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Local News In Brief

renci, Ariz. visited his parents, J. W. Ramsey and wife, this week.

Wayne Walker and family of Odessa visited his parents, Elmer ents, J. E. Reese and wife. Walker and wife, last week end.

Jim Everett and wife of Olden visited her parents, Wade White and wife Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Stacks and Tommie Stacks of Fort Worth spent the week end with W. M. Medford and wife,

Gene Underwood of Morenci, Ariz. visited his mother, Mrs. A C. Underwood, last week.

Mrs. C. M. Burnett of Fort Worth visited her daughter, Mrs. Mack Stubblefield, and family last week end.

Pfc. Joe Putnam, who has been in Korea the past 10 months, is visiting his father, Jess Putnam, and family and other relatives while on fur ough.

Billy Scudder reported to Abilene Wednesday for induction into the Armed Forces.

Ernest Park and wife of Sudan visited Leroy Park and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Sidney Roff of Eastland visited Mrs. J. T. Clement Wedneeday.

T. H. Mahan is serving as Section Foreman at MK&T Smithville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R Utsery attended the funeral of her brother, Elbert (Doc) Blissard in Mansfield Tuesday. He had been in failing health for some time. Mrs. Ussery had been with her brother for several days.

Notice

Odie Monroe of Gorman has been employed by Swift & Compary to buy peanuts at their warehouse in Carbon.

Phone Carbon 119.

Ira Ramsey and wife of Mo. E. T. Mowinkle and wife of Sar Antonio, Jimmy Tye and wife of Kermit and Mrs. Topsy Yar- Right here brough and children of Abilene spent the week end with their par-

Henry Collins and family Sunday. shape for the game Friday night. ject,

Mrs. H. Hall has received word from Mrs. Ella Trimble of Ind. hand while working.

Mrs. Will Lovell, H. A. Lovell and wife and Clyde Lovell and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Will Lovell's brother, X, N. Mayberry, at Grapevine Sunday.

Annual 4-H Club Swine Show Will Be Held Sept. 26

The annual 4-H Club Sears Swine Show will be held at the Rodeo Arena in Ranger on Saturday, September 26 at 10 a. m.

Waide Frey, Comanche County Agent, will judge the show, which will have eight registered duroc gilts entered. These gilts were awarded to the 4-H'ers in May through a swine program sponsored by the Sears Foundation and the extension service.

The boys wrote essays on the advantages of raising swine and after interviews with the county agent and inspection of the farm, were awarded a registered duroc gilt. The boys are to breed the gilts and return the choicest gilt from the spring litter. The program has been progressing in

Eastland County for many years. This year's winners were Jimmy Robinson, Ranger; Earl Fonville and Jay Grimshaw, Desdemona; Jerry Warren, Gorman; Joe Paul May, Carbon; Gary Maynard, Rising Star; and Robert Bell and Phillip Harrelson, Nim-

The Sears Foundation is offering prizes of \$8, \$7, \$6, \$5, and \$4 to the five best gilts. All persons interested in good swine raising have been invited to attend as these pigs will rank with the best in the county.

The registered duroc boar in the program was awarded to Ralph Berry, Route 2, Cisco.

Carbon To Meet Woodson Friday

Our entire squad played a good A report was given of the last coach to victory.

rarian makes the following report: the meeting.

supplies and rent. At least 6 readers per month are required in J. L. Black. order to pay our rental fee of \$1.50 for the building. Since the opening last year, we have never had 6 paying members for one Mrs. Morris. month and during the summer very little interest was shown. same and has put the treasurer in the 21 ladies present.

Is there anyone that would like to help see this library continue Warterback to operate? It is the desire of the club members to keep this worthy project open, but if the interest and popularity of the library continues to decline, then it no longit will be forced to close.

to enjoy and it is our hope that enjoyed by all

more interest will be shown. pay the membership fee for a joyed by around forty present.

