

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Personals

Monte Montgomery and family of Fort Worth visited her parents, W. J. Greer and wife, over the week end.

Mrs. M. L. Ferguson is visiting Mrs. M. V. Crossley of Ranger this week.

Monte Walker and family of Abilene visited his parents, Elmer Walker and wife, Sunday.

Norman Bethany and family of Abilene visited their parents, Elmer Bethany and wife and Frank Parks and wife, over the week end.

Walter Herring and wife of Haskell visited Nathan Powell and family last week end.

Jim Everett and family of Olden and Jackie Clack and family of Brownwood visited Wade White and wife Sunday.

Mrs. W. O. Hamilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Woody, and family of Stamford.

Bill Edmondson and wife and J. C. King and wife spent Sunday visiting with Charlie Morris and wife near De Leon.

H. L. Mullins and family attended the Arkansas-S. M. U. football game in Dallas Saturday.

Ben Price and family of Lingle visited E. L. Hare and wife Sunday.

George Brooks and wife of Goldthwaite visited Roy Lewis and family Sunday.

Henry Murray and family of Fort Worth visited relatives here Sunday.

Billy Wyatt and family spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting with her parents.

L. E. Town and family of Waco accompanied by Billy and Donald Carnegay also of Waco, spent the week end with her parents, Elmer Bethany and wife.

## '38 Study Club Met November 9

On Wednesday afternoon, November 9, Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield was hostess to the '38 Study Club. Promptly at two o'clock, Mrs. H. G. Hines called the house to order. Mrs. H. R. Hall read the minutes of the previous meeting. The social chairman read the plans for the Annual Christmas party which will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hines on the night of December 16. The husbands are to be honored with a dinner.

Roll call varied from the informative to the ridiculous, inasmuch as Mrs. Eldridge's roll call is "Superstitions".

At this meeting the subject was "De-segregation". Mrs. Hines, president, gave the first talk, after which each member was given ten minutes in which to voice her views on the subject. Some thought-provoking angles of the situation were brought out; some very good things were suggested; and, all in all, the talk made good listening.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to members present after which the club adjourned until our December program.

## Dr. Earl Marlatt Spoke Here Sun.

There was a mix up in dates and Dr. Marlatt spoke in the local Methodist Church last Sunday, instead of next Sunday as originally planned. It was a wonderful experience for those who attended expecting the regular service.

"Dr. Marlatt is the famous poet, author, and hymn writer from Dallas.

Mrs. Georgia Davis is in the Gorman Hospital where she was taken Wednesday night after sustaining injuries in a fall as she was leaving the church. X-Ray pictures showed a three-way break of the ankle bone.

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

## Supper Honors Departing Pastor

A pre-Thanksgiving supper was held in the annex of the Carbon Baptist Church Wednesday night in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Harry A. Grantz and children, Bill and Susan, who are leaving Friday for their new home in Santa Rosa. The Thanksgiving supper, which is an annual affair in the church, was moved up a week in order to have Rev. and Mrs. Grantz present.

Following the supper, Rev. Grantz concluded a series of messages he had been bringing on the Book of Revelations.

Rev. and Mrs. Grantz have endeared themselves to many friends during their stay here who regret their leaving, but wish them happiness and success in their new work.

## Basketball News

The Carbon High school boys played Desdemona there last Friday night in a thriller all the way with Carbon winning 45 to 44 in an overtime game. Nickie Duggan was high point man with 14 points.

The high school girls played Olden there and defeated Olden 52 to 38, handing Olden their first defeat of the year. Wanda Payne and Marcell Underwood outstand in game.

Tuesday night basketball was played at the local gym. Our girls won 62 to 27, with Ann Mangum again high point with 26 points. Wanda Payne and Marcell Underwood outstand in game. The boys lost their game to Putnam 62 to 43. Nickie Duggan was high point man with 13 points. Bryan Lee Hays had 11 points and Donald Cook 10.

Gustine plays our high school boys and girls next Tuesday night in the local gym. The junior boys and girls played Desdemona there last Friday night with our boys winning 30 to 20 and the girls losing their game.

All teams will enter the tournament here this week end.

Navada means snow covered.

## Sunshine Club Met November 15

The Sunshine Club met for the regular session November 15 in the home of Mrs. Mollie Medford. Thirteen were present and one new member, Mrs. Jimmy Hughes, was welcomed.

