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Local News In Brief

Harry Souter of Santa Fe, N. M. visited friends here last week. Souter, a former resident of Carbon and a Lincoln-Mercury dealer in Santa Fe, has been awarded a Far East tour this fall for the sales achievements of his business. He said he expects to leave Los Angeles in October and will visit Tokyo and Bombay among other cities.

Danny Jones returned to his home in Weatherford Friday after spending a week with his grandfather, Ike Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Athol Claborn of Trent spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. H. Hall.

Mrs. Mamie Clement of Houston and Mrs. Mike Treadwell and daughter, Sue of Wallis visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn and Rev. and Mrs. Lee Fields Sunday.

Mrs. John Griffith and daughters and a friend, Judy Hasba, of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sims and sons of Graham visited their mother, Mrs. Jewell Jackson last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalia Hansard of Cheyenne, Wyo. visited her mother, Mrs. Bessie Morris, last week.

Ike Butler attended the Butler family reunion held at Lake Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne returned recently from a visit with their son, Buel Rhyne, and family of Corpus Christi and their grandsons, Bill, Bobby and Mike, returned home with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Rhyne visited their parents here last week and their sons returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neal and three daughters of Gorman attended services at the Church of Christ here Sunday and Mr. Neal filled the pulpit.

Rev. and Mrs. Barton Browning of Donna have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ramsey of Gorman visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ramsey Sunday.

J. C. Post and family of Globe, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Post and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris and daughter, Georgia of Breckenridge visited David Cozart and family Saturday.

Rev. Browning filled the pulpit at the Kokomo Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Recent visitors of Ike Butler were Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery of Porterville, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Wade Butler and children, Diane and Robert of Bartlesville, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gregg of Abilene.

Mrs. Clyde Campbell and her two daughters, Mrs. Vivian Fox of Abilene and Mrs. Virginia Goswick of Baird returned home Sunday after a weeks visit with Mrs. Campbell's son, Leslie Cole, and wife of Phoenix, Ariz. Mr. Cole is recovering nicely from major surgery.

Terry Stacy and Randy Pack received their Lone Star Farm Degree Three Keys at the State F.F.A. Convention held in Fort Worth July 16 to 18. The keys were presented to them through their teacher, Johnny Rodgers. This is the highest degree they can receive in the State Level and is quite an honor to them and their teacher.

The T. B. Garrett Family Reunion was held last Saturday night and Sunday at Lake Cisco with around 75 relatives and friends attending. This is an annual affair and is held each year at Lake Cisco.

Work Begins On Water Project This Week

Mathis Construction Co. of Gatesville, has moved their machinery in and started laying line this week for the Carbon Water System. The line will be laid from near Eastland and the water will come from Lake Leon. Carbon has received their loan through the F.H.A.

The contractor stated that he hoped to have the project completed in from 90 to 120 days.

Richard Burgess Purchases Local Service Station

Richard Burgess has bought the Skelly Service Station from Mrs. Polly Green and he took charge of the business last week. He states that he will appreciate a share of your business in the service station line and promises prompt and courteous service at all times. He and his wife, the former Madge Justice, will make their home in Carbon. Mrs. Green has been visiting a sister in Fort Worth and stated that her plans are indefinite at this time.

Peanut Growers to Vote On Research Assessment

Texas peanut growers will ballot September 24 in a referendum to approve or disapprove a plan under which the growers would assess themselves for the cost of a promotion and research program to improve marketing, peanut quality and insect and disease control.

The referendum, authorized by the Texas Legislature, will cover 117 Texas counties having peanut allotments and will be conducted by the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association.

If the growers approve, the new program will be administered by a commodity producers board composed of nine members and elected at large by Texas peanut producers. The Southwestern Peanut Growers Association is designed only to conduct the referendum.

Richard Arnold To Receive TCU Masters Degree

Richard Arnold, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Arnold, Sr., will receive his Master of Arts Degree in biology from Texas Christian University August 22.

He graduated from Carbon High School in 1961, Cisco Junior College in 1963, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree in microbiology from the University of Texas in Austin in 1965.

He and his wife have a three-year-old daughter, Jane. They live at 2111 Kent Drive in Arlington. He is employed as director of microbiology at Bio-Assay Laboratories in Dal-

M. Sgt. Billy Vann To Retire Soon

SAN ANTONIO — The U. S. Air Force has announced the coming retirement of Master Sergeant Billy J. Vann, son of Mrs. M. A. Vann, 614 N. Panther St., Breckenridge, Texas.

Sergeant Vann, who is scheduled to retire Aug. 31 after more than 21 years service, is now a personnel supervisor at Kelly AFB, Tex. He is assigned to a unit of Headquarters Air Force Reserves.

The sergeant has served in Thailand and participated in the Berlin Airlift. He holds the Air Force Commendation Medal.