Many good books such as novels, westerns, murder, detective, childrens books and many others are in the library for your con venience. All help and interest shown will be greatly appreciated

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Sunshine Club

The Carbon Wolverines play Mrs. N.C. Morris was hostess the Woodson Bul dogs here Fri- to the Sunshine Club's opening day night in a non conference meeting Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Woodson rates a good Morris, president, presided at the Moran Bulldogs before the larg-Mrs. Jamie Bigby and daugh- football team, and our boys came business meeting when dues were ter and Mrs. Joe Collins and child- out of the Moran game with a paid and it was decided to piece ball game on the local field. The ren of Monahans were visiting few injuries but hope to be in top a quilt for a money making pro-

game Friday night and will be in meeting last year held in the home there against Woodson hoping to of Mrs. Wade Clark, retiring ianapolis, Ind. that her son, John send them home on the short end resident, in Rising Star when Edward, had the misfortune of of the score. A good game is an new officers were installed. Mrs. receiving a very bad burn on his ticipated, so everyone come out S. S. Sherrell was elected club and help boost our team and pianist. It was voted to send extra point. The half ended 7 to cards to those who are ill and the 6 in Carbons favor. bereaved

> Gilbert, W. M. Medford, J. C. In order to inform the people of King and N. C. Morris ask those Carbon as to the status of the '38 who wish to attend the meetings Study Club library, the club lib- call them before noon the day of

> Last year the club made a great Roll call was answered with an effort to revive the library. In amusing incident that happened doing so, about \$30.00 was spent in '53. Mrs. King led the club from the library and club funds, song "Blest Be The Tie That on shelves, new and better books, Binds" with Mrs. Sherrell at the piano. A poem was read by Mrs.

> > Mmes. W. M. Medford and 20. Hubbard Gilbert chose sides for several interesting games led by

Home made fruit and butter This rental fee goes on just the cookies and punc! were served to

The Quarterback Club met onday night at the school cafe er remains a worthy project and teria when a chilli and bean supper was served. The library is open each Satur members joined the club and the day from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. Mem- football boys and Coach Henderbership fee is 250 per month. (4 son and assistant Coach Ailes of bo ks can be issued per week per Ranger Junior College were person) or 10c for each book if guests. A film of the last years you do not wish to become a mem- Ranger Junior College and San ber. This library is for everyone Angelo Junior College game was

A business session was held Would you like to become a with Mack Stubblefield, president, member of the library or per aps presiding. The evening was en-

Moran Beats Carbon By A Small Margin

The Carbon Wolverine: played their first home game of the season last Friday night with the est crowd to ever witness a f otgame was a thriller from start to

Moran scored first in the second quarter by a 2 yard plunge by Eugene Miller. Carbon came back in the second quarter with a 10 yard pass from Mangum to

Moran scored 2 touchdowns in Car hostesses, Mmes. Hubbard the third quarter with no extra points and Carbon came back and scored two touchdowns in the fourth quarter with Gary Robertson going around left end for the touchdown. The extra point was missed.

For the final touchdown for Carbon Jimmy Mangum went over right guard for 3 yards and Reynolds again used the educated toe for the extra point. The final score was Moran 24 and Carbon

State Prison To Begin Big Rodeo Program Oct. 4

HUNTSVILLE, Sept. 4. - The annual event that has been headlined by newspapers and magazines throughout the Southwest as "The Battle of The Outlaws" - Texas' 22nd Prison Rodeo will again get underway here at the Prison System's main unit on Sunday afternoon, October 4th.

's rodeo manager Albert Moore has stated that, as always, he is picking only the very best of the performers, from the many prisoners who will try out to compete for the rodeo, and only the wildest stock that the prison's herds afford for them to mount when the show opens.

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ditation By Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: H. T. Cooper, Defendant-,

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 the issuance of this citation, same being the 12th day of October A. D. 1953, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 26th day of August A. D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 21,-639 on the docket of said court and styled Volney S. Day, Plaintiff, vs. H. T. Cooper, Defendant, A brief statement of the nature

of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This is a suit in trespass to try title on the following described land:

Being all that lot, tract, or parcel of land lying and being situ-

ated in Eastland County, Texas, being the S. 40 acres of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2, H & TC Ry Co Survey, except for the following described tract containing 4 acres; BEGINNING at a stake the S. W. corner of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2 and the S. E. corner of the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2; THENCE, E about 45 yards to a point where the Eastland and Brownwood Public Road as it then existed in 1917, crosses line; THENCE N. with the meanderings of said road as it then existed about 500 yards to a point in the dividing line of the S. E. 1/4 and S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2; THENCE S. with the said dividing line about 500 yards to the place of beginning, and being all of that part of land made off the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2, of the H & TC Ry Co Survey which is situated W. of the Eastland and Brownwood Public Road and which has the shape of the letter "V" and contains 4 acres more or less and being the same 4 acres of land described in a deed from A. C. Brown and wife, M. A. Brown to W. C. Gorman, of date October 15, 1917, recorded in Book 102, Page 559, of the Deed Records of Eastland County, Texas, the land here being described 36 acres of land, more or less, and being all of the S. 40 acres of Sec. 44, Blk. No. 2, H & TC Ry Co Survey except the 4 acre tract above described, as is

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.

more fully shown by Plaintiff's

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 the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 26th day of August, A. D. 1953.

