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Personals

Friends here have received the announcement from Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Roe of Pataskala, Ohio of the birth of a daughter who arrived Nov. 24. She weighed 5 lbs. 10 oz. and has been named Paula Monette. Rev. Ro was pastor of the Carbon Baptist Church before the family moved to Ohio several months ago. They also have two sons Steven and Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Snodgrass and little daughter, Caroline, have returned to Bremerton, Washington after a 30-day leave. While here they visited his sisters, Mrs. Harold Caudle and family of Strawn and Mrs. Joe Tucker and family of Cisco, also his brother, Billy C. Snodgrass, and family of Morenci, Ariz. and other relatives and friends. Jimmy Ray, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Snodgrass, is now Enginman, 1st class on the U. S. Blueback Submarine and plans to make Navy his career.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant and son visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stephenson in Fort Worth last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McNellery of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Reed Sunday.

Mrs. Faye Walsh of Fort Worth visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medford, last weekend.

Mrs. S. E. Clement went to Eastland Saturday where she will spend the winter months in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Roff.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks and Mrs. John Parks and daughter of Roscoe visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hallmark attended the quarterly meeting of the Central West Texas Postal Association in joint session with the Brazos Valley Association at Wyatt's Cafeteria in Abilene Saturday night. The dinner, a tribute to B. M. Myers, Jr., was sponsored by the Abilene Reporter-News. Mr. Myers, Regional Director from Dallas, was the main speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Biggs of Breckenridge visited Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Pearce Sunday.

Mrs. Wade Clark returned recently from a visit to Houston and Brenham. In Brenham she visited with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johns. Mr. Johns is seriously ill.

Rams Defeat Wolverines In Regional Play-off

The Carbon Wolverines suffered their first and only defeat of the season at the hands of Talpa Centennial Rams in Regional Championship play-off at Coleman Friday night by the score of 20 to 30. Talpa jumped to a 12 to 0 lead early in the first period by scoring on the opening kick-off and scoring again with five minutes left to play in the first period. The first quarter ended with Talpa leading 12 to 0.

Carbon began its drive toward the goal in the second quarter with Danny Hobbs and Ronnie Hughes alternating in carrying the ball to the Talpa 32 and Alvie Allison passed to Ronnie Hughes for the touchdown and Allison kicked extra goals, the half ending Talpa 12 and Carbon 8.

Early in the third period Carbon went out in front 14 to 12 when Allison passed 37 yards to Jerry Cook who made a great catch for the score and Carbon led 14 to 12. Early in the fourth period the Wolverines got possession at their 27 and with Hughes running and Allison passing, paraded to the Talpa 7 where Tim Warren passed to Cook for a final TD. The score was Carbon 20 and Talpa 18 with a minute and 50 seconds showing on the scoreboard when Talpa hit for two quick touchdowns and the game ended 30 to 20 in Talpa's favor.

The Wolverines all played will both on offensive and defensive but Talpa with a 30 pound to the man advantage, was hard to overcome.

Congratulations to our coaches Dale Key and Jimmy Hughes and the entire team for a job well done and losing the final game by only one minute and 50 seconds.

They will now begin basketball and both boys and girls look like they will represent Carbon well on the hardwood. The girls have already won their first three games.

Visiting Mrs. Wade Clark over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Clark, Sr. and two children of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Clark, Jr. and two children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Euday of Brownwood and Mrs. Elsie Criswell of Okra.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cagle of Abilene spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Duke of Euless and Brit Dudley and wife of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Been Sunday.

Medicare Plan Will Be Explained For Elderly in Special Meetings

Mrs. Mitchell, Carbon, Dies; Buried Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Ghomey Mitchell, 59, were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Mountain Top Pentecostal Church on the Rising Star Highway. Mrs. Mitchell, who had been ill for about two months, died at her home on Route 1, Carbon, about 2:30 p.m. Thursday.

The Rev. G. W. Hamilton, pastor of the Mountain Top Church officiated. Pallbearers were nephews. Interment supervised by Rust Funeral Home, was in the Long Branch Cemetery.

Mrs. Mitchell, who lived all her life in the Carbon area, was born in the Long Branch community June 15, 1906. Her parents were James E. Ghomey and Grace Lowe. She married Bernice Mitchell Sept. 14, 1936, in Ranger, Mrs. Mitchell was employed for several years in the Boss Manufacturing Co. of Cisco.

Survivors include her widower; two sons, Bernice K. of Mineral Wells and Billy E. of the home; two brothers, James Ghomey of Throckmorton and Virgil G. of Tahoka; a sister, Mrs. A. R. Hastings of the Long Branch community; and three grandchildren. Nephews served as pallbearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Haynes of Snyder visited her sister, Mrs. Callie Vaughn, last weekend.

