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Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel are the parents of a baby girl born Sunday at 9:40 p. m. in the Gorman Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 4 ozs. and has been named Katha Lynn. The McDaniels have four other children. Grandmothers are Mrs. C. N. McDaniel of Carbon and Mrs. Beulah Flemming of Santa Anna.

J. R. Griffin suffered a stroke at his home here last Saturday night and was taken by ambulance to the Eastland Hospital. His children have all been at his bedside. They are Morris Griffin of Rockport, Elmer Griffin and wife of Midland, Bobby Griffin and family of Breckenridge, Gayland Griffin of Angleton.

Visiting with Mrs. H. Hall during the past week were Mrs. Alton Clark, Mrs. O.M. Claborn and Mrs. Jess Jones all of Rising Star, Mr. and Mrs. Athol Claborn of Trent and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall of Midland.

Miss Lucille Furr of Eastland and Mrs. Henry Carter of Rising Star visited Mrs. Rufus Been last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Stubblefield and Mrs. John Reed were in Bangs last week visiting their aunt, Mrs. Alice Spear.

Mrs. Collie Vaughn left last Friday for Pleasanton to be with her daughter, Mrs. Clive Murray, who is recovering from surgery, she underwent on Monday. Mrs. Vaughn was accompanied by her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Haynes of Snyder.

Rev. and Mrs. Moody Smith and children spent the weekend with relatives and friends in San Saba. The Smith family moved to Klondike this week where he will serve as pastor of the Baptist Church.

Bill Sandlin, who has been serving as student teacher in Vocational Agriculture in De Leon High School, returned to Huntsville last weekend to continue working on his degree at Sam Houston College. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hallmark and Grover Hallmark and family of Eastland attended the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in Fort Worth Saturday.

Bobby Laird and family of Abilene and Marvin Lee, who is attending Arlington State College in Arlington visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gregg of Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregg and baby of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler last week.

Ray Gray SN of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gray, sailed back over seas Jan. 19 for a new assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers visited their daughter, Mrs. Fete Huddleston and family in Fort Worth over the weekend.

Alec Scott returned home last week from a visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese visited his brother, Jennings Reese, who is critically ill in a Lamesa Hospital last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bigby and children of Fort Worth visited her father, W. H. Collins, Monday, also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bigby of Eastland. Mr. Bigby underwent major surgery in the Eastland hospital Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler were in Weatherford Friday to visit her brother, B. L. Smothers, who is ill in the hospital there.

Leo McDaniel and family of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. C. N. McDaniel, Sunday and he filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Tommy Nichols and children of Abilene visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jackson visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sue Garrett and family of Wichita Falls Sunday.

Joe Bennett and family of Gorman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyral Wyatt of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyatt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reeves and son of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell Sunday.

J. D. Lee and family of Breckenridge visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stone Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Guy visited their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Collins and family in Fort Worth over the weekend.

Rev. Dick Murray will again fill the pulpit at the Carbon Baptist Church next Sunday morning and evening, it has been announced by the Pulpit Committee.

D & B Lists 352 Businesses In This County

Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., international business information agency which has been celebrating its 125th Anniversary, has released latest statistics on the business population of Eastland County. Mr. A. J. Hemphill, district manager of the Fort Worth office of D & B, reports that figures obtained by a physical count of the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book for January, 1967, show that there are 352 retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers in this area.

Founded in 1841 in New York City, the Dun & Bradstreet organization now includes nearly 240 offices in the United States and abroad. The company was originally established to collect and report data on merchants on the Western frontier in order to promote trade, and has been gathering financial and credit data on firms of all types every since.

Today, D & B lists nearly three million businesses and their current credit ratings in its Reference Book, which is continually being revised and is published six times a year. Each year, all businesses, regardless of size, are asked to send copies of their financial statements to Dun & Bradstreet, whose reporters collect supplementary facts and profile each business in comprehensive credit reports widely used by suppliers, insurance companies, bankers, and service concerns.