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

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Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To Felix Soto 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 19th day of October A. D.

1953 to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 1st day of Sept. A. D. 1953 in this cause, numbered 21,646 on the docket of said court and styled Angela Seto, plaintiff, vs. Felix Soto, defendant.

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

This is a suit for divorce and custedy of children;

as is more fully shown by plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within 90 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 the 1st day of September A. D. 1953. Seal Attest: Roy L. Lane Clerk 91st District Court, Eastland County, Texas

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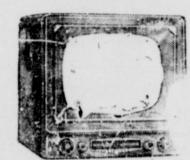
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Deer Crop Good After Fall Rains

back of green stuff after the recent rains is benefiting wild deer in more ways than one, reports the Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

He said growth of natural food, stimulated by the wet weather, is helping keep the herds from grass along the highways and thus reducing the toll from deer

being struck by cars. Game wardens had noted an unusually high accident rate during the late summer when pastures became short and the animals fed along the grassy shoulders.

"We lose many deer from being struck by cars regardless of the range conditions," said the Ex-"The crash ecutive Secretary. rate is high at night when the animals are blinded by lights. But they are drifting away from the green shoulders now that pastures are coming back.

"However, deer roam around at night and the motorist can help reduce the crash rate by more careful driving in bag game

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Eastland County Turkey Tour Set For Sept. 29th

The date for the annual turkey tour of the Central Texas Turkey Growers Association has been set for Tuesday, Sept. 29, according to an announcement of the occasion by officials of the organiza-

Seven turkey flocks totaling over 35,000 birds will be seen during the all-day tour in Eastland and Brown Counties, it was

All turkey growers and anyone interested in the progress of the industry in the area are invited to participate, Dr. Ben H. Bradley, Rising Star, president of the organization, advised in his

The group will leave from Terry's Cafe in Rising Star at 9 o'clock that morning and will visit the J. Elmo Smith, E. E. Winfrey, W. C. Witt, Cecil Carr and Dr. Ben H. Bradley places before lunch at a Rising Star Cafe. During the afternoon they will see the W. B. and Lee Starr flock near Scranton and also the Alvin Kincaid flock north of Cis-

Both Baby Beef Bronze and Bronze and Beltsville White Turkeys will be seen in the different flocks. Some growers believe that the white turkeys are gaining in popularity.

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Methodist Church

Rev. H. R. Hall, Pastor 10:00 a. m Sunday School 11:00 a m Morning Worship

7:30p. m 8:00 p m Evening Services

In India, the King of England is given the title of Emporer.

Thomas A. Edison was dismissed from a job as a young man for sleeping while on duty.

William Pitt was prime minister of England at the age of 24.

OIL TEST SPOTTED

J. E. Connally, et al, Abilene, has made location to drill an oil test as their No. 1 Susie P. Wharton nine miles north of Gorman in Eastland County. Location for the test was given as 330 feet from the south and east lines of Lot 11, Harvey Kendrick Survey. Permit calls for 3,500 feet.

Notice

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See Lee Weaver

Auto Inspection Stations Now Open

AUSTIN, Sept. 15 - Texas motorists found the doors of 2,120 official auto inspection stations open this morning ready to check their vehicles under the provisions of the modified Motor Vehicle Inspection Law which was enacted by the last Texas Legislature.

George Busby, Chief of the Texas Department of Public Safety's Motor Vehicle Inspection Division, announced that that number of stations have already been licensed to operate and that another two hundred applications are now on file from operators, desiring to conduct inspections. Busby estimated that the total number of inspection stations will reach 3,500 within the next few

The new period, during which motorists must have their cars inspected, opened today and will run through next April 15th.

Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Safety Department, has issued an appeal to car owners to take their vehicles to one of the convenient stations early and avoid a last-minute rush similar to that which resulted under the old law that expired August 25th.

Garrison pointed out that all of the station operators have been fully versed in the provisions of the new act which calls for inspection only of brakes, lighting equipment, horns, rear-view mirrors and windshield wipers.

Public Invited To Attend Livestock Meeting Nov. 9th Anyone interested in livestock

will be welcome to attend the five-county livestock pest control clinic to be held in Breckenridge on Novemb 2 9. The meeting will start at 9:30 A. M. and will be held in the American Legion Hall in Breckenridge. The meeting is being sponsored by the Texas Association of Manufacturers and Distributors of Veterinary Supplies, and the West Texas Ranchers Association made up of members from Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Stephens, Eastland, and Callahan Counties.

