

# The Carbon Messenger

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## Local News In Brief

Ed Jackson, who underwent an appendectomy at the Blackwell Sanitarium last Friday, is recovering nicely.

B. M. Battles and family of Overton visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bishop and children and Mrs. J. E. Talley of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edmondson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins of Eastland announce the arrival of a daughter, Karan Jo, weighing 7 lbs 13 1/2 oz. Wednesday, July 26, at a Ranger hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins of Carbon and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Couch of Eastland.

Bill Oliver and family of Dallas and A. M. Montgomery and family of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greer and attended the funeral of their grandfather, R. C. Morris, held at Sidney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black had as guests this week their daughter, Mrs. T. G. Jackson, Jr. and family of Phillips and Mrs. Black's brother and sister, W. S. Shuman of Corpus Christi and Mrs. A. E. Reynolds of Kilgore.

Rufus Justice and wife of Breckenridge and Oran Justice and wife of Andrews visited their mother, Mrs. R. K. Justice, Sunday.

Bob Collins and family of San Angelo, D. M. Collins and family of Houston, Bob Collins and family of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bigby of Colorado City spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins.

Bill Fite and wife of San Angelo visited W. S. Maxwell and wife and L. P. Barnett and family last week end.

Week end guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lively Brown were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kennedy of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Whitlow and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holderidge of De Leon.

W. E. Trimble, local postmaster, was taken to the Blackwell Sanitarium Thursday after taking suddenly ill while working at the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayneal Baze visited in Fort Worth and Dallas last week end.

C. M. Wyatt, Jr. of Crane visited his grandparents, Walter Wyatt and wife, and other relatives here over the week end.

V. K. Davis and family of Baytown spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. S. Davis, and she accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brownlee have as their guest, their granddaughter, Wanda Nell Blume, of Fort Worth. Other visitors in the home over the week end were Mr. Brownlee's mother, Mrs. Della Brownlee, of De Leon and Dion Solley of Comanche, brother of Mrs. Brownlee.

Charlie Morris and wife of near De Leon visited Bill Edmondson and wife Sunday.

Wade Butler and wife have returned to their home in Bartlesville, Okla. after visiting his parents, Ike Butler and wife.

Ira Ford and wife went to West Virginia last week to attend the funeral of his father who died suddenly at his home there. They will visit their son, Joe Ford, and family of Chicago before returning home.

Roger Harris and wife of Eastland spent Saturday night with J. F. Hays and wife.

Little Barbara Jones visited her aunt, Mrs. G. H. King of Breckenridge last week.

Mrs. Crow of De Leon and J. T. Crow and wife of El Paso visited their son and brother, Harry Crow, and family Sunday.

Hulan Maxwell and wife of Stamford visited Mrs. J. R. Turner last week.

## Primary Election Polles Over 6,350 Votes in County

Election returns indicate that something over 6,350 Eastland county voters participated in Saturday's primaries.

The turnout was a large percentage of the eligible voters of the county, with a total of, slightly more than 5,900 poll taxes paid this year.

The county judge's race seemed to create the greatest interest where incumbent P. L. Crossley was opposed by John Hart and C. S. Eldridge. Crossley gained the runoff with Hart by getting 2,078 votes. Hart polled 2,348 and Eldridge 1,905.

Another runoff is due in the sheriff's race where J. B. Williams, incumbent, and J. F. Tucker will be opponents. John Barber was the third man.

There will also be a run-off in the Representatives race of the 107th Floterial district between L. R. Pearson and O. O. Odum, Jr. Charles H. Dawson was third man in this race.

In the Representatives race of the 107th district, the present incumbent, T. M. Colie, remained in the office by defeating his opponent, E. M. Threatt.

Stnnley Webb won over Neil Day for Tax Assessor and Collector and J. C. Allison won over Oscar Lyerla for county chairman.

In the other county offices Roy Lane was returned to the office of District Clerk by defeating his opponent, Buena Van Winkle, and Joe Collins maintained the office of County Treasurer over his opponent, H. B. McCancies. Carl Elliott for county school superintendent, Virgil Love for county clerk and Elzo Been for county attorney were unopposed.

In the commissioners race of precinct 2, A. M. Thurman was returned to the office by defeating Harry Crow.