Sergeant Vann attended Carbon (Tex.) High School and completed requirements for his diploma after entering the Air Force. He has studied at East Texas State College.

The following statement by Ross Wilson, Gorman, manager of the SWPGA, explains the program in its inception and purposes:

An amendment sponsored by Rep. Delwin Jones of Lubbock, to his original bill was enacted in the regular session of the Texas Legislature and signed into law June 9. This act makes possible effective self assessment programs on most Texas produced agricultural commodities.

The bill specifies that any organization representative of producers of a particular agricultural commodity may petition the Texas Agriculture Commissioner for a hearing for the purpose of determining whether or not the organization can be certified for the purpose of conducting a referendum among the producers of the particular commodity.

Such a hearing was held by the Commissioner on July 16 for the purpose of determining whether Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association should be certified to conduct such a referendum among peanut growers in Texas. SWPGA was duly certified by the Commissioner and the following day the Association Board of Directors officially called a referendum for Sept. 24, 1969.

As proposed the referendum will cover all 117 counties in Texas which have peanuts allotments. The Association is

giving notice of this referendum in all county seat newspapers in peanut producing counties as well as daily newspapers in 4 metropolitan areas which have circulation throughout the peanut producing areas of Texas. In addition, county agricultural agents will be notified of the referendum by mail.

The Association will mail ballots to all Texas peanut producers on record in order that each peanut producer may vote either for or against the assessment program and at the same time vote for initial directors of the new association.

Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association is certified only to conduct the referendum. It will not administer the new program. Assessment funds will be collected and administered by a commodity producers board composed of 9 members to be elected at large by Texas peanut producers.

Growers will vote in the referendum on a maximum assessment of \$1.00 per net ton, farmers stock basis, for the first year of the program. This assessment fee is identical to that in effect in most other major peanut producing

states. Any increase in the assessment fee must be submitted to all producers in the state in a biennial election of directors. The change would have to be ratified by a majority of the producers voting in the election.

FB President Jack Cozart Attend Statewide Meet Aug. 18

Jack Cozart, President of the Eastland County Farm Bureau has announced that he will attend a statewide conference of county Farm Bureau Presidents to be held Aug. 18, at the Terrace Motor Hotel in Austin.

Purpose of the conference is to consider recommendations of a special Study Committee appointed earlier this year by Texas Farm Bureau President Sidney Dean to study the state organization's structure and operating procedure. The committee completed its work last month and made its report to the TFB board of directors July 29 in Waco. The

board accepted the report and set the Aug. 18 meeting so that the recommendations of the six-member Study Committee could be explained in detail to county leaders. Following the Austin meeting, the county presidents are expected to take the proposals back to their home counties

to be considered in the Farm Bureau's policy development process which begins on the county level. After consideration at county conventions in October, the counties' recommendations on the proposal will be submitted to the state convention which will be held in November in San Antonio. Voting delegates from county FBs adopt policies for the Texas Farm Bureau.

Gordon Morrow, San Benito, Cameron County, is chairman of the special committee which was appointed by President Dean in April. Other members are Alton Adams, Ferris, Ellis County; Frank Dalley, Grapeland, Houston

County; Lawrence Hartman, Fredericksburg, Gillespie County; Everett Miller, Tulla, Swisher County; and John Huebner Jr., Matagorda Co. All are either presidents or past presidents of their county FBs.

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continued from opposite page and were given a beautiful Japanese badge, and then ushered into the tea room where brightly colored sofa pillows were strwn on the floor around the room. Guests were seated and were served dainty cups of tea with small refreshments."

Departing from this enjoyable country, American tourists were joined by Irishmen and Creolians and directed their course to the tiny country of Japan, and landed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson.

Decorations were so perfect that guests felt as if they were really in Japan. Mrs. Henderson and her daughter Syble and those assisting in entertaining were dressed in full Japanese style. Guests were requested to register and ice tea were enjoyed by every one. Tourists hurried away, sails were set for the Grecian waters and landed at the home of Dr. T. B. Busbee, a cordial welcome awaiting guests here. As they entered the reception hall a big white card centered with a map drawn with grease to represent the country of Greece greeted everyone. Miss Lorena Busbee dressed in Grecian style pinned miniature maps of Greece on each tourist. Decorations carried out the Grecian theme. Grecian maids served "delicious Japanese seed cakes. Soft music floated in from lte garden nearby. Musicians were, Messrs. Sutton, Agnew and Kendrick.

The last stop came after a voyage over the sea of Japan to the vast empire of China at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jones. The house was attractively decorated. Guests received Chinese badges as they entered the home. "The Edison furnished beautiful music." A quartet of small Chinese girls sang "Don't Bite The Hand That's Feeding You." In the "roomy" dining room small bowls of rice with chop sticks to eat it with and Chinese tea were served.

