

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Personals

Mrs. Jettie Tate, sister of Mrs. Jackson, and Roger Tate and family of Columbus, Miss. visited J. W. Jackson and wife last week. Also their daughter, Mrs. Guy Thomason, of Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen S. Schreiner and sons, Brad and Mark, of Houston were recent guests of her parents, C. G. Stubblefield and wife, enroute home from a vacation trip to Denver, Colo. and other points.

Mrs. D. W. Boatwright of De Leon visited friends here over the week end.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Fannie Bridges were her son, J. E. Bridges, of Roswell, N. M. and Owen Bates and wife of Fort Worth, Joe Bentley and family of Euva and Miss Lurene Hightower of Fort Worth.

J. Z. Phillips and wife have returned from a visit with their son, John Phillips and family, of California. Their grandsons, Bill and Bitay Phillips, accompanied them home for a visit.

Bowel McGaha and wife of Clifton, Ariz. are visiting his parents, W. S. McGaha and wife. Her mother, Mrs. Allie Campbell, who is employed in Clifton, accompanied them and is spending a few days at her home here.

Wade White and wife visited relatives in Austin last week.

Bill Ramsey and family of Morant, Ariz. are visiting their parents, J. E. Ramsey and wife and W. M. Medford and wife.

Miss Lillie Greer of Arizona visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. C. C. Fenter is visiting in San Antonio this week.

Lynn Trimble, wife and son, Bob, of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Johnnie Trimble, last week end.

Leland Grace and family of Capers Cave, Fla. were recent guests of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ross Grace.

## Kralis Draws Large Crowd For Appearance Here

Dan Kralis, of Abilene, candidate for Congress, 17th District, composed of Eastland and 11 other counties, visited Carbon and made a brief speech, urging voters "to bring the government back to us, the people."

The Taylor County candidate for the U. S. Representative post, told a Messenger reporter that he regretted he was unable to make a longer campaign stop here to personally meet and greet every voter in this community and surrounding area.

"But that's quite impossible," Kralis grinned explaining: "If I were to spend 30 minutes with every voter in the 17th Congressional District, it would take me four and a half years, day and night without eating or sleeping, to meet all the men and women of these 12 counties!"

The big, friendly 6-foot, 200-pound congressional candidate said he was mighty pleased with the public response to his messages which have been appearing in his advertisements in the columns of the Messenger, and said that he is a staunch defender of the freedom of the press.

Kralis, refusing all contributions and financing all expenses of his dynamic campaign with his own personal life savings, advocated abolition of the personal income tax, a new farm program embodying 100 per cent parity for the farmer and rancher, increased pensions for the aged of Texas and the nation, increased depletion allowance and a slash in foreign oil imports, a complete revision of the nation's billions for foreign aid program, and a halt of federal encroachment into the field of local government and to maintain, preserve and protect the rights of each individual state of the union.

Kralis, who is a keen student in government and economics, said that he decided to run for Congress last March and that he was seeking the office on a platform which, he declared, "concur with the wishes of most of the citizens of the 17th Congressional District."

## C. D. Wescotts Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

The son and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wescott honored their parents Sunday afternoon, July 1, on their golden wedding anniversary with open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Perdue, 401 E. Conner, Eastland.

Host and hostesses were Hall Wescott and Mrs. E. C. Henderson of Odessa and Mrs. E. S. Perdue of Eastland. Other members of the house party were Mrs. Hall Wescott, Mike, Pat, and Nikki of Odessa; Mrs. B. M. Woods and Danny, Mrs. Larry Gage and La Neil of McCamey; Mrs. Carl Duncan and Wesley of Aspermont; Jackie Taylor of Carlisbad N. M.; Mrs. C. W. Campbell and E. S. Perdue and Steven of Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Perdue greeted the guests at the door where they were received by the honorees. The register table held an arrangement of styrofoam bells and gold metallic lace lawn. Each guest registered in a white leather bound guest book which was inscribed in gold.

Guests were invited into the dining room where the table was laid with a white linen cloth. An arrangement of white gladiolas with a gold wedding band, spires and leaves formed the table decoration. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with yellow and white roses and festoons of white frosting interspersed with pearl crystals. Punch was served from a crystal punch bowl.

On the buffet was a miniature bride and groom, standing under an archway of lace lawn intertwined with baby breath and flanked with shasta daisies. On the large mirror above the buffet a cluster of gold wedding bells hung from white satin streamers bearing the wedding date 1906 and the golden wedding date 1956.

C. D. Wescott and his bride of fifty years, the former Miss Gertie Taylor, were married July 4, 1906 in Seminole, Texas. They have the honor of being the first couple on record to be married in Gains County.

More than seventy-five relatives and friends were called to honor the couple.

