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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bryant have announced the arrival of their daughter, La Tricia Sue, born at the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman at 8 a.m. on Aug. 2, weighing six pounds and 14 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Elam of Route 4, Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant of Route 1, Gorman, are the paternal grandparents. Mrs. W. F. Bryant of Route 1, Gorman, is the great grandmother.

Doddie Shoemaker, 7-yearold daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shoemaker, won first place trophy in the De Leon Peach and Watermelon Festival Parade held in De Leon Wednesday of last week on Individual Horseback Riding. Entrants were judged on the way they were dressed and their attractiveness in their

T. gt. Edwin Hughen and family of Woodbridge, Va. and T. Master Sgt. Clinton Hughes and family of Pinewood, S. C. visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hughes last

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rogers last week were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clement and children of Andrews and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Heppy Jackson and daughter, Debbie, spent the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wood of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Cozart, Gala and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. David Cozert and children, Romie Barton. Lar-ry and Sherry Stubblefield visited Six Flags Over Texas near Arlington Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murray of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelley and son of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Herby Fox of Olden.

Jerry Payre of Midland was selected Barber of the Year by the Texas Hair Stylist and Barber Association in Abilene Payne, president of the Midland Chapter of the Arsociation of the T.H.B.A. of the Midland Chapter, said his group is available for community project, after the state group added civic work to its list of purposes.

Payne is the son of Mrs. Mabel Payne and the late O. C. Payne of Midland and the family formerly lived here.

Robert Rich and family of Denver City spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Rasberry.

Randy E. Guy was one of more than 200 graduates taking part in commencement exercises at James Connally Technical Institute in Waco on August 7.

He received a certificate for successful completion of the one-year vocational program in Automative Mechanics. He is a 1968 graduate of Carbon High School and is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Guy. Speaker for the event was E. D. Redding, assistant to the president of Brown and Root,

Dr. and Mrs. Leon T. Wood of Brownwood visited frecenty with Rev. and Mrs. Dick

Mr. and Mrs. Dulan Sandlin and son, Bill, have been vacationing in Colorado,

Mr. and Mrs. James Guy and, Scott and Tommy of Thomasville, Ala., have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown of near Hamilton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Griffin last week.

Chuck Adair of Houston visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gard-ner and young son of Abilene attended morning services at the Baptist Church Sunday and visited his father, Rev. Milton Gardner who was here from Tyler holding a revival

Leslie A. Horn Dies Thursday In Arkansas

Leslie A. Horn of Little Rock, Ark., died Aug. 7, shortly before midnight.

Born in the Flatwoods Community Oct. 6, 1912, he married Ollie Mae Danields of Cisco and lived in Eastland for many years. He attended Eastland High School and was a member of the Church of Christ. About twenty years ago he moved to Little Rock where he operated a clothing

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Georgia Horn of Eastland, his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Nance Lee Hollard, one brother, Roy D. Horn of Eastland, two sisters, Velma Jane Stubblefield of Eastland and Mrs. V. L. Mc-Cleskey of Garland, and one granddaughter.

Gels Masters At New Orleans

Jery A. Clower received the

degree Mactor of Theology, in support commencement exercises Inday, August 1, 1969, at the New Orleans Baptist Theological Semicary.

Clayer, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Scote E. Clower of Eastle did Texas, was salutated in of his class at Carbon High School, Carbon, Texas. He hous the L. A. degree from Hown a Payra College, Brownwood Texas. His wife is the forme Larbara Hooker of Cisco, Texas.

Ins more than 5000 New Orleans Semon Serving in the Un-

Kokono Revival Gets Underway

The Rokomo Baptist Church will hold its summer revival through August 16, with services at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

ter of I can Reptist Church, will be evangelist. Alvie Allison the Carbon Baptist Church will direct the

The R.v. J. W. O'Neal is astor of the church.

Police School Classes Under Way at Cisco JC

Classes in the Basic Police School at Cisco Junior College sponsored by the Eastland County Commissioners Court and taught by an A&M University instructor, got un-derway Monday.

Two sessions are held daily, one a morning class from 10 a.m. to noon, and the other in evening class .beginning at 7 o'clock and last-

ing until 9. Arthur C. Butler of the Police Training Division of A&M University, is the instructor.

Nine had enrolled in the day school and twice that number in the evening classes at the beginning of the week. The school will continue for two weeks, five days weekly.

Among the subjects to be dealt with are:

Constitutional Provisions; Authority of Police; Laws of Arrest without a Warrant; Laws of Arrest with a Warrant; Search and Seizure; Rules of Evidence; Code of Criminal Procedure; Patrol Methods, Procedures and Tactics; Preliminary Investigations: Investigative Tactics and Procedures; Report Writing; Court room Demeanor; Public Relations and Human Relations.