Several nationally prominent authorities on measures for controlling livestock pests have been secured to appear on the program. Details are to be announced soon. Following the vestock pest control clinic the West Texas Ranchers Association will hold its election of officers.

A. S. Kimmel, Cisco is president of the West Texas Ranchers Association. Leo Martin, Austin, president of the Association of xas Manufacturers and Distributors of Veterinary Supplies. Dr. L. Rogers, Gordon, a director the West Texas Ranchmans Association and past president of he Association of Texas Manufacturers and Distributors of Veterinary Supplies is program

First Baptist Church

G. W. Thomas, pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. W. D. Dukes, Superintendent Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Training Union 7:00 p. m. Rayneal Baze, general director Evening worship 8:00 p. m. W. M. S. Monday 2 p. m. Mrs. G. W. Thomas, president Prayer meeting Wed. 8:00 p.m.

King Theatre

Gorman, Texas Thursday Friday "Caddy" Martin & Lewis

Saturday "The Marshall's Daughter" Hoot Gibson Plus "Let's Get Tough" East Side Kids

Sunday Monday "The Kid From Left Field" Dan Daily Ann Bancroft

Tuesday Wednesday "South Of Caliente" Roy Rogers Dale Evans

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Sun Mon "Pony Express" Charlton Heston "The Stars Are Shining' Rosemary Clooney Plus cartoon

Tues Wed. Thurs. "Come Back Little Sheba" Burt Lancaster "Somebody Loves Me" Betty Hutton

Notice

The Carbon Laundry will be closed October 1, will be open October 2 at 7:00 a. m. We appreciate your business and the cooperation of everyone. Carbon Laundry Pho. 111F

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Church

We vite you to come be with us each Lord's Day.

Jimmie Sheerer Minister Bible Study 10:00 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m.

Lord's Supper Young people's class Preaching

11:40 a. m 6:30 p. 7:30. p. m



Almond Chicken With Rice

Chinese Chicken Almond With Rice, a delightful delicately fla-vored dish with chicken, celery topping, is sure to please your family. It makes an attractive "one main dish type meal" and is easily served to a crowd. Fresh or canned mushrooms may be used for making Chinese Almond Chicken.

NGREDIENTS cup uncooked rice cup sliced mushrooms (canned or fresh) cup almonds - blanched

8 tablespoons salad oil, to be used 1 tablespoon at a time 1 clove garlic, cut in half 1 teaspoon salt
1 cup cubed bamboo shoots (canned)

cup thinly sliced water chestnuts (canned)
cup thinly sliced celery
cup diced, cold chicken (fresh or canned)

I tablespoons liquid (1 tablespoon each, from bamboo shoots and water chestnut cans)

INGREDIENTS FOR GRAVY teaspoons cornstarch teaspoon sugar tablespoons water teaspoons soy sauce

GARNISH cup sliced green onion PREPARING THE FLUFFY WHITE RICE—To make 3 cups fluffy rice: Put 1 cup of uncooked rice, 2 cups of cold water and teaspoon of salt in a two-

quart saucepan and cover with a tight-fitting lid. Bring to a vigorous boil. Then reduce the heat as low as possible and steam for 14 minutes or until all the water is absorbed, leaving the separate rice grains with their full nutritional value. This makes very firm rice grains. (Myou prefer more tender rice grains, add 1/2 cup more water and increase the slow cooking time 4 or 5 minutes.) Remove the lid, permit the rice to steam dry to the desired consistency and the grains will be separate and fluffy. Never stir rice; lift gently with a fork.

METHOD: Brown almonds in 1 tablespoon oil. Set aside. With table fork, mash garlic into salt in skillet. (Be sure there is a tight-fitting cover, which can be used later.) Add 1 tablespoon oil, then add chicken. Brown lightly. Add 1 tablespoon oil and then hambon shoots and make then bamboo shoots and mushrooms. Brown lightly. Add liquid, drained from canned bamboo shoots and water chestnuts. Cover tightly. Cook over low heat 5 minutes. Add water chestnuts, celery and ½ of the almonds. Just heat through. Celery and chestnuts should remain crisp. For gravy shake main crisp. For gravy . . . shake up in small jar, cornstarch, salt, sugar, water and soy sauce. Stir into mixture. Cook until liquid thickens and is smooth. Sprinkle over dish, green onions and rest of almonds. Serve with hot fluffy cooked rice. This will serve