## Herman Fitts Candidate For State Senator

Herman Fitts of Mineral Wells has authorized The Messenger to place his name in its political column and announce his candidacy for State Senator from the 22nd Senatorial District. This district is composed of Eastland and nine other counties and Mr. Fitts' aim is to campaign as extensively as possible before the election date.

His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July and his formal statement will appear in next week's Messenger.

## SVGPA To Meet

The Sabanno Valley Game Preserve Association will meet Tuesday night, July 10, at 8 o'clock at Center Point Community House.

This will be an important meeting as new officers are to be elected. All members are urged to attend.

There will also be a program of films and talks given by the Upper Leon Soil Conservation Unit of Eastland on native grasses, that should be of interest to all. Everyone welcome.

Berry Greenwood, Sec.

## Celebrate 50th Wedding Day

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Campbell of Plainview celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary July 4. Mr. Campbell and Miss Rosa Holloway were married at Carbon on July 4, 1906. They lived around Carbon until 1931 when they moved to Plainview. They have two sons, Vernon of Bovina, Texas and Bruce of Albuquerque, N. M.

### Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank every one who sent cards, who visited me and those who helped in any way while I was recuperating from heart ailment.

Mrs. Elmer Bethany

Devoe Dover and family of Stephenville visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

## Family Reunion

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert was the scene of a family reunion honoring Maj. and Mrs. Jack Gilbert and children, Jack, Joan and Jean, of Westover Air Base, Mass. The occasion was hosted by Maj. Gilbert's brothers and sisters: Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Gooch of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and family of Hondo and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trimble and son of Fort Worth.

Barbecued chicken, ham, potato salad, fruit salad, potato chips, cake and ice cream was enjoyed by: Mr. Hilliard Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert, Ed Allison, Miss Annie Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Donaldson and Roberta Gilbert of Carbon; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gilbert and family, W. W. Gilbert and Miss Joyce Rogers of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilbert of Spur, and son, Wade, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilbert and family of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craddock and family of Colorado City and Truitt Guy of Oklahoma City, the honored couple and the host couples.

Mrs. W. Jones has received word of the sudden death of her son-in-law, J. E. (Elno) Valentine, who died of cerebral hemorrhage at his home in Modesto, Calif. on June 20. Mr. and Mrs. Valentine visited Mr. and Mrs. Jones on Mothers Day, June 11.

Rev. and Mrs. Roger Butler were in Fort Worth last week to visit her brother, Raymond Lack, Jr., who has just returned from 18 months of service in Germany.

J. H. Rhyne is seriously ill in the Eastland Hospital at this writing and all of his children have been at his bedside.

## Notice

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### Friday and Saturday

Tall Korn Bacon lb 39c

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Kimbell Oleo lb 21c

Sugar 10 lb 95c

Carbon Trading Company

## ASC Office Sets Final Filing Date On Wheat Acreage

Final date for filing an application for a new grower wheat allotment has been set for July 18, 1956, according to an announcement today by Emmett Powell of the Eastland County ASC.

Farmers who did not grow wheat on their farms in 1954, 1955 or 1956 will be eligible to file for a new grower allotment for 1957 if there is no allotment set up at present, Powell said.

He added that as much as 15 acres of wheat may be grown without an allotment.

A ship weighs the same, or less than the water it displaces.

### 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:

Lawanda Yvonne Sisemore, 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 13th day of August A. D. 1956, to plaintiff's petition filed in said court on the 28th day of June A. D. 1956, in t cause, numbered 22,303 on the docket of said court and styled Billy F. Sisemore, plaintiff, vs. Lawanda Yvonne Sisemore, 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 court. 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 28th day of June A. D. 1956.

Attest: Roy L. Lane  
Clerk, 91st District Court,  
Eastland County, Texas  
By Lavern Key, Deputy

(SEAL)

# DAN KRALIS

Candidate for  
**UNITED STATES CONGRESS**  
**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE**  
17TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT  
DEMOCRATIC TICKET



## ABOLISH THE EVIL TAX LAW NOW

Recently I proposed abolition of the progressive income tax. I suggested its replacement with a flat rate tax on income with a top limit of 22 1/2% plus a Federal sales tax. I pointed out that not only would this form of tax encourage greater investment, greater risk, harder work and larger incomes for all — it would also NOT necessarily REDUCE the tax collections by the government... The Federal government will even collect MORE in taxes with lower rates.

Figures from the past show why this would probably occur. In the National Review of March 28 there is an article advocating a 25 per cent limit on income taxes. It contains some highly significant figures.

They show that in 1925 the maximum income tax rate was 40 per cent and the maximum personal exemption \$2,500. Total income tax collections in 1925 were \$2,584,140,000. The next year the top tax rate was dropped to 24 per cent and the personal exemption was increased to \$3,000. But tax collections increased FROM \$2,584,140,000 TO \$2,836,000,000. Thus with lower rates for higher income groups and greater exemptions for lower groups the revenue department collected more money.

