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Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lindle and son of Harrisburg, Ill., and Mike Collins and family of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Butler and family during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers were in Spur Sunday visiting his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morris.

Mrs. O. M. Claborn, Mrs. Alton Clark of Rising Star, Mrs. Gene Hill and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Medford of Okra visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wyatt of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wyatt last week. Mrs. Wyatt has been in the Gorman Hospital with pneumonia but was able to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spence and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Turner, of Gorman Sunday afternoon.

A. C. Scott was in San Antonio recently where he visited his sister, Mrs. Edna Cartwright.

Mrs. J. T. Clement returned home Saturday after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Roff of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burns of Copperas Cove have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Phillip. Emsy Phillips of Jal. N. M. also visited in the home from Thursday to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson accompanied their son, Jerry Wilson, and wife to Lubbock recently where Jerry and his wife were to receive a check-up at West Texas Clinic. They were involved in a car accident around Christmas and received serious injuries. Jerry is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson went to Odessa Sunday to visit their son, Bobby Joe, who has been seriously ill in a hospital there. They were accompanied by Drew Dan Jackson and family.

Rev. Leon Blevins of Fort Worth filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening. He and his family were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stubblefield.

Visiting the Clifford Nelson family recently on Jimmy's 14th birthday were Mrs. Dwight Gothard of O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan, Glenda and Teddy of Kokomo.

H. H. Murray of Amarillo and Mrs. W. O. Richardson of San Angelo visited their sister, Mrs. C. C. Gilbert, and Mr. Gilbert over the weekend and attended the funeral of their brother, L. L. Murray. G. G. Murray of Enrick, Okla., another brother, was unable to come due to serious illness. Other relatives who visited in the Gilbert home and attended the service were Mrs. Pauline Ballinger of Fort Worth, Harold Keller of El Paso and Mrs. B. B. Murray of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pittman of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright Saturday and attended the funeral of L. L. Murray. Chesley Tipton and family of Cisco visited in the home Sunday.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Been was in Olney last weekend where she was a bridesmaid in the Whatley - McElroy wedding Saturday evening. Mrs. McElroy is a former room mate of Mary's at Tarleton State College.

Weekend and Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade White were Edgar White and family of Odessa, Basil White and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett and son, Bubba, of Olden and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Taylor of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Altom of Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Bennie Burleson of Fort Worth will fill the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coates of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Liles, Myrna, Cheryl and Carolyn of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Crow of Farmington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell and Berry Greenwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hughes Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Fields and Jess Hale were in Sweetwater recently visiting Mr. Hale's brother, E. B. Hale, who is ill in a hospital there.

Our Apologies

Due to death in our family it has been necessary to omit some news items, including the obituaries of Ramsey Harris and E. M. Merritt. These along with other items, will appear in next weeks paper.

Final Rites For L. L. Murray Held Saturday

Funeral services for L. L. Murray, 71, were held at the Carbon Methodist Church Saturday at 2 p. m. with Rev. James Waller of Putnam, former pastor here, officiating. Music for the service was furnished by a quartet composed of Frank Park, H. A. Tyrone, H. A. Lowell and Mrs. Ed Stacy with Mrs. H. A. Tyrone at the piano.

Interment was in Murray Memorial Cemetery with Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman directing.

A retired farmer, Mr. Murray was found about one mile from his home at 11 a. m. Thursday by a group of citizens who had gone in search of him after he failed to return from an overnight hunting trip. Sheriff Lee Horn and Justice of the Peace, L. W. Dalton were the investigating officers and returned a verdict of "death from natural causes."

Born July 15, 1891 in Carbon, he had lived here all his life and was a member of the Carbon Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife and four sons, Dale of Dickinson, Leon of Ruidoso, N. M., Sam of Midland, Glynn of Odessa and Leslie Cole of Phoenix, Ariz.; seven daughters, Mrs. Madis Phelps of Carbon, Mrs. Edna Reese of Eunice, N. M., Mrs. Ed Fox of Staff, Mrs. Virginia Goswich of Abilene, Mrs. Norman Teeple of Independence, Mo., Mrs. Jack Myers of Odessa and Miss Dru Murray of Midland. One son, Martin Luther, preceded him in death. There are also two brothers, H. H. Murray of Amarillo, and G. G. Murray of Enrick, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. W. O. Richardson of San Angelo and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert of Carbon, 29 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were W. J. Greer, Clyde Benton, Bill Carlton, Bob Carlton, Floy Murray and Bobby Tucker.