Mrs. Mickey Rogers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Young of Fredericksburg visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers over the weekend.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cate of Olden announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Beth, to A3c Kirby C. Thetford of Wichita Falls, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby J. Thetford of Cisco.

Miss Cate is a senior of Carbon High School. A3c Thetford is a Member of the Air Force Training Command and attended Cisco High School.

The ceremony will be performed Dec. 18 at 7 p.m. in the East Cisco Baptist Church. No local announcements are being sent out, but all friends of the couple are cordially invited.

The Eastland County Committee studying problems of the aging, and visitors heard H. L. Weatherly of Abilene explain provisions of Medicare at a meeting in Eastland Tuesday evening and voted to set up special meetings throughout the county to carry the same message to elderly people.

A tentative schedule was arranged and either Mr. Weatherly or another representative of the Social Security will be at each meeting to explain the incoming program and answer questions.

Most important data at this time, he said, is that persons who are 65 years of age, and who have not made application for social security, must do so for the Medicare benefits whether they ever plan to draw social security. Also persons who are on the S. S. rolls, and who have received intentions cards, should mark their intentions as to whether they plan to participate in the supplementary medical provisions or not. Those already on the rolls automatically are enrolled in the hospitalization part but must consent, and agree

to pay \$3 monthly, for the supplementary service he explained.

Tentative schedule is as follows with times and meeting places in some cases to be confirmed:

Dec. 1 — Gorman High School 4 p.m.

Dec. 14 — Carbon High School 2 p.m.

Dec. 15 — Desdemona School 4 p.m.

Dec. 16 — Rising Star School 4 p.m.

Jan. — Eastland High School 2 p.m.

Jan. 4 — Olden Community Center, at 10 a.m.

Jan. 4 — Cisco High School, 2 p.m.

Jan. 10 — Nimrod Club House, 7 p.m.

(Ranger to be announced.)

Committee Chairman H. V. O'Brien appointed Mrs. Lee White of Rising Star as publicity chairman, and stressed the importance of attendance at the various meetings by eligible persons in the county, so that the Medicare program can be fully explained in order that each eligible elderly person may understand his or her options and the services available through the program.

Pecan Show Bake Contest Requirements Are Listed

The Eastland County Pecan Bake Show will be held in the Corral Room of the building which was formerly the Victor Hotel, located in the 400 block of Avenue D in Cisco, according to Mrs. Beverly Nicholson, county home demonstration agent.

Each entry must contain pecans and must be entered and in place by 11 a.m. on Dec. 10, at which time judging will begin.

There will be five divisions of products for adults, with a requirement for each division: Pie, Pies—must enter one whole pie; two, Cakes—must enter one whole cake; three, Candy—must enter at least eight pieces; four, Nut Bread—must enter one whole loaf; five, Cookies—must enter at least eight cookies.

Score cards will be used to judge entries in all five divisions and cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded according to score. A Grand Champion and a Reserve Champion will be selected for the entire show.

Entries made by members of home demonstration clubs

will become the property of the bake show. They will be sold, with proceeds being given to Home Demonstration Council with the following exception: all first, second and third place winners in all divisions, Grand Champion and Reserve Champion, become the property of the bake show to be sold, proceeds going to the H.D. Council.

All entries, except those of H.D. club members and winners must be claimed and removed from the building between 4 and 5 p.m., Dec. 10, or they also will become the property of the bake show.

Any 4-H Club member, F. H.A. or FFA or any school age youth may enter in the five divisions listed for adults, with the same rules and prizes listed above applying; however their entries will be judged separately.

Persons are asked to display your products at the bake show on disposable plates, foil or paper, or pieces of stiff cardboard so there will be no risk of losing cake or pie plates.