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Carbon School Opens August 25; Football Season Sopi. 12; Schedule.

Carbon School will begin on Aug. 25, 1969 with an assemin the auditorium. Buses will run the same routes as last year, and the first day will begin at 8:00 a.m. and dismiss at 2:30. After that, school will begin at 8:00 a.m. and be dismissed at 3:30.

Any student who has special scheduling problems should take care of them during the week prior to the beginning of school.

CARBON SCHOOL CALENDAR - 1969-70

August 25 — School begins. Sept. 1 - Labor Day Holi-

Oct. 2 - End First Six Weeks (29 days). Nov. 14 - End Second Six Weeks (30 days).

Nov. 27, 28 - Thanksgiving Holidays.

Dec. 18, 19, 20 - Carbon High School Tourney. Dec. 22, 23 - Final Test for

Jan: 5. - School resumes after Holidays.

Jan. 9 — End of Third Six Weeks (30 days). Feb. 19 — End of Fourth Six Weeks (30 days). March 6 - TSTA Convention

March 27-April 6 - Easter Holidays if we do not lose too much school prior to this date. April 10 - End of Flifth Six

Weeks (29 days) May 21 - Grade School Graduation. May 22 - High School Graduation.

1969-70 CARBON WOLVERINE FOOTBALL

| Date | Opp | Place | Time |
|-------|-------------|----------|------|
| Sept. | 12, Mullin | , Here | 8:00 |
| Sept. | 18, May. | There | 8:00 |
| Sept. | 26, Sidne | y, There | 8:00 |
| Oct. | 2. Gustine. | , Here | 7:30 |
| Oct. | 10, Novice | , There | 8:00 |
| Oct. | 23, Santo, | Here | 7:30 |
| Oct. | 31, Strawr | n, There | 7:30 |
| Nov. | 6, Olden, | Here | 7:30 |
| Nov. | 13, Gordo | m. Here | 7:30 |
| Nov. | 20, Moran | , Here | |

Officials, Employes To **Get County Pay Boost**

Eastland County employees and elected officials will receive a cost-of-living wage adjustment this month.

Judge Scott Bailey said the County Commissioners Court has given the required preliminary legal notice and will-vote on the matter at the regular meeting at 10 a.m. Monday,

The raise in salary will be set at \$25.00 per month for each employee and will be effective for the first pay period of August.

County Auditor Harl O'-Brien said the county paid 70 full time employees and officals in July, for a monthly payroll of \$19,367.20.

The Commissioners Court has voted to make five constables for the county full time employees and raise their salaries from \$15 per month to \$250 per month. This was effective August 1.

Constables are Steele Hill, Precinct 1 in Eastland; Albert White Precinct 2 in Gorman; W. H. Kornegay, Precinct 3 in Rising Star; A. W. Dawson Precinct 4, Cisco; and R. W. Veal, Precinct 5, Ranger.

The move puts seven time county enforcement of ficers on the job! Bailey said the court feels that this system will provide more adequate law enforcement throughout the entire county.

The constables met with the court Monday and pledged cooperation with other law enforcement officers of the county. They also agreed to serve any citation of court process necessary in their pre cincts and to serve when cal-

Goodyear 'Tent Sale' **Begins 9-Day Running**

As summer draws to an end and thoughts turn toward the fall season, the Eastland Goodyear Service Store is announcing its annual gigantic Tent Sale for the convenience, and economy of area residents.

Manager John Willen is announcing the nine-day event, begin Monday, and it will be a comfortable "in store" sale, with the giant East Main St. store "carnivalized" from front

tent entrance to back - and highlight of the show will be tremendous markdowns on merchandise throughout the 'big top.'

Added incentives for visitors will be Carnival music, free Coke and 19c-hot dogs. There'll be bonuses and surprises galore, Mr. Willen said.

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Sandy Ingram New Queen of Farm Bureau

Miss Sandy Ingram, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ingram of Rt. 2 Cisco, was crowned 1969 Eastland County Farm Bureau Queen Friday

Miss Ingram was FHA Sweetheart, Student Council reporter and a member of the 4-H Club for seven years. She is a member of the FHA and a junior class officer in Cisco High School. She played basketball five years and was a representative in the Miss Cisco Pageant, is captain of the Pep Squad and a member of the Scranton Methodist

Runner-up was Miss Jana Brown, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Rt. 2, Gorman.

There were five contestants in the contest, also including Kathy Boyd, Patsy Kincaid and Teresa Fields.

A barbecue preceded the queen contest with about 200 Farm Bureau members and guests present. Jack Cozart of Cisco is president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau. Danny Tollson, Farm Bureau agent in Haskell County, was master of ceremonies. Judges were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maddocks of Comanche and S. M. Royall of Brownwood.