Basketball News

The Carbon High School boys and girls played Gorman there last Friday night, our boys losing by the score of 57 to 42. Marvin Cates was high scorer with 22 points. Our girls won a thriller by the score of 31 to 30 Paula Norris scoring highest with 22 points Jeanna Norris had 9. They are now in a play-off between Moran and Gorman for district championship. They play Moran at Gorman Friday night and the winner plays Gorman for the championship.

The grade school boys and girls play in the Gorman tournament this weekend. Their first games are tonight, Thursday, with Gorman, the opening game starting at 7 o'clock.

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Final Rites, Wednesday For B. F. Clement

Funeral services for Ben Franklin Clement, 86, long-time Eastland County resident, held at 2 p. m. Wednesday in the Gorman First Baptist Church with Rev. Don Turner of Cross Plains and Rev. A. D. Kyle of Gorman officiating.

Rev. Clement died Monday afternoon in a Gorman Rest Home where he had been a patient after suffering a broken hip three weeks ago.

Born Oct. 28, 1876, in Bosque County, Texas, he later moved to Eastland County with his parents, the late Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Clement.

He was married to Lou Coffman in 1894 at Gorman and lived the remainder of his life in Eastland County with the exception of a few months when the family lived in Abilene where he was a ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons College which was interrupted by the death of his wife in 1910. The family moved back to Eastland County and he was later married to Mrs. Minto Pirtle who passed away April 16, 1949.

He spent 42 years in the Baptist ministry serving churches throughout Eastland County, retiring at the age of 72. He served the Mangum and New Hope churches many years. The number of persons that he baptized runs into the many hundreds as well as couples he united in marriage.

He resided in Carbon about 41 years moving to Gorman in 1948 where he made his home since.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Maud Clement; 4 daughters, Mrs. A. N. Mahan of Gorman, Mrs. J. H. Armstrong and Mrs. Sidney M. Roff of Eastland, and Mrs. W. M. Dunn of Carbon; one stepson, Elmer Pirtle of Lott, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Killion of Bellflower, Calif., and Mrs. Lou Capers of Fort Worth; eight grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild and a host of other relatives and friends.

A son, Frank Clement, preceded him in death in 1922.

Pallbearers were grandsons; Truman Mahan, Weldon Armstrong, Frank Clement, Arlon Pirtle Wyndie Armstrong and Larry Armstrong, also Cullen Rogers and Ernest Weaver.

Stars and Bars was the name given the first Confederate flag, adopted in 1861 by the Confederate convention in Montgomery, Ala.

White man first set foot on Texas soil in 1528.

Trustee Election Called April 6th

The Board of Trustees of Carbon Independent School District has ordered a Trustee election for Saturday, April 6, 1963. The terms of M. M. Stubblefield, Paul L. Norris and R. O. Duncan are expiring. Mr. Norris and Mr. Duncan have announced for reelection. Mr. Stubblefield is not seeking reelection. Anyone desiring to run for Trustee must have filed with the County Judge before March 6, 1963. Gailou Warren has announced as a candidate.

Miss Janice Ragland of Breckenridge and Richard Arnold of Cisco visited Richard Arnold, Sr. and family Sunday.

4-H'er Wins Calf; Another Misses Top Division

An Eastland County 4-H'er won himself a calf in the scramble at the San Antonio Livestock Show last week and another "almost" saw his calf placed in the top brackets of the show.

Royce Harris, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harris, of Seranton caught himself a calf and thereby earned \$35 for his 4-H project.

Scotty Koonce, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ben Koonce of Desdemona saw his short-horn calf place fifth in a class of 15, but for quite a while expected it to be in the first-four division.

The show placed only four, Assistant County Agent Roger Blackmon reported, and Scotty's calf was in that fourth spot until the very last.

Two other county boys tried but failed to land a calf in the scramble—Andy Hamilton, 14, of Ranger, and Herbert Casey Jr., 13, of Carbon.

Scotty's calf is expected to provide stiff competition in the county show next month.

Auction Sale Is Light Tuesday

A total of 52 individuals sold 277 head of cattle, 5 sheep and goats, and 68 hogs at the Eastland Auction Company's ring last Tuesday, according to report. There was a total of 43 buyers present at the sale.

Prices were reported as follows: butchers cows 14 to 16 cents, canners and cutters 9 to 13 cents, butcher calves 22 to 24 cents, light weight stocker calves 28 to 33.25 cents, heavy weight stocker calves 24 to 25.60 cents, pairs \$140.00 to \$221.00, and butcher hogs 14 to 15.50.

Friday and Saturday Specials

Crisco 3 lb Can	75c
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Kimball Biscuits 2 for	15c
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Eastland, Texas

U.S. President born a citizen of this country.