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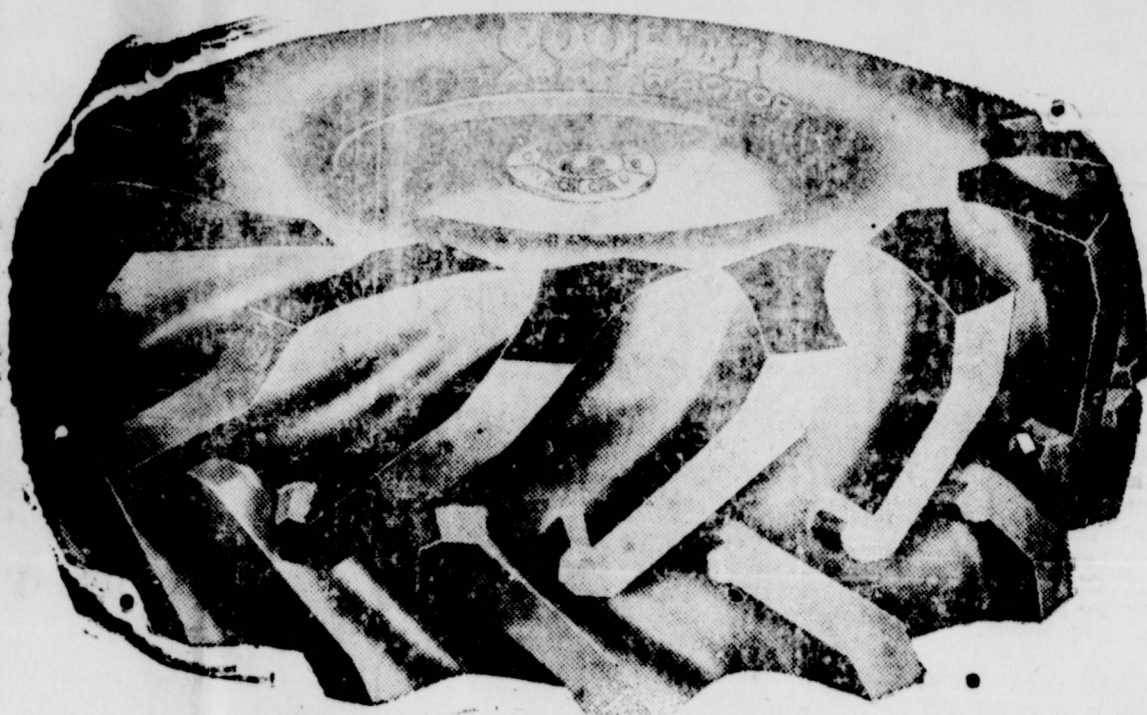
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5 Wolverines On All-District Football Team

Five of the Carbon Wolverines football players have been named to the six-man 8-B All-District team. The rest of the 12 named to the team include three from Strawn, two from Gordon and two from Putnam.

Those named to the All-District team include:

OFFENSE

Ronnie Hughes, Carbon; Danny Crawford, Strawn; John Isenhower, Putnam; Marty Salazar, Strawn; Nelson Campbell, Gordon; Danny Hobbs, Carbon.

DEFENSE

Crawford, Strawn; Hughes, Carbon; Tim Warren, Carbon;

Jack Craddock, Gordon; Bruce Wyatt, Carbon; Bobby Isenhower, Putnam.

Honorable Mention

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GREETING:

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Wilbert Griffin,
Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Courthouse 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 3rd day of January A. D. 1966, to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 19th day of July A. D. 1965, in this cause numbered 24,295 on the docket of said court and styled Jessie Mae Griffin, plaintiff, vs. Wilbert Griffin, defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a Suit for divorce.

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.

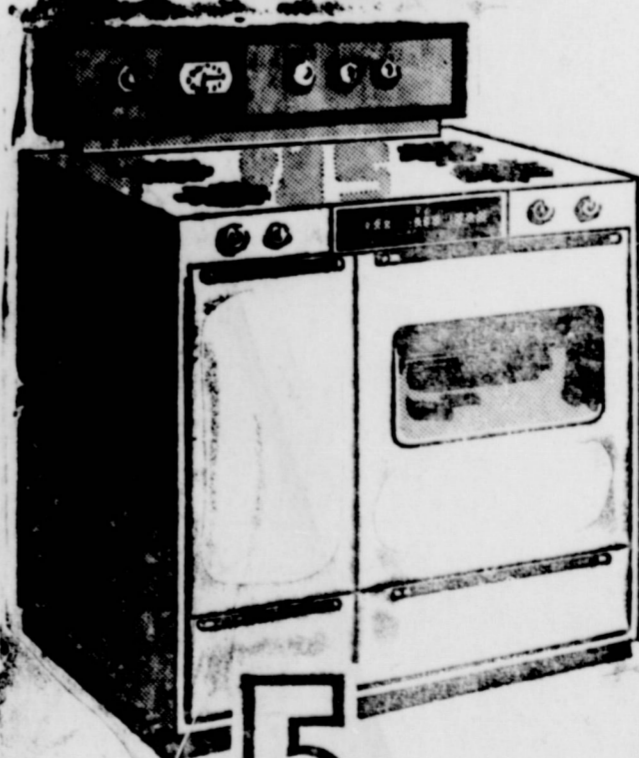
Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 17th day of November A. D. 1965.

(SEAL)

Attest: Roy L. Lane, Clerk,
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Report On Cover Crops Is Urged By ASCS Office

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to your neighbor, Office Manager J. G. Meredith said.

The earlier you report, the earlier the cost-share can be paid, according to Jesse Meredith, office manager.

If a farmer's full peanut history is not already protected by picking and threshing 75 per cent of his allotment in 1963 and 1964, and he will fail to pick and thresh 75 per cent of his allotment in 1965, he may file a request for waiver of this provision stating the abnormal condition and on approval, his history will be preserved. His 1966

allotment will be affected if the 1965 history is not protected.

