

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Mrs. Charles Morgan presented her piano students in a recital Friday evening, May 6, in the Carbon Baptist Church. The pastor, Rev. Moody Smith, served as master of ceremonies. Dale Jackson led the opening hymn, "Count Your Blessings," with Mrs. Morgan at the piano. Each pupil played three numbers. Those on the program were: Cheryl Cate, Debra Casey, Sharon Garrett, Dale Jackson, Judy Spence, Lavada Jackson, Lyndall Cook, Becky Smith, Deborah Garrett, and Donna Blacet. Two students, Terry Stacy and Don Duncan, were unable to be in the recital. To conclude the program, Becky Smith sang "Without Him," accompanied by Mrs. Morgan. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Eaves attended the funeral of his brother, R. C. Eaves, in Gorman last Thursday. Mr. Eaves, 66, was a retired Shell Oil Co. employe and died at his home in Gorman Tuesday where they had lived for the past five years. Mr. and Mrs. Eaves' daughters, Mrs. David Loran and Mrs. Barbara Lens of Brady, Mrs. Tommy Webb and Mrs. Lela Woodard of Abilene visited with them and attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCurry of Austin and grandson, Brad Thompson of Pine Bluff, Ark. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers visited over the weekend with their son, Kenneth Rogers, and family of Odessa and their daughter, Mrs. Glen Clement, and family of Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Frank Skinner, in Lubbock recently. His sister, Mrs. Ina Jordan, of Eastland accompanied them.

Mrs. Waide Clark accompanied her brother, J. T. Hamlett of Rising Star and his daughter, Mrs. Elsie Criswell of Okra to Grosvena Saturday where they attended a cemetery working and met with many old friends.

Bob Jackson returned to Odessa Sunday after spending the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson. They all visited relatives in Sherman and Graham last week.

Mrs. Mamie Love of Dallas visited her brother, Frank Park, and family last week and attended the funeral of her mother-in-law, Mrs. R. V. Love, in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Calborn of Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall of Midland and Mrs. Carl Johnson of Eastland visited Mrs. Harry Hall last week.

### Honor Students



**NANCY JUSTICE**  
Valedictorian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Justice. Four-year average 92.64.



**JOHNNIE MCDANIEL**  
Salutatorian, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniel. Four-year average 91.83.



**LINDIAN REYNOLDS**  
Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reynolds. Third highest with a four-year average of 91.77.

## Carbon Seniors Will Graduate Friday Night

Commencement exercises for the 1965-66 graduating class of Carbon High School will be held at the high school auditorium Friday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock with the following program:

Processional, Brenda Smith; invocation, Durwood Webb; salutatory, Johnnie McDaniel; class history, Lindian Reynolds; valedictory, Nancy Justice; presentation of certificates and awards, Dale Key; song, class; presentation of diplomas, Travis Spence; school song, audience; benediction, Rev. Moody Smith; candle-lighting ceremony, Kay Thackerson; recessional, Brenda Smith.

Ushers will be Joyce Casey, Betty McDaniel, Ronnie Laster, Rickey Pack.

This exercise closes out another very successful school year and Superintendent Travis Spence has announced plans for this week as follows: Monday, classes as usual; Tuesday and Wednesday, examination days; and no school on Thursday. Friday morning the teachers and students will assemble at the usual time for an hour or two when students will receive their report cards.

### Basketball News

The Carbon Wolverines won their fifth consecutive baseball game by defeating Lingleville 3 to 1 in a well played game here Tuesday, May 1. This game won the district for Carbon. They play Jonesboro at 2 p.m. Thursday at Stephenville to decide the bi-district championship. The scores for the other games played this year were: Carbon 12, Desdemona 2; Carbon 10, Huckaby 1; Carbon 6, Strawn 2; Carbon 10, Gordon 0; Carbon 3, Lingleville 1.

## Ranger J. C. Graduation 8 P. M., May 26

Dean E. W. Mince announces that the graduation at Ranger Junior College has been set for Thursday, May 26, at 8 p. m. in the Athletic Building of the college.

O. L. Stamey, Eastland County School Superintendent, will be the speaker.

Mrs. Colleen Lamb of Cisco spent last Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell.

## MANY VIEW SCRANTON, NIMROD IMPROVEMENTS ON THURSDAY

Approximately 75 toured the Nimrod Community, and some 80 toured the Scranton Community Thursday afternoon to view the improvements which were judged in the Texas Community Improvement contest, according to Mrs. Herman Schaefer, secretary of the Nimrod Neighbors Progressive Club.