The new queen was crowned by Liz Leveridge McCoy of Cisco, the 1968 Farm Bureau

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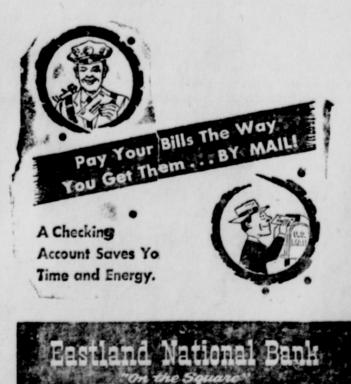
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20s—Were the Days In Ranger

The composer of the recent hit tune " Those Were the Days" might well have been in Ranger in 1920 and attempting to recount the experience.

Ranger Daily Times had a payroll of 34, 31 of whom were men. R. B. Waggoner was vice-president and general manager and Larry Smits, managing editor.

Slowly but no less surely, there were changes in the format of the eightpage daily, three-section Sunday paper. Most impressive was the increase in local news.

In 1920 the town of 16,000 population was, according to The Times, a town in turmoil; experiencing simultaneously construction and destruction (sixteen frame buildings were destroyed in one conflagration), battles between law enforcement officers and law offenders, murders, manslaughter, armed robbery, dope peddlers and petty thievery.

Completion of three new school buildings allowed students to return to full day attendance. Blue laws went into effect, plans for 15 blocks of "White Way" (lighted streets) aline and crepe de china, \$4.00

and decision to build a City-

County Hospital. A sports column was added

to the Times with baseball in the spotlight and the Ranger Nitros coming in for the lion share of honors. A society column appeared and subscribers were invited to submit information. Articles were brief and to the point, two short paragraphs sufficient to record a meeting of the most elite club in town. Wedding pictures totally absent.

Guest lists of local hotels were published, Epworth League and BYPU briefly mentioned and a sale offered mesvalue for \$1.00 per yard.

The body of Carl Barnes, for whom the local American Legion is named, was buried with honors.

Gen. Alvaro Obregon, President-elect of Mexico, visited Ranger.

There were stories of extreme cruelty and stories of heart-warming benevolence, Barney Google was added to the comic section and Aspirnol was declared to be better than

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One Newspaper Only In Eastland County In 1878

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

In the year 1878 there was only one newspaper in East-land County published by O. K. Davenport at Eastland. Each settlement in the county had a correspondent and each correspondent tried to excel the other with news. One news item from the Pleasant Valley Community (later the site of what once was Mangum) concerned a love affair that had an unhappy ending it was like this: "A medium sized young lady was engaged to a very tall young man in our community, but suddenly she broke the engagement. When asked why she did so, she replied: Well he was so tall that if I want to kiss him, I would have to get up on a stump and that does not suit me at all, so I broke the engagement'.

People were poor during that period. They had little needed little. They worked hard to establish homes in this new country. They helped each other to bear hardships, visited and cared for the sick and dying.

There were only two Methodist preachers in this area at the time they were Rev. G. W. Fair who lived in Eastland City and Rev. J. M. Lane.

Homes were usually room structures built of logs cut from each homesteaders glass windows and only one door to the house. This door was made of scraps of goods boxes when available.

The road was rough but these courageous people blazed the way for the prosperity and blessings we now

Rodeo Results ...

in the Rising Star Weekly Barbara Richttr of Rising Star, 22.3 and Kyra Murdock of May, 25;

Barrel racing, under 12 -Karla Murdock, 20.0 seconds; Berna Daron Hanks, Comanche, 21.5; Sherry Hilbert, John Stewart and John Clifton, 22. (3-way tie);

Professional barrels - Shirley Jackson. Ranger, 18.9; Donna Faye Hanks, Coman-

Brone riding - Bob Golson, Cross Plains, 55 score; Larry Mitchell, Blanket, 51; Open calf roping - Ken-

neth Black, Gustine, 11.5; LeRoy Hodges, Cisco, 11.6; Jimmy Green, Mullins, 12.1; Bull riding — Dee Ogden, San Angeo, 56; Gary Sibert, Comanche, 54;

Jackpot roping - Bill Woodson, Gatesville, 11 sec-11, and Horace Gibbs, Rising

Star. 11.5.

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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, successers, 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, Greet-

YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED 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 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,

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This suit is brouhgt 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 descrbied land in Eastland County, Texas, to-wit: First Tract:

84.75 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. 14 of Section 5, Block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, Abst. 262.

Beginning at the S. E. corner of said S. W. 14; Thence North 992 varas to N. E. corner of said S. W. 14; Thence West 961.8 varas to N. W. corner of said S. W. 14; Thence South 383.3 varas along W.B.L. of said S. W. 14; Thence East 395 varas; Thence South 575 varas to S.B.L. of said S. W. 14; 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 di-

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 6th day of August A. D. 1969.

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