Texas' Randolph Field is named for Capt. William Randolph, World War I veteran killed in an airplane accident at Gorman, Texas.

The largest coral formation is on the Northeastern coast of Australia.

Woodrow Wilson said the hardest job of a president was to keep his temper.

For SALE

1955 National Trailer House, 42', two Bedrooms. Phone 2183, Carbon, Texas.

In 1835 the First Methodist Church was organized in Bastrop, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF EASTLAND
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**

That by virtue of a certain execution and order of sale issued out of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas, on the 17th day of January, 1963, by Roy L. Lane, Clerk of said Court, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 9th day of April, 1962, in favor of Cen-Tex, Inc., a corporation and against Jim Harmon, also known as James W. Harmon, and D. C. Haines in the case of Cen-Tex, Inc. vs. James W. Harmon, et al, No. 23,237 in such court for the sum of \$5460.34 with interest thereon from April 9, 1962 at the rate of 6% per annum, and costs of suit, and for foreclosure of plaintiff's Mechanics & Materialmen Lien on oil and gas lease known as the H. S. Hilburn Lease in the Wyatt Hickman Survey in Eastland County, Texas, from H. S. Hilburn, Trustee to F. L. Livingston, Lessee, recorded in Vol. 526, page 629 of the Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, to which reference is made for full description of the lease and land covered thereby, and for foreclosure on personal property located at and in the well on said lease described as: 14-1/2" x 1" x 4" x 24" Larkin Casing Clamps; also 102 Pcs 4-1/2" OD J-55 9.5 lb. Range 2 Short Thread & Coupled Casing 3311.17 ft.; also all other property of defendants Jim Harmon and D. C. Haines in or at the well on said land; and I did levy upon the said leasehold on said land, and on said personal property on the 6th day of February, 1963 at 10 o'clock a. m., and on the 5th day of March, 1963, being the 1st Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of Eastland County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Jim Harmon and D. C. Haines in and to said property. And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding said sale in the Carbon Messenger, a newspaper published in East-

**Citation by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas —
GREETING:**

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Eastland County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

**Citation by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**To: Vernon L. Long,
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 11th day of March A. D. 1963, to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 21st day of January A. D. 1963, in this cause, numbered 23,754 on the docket of said court and styled **Fatsy R. Long, plaintiff, vs. Vernon L. Long, defendant.**

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:
This is a suit for divorce and child custody;

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 returns as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this 6th day of February, 1963.

22nd day of January A. D. 1963.
(SEAL)
Attest: **ROY L. LANE, Clerk**
91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas.

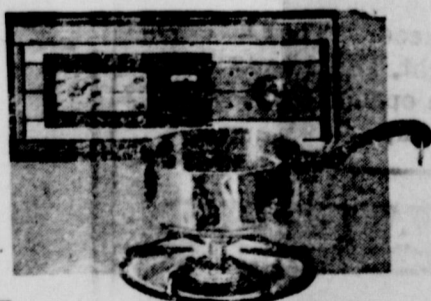
By **Oletha Barker, Deputy**
land County.
WITNESS MY HAND This 6th day of February, 1963.
LEE HORN
Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas
By: **O. R. ERVIN, Deputy**

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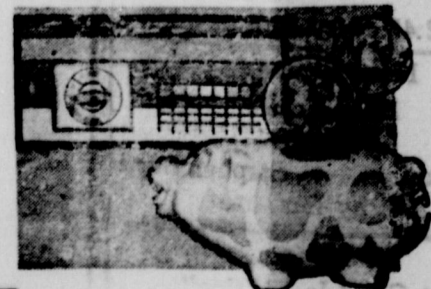
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Change In Road Guard Rail Adds Safety Measure

AUSTIN — Texas Highway Department design engineers have put an "end" to metal bam guard rails by literally adding a twist and burying the end of the rail in the ground. The result is a new safety design feature which may result in making the guard rails doubly protective. They still will help prevent vehicles from leaving the road at dangerous places, and the buried ends will help eliminate the possibility of a fatal accident which might occur if a car hit the end of the rail. The new buried-end guard rails were developed by engineers in the Highway Design Division at the main office in Austin. The first highway district to use the new rails was the Lufkin District. Guard rails originally were designed to prevent vehicles from leaving the highway at any point where it would be

dangerous for them to do so, such as along high embankments, by culverts, or on the outside of curves.

The rails are parallel to the roadside, with the end of the rail projecting uncovered. If a fast traveling car should leave the road and crash into the end of a guard rail, the rail might be driven part or all the way through the car with fatal results.