F. B. Agent Gayle Baucum Receives Honor

Gayle Baucum, general agent for Eastland County Farm Bureau, has been selected as a member of the Southern Farm Bureau Table, 1966. He is one of 137 agents from the United States and Puerto Rico to receive this honor.

He and Mrs. Baucum will attend the Round Table meeting at The Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, in March. They will be guests of the Farm Bureau.

Baucum, who has been with Farm Bureau since Nov. of 1965, is a graduate of Anson High School and attended Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

The Baucums have one son, eleven-month-old Joe Edward. They live on Highway 80 east.

The couple attended the 48th annual convention of American Farm Bureau Federation in Las Vegas in December.

MISS CAMPBELL WEDS RICHARD L. DONOVAN

Miss Bernadine Campbell and Richard Lee Donovan were married at half past seven o'clock on Saturday evening, January 28, in the First Baptist Church of Cisco. Rev. Harry Grantz, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Carrizo Springs, performed the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Campbell of Carbon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donovan of Cisco.

Traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. William Austin, organist, and Mrs. George Owens, soloist.

Mr. Campbell gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a floor length gown fashioned of Dulcet satin, highlighted by a chapel train bordered with chantilly lace appliques outlined with seed pearls. A seed pearl tiara held her veil of illusion. She carried white roses centered with gardenias atop her white Bible.

Miss Brenda Rice of Morenci, Arizona, was maid of honor. She wore a floor length gown of apricot dull luster satin. Matching cabbage roses held her brief veil, and she carried a cascade of coral feathered mums.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. J. E. White, Miss Sylvia Hart, Miss Sandra Hart and Miss Martha Sitton, all of Cisco. They wore identical floor length gowns of coral dull lustre satin with matching veils. Each carried a cascade of coral feathered carnations.

David Chastang of Houston was best man. Groomsmen were David Largent of Abilene, Ronnie Hastings of Cisco, Bill Moore of El Dorado, Ark., and Al Petrazac of Dallas.

Wedding tapers were lit by Bill Grantz, cousin of the bride from Carrizo Springs.

D. D. Sandlins Honored With Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlins were honored last Friday evening from 7 to 9 with a housewarming in their new home here. The party was hosted by several friends of the couple, who served refreshments of fruit punch, cookies, mints and nuts. A social hour was enjoyed with the men indulging in games of dominoes and "42". While the ladies were occupied admiring the pretty and useful gifts for the home.

The Sandlins moved into their Gold Medalion all electric brick home in November. We are proud of this new addition to Carbon and congratulate the owners.

and David Largent of Abilene. Guests were seated by Mr. Grantz and Bill Westfall of Cisco.

Flower girls were Miss Kathy Shugart of Granbury and Miss Gina Davis of Cisco. Ring bearers were Clint Tucker of Carbon and Roger Davis of Cisco.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church hosted by the bride's parents.

The couple will be at home at College View Apartments in College Station after Feb. 1.

Mrs. Donovan is a graduate of Cisco High School and is a sophomore student at Cisco Junior College, where she is a member of the college choir, Madrigal Singers, and the Round-up staff.

Mr. Donovan is a graduate of Cisco High School and received a bachelor's degree in physics from Texas A&M University. He has an assistantship in the physics department of Texas A&M where he is a graduate student.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donovan, parents of the bridegroom, hosted the rehearsal dinner in the Spot Restaurant.

Basketball News

The Carbon High School boys defeated Olden 67 to 48 last Thursday night in the local gym. This was Olden's first defeat in conference play. High scorers for Carbon were Herbert Casey 26, Alvie Allison 13 and Ronnie Hughes 12. This makes Carbon 2 wins and 2 losses in conference play.

The Carbon girls defeated Olden in an easy victory 54 to 21. Debbie Jackson with 25 points, Madge Justice 12 and Jo Ann Been 10 were high scorers for Carbon.