The decision of the judges will probably be released Monday, Mrs. Schaefer said. Other communities are also entered in the contest.

Nimrod and Scranton are in different classes of the con-

test. This is the 11th year Nimrod has entered. Scranton was a winner in last year's contest. A cash award is given to the winning community. The money is used for further community improvements, Mrs. Schaefer said.

Judges were Mrs. Betsy Lacy, county home demonstration agent from Lampasas; Mitchell H. Brown Jr., county agriculture agent from Groesbeck; and Dr. Clarence Carter, soil and water conservation specialist from Texas A&M University.



**CARBON HIGH GRADUATES** — Front row: Left to right: Lindian Reynolds, Nancy Justice, Jeanna Norris, Linda Cate Theiford, Rhonda Jackson, and Bruce Wyatt. Back row: left to right: David Price, Larry Purdom, Johnnie McDaniel, Ray Don Craighead, Jerry Cook, Rickey Horton, Timmy Warren, and Jimmy Dale Parrigan.

### TOTAL VOTE IN COUNTY

(In order of returns)

Absentee	163
Desdemona	194
Olden	134
Scranton	27
Pioneer	43
Nimrod	29
Carbon	203
Gorman	564
Rising Star	313
Kokomo	89
Cisco	1318
Ranger	585
Eastland	985
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4472</b>

## Former Carbon Citizen Dies At Lake Jackson

Word has been received here of the death of C. H. (Cicero) Swift, a former resident of Carbon before moving to San Angelo a number of years ago. Mr. Swift, 78, had lived at 107 Acacia, Lake Jackson, Texas for the past ten years, but had resided in Woodlake Nursing Home for the past two months where he died May 2.

He married the former Vinetta Boston at Carbon June 2, 1915. He was a retired merchant, a member of the Methodist Church and a Mason.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Herman and Jack, all of Lake Jackson; a daughter, Mrs. A. D. Magill of Fort Worth; two brothers, S. C. Swift of Fort Worth and Ira Smith of Rising Star; one sister, Mrs. C. T. Sargent of Fort Worth; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

No admission will be charged to spectators.

## Boat Racing At Lake Cisco Set Next Sunday

Next Sunday, May 22, outboard motor boat races will be held at Lake Cisco, according to Jim Smothers, manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

The races will be held by the National Outboard Association and will be sponsored by the City of Cisco, the Chamber of Commerce and the Lake Cisco Recreation Area, Inc.

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### Friday and Saturday

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### County Bank Deposits Good

BANK DEPOSITS in Eastland County reflect a healthy financial picture as the first quarter of the year came to an end . . . Total deposits in the five county banks reached \$20,308,808 as of the April 5 bank call. That's far above the same reporting period last year when the county total amounted to \$17,797,177 . . . The current total is just below \$20,477,481 reported at the end of December, 1965 — but ec-

onomists expect this, and report the first quarter holdings to be the "lowest" of the year, and the December figure to be the highest . . . East of the five banks helped account for the increase with individual gains over a year ago — The First State at Rising Star showed the biggest jump over the '65 total.