The song, "He Leadeth Me," was sung followed by prayer by Mrs. Hughes. Minutes of last meeting were read and treasurer's report given by secretary, Mrs. Ramsey. Report and minutes were accepted.

Cards of thanks were read from several sick and shut-ins. A letter from Mr. and Mrs. Black was read and all gave their prayerful thoughts to these dear people. We voted to send gift to another shut in this month.

Mrs. Ora Jordan gave a reading, "The Spelling Bee." Mrs. King gave "Come Ye Thankful People." Names were drawn for Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Nate Morris of Eastland, who was unable to come, sent a letter of regret and invited the club to meet with her for their Christmas party.

Games were enjoyed and refreshments of potato pie and fruit punch were served.

The meeting was enjoyed by all present. Reporter

## Dr. Lawrence Is In Foreign Base

Dr. Lawrence is a port surgeon in the dispensary. He entered the Army last April and was last assigned at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Lawrence arrived overseas last June.

The captain is a 1947 graduate of Southwestern Medical School of the University of Texas.

Capt. Lawrence's wife and two daughters are with him in France. He was a physician and surgeon at the Graham Hospital in Cisco before being ordered to active duty.

Puerto Rico means rich port.

## School To Close For Thanksgiving

The Carbon school will close after classes next Wednesday afternoon for the Thanksgiving Holidays, according to an announcement made this morning by Supt. H. L. Mullins.

Classes will be resumed again Monday morning, November 28, he said.

## Tournament Starts Here Tonight

A grade school tournament will be held in the local gym this week end starting tonight at 6 o'clock.

Sixteen teams, eight boys and eight girls teams have entered the tournament which will run thru Saturday night. Games will start at 6 o'clock Friday night with playing to continue all day Saturday and the finals to be held on Saturday night.

## Federal Service Job Exams Slated By Civil Service

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced that applications are now being accepted for its new Federal Service Entrance Examination. This examination will be used for filling positions paying from \$3,670 to \$4,525 a year in a wide variety of occupational fields.

The Federal Service Entrance Examination is open to all seniors and graduates regardless of their field of major study, and to college-caliber people who have had equivalent experience. The first written test will be held December 10, 1955, for those who apply by November 18. Additional written tests will be given every few months since the examination will open for receipt of applications until further notice.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Cisco Post Office, or from U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

Light travels about 186,000 miles per second. planets.

The pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock December 21, 1620.

The strait connecting the upper and lower New York bay is called the Narrows.

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### Friday and Saturday

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Folgers Coffee 2 lb	1.79
Wolf's Chili no 2	45c
Roast lb	39c
Tide large size	29c
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Lightening damages or destroys an average of about \$18,000,000 worth of property each year.

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

San Juan is the capital of Puerto Rico.

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

**Tips on Touring**  
 By Carol Lane  
 Women's Travel Authority

Twenty million anglers can't be wrong about the fun of fishing. But they sure can make mistakes about the best time to fish.

Here are some portents for a lucky day's catch that you can look for when planning to drive off to your favorite piscatorial retreat.

Fish bite best when they can see best. This means they feed more when the waters are clear, not muddy. The moon seems to affect the fish's appetite too. In fact, there's a saying, "Fish bite best when the moon is bright, and this is true both day and night," that many fishermen swear by.

A good off-shore breeze is another lucky omen. The ripple on the water hides you from the fish. Rough water, however will hide the bait from the fish.

Many anglers consult a barometer before setting forth on their sport. They stay in bed if the barometer is low, but jump out early and fast when it is high or rising.

Incidentally, the warmer the water, the deeper should be your plugs, spoons or spinners as the fish seek out the cooler levels.

Actually, the enjoyment, for most people, is not in catching fish—but just in "got's' fishin'."



**Dr. C. M. Cleveland**

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**For Sale**

Grand gas cook stove in good condition for \$25.—Mrs. W. A. Cox, 904 W. 6th, Cisco, Texas.

The first Postal Savings Bank in America was opened in 1911.

Constantinople was renamed Istanbul in 1930.

The first postage stamps were issued in 1847.

The swastika became the national flag of Germany in 1935.

FDR held his first "Fireside Chat" in 1933.