Farm program legislation recently approved by Congress and signed into law, provides a program for voluntary participation on the following programs:

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come of the referendum on Nov. 23).

Cropland Adjustment-retirement of land for five to ten years that is devoted to allotment and other surplus crops.

Basket Ball News

The High School Basketball teams defeated May here Tuesday night, the Carbon girls winning by the score of 55 to 33. Jeanna Norris was high scorer with 28 points, Debbie Jackson 15 and Madge Justice 12.

The Carbon boys also defeated May 46 to 38. Jerry Cook was high point man with 14, Herbert Casey 10 and Ronnie Hughes 10.

They play in the Gorman tournament this week end. Their first games are with Eastland at 4 and 5 p. m. Thursday, today.

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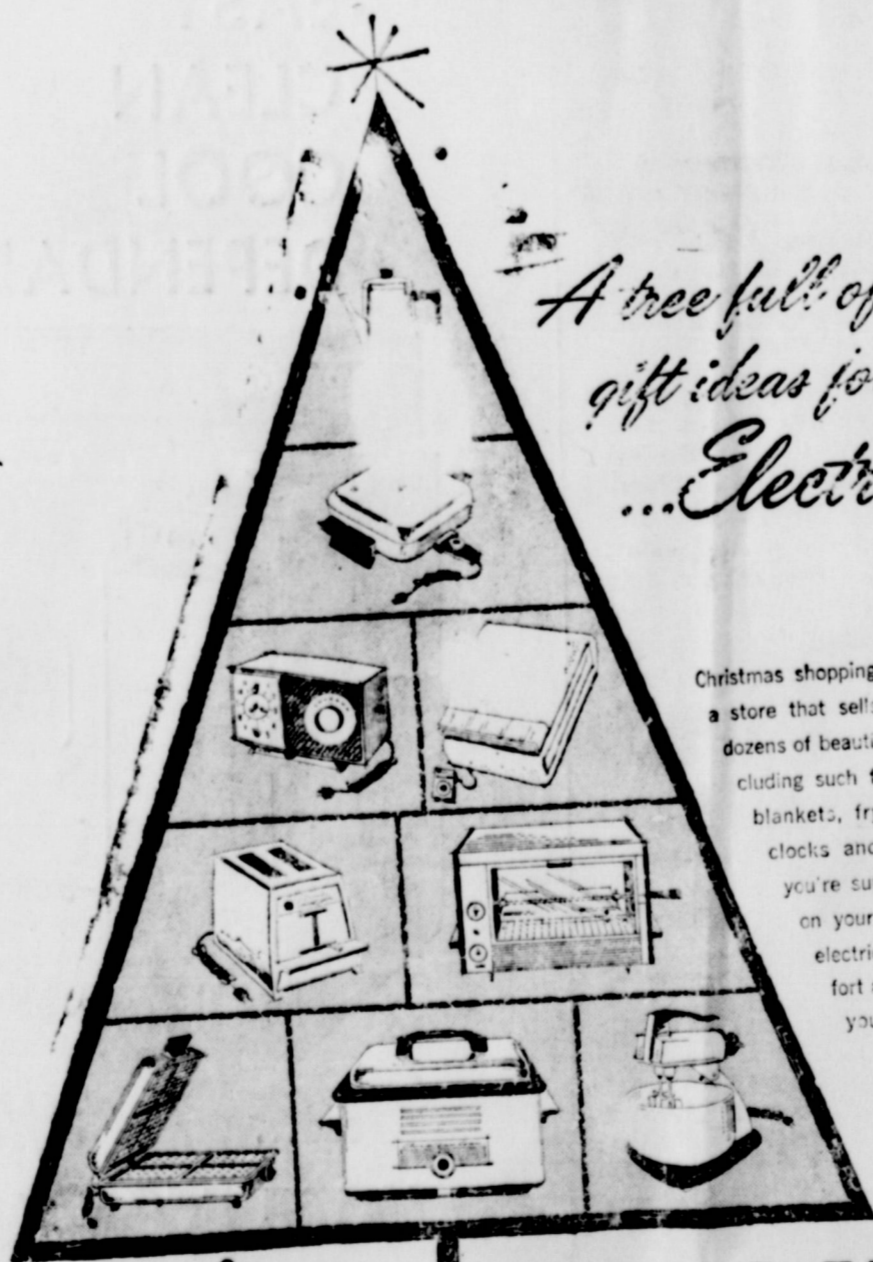
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(SEAL)
Attest: Roy L. Lane Clerk,
91st District Court Eastland
Eastland County, Texas.
By Myrtle Van Geem, Deputy



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