The editor of Rising Star X-Ray commented on the tour in the next issue "We deeply appreciate the women of Rising Star for their goodness, kindness and progress. Taking part in the "Around The World Tour" last week revealed to us more than ever the talent, ingenuity and skill of our good women. Decorations, the way the tour was planned, and every phase of the entertainment was SUPER.

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Editor's Note: The following item is taken from *The Rising Star*, a column written by Vada Arnold and titled "It Has Been."

Most every body in *Rising Star* took part in a "Tour Around The World" on Friday night, March 9, 1917, sponsored by the Womens Christian Federation.

The starting point of course, was America, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Joyce on North Anderson Street. Decorations of flags and banners of red white and blue were carried out throughout the house. Badges of satin ribbon in red white and blue with a silver star were pinned on tourists as they arrived by Miss Lor-

ena Erwin, dressed as the goddess of Liberty. On arrival guests were directed to the spacious dining room where punch was served. Before leaving America each person was given a ticket to foreign countries around the world.

Sailing from America (some in cars and some walking) the first country was Ireland. The company landed at the Methodist Parsonage to be greeted by the pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Wisdom. Decorations representing Ireland were beautiful. The American tourists were given a hearty welcome - by the inhabitants of Erin and received badges of Shamrock flags, they were invited to join in singing "Where the Dear old Shannon Flows." Luncheon was announced and guests filled the dining room. Irish stew on lettuce leaves, olives, crac-

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Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Claborn Mr. and Mrs. Danny Claborn, Pam, Leisha and Tommy, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claborn, Frank and Cynthia, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Claborn, James, Jackie and Jerry, San Antonio; Mrs. Leslie Claborn, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Claborn, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Carroll and Brad, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Claborn and Don Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Claborn and Nikki, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clark, all of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hill, Pam, Laurie and Steve of Commerce; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claborn of Livingston; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Claborn of Mullin; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Claborn of Kilgore; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Claborn and Lady of Iraan; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pernel of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Red Johnston, Layne and Dwayne and Misti Claborn of Monahans; Terry Hill of Kermit; and Mrs. Wanda Lockridge, Melanie and

Correction

In Seaton's Variety Store ad of Gorman which appears in this week's Messenger, the item that reads Notebook Paper 300 count 37c should be 39c. We apologize for this error and are happy to make the correction.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: T. J. Kemp, B. F. Kemp, Fannie F. Richardson and husband, R. C. Richardson, Minnie Maude Bennett and husband J. W. Bennett, Nannie E. Thompson and husband H. N. Thompson, and T. S. Whiteley and each of the unknown heirs, devisees, personal representatives, successors, and/or assigns of T. J. Kemp, B. F. Kemp, Fannie F. Richardson and husband R. C. Richardson, Minnie Maude Bennett and husband J. W. Bennett, Nannie E. Thompson and husband H. N. Thompson, and T. S. Whiteley and the unknown spouse of T. S. Whiteley and her unknown heirs, devisees, personal representatives and successors, Defendants, 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 issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of September A. D. 1969, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 5th day of August A. D. 1969, in this cause, numbered 25,130 on the docket of said court and styled O. O. Terrell & Wilbur B. Sims and wife Alberta Parsons Sims, Plaintiffs, vs. T. J. Kemp, B. F. Kemp, Fannie F. Richardson and husband R. C. Richardson, Minnie Maude Bennett and husband J. W. Bennett, Nannie E. Thompson and husband H. N. Thompson, and T. S. Whiteley and each of the unknown heirs, devisees, personal representatives, successors, and/or assigns of T.

J. Kemp, B. F. Kemp, Fannie R. Richardson and husband R. C. Richardson, Minnie Maude Bennett and husband, J. W. Bennett, Nannie E. Thompson and husband, H. N. Thompson, and T. S. Whiteley and the unknown spouse of T. S. Whiteley and her unknown heirs, devisees, personal representatives and successors, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This suit is brought for the appointment of a receiver under Art. 2320b R.C.S., to lease the oil, gas and mineral interests of defendants in the following described land in Eastland County, Texas, to-wit:

First Tract: 34.75 acres, more or less, being the West 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 Section 5, Block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, Abst. 262.

Second Tract: 104.3 acres, more or less, out of the S. W. 1/4 of Section 5, Block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, Abst. 262.

Beginning at the S. E. corner of said S. W. 1/4; Thence North 92° varas to N. E. corner of said S. W. 1/4; Thence West 961.8 varas to N. W. corner of said S. W. 1/4; Thence South 383.3 varas along W.B.L. of said S. W. 1/4; Thence East 395 varas; Thence South 575 varas to S.B.L. of said S. W. 1/4; Thence East 559.8 varas to beginning, and containing 124.3 acres, more or less, from which is excepted the South 20 acres thereof, as is more fully shown by the 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 seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this 6th day of August A. D. 1969.

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

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