In 1927 the top tax rate remained at 24 per cent but personal exemptions were increased to \$3,500 taking more lower income people off the tax rolls. Again the revenue collections INCREASED. They went to \$2,865,683,000. Next in 1928 the top tax rate was again dropped to 20 per cent. The exemption remained the same. This further reduction in rates caused only a slight dip in collections amounting to

\$75,147,000. The next year at those same lowered rates, however, the revenue bureau again gained more revenue. It collected \$2,939,054,000. And still at those same lower rates in 1930, the tax take rose to the highest level of all, although at HALF the rates in 1925. It reached \$3,040,146,000.

These figures prove conclusively that a drop in tax rates does not automatically mean a drop in the revenue. More often than not it means an INCREASE in tax collections. Canada tried this in recent years and it paid off. It pays off because at lower rates people try to earn more so they can keep more. They work harder, spend more, build more and employ more because they don't have to share such a large proportion of the fruits of their labor and investment with the government. But by earning more and profiting more and employing more they pay more taxes even at lower tax rates.

In my opinion right now would be a good time to try that kind of tax policy again. Save the working man from becoming an economic slave. \$1,500 exemption for each person. A family of four making \$6,000 will not pay taxes. The working man and the independent business man deserves a fair deal. God willing, we shall abolish this terrible injustice where the middle and low income tax group is giving its money to the government without any strings attached, and paying most of the bills. Then our politicians turn around and give it to our foreign friends to keep them liking us and from joining the Russians.

(Paid Political Advertising)

The name, Minnesota, is derived from the two Sioux Indian words meaning "sky colored water."

The Mascot of Yale University is a bulldog.

The pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock December 21, 1620.

### Notice

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There is room for 40 people to stand at one time on the Statue of Liberty's head.

### Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election, July 24, 1956.

For Assessor-Collector  
J. C. Allison  
Truly Carter

For Congress, 17th District  
Dan Kralis

For County Attorney:  
J. M. Nuesle

Earl Conner, Jr.

State Senator Dist. 22:  
Floyd Bradshaw

Herman Fitts, Mineral Wells

Araname College at Goliad, Texas, closed its doors when the entire student body enlisted in the Confederate army.

On Oct. 3, 1941, Hitler announced that Russia was defeated, never to rise again.

Jade is a green material found in talc, or mabnesium silicate.

Stephen Day set up the first printing press in the U. S. in 1638.

Napoleon is the man who said, "An army travels on its stomach."

Princeton University's mascot is a tiger.

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**KEEP AIR FILTERS CLEAN.** Clogged filters lower efficiency of the unit and cause it to use more electricity.

**INSULATE CEILING AREA** above room being cooled. Insulation is comparatively inexpensive and keeps hot air out, cool air in.

**LOCATE UNIT IN SHADE** if possible. The north side of house is best, followed by east, south and west. Proper shading of unit increases its efficiency.

**PROPERLY REGULATE** intake of outside air. This is important to operating

efficiency of your unit. Follow manufacturer's instructions carefully.

**KEEP OUT DIRECT SUNLIGHT.** It brings in heat which your unit must work extra hard to remove. Awnings over your windows will help.

**AN AUTOMATIC THERMOSTAT** is recommended to hold room temperature to 78 to 80 degree level recommended for comfort. Each degree below 78 degrees increases power consumption unnecessarily.

**REMEMBER, TOO,** that operating cost is governed by hours of use. Turn off your unit when you expect to be away for several hours. You can quickly lower the temperature when you return.



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"Hell's Horizon"

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## Growers May Cast Wheat Quota Vote Here On July 20

Voting places in Eastland County for the wheat marketing quota referendum to be held July 20 were designated today by Elmer E. Blackwell, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The polling places are as follows: A. S. C. Office, Eastland; Chamber of Commerce, Cisco.

Growers eligible to vote in the wheat quota referendum are all those who will have more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest on a farm in 1957. These farmers have been notified of their wheat allotments. Quotas do not affect those farmers who harvest 15 acres or less of wheat for grain on a farm.

If quotas are approved by at least two-thirds of the growers voting in the wheat referendum, the quotas will remain in effect for 1957, and price support will be available to farmers who have complied with their farm wheat allotments at a level between 75 and 90 percent of parity. Those farmers who exceed the larger of the farm allotment or 15 acres will be subject to a penalty of 45 percent of the parity price for wheat on the excess production.

If more than one-third of the growers voting disapprove the quotas, they will not be in effect, and price support will be available to farmers who have complied with their farm wheat allotments at 50 percent of parity.

### MINNOWS

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Dated Thursday At Carbon  
Eastland County, Texas

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