Carbon outsiders defeated Gorman outsiders, both men and women in a March of Dimes benefit game here Saturday night. Mrs. Truman Bryant, local chairman reported \$75 was taken in for the cause.

The Carbon High School boys and girls defeated Gorman there Tuesday night.

The Carbon girls won a thriller over Gorman 35 to 33. Debbie Jackson 16, Madge Justice 10 and Jo Ann Been 6, furnished the scoring for Carbon. The girls now stand six wins and no losses in conference play.

The Carbon boys defeated Gorman 45 to 22. Herbert Casey was high scorer for Carbon with 18 points, Alvie Allison 13 and Ricky Pack 8. Our boys now stand 4 wins and 2 losses in conference play.

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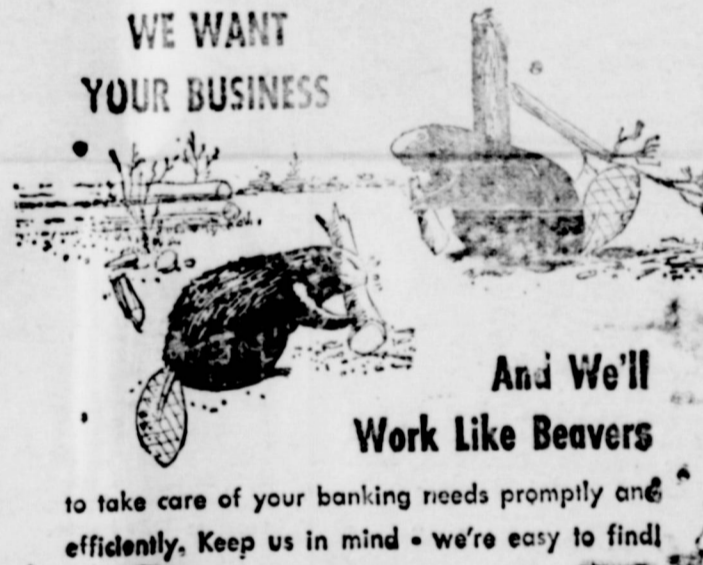
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"The inspection period is two-thirds over and only about one-third of the vehicles have been inspected," said Garrison. "This means that during the 14 weeks remaining before the April 15 deadline for inspections, more than twice as many persons each week must have their car inspected to avoid long lines forming at the end of the period."

In urging motorists to have vehicle inspected at an early date, Garrison pointed out that official inspection stations are easily identified by the standard sign displayed at or near the service entrance of the garage.

He advised that inspection stations are being urged to request permission to inspect any vehicle brought into the garage for repairs or regular service.

"In this way," Garrison pointed out, "time will be saved for the motorist as well as for the inspection station."

"And if you have not had your vehicle inspected, take it to one of the 5,500 authorized inspection stations for a "check-up" and start the new year off right with a safe vehicle."

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What do you think of when you hear 4-H? Head, Heart, Hand, and Health? Or do you think of boys and girls feeding and showing livestock, cooking and sewing? Yes, all of these are a very important part of the 4-H Club program — but there is more —

One of the many and varied projects which a 4-H member may be interested in is an electric project. The purpose of the electric program is to develop leadership among 4-H Club members and encourage the efficient use of electricity.

er exhibit materials will be used to teach the use of electricity.

4-Hers interested in conducting a team demonstration in electricity should contact one of the Assistant County Extension Agents soon.

The 1967 edition of the Eastland county 4-H livestock show team is getting off to a thundering start. Approximately 15 individuals who will be attending major livestock shows have begun to show their livestock.

Following the Odessa show San Antonio (Feb. 10-19), Houston (Feb. 22- Mar. 5), and San Angelo (Mar. 8-12) Livestock Shows, Eastland County 4-H Clubs will have representative at each of these major livestock shows as well as at the local Gorman Youth Achievement Day (Mar. 4), Cisco Livestock Show (Mar. 9-11), and the Eastland County Livestock Show (Mar. 16-18).

