

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver during the holidays were all of their children: Mrs. Lo Ellen Bockman and son, Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weaver and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weaver of Antelope, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cates and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weaver and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ray Weaver and family of Abilene, Donald Cates of Lubbock and Miss Louise White of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert returned home last week after spending the Christmas holidays with their children, Mrs. Ralph Power, and family and Don Gilbert and family of Brandon, Fla.

Mrs. Dora Sandlin and son, Wendell Sandlin and family of Springtown visited her son, D. D. Sandlin, and family over the weekend.

Visiting in the Joe Barnett home during the holidays were Orval Barnett and family and Gene Barnett and family of Gorman, E. D. Mathison and family of Austin, Jerrell Cate and family of San Antonio and Mrs. E. D. Cate and daughter, Mrs. Glenn Thetford, of Olden.

Mrs. John Griffith and daughters of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson, during New Year holidays.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mathis and family of Carson City, Nevada, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mathis and family of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cagle, Mrs. Connie Cloud and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cloud and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pylant and family of Stephenville, Mrs. Ione Bounds of Eastland, Mr. Berry Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and family, Mrs. C. J. Lovell, Miss Joyce Greenwood, Mrs. Pearl Brown and Pearlene, all of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and family of Gorman and Mr. J. M. Greenwood of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Mamie Clement of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn last week.

Wayne Campbell and children of Azle visited his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright, last Friday.

Mrs. Garland Garrett and children, Mrs. Tom L. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett of Rockport last week.

New Year holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clement and children of Andrews, Mrs. Rogers' sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten Sr. of Clarendon, L. D. Aten, Jr. and son of Littlefield and Miss Connie Scott of Amarillo.

Buster Ables and family of Priddy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Ables, during New Years.

Mrs. Roy Thurman of New Braunfels, Lee Roy Thurman and family and Mrs. Ann Hatfield of Houston attended the funeral of A. M. Thurman of Gorman last Wednesday and visited briefly with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn.

Lewis Targerson and son of Wisconsin visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyme during the recent holidays.

New Years Day visitors with W. H. Collins were Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins of Altus, Okla., Mrs. Lora Wyatt of Gorman and Sr. M. Sgt. Bob Collins of Waco. The group visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Glover of Evant in the afternoon.

Visiting Mrs. Harry Hall during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall of Midland, Harry C. Hall and son, Scott, of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Athol Claborn of Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Claborn of Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burke of Albuquerque, N. M.

Mrs. C. J. Lovell and Mrs. J. L. Black who have made their home together for several years in the home of Mrs. Lovell, have closed the house for the winter months and Mrs. Lovell is now at the home of her son, Clyde, of Baird and Mrs. Black is residing in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reasoner of Floydada visited her aunt, Mrs. E. R. Butler, last week.

J. T. Clark and family of Cleburne, Wade Earl Clark and family of Plainview and Mrs. Helen Sissom and two daughters of Lubbock, visited Mrs. Wade Clark during the holidays. They all visited Mrs. Nell John and family of Brenham also relatives in Brownwood and Rising Star.

## New Tax Guide For Farmers Is Available Free

The 1966 edition of the "Farmers Tax Guide" prepared especially for farmers and ranchers to use in working up their 1965 income tax reports, is available at the county extension office on the second floor of the courthouse in Eastland reports County Farm Agent J. M. Cooper.

It would be hard to place a value on the publication explains the county agent. It is written and illustrated for farm and ranch use and is just about a must for filing tax purposes, Cooper adds.

One of its most useful sections is the example tax return. On this sample tax return, Schedules B, D, and F are used. Also the major form of all, Schedule 1040 is shown with the completed return and computed tax. Each step in preparing the return is illustrated and explained he says.

Every tax payer who received two thirds of his gross income from farming or ranching is due to file his return and pay the tax by February 15th, 1966 unless he files an estimate and pays this amount by January 17th, 1966.

## Progress Made In Appeals Court Re-Modeling

Work is still progressing on the 11th Court of Civil Appeals quarters, with plans for finishing the remodeling to be about February 1, 1966. B. D. Click Company of Abilene is general contractor for the job.

According to the office clerk at the court, the offices of the court judges will be finished as soon as the tile is laid on the floors. The new library for the Court is now housing some of the books of the judges.

At the present Earl O'Brien, county auditor, reports that the county has issued \$18,000 in warrants. The bid that was submitted to the county commissioners was for \$42,659.