Below is an unofficial report of the county votes:

|                            |      |
|----------------------------|------|
| Rep. 107th Floterial Dist. |      |
| Pearson                    | 345  |
| Odum                       | 2047 |
| Dawson                     | 706  |
| Rep. 106th Dist.           |      |
| Colie                      | 4428 |
| Threatt                    | 1729 |
| County Judge               |      |

## Last Rites For R. C. Morris Are Held At Sidney

Funeral rites for R. C. (Bob) Morris were held at the Methodist Church in Sidney Saturday, July 22, with Rev. Gafford of Brownwood conducting. Interment was in Pendergrass cemetery at Sidney with Comanche Funeral Home in charge.

The deceased was born at Carthage, Texas on Sept. 9, 1869 and passed away July 21, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Doc McNutt of Comanche.

He was married to Rosa Dinger July 2, 1893, at Carbon, who died Oct. 5, 1939. He is survived by five sons: R. G. of Marathon, H. R. of Brownwood, Ned I. of Carbon, Roy C. of Hamlin, Oral D. of Sidney; two daughters, Mrs. Walter Greer of Carbon and Mrs. Doc McNutt of Comanche. Also 24 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Edgar White and wife of Odessa and Bud Clark and family of Stephenville spent the week end with their parents, Wade White and wife.

Mrs. Dale Park and children of Oklahoma City are visiting her parents, C. C. Fenter and wife, and her sister, Mrs. Voy Wilks, and family.

|                             |      |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Crossley                    | 2048 |
| Hart                        | 2362 |
| Eldridge                    | 1910 |
| Tax Assessor-Collector      |      |
| Webb                        | 4022 |
| Day                         | 2264 |
| Sheriff                     |      |
| Williams                    | 2897 |
| Tucker                      | 1889 |
| Barber                      | 1438 |
| County Treasurer            |      |
| Collins                     | 4250 |
| McCancies                   | 1945 |
| County Chairman             |      |
| Lyerla                      | 2401 |
| Allison                     | 3583 |
| District Clerk              |      |
| Lane                        | 4370 |
| Van Winkle                  | 1965 |
| Commissioner precinct No. 2 |      |
| Erow                        | 527  |
| Thurman                     | 762  |

## Methodist News Which Are You?

Lively Brown, Pastor

The bones in my body Are two hundred or more; But for sorting out people We need only four.

Wish-bone people; They hope for, they long for, They wish for and sigh, They want things to come, but Aren't willing to try.

Funny-bone people; They laugh, grin and giggle, Smile, twinkle the eye; If work is a joke, sure They'll give it a try.

Jaw-boned people; They scold, jaw and sputter, They froth, rave and cry; They're long on talk, but They're short on try.

Back-boned people; They strike from the shoulder, They never say die; They're winners in life, for They know how to try.

Baney Coan.

## Two Carbon Women In Car Accident

While enroute to De Leon Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Harry Crow and Mrs. Ike Butler were slightly injured when Mrs. Crow lost control of the pick-up she was driving and the vehicle overturned in a ditch near Rucker. Both women sustained bruises but neither was seriously injured.

George Boles and wife of Sundown visited her parents, O. C. Payne and wife, this week.

Mrs. R. E. Pierce of Galveston and Miss Loretta Morris of San Marcos visited their parents, N. C. Morris and wife, last week.

Halsey Butler and family of Penwell visited Ike Butler and wife last week end.

Mrs. H. L. Armstead and children and Mrs. J. W. Anderson of Dallas visited W. R. Ussery and wife last week.

## Friday and Saturday

|                       |                  |     |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----|
| Bacon                 | Tail lb          | 50c |
|                       | Korn             |     |
| Radio Bacon           | Extra Lean lb    | 38c |
| Kraft Cheese          | Pkg 1-2 lb       | 27c |
| Post Toasties         | Large Size       | 18c |
| Shortening            | Mrs Tuckers 3 lb | 69c |
| Macaroni or Spaghetti | 7 oz             | 9c  |
| Coffee,               | Del Monte        | 75c |
| Instant Tea, Powdered |                  | 37c |

Carbon Trading Company

## Majestic

Eastland

Friday and Saturday

"Gunfighters"  
Randolph Scott  
Barbara Britton

Sunday and Monday

"Bright Leaf"  
Gary Cooper  
Lauren Bacall

Tuesday, Wednesday

"Perfect Strangers"  
Ginger Rogers  
Dennis Morgan

Thursday

"One Way Street"  
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Surprise Feature at 8 p. m.