	1966	1965
Eastland National	\$5,928,847	\$5,019,713
Cisco 1st	5,980,091	5,505,458
First State		
Ris. Star	3,510,283	2,987,401
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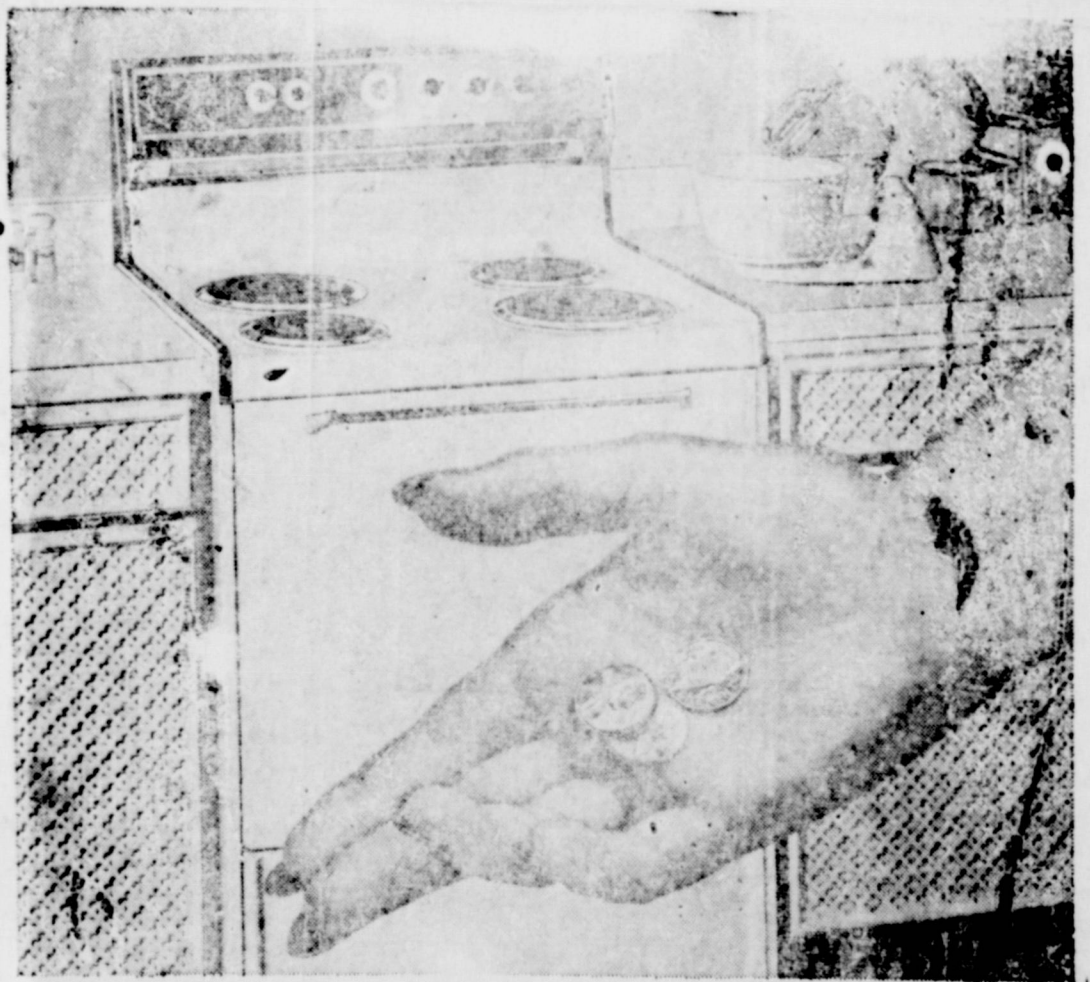
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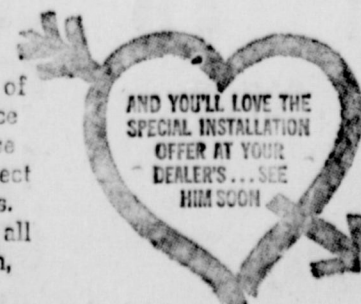
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## Gorman Sergeant Re-enlisted in U. S. Air Force

Technical Sergeant Jimmie L. Fonville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam F. Fonville of Rt. 3, Gorman, Tex., has re-enlisted in the U.S. Air Force at Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla., during his off-duty hours. His wife is the former Lena P. Hutchinson, Vandenberg AFB, Calif. Sergeant Fonville is a fuels system technician at Vandenberg with the Strategic Air Command, America's long-range nuclear bomber and missile force.

Andrew Jackson, seventh president, seldom held cabinet meetings, but rather relied on a small group of advisors whom the newspaper dubbed the "Kitchen Cabinet."

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Thanks again to everyone for the courtesy shown me during the campaign.

**Dick Foster**

**Richard C. Eaves  
Dies In Gorman;  
Rites Thursday**

Richard Clay Eaves, 66, died at his home in Gorman at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Funeral services were held in Gorman's First Baptist Church at 4 p.m. Thursday with Rev. K. C. Edmonds of Ranger officiating.

Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery under the direction of Higgingbotham Funeral Home.

Born Aug. 6, 1899 in Limestone County, he married Ollie Mae Monroe, Jan. 12, 1930 in Ranger. They had lived in Gorman for the past five years. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife; three sons, Richard of Eglin AFB, William of Midland, and A. B. Gorman; four daughters, Mmes. Robert Martin of Odessa, Ralph Bird of Farmington, N.M., William Cummings and Gene Patton of Big Spring; two brothers, Buddy of Gorman and F. C. of Carbon, one sister, Mrs. Lena Lowry of Hobbs, N.M., and 12 grandchildren.

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SCOTT BAILEY  
COUNTY JUDGE

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