Harold Snodgrass of Midland and his bride-to-be, Miss Carolyn Bell of Odessa, visited his mother, Mrs. E. R. Snodgrass, during the holidays. Her daughter, Mrs. Jack Shelley, and family of Grand Prairie also visited with them.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker during the holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Anderson and two sons of Wichita Falls, Mrs. June Hicks and son of Electra, Billy Tucker and family of Kermit and Bobby Tucker and family of Carbon.

## County Court Oks Two Resolutions

At a meeting of Eastland County Commissioners Monday, Dec. 27, two resolutions were passed, according to County Judge Scott Bailey.

The first resolution was to urge and recommend that a split diamond interchange be granted on Interstate Highway 20 at Olden. Appearing in County Court in connection with this resolution were Resident Engineer R. P. Haun and Assistant Engineer Tommy Magness.

Concerning the Cotton Allotment Program, a second resolution was passed, in which

the acreage ceiling for cotton for the Cropland Adjustment Program will be raised from ten per cent to 25 per cent for the 1966 crop year. This increase will not have a decreasing effect on the economy of the county and will have an increasing affect toward the income received from cotton in the county, Judge Bailey said.

Appearing in court in connection with the Cotton Allotment resolution were County Agent J. M. Cooper and Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service Office Manager Gilbert Meredith.

## Eastland County Pecan Champ Takes a First in State Show

At the 1965 State Pecan Show Thursday at Texas A&M University, C. E. Smith of Rising Star trapped a first-place win among the 1,027 entries.

Mr. Smith, who won the over-all championship of the Eastland County Pecan Show in Cisco Dec. 10-11, won first place in the state exhibit, sponsored by A&M and the Texas Pecan Growers Association.

Over-all champ at the state show was Nelson Handor of Belton, who took the title for the fourth consecutive year.

The 1,027 entries with a minimum of 25 nuts each was a record high, said show superintendent J. B. Storey of the A&M horticulture section. He said the event was the "world's biggest" pecan show. Pecans were judged in

weight, per cent kernel, size, hollowness and taste.

Ellis Cooper of Ranger exhibited the champion in-shell variety, the Comanche. The top four counties that led in points were Bell with 270 points; San Saba, 235; Brown 190; and Comanche, 124.

The county with the most points usually names its pecan queen to the State Pecan Queen title. However, since Bell won last year and cannot have the privilege in two consecutive years, San Saba's queen, Miss Connie Bagley, will be the 1966 State Pecan Queen. Eastland County's 1966 Queen is Miss Marilyn Nash of Ranger.

Samples of Mr. Smith's county champion Choctaws and of Earl Walker's county champion seedlings are on display at the First National Bank in Cisco.

## CJC Has Highest Percentage Increase In 1965 Enrollment

Cisco Junior College recorded the top percentage of increase in fall enrollment among state junior colleges instead of second as reported in the fall, according to CJC

Royce McGaha and son, Jimmy, of Morenci, Ariz, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar White and sons of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White, during New Years.

president, Grady C. Hogue.

A rundown on statistics by the Coordinating Board of Texas Colleges showed CJC's 59.8 per cent enrollment increase over that of 1964 to be higher than San Jacinto JC's increase that was first reported to be the highest.

Last fall's enrollment at CJC was officially 661, 226 more than the 435 figure of 1964.

A total of 290,955 students are enrolled in the state's state-supported and private and medical colleges, junior and senior, according to the coordinating board's report.

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 Church School 11:00 a.m.

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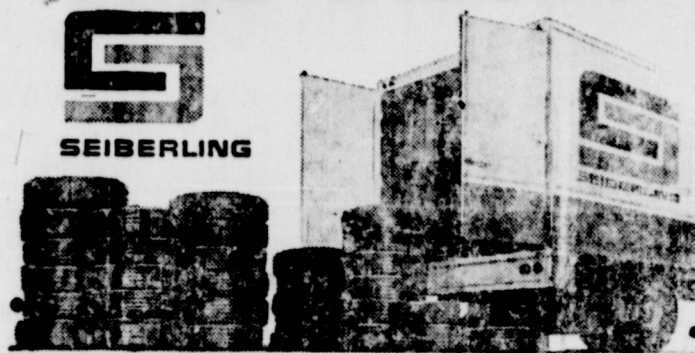
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## Clinton Is New Food Official

Leo Clinton of Cisco has been named by County Commissioners as surplus food distributor for Eastland County.

He has replaced J. W. Elder who retired on Dec. 1.

Dates for distribution of USDA Surplus Foods in the County have been announced by Mr. Clinton as follows:

Monday, Jan. 10—Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, Jan. 11—Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra, Carbon,

Gorman and Desdemona. Wednesday, Jan. 12—Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

The Welfare Center is located at 301 South Mulberry St., Eastland.