Lufkin District engineers built two guard rails on U. S. Highway 59 over Laurellia Creek two miles south of Corrigan in Polk County, to test the construction methods. This marked the first time the safety guard rails were used on Texas highways.

Soon after this test project the Lufkin engineers incorporated the new design in construction plans for Loop 224 in Nacogdoches County.

Other highway districts throughout the state showed quick interests in the safety guard rails. Already the rails have been included in about half a dozen future construction projects.

In the year 2000, Easter Sunday will be on April 23.

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First Baptist Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 H. G. Hines, Superintendent
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
 W. M. U. Monday 2:00 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wed. 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Church

Rev Norris Pritchard, pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Youth meeting 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Wed
 Rev. Pritchard also preaches each Sunday at Flatwood at 9:45 a. m.

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Draft Board Warns About Late Register

State draft board No. 36, located in Eastland, which has jurisdiction over Eastland and Stephens counties, today announced a tougher policy regarding men who register late for the draft.

The policy was established after a board survey which determined that 20 youths had registered late in the past six months.

Federal law requires that young men register with the nearest draft board on their 18th birthday, or within five days thereafter.

Under the new policy all young men who register a week late or more may be asked in writing to appear before the board in person to explain their tardiness. The board will give formal official consideration to declaring these men delinquent under the law and processing them for armed forces induct-

ion ahead of other men in their age group.

The following registrars are maintained for the convenience of young men:

Mrs. Jewel Reaves, board clerk, second floor of the Petroleum Building, Eastland; Mrs. Thelma Albright, Chamber of Commerce, Cisco; Mrs. Mae Belle Oyler, Retail Merchants, Ranger; Graydon W. Baze, Post Office, Gorman; Mrs. Agnes White and Miss Ollie Winfrey, City Hall, Rising Star; Mrs. Lila Ridings, Court House, Breckenridge.

Members of the board are Mr. K. B. Tanner, Chairman, Eastland; Mr. H. Sterling Drumwright, Jr., Cisco; Mr. W. P. Pitzer, Jr., Breckenridge.

The Battle of San Jacinto lasted only 18 minutes.

The Girl Scouts of the USA was founded in 1912.

Card Of Thanks

The family of L. L. Murray takes this method to express sincere thanks to their many friends and neighbors for their deeds of kindness during our hour of sorrow. To those who searched for the body; to those who brought food and flowers; to the pianist and the quartet; to Rev. James W. Waller who conducted the services, we give our humble thanks. Sincerely,

The Murray Family

The English Channel lies between Great Britain and France

King Theatre

Gorman, Texas

Friday Saturday

"Lawless Breed"

Rock Hudson

Hugh O'Brien

Sun. M. T.

"Curse Of The Werewolf"

Wednesday Thursday

"Great Imposter"

was the youngest president ever inaugurated.

Early Vehicle Inspection Asked

All area citizens were urged to avoid the last minute rush by having their vehicles inspected early, according to an announcement by Patrolman Carl B. Boustead.

A comparison of vehicles registered and inspected in the surrounding area showed the following figures: Eastland County, 14,576 registered, 4,957 inspected, and 34 per cent inspected; Callahan County, 4,900 registered, 1,769 inspected, 30 per cent inspected; Shackelford County, 3,130 registered, 877 inspected, and 28 per cent inspected; and Stephens County, 6,415 registered, 2,245 inspected, and 35 per cent inspected, Patrolman Boustead reported.

Sen. Creighton's Election Bill Is Being Studied

AUSTIN—Eugene M. Locke, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee told the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections last week that the SDEC favored Senator Tom Creighton's Bill revising and clarifying the Texas Election Code.

He reminded the Senators that the election study committee which proposed the revision had been formed at the suggestion of the SDEC.

The bill was given a hearing by the Senate Committee Thursday morning, and, at Sen. Creighton's request, sent to a subcommittee for two weeks.

Locke said, "We (the SDEC) recognize the ambiguities which exist in the present Election Code and feel that the bill does a good job of correcting the ambiguities and filling in the gaps in the present legislation."

The State Chairman said there were one or two things in the bill that he suggested might be changed in the spirit of the purpose of the bill, but that these were minor and did not distract from the tremendous job the study committee had done.

LOST

A hospital bed mattress lost between Carbon and Cisco, Tex. Mrs. E. M. Merritt, Carbon, Tex.

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Dr. C.M. Cleveland OPTOMETRIST First Dear So. of Postoffice Cisco Texas

CARBON MESSENGER Dated Thursday at Carbon Eastland County Texas Entered as second class matter at the Post Office at Carbon, Texas as under the act of Congress March 3, 1879 W. M. Dunn, publisher

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