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Robert Don van Coordinator

Phone 418

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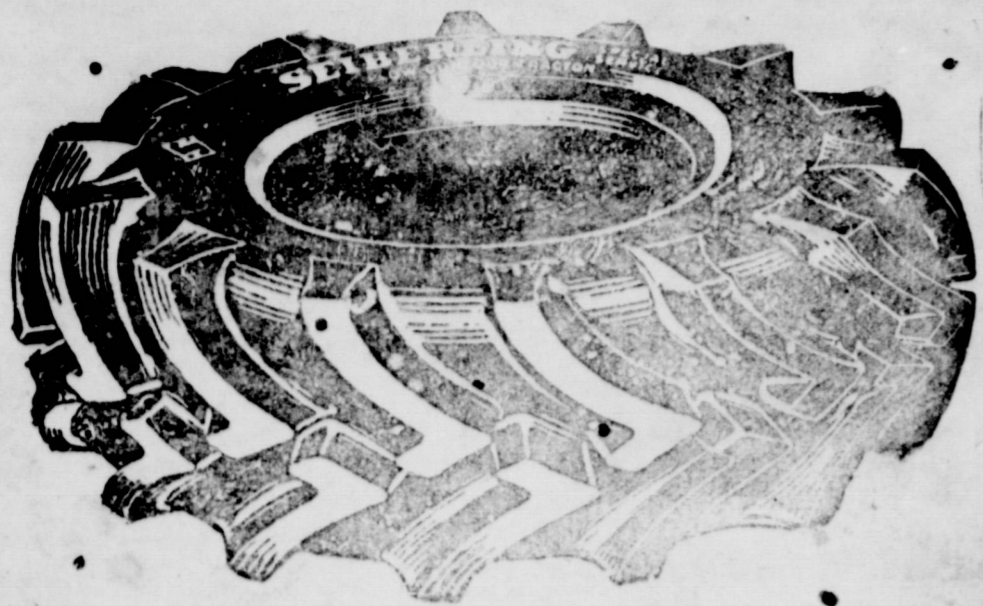


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To qualify for the Information positions, applicants must have had appropriate informational experience or a combination of appropriate education and experience. For Engineer positions, education or experience is required.

Further information, including instructions on applying, may be obtained from the Cisco Post Office, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Applications for these examinations will be accepted in the appropriate offices until further notice.

Gaucha is the name applied to the Argentine cowboy.

### First Baptist Church

Rev. Harry A. Grantz, Pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
 J. E. Jackson, Superintendent  
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Union 7:30 p. m.  
 Evening worship 8:30 p. m.  
 W. M. S. Monday 2 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting Wed. 7:30 p. m.

### Methodist Church

Rev. John M. d, Pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
 Youth meeting 6:00  
 Evening Services 7:00 p. m.

### Church Of Christ

We invite you to come be with us each Lord's Day.  
 Jimmie Shearer Minister  
 Bible Study 10:00 a. m.  
 Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
 Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.  
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### Ranchers Reelect Sam Kimmell AS Association Head

Sam Kimmell of Cisco was re-elected president of the West Texas Ranchers Association at a directors meeting Thursday afternoon preceding the annual membership meeting at the Eastland High School auditorium.

Other officers named were R. D. Williams of Putnam, first vice president; T. C. Fambro of Strawn, second vice president; L. A. Williams of Putnam, treasurer.

Walter Kurklin of Cisco was named secretary but told directors he would be unable to serve. Sutton Crofts of Cisco, secretary for the past year, continued to serve until a new secretary can be named.

New directors by counties are as follows: Eastland, R. W. Drake, Walter Kurklin and John Robertson; Stephens, Van Turner, Joe Rogers and Sam Ball; Shackelford, B. F. Snyder, Fred Wylie and W. B. Jones; Callahan, L. A. Williams, N. M. George and Hugh Ross; Palo Pinto, C. C. Cole, C. B. Quante and Bobby Ross.

Speaker at the Thursday meeting was J. C. Porter, manager of the livestock and agriculture department of the First National Bank at Wichita Falls. Porter is also chairman of the soil and water conservation committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

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 County of Eastland

Whereas, by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 4th day of October 1954, in favor of the said First Christian Church Ranger and against the said Lloyd Clem, Inc. and being No. 21,827 on the docket of said court, I did on the 8th day of November 1955, at 3 o'clock p. m.,

levy upon the following described real property belonging to the said Lloyd Clem Inc. John E. Boyd, Receiver, et al to-wit:

Property described as East 1/2 of lot 5 (five) all of lot 6 and 7 west 1/2 of lot 8 block two (2) Duffer Addition City of Ranger, Texas

And on the 6th day of December 1955, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Lloyd Clem et al in and to said property.

Dated at Eastland this the 8th day of November 1955.

J. B. Williams Sheriff of Eastland County, Texas.  
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