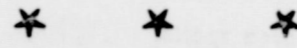
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## Mrs. Lola Dudley Dies Wednesday; Services Friday

Mrs. Lola Dudley, 61, died at 11:45 a.m. Wednesday in Eastland Memorial Hospital, where she was admitted Tuesday after a stroke.

Mrs. Dudley resided at 1006 W. 14th. Funeral services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday in the East Cisco Baptist Church, where Mrs. Dudley was a member. Officiating will be the Rev. Ray Hartline, former pastor of the church, now of Breckenridge; the new pastor, the Rev. James Hall; and the Rev. Lee Fields, retired minister now of Carbon. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery with Rust Funeral Home directing.

Mrs. Dudley and her husband, Brit, moved to Cisco five years ago from the Long Branch community. The couple was married Dec. 23, 1923, in Rising Star. Mrs. Dudley was born Feb. 21, 1904, in Erath County. She was an employee at the Hollywood Vassarrette factory in Eastland at the time of death.

Survivors include her husband; a son, John E. of El Paso; her mother, Mrs. H. O. Reed of Electra; a brother, Blanton Reed of Pass Christian, Miss.; three sisters, Mrs. Ola Mason, Mrs. Etta Hamilton and Mrs. Lorene Boaz, all of Electra; and two grandchildren.

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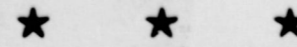
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The wedding of Miss Linda Sue Williams and Mr. Jerry Lasater was solemnized on Dec. 23 at Merriman Baptist Church, Ranger, with the Rev.

Luther Higginbotham, pastor, reading the wedding vows. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lasater. The bride is a senior at Eastland High School and the bridegroom is employed by JA Auto Service in Cisco. The couple will make their home in Cisco.

**Senator Creighton To  
Run For Re-Election**

State Senator Tom Creighton of Mineral Wells has announced that he will seek re-election in the 22nd District that he has served for two terms in voting next spring.

The 22nd district, which was enlarged by the last Legislature to include a population of more than 200,000 people, is composed of Clay, Montague, Jack, Wise, Stephens, Palo Pinto, Parker and Eastland Counties. The southern half of Tarrant County also is part of the district.

Creighton, county attorney of Palo Pinto County for eight years prior to his election to the Senate, has advanced to 11th in seniority. He was president pro tempore of the chamber during

the regular session this year.

Creighton is a chairman of the Game and Fish Committee, vice chairman of Committee on Jurisprudence and member of the Committees on Banking, Oil and Gas, Finance, Privileges and Elections, Counties, Transportation, State Affairs and Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.

Creighton served as an enlisted man two years during World War II and then returned to finish his education. He graduated from the University of Texas Law School in 1950.

He and Mrs. Creighton have three sons, Thomas William Jr., 13; Kenneth Roy, 11; and Mark, 8.

**Basketball News**

The Grade School tournament starts at the local gym today, Thursday, with games being played Friday, Saturday and Monday. Carbon, Eastland, German, Olden, Cisco, Ranger, Moran and Desdemona boys and girls teams have entered the tournament and some good games are expected.

Games start at 6:15 today with Moran and German boys and at 6:30 the Moran and German boys Carbon and Older girls play at 7:45 and the boys play at 9.

The High School boys and girls journeyed to May last Tuesday night where our boys won 60 to 49, Jerry Cook high scores with 20 points. The girls lost to May 41 to 49. Both teams play Gordon there Friday night.

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For a basic Turkey Salad, combine 4 cups each of diced cooked turkey and crisp celery with 2 cups mayonnaise or salad dressing. Season to taste with salt, pepper and lemon juice. Refrigerate and use as a salad, or as a sandwich filling.

And try these variations:  
For Turkey-Almond Salad, add up to 1 cup slivered almonds to basic salad just before serving. This last-minute addition keeps the almonds crunchy-crisp.

Turkey-Avocado: Add 1 cup diced avocados to basic salad mixture, then mix to blend and chill.

Turkey-Egg: Add 4 chopped hard-cooked eggs, 2 tablespoons each of minced onion and finely chopped pimiento and 1/4 cup chopped green pepper to basic salad; mix to blend and chill.

Turkey - Ham: Use 3 cups dice turkey and 1 cup diced cooked ham in basic salad; mix to blend and chill.

Turkey-Ripe Olives: Add 1/2 cup ripe olive quarters to basic salad, then mix to blend and serve.

Turkey-Pineapple: Add 1/4 cup diced pineapple to basic salad; mix to blend and chill.

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