pierson was elected as business teacher grade school boys coach and high school girls coach. This completed the faculty for the 1967-68 school year.

Mr. Pierson has a wife and five children and plans to move into the Rev. Price home in the south part of town. This will be Mr. Bryant's second year with the faculty.

Glenn Justice was employed as a bus driver and bus maintenance man. This completed the auxiliary employees for the Carbon Schools.

## County HD Council Holds Regular Meet

The Eastland County Home Demonstration Council met Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the Commissioner's court room.

Of the seven clubs represented, the roll call was answered by four officers; eight of the 12 delegates; four of the five standing committee chairmen; three visitors, and two agents.

Mrs. W. V. Fenter of Pleasant Hill gave the finance report.

Mrs. Joe Fond reported on recreation and gave final instructions on the 4-County meet in Comanche on July 6.

Mrs. Fenter, who was elected chairman of the THDA, by acclamation said that an invitation had been sent to Mrs. Joseph Koonson, District 8 director, to have the THDA meeting in Eastland next spring.

Home Demonstration Agent Janet Myers spoke to the Council on "Make It With Wool." She urged each lady to enter the contest.

Reporter book guide lines were drawn up, and each club received a sheet to study.

After the recreation presented by Pleasant Hill Club, they elected the delegates that would go to Fort Worth to the state meeting in September. Those elected were: Mrs. R. W. Gordon of Morton Valley Club; Mrs. W. V. Fenter of Pleasant Hill Club; and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer of Word Club. The two alternates were Mrs. Arlin Birt of Lake Cisco Club and Mrs. Fannie O'Brien of Flatwood

Friday.

The Baucum's home was totally destroyed by fire recently, and the family is living at 1110 W. 7th St., in Cisco at this time. They have a 10-months old son.

Virtually all of their personal belongings were destroyed in the fire.

## FB Barbecue, Contest Aug. 4th at City Park

The Eastland County Farm Bureau annual barbecue and queen contest will be held in Eastland, Aug. 4th, at the City Park.

The Farm Bureau Board of Directors met July 3rd and named Henry Fry and Sam Kimmell as chairmen of the barbecue. Tickets will be 1.25 for adults and 80 cents for the children.

Entry deadline for the queen contest is July 30th.

To enter a girl must be a daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member who is actively engaged in agricultural production. She must be single and between the ages of 16 and 22 by Sept. 1.

Each contestant will be required to speak approximately one minute on "Why I am Glad My Family Belongs to Farm Bureau."

Girls will be judged on grace, poise, charm vivaciousness, and all other qualities that go to make up a winsome Texas Future Homemaker. There are three main points on which they will be judged; namely: (1) appearance, (2) poise, (3) personality.

The 1967 Queen will be

crowned by the reigning queen, Miss Susie Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan of Cisco; and will represent Eastland County at the District Queen's Contest which will be held in Madison Junior High School Auditorium in Abilene on Aug. 18th.

Mrs. Henry Fry is chairman of the queen committee. Other members of the committee are: Beth Coats, Cisco; Murel Campbell, Carbon; Betty Claborn, Eastland; Lois June Morgan, Cisco; Mrs. Luke Palmer, Gorman; Mrs. K. F. Kirk, Ranger; Mrs. George Steel, Rising Star.

Girls who have entered the contest to date are: Ivy Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ferguson of Cisco; Kathy Kincaid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid Eastland; Sandra Parsons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vennie Long, Olden; Belinda Hickman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hickman of Rising Star.

Any girl wishing to enter please contact a member of the queens committee before the deadline of July 30th.

## Resources Over \$7 Million At Eastland National Bank

"Record highs" continue to be surpassed with the issuance of the mid-year statement of condition at Eastland National Bank where deposits hit \$6,598,522.67 and total resources topped the \$7 million mark, at \$7,118,336.84.

The bank call was for the close of business June 30. Loans at mid year stood at \$2,934,665.35.

At June 30, 1966, a year ago deposits were \$5,998,943.-

and resources were \$6,463,-722.95. Loans were \$2,723,-579.78.

At the end of the first quarter this year, April 25, deposits were \$6,391,393.83 and resources \$6,907,901.52, with loans \$2,892,333.88.

The mid-year report two years ago, 1965, showed \$5,-129,402.59; resources, \$5,583,-192.78; and loans \$2,533,214.-91.

## Landowners Contributing To Helicopter Training

Several land owners in Eastland County have already given permission for portions of their land to be used in an expanding helicopter training program at Fort Walters, it has been announced.

Several others will be contracted in the near future for consideration of "loaning" take-off and landing spots for

Club.

The council adjourned at 3:15, and there will not be another meeting until September.

Everyone is urged to attend the 4-H dress review at 8:30 p. m. July 21 in the Cisco High School auditorium.

the 'copter trainees, Thelma J. Coats, acting information officer at Walters, reported.

"The land that we wish to use lies east of a line from Breckenridge to Eastland, southeast to Desdemona, and east to Stephenville through Lingleville. In this area, T. C. Fambro and Sam Fambro have already agreed to the use of their land for helicopter training," the information officer said.

The requirement for helicopter pilots has increased to the point where we are required to almost double our training area in the vicinity of Fort Walters. To provide

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## County Enjoys 'Near Perfect' 4th Record

Eastland County finished the 102 hour Fourth of July Holiday weekend without a violent death or serious injuries, according to reports of local and county law enforcement officers.