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2,443 Texas Families Obtain Farm Home Loans During Year

More than 2,443 Texas families — some 70 percent more than that of the previous year — during fiscal 1966 used \$16,787,304 of Farmer's Home Administration credit for construction and improvement of homes. L. J. Cappleman, the Agency's State Director, with offices at Temple, Texas, has reported.

Some \$1,733,590 of this amount was advanced directly to Texas Senior Citizens

for improved housing facilities, a 400 plus percent increase over credit extended the previous period to rural residents of 62 years or over, Director Cappleman explained.

Rural housing loans to Texas individuals other than Senior Citizens totaled \$15,053,714 during 1966 — 66 percent more than that of the previous twelve months. These loans ranged from

small amounts for minor repairs to loans for building modest, but adequate homes. Some of the funds were used to improve or construct essential farm buildings.

"Farmers Home Administration's rural housing program has resulted in untold benefits to scores of Texas communities as well as to the hundreds of rural people involved," Director Cappleman emphasized. "That is only part of the story, for improvements made by borrowers to their homes have increased the tax base which makes it easier for local communities to finance schools, road improvements

and other needed community facilities."

More than 90,000 rural American families throughout the 50 states, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico have borrowed more than \$799.1 million since the program was expanded five years ago.

"It is important to note that many Farmers Home Administration rural housing loans are repaid ahead of schedule to the extent that payments of principal and interest throughout the nation equal 104 percent of the total amount due since the program began," Director Cappleman pointed out. "Losses on rural housing loans are less than two one-hundredths of one percent of the total loaned since the program started."

Farmers Home Administration housing loans are made to applicants unable to obtain credit from private lenders at reasonable rates and terms. They are tailored to individual needs and accompanied by assistance in farm and financial management.

Basket Ball News

Our grade school boys continue to win, losing only 1 game for the season. They defeated Gorman 39-24, Bobby Carlton 13, Larry Griffin 10 points. The Gorman girls defeated Carbon 16-4.

Both teams play Putnam here Monday night.

Chippendale furniture bears the name of its creator, an 18th century English cabinet maker and woodcarver.

Carbon Cage Schedule

The Carbon High School basketball schedule has been announced by Supt. James L. Hughes and Coach Allen as follows:

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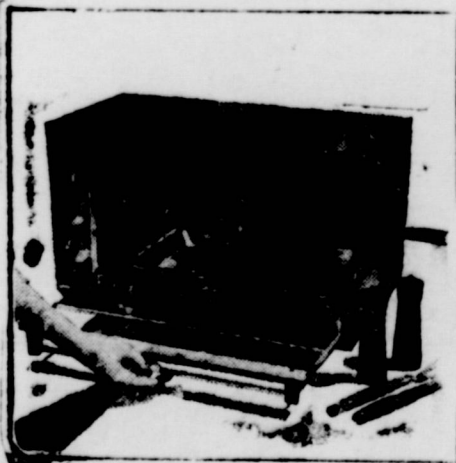
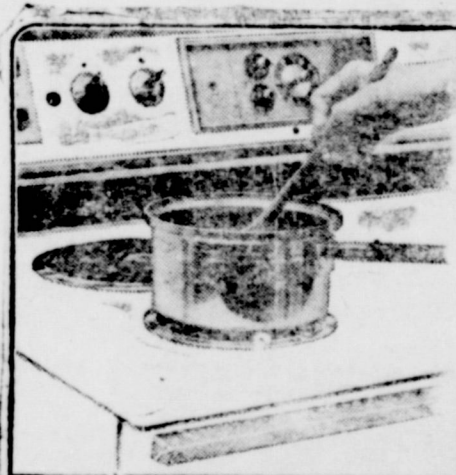
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