Texas led the nation for the four-day period with a total of 109 violent deaths — 71 in traffic, 11 homicides, one in fire and four others.

On a nation-wide scale, 722 persons died on the highways for an all-time record for traffic carnage.

In Eastland County, citizens enjoyed the comparatively safe pastimes of picnics, fishing, golfing or simply the luxury of having the day off. Thankfulness for the day and all that it symbolizes was in evidence by the large num-

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## Tent Revival To Start Sunday At East Baptist

An old fashioned tent revival meeting will be held at East Cisco Baptist Church July 16-23, according to Rev. James Hall, pastor. Evangelist will be Rev. Floyd Bradley, pastor of First Baptist Church in Floydada. He is former pastor of East Cisco Baptist Church. Song leader will be Earl Jones from Lubbock.

Services will be held at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. daily, and Rev. Hall has invited the public to attend.

A number of flags waving proudly over places of business and homes throughout the area.

### First Baptist Church

Rev. Dick Murray, Interim pastor

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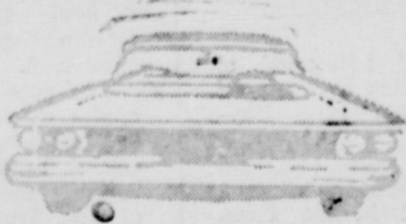
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## HOMEMAKERS HINTS

By JANET MEYERS  
Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent

When nature calls you to the great outdoors, be prepared for that favorite American summer past-time — picnicking. It is a good idea to keep a few supplies on hand for that impulsive excursion. But before you lay in store these picnic makings, be informed on the causes and prevention of food poisoning.

The best way to prevent infectious bacteria from growing is to keep foods either hot (above 120 degrees) or cold (below 50 degrees). Of course, this is not always possible, but when perishables are part of the picnic festivities, a cooler is an absolute necessity.

The major cause of poisoning bacteria is the uninformed or careless food handler. It is a good idea to leave the

salad dressings out of such picnic favorites as potato salad and cole slaw until you are ready to eat. Foods with salad dressings are particularly susceptible to food poisoning bacteria. If a pre-mixed salad must be taken, store and carry it in small containers rather than in a large one.

Never carry hot foods, such as fried chicken, baked beans, macaroni and cheese, or casseroles, unless they are packed in an insulated container — or are thoroughly chilled first, refrigerated, and then reheated at the picnic.

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### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To: Alvord Windell Higgins, defendant, 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. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from

the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 7th day of August A. D. 1967, to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 20th day of June A. D. 1967, in this cause, numbered 24,653 on the docket of said court and styled

Melba Morgan Higgins, Plaintiff, vs. Alvord Windell Higgins, defendant,

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

This is a suit for divorce and custody of minor children 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.

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## TWO BANK WORKERS GET NEW ASSIGNMENT

### At Cisco

New assignments for two employees of the First National

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Mrs. Emma Lee Donovan, assistant cashier, was given the additional duties of loan officer, and Mrs. Lois Jones, assistant cashier and teller, was assigned to secretarial duties in the loan department in addition to being as assistant cashier.

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### Landowners

(Continued from Page One.) Our students with adequate training in landings and taking off from "confined areas" and hill tops or "pinnacles," we will need about 600,000 acres of ranch land. The response of the land owners has been tremendous and we have already signed up approximately 400,000 acres in the vicinity of Graham, Breckenridge, Ranger and Stephenville.

"We are interested in remote landing sites where the students can make approaches to areas surrounded by trees and hill top areas. This provides the practice needed for our students to become proficient in landings in this type area. We locate these areas where they will not interfere with grazing cattle, feed pens, tanks and houses. In most cases, the helicopters do not land in these areas so there is no damage done.

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We are in the process of personally contacting the landowners in your area for permission to use their land. Anyone interested in this program may contact the Facilities Branch at Fort Walters (FA 5-2591, Ext. 597 or 599). Major Louis Rochat will be

more than happy to explain our program to all those who are interested.

Maj. Rochat was in Eastland Tuesday helping arrange Flag Day.

Some 185 landowners in eight counties surrounding Fort Walters currently donate 335,000 acres of land for use as practice fields for pinnacle (hilltop) and confined landing spots.

Fort Walters honored these "good neighbors" recently with an old-fashioned Texas-style barbecue at Lover's retreat, located three miles east of Palo Pinto on U. S. Highway 160.

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Four tracts of land in B. G. Ridens Survey, aggregating 500 acres, more or less, together with the mineral interests therein owned by the said Buchanan and Bearden said property being situated about three miles South of the City of Eastland, most recently known as the McCain Land, and on the 1st day of August, 1967, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., on said day, at the courthouse door of the Courthouse of Eastland County, Texas, at Eastland, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Paul Buchanan and Michael M. Bearden in and to said property, said suit being for foreclosure of lien as set out in the original answer of B. E. Hanson in said case and in said Order of Sale.

Said suit being for foreclosure of a second lien, said sale shall be subject to the balance of a first lien held by C. M. McCain, created September 10, 1964.

Dated at Eastland, Texas, on this the 23rd day of June, 1967.

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L. E. Sublett, Sheriff of Eastland County, Texas

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