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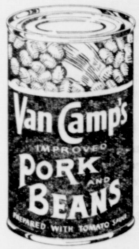
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When I see them in the  
When I see them in the  
When I see them in the

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**SPORTSTIC**

State champions for two years, the basketball team of Norton, W. Va., high school won 56 straight games. Jack Burke, Jr., last year sank a 112-foot putt.



**THEY'RE OFF! BUT WHO?**

SHUDDA HADDIM, the well-known horse player, popped an osetlet in his indignation over the senate interstate commerce committee's bill to stymie the big bookies and curb gambling by banning the interstate transmission of all pre-race information, beyond the entries. "All that would do is to make me bet on the wrong horse with twice the effort," he declares. "Up to now all I had to do was to guess who was THYIN' to win a heat. Now I gotta guess who's running!"

"I even gotta guess the weather," he moaned. "I broke down early in life just figurin' these skimmers and now they think I should figure whether it's raining one thousand miles away or not. How can a guy dope out today's weather on past performances? Them senators would not let no scratches, weight changes, jockey substitutions or prices get out on the day of a race. Seratches was the only thing that made life bearable for me. It cut down the number of beetles I had to figure. Now if there is 18 goats in a heat I gotta handicap 'em all, when before only five will show up on the track. Izat fair?"

"The small horse player is the only one that'll suffer and he is takin' it on the chin enough now. Them big bookies and big gamblers will get all the news they need if they have to set up their own code signals and grease a few thousand more law enforcement agents and top politicians. And it will make easier for 'em to get a horse player's dough on account of a horse player will know less about what he is doin' than ever. Does that make sense?"

"It won't stop 'em gambin'." A race fan is a persistent guy. He is lack of facts that keeps him goin'. He is in a world of dreams, guesswork and rum or s compulsory. Answer me this: How come an interstate commerce committee gets into horse racing? I knew owners, trainers and jockeys done business in the race. I seen many iness conference in a... I could name plenty... owners that seemed to be reading a quarterly report on the economical situation coming down the stretch, but this is the first time anybody says it all comes under the head of COMMERCE!

If I was handicappin' them senators I would say they was away off form, not up to a race, yet and was carryin' too much weight. What happens if a horse breaks a leg the morning of the race, or the jockey get run over by a taxi?

"Give up bettin' on the ponies," we advised Shudda Haddim. "You'll be better off."

"Who, me, a lifelong fighter for the freedom of interstate commerce?" he demanded with heat.

A womanizer is Luther Bill—The guy can work an outdoor grill.  
At barbecue stuff he's so good The stuff at time resembles FOOD.

Jim Wilson, piscatorial wonderman, refused to interrupt a couple of striped bass fishermen as they discussed their exploits the other day. "Don't stop 'em now," he implored. "They have just reached the point where they are lying to each other."

We called up a hardware store to see if they had any garbage pails 14 inches in diameter in stock. "Inches!" exclaimed the clerk. "Doncha know the gallons?" "No," we replied. "We always buy our garbage in pints."

"Two U. S. senators reached Miami to investigate stories of a national syndicate being behind gambling there."—News Item. Don't they realize it is all a rumor?

A Yale plan to solve the drink problem is to be tried out in Los Angeles. What intrigues us is whether Yale will work the idea into its old drinking song.



**Mighty Mite**

The repulsive looking fellow in the accompanying drawing is a chigger, or technically, a mite—member of the family of mites, spiders, ticks and scorpions—which causes sportsmen in the south and midwest more discomfort than another insect or animal. He is a juvenile delinquent, a newly-hatched boy or larval stage of the common, bright red, spider-like mite often seen in early spring in gardens and fields.

The best way to get "loaded" with chiggers is to sit or lie down in areas where they abound. But, one usually gets sufficiently infested while walking along a stream looking for that good bass hole.

But getting down to the purpose of this item, to protect yourself when out on a camping trip this



summer, treat the ankles, calves, stockings, and trouser legs with a recommended insect repellent or a few pinches of ordinary sulphur. This is, however, only temporary protection. After a fishing trip a shower or bath with soap and water will help reduce severity of attack.

A number of household items will help relieve chigger bites, including ammonia, a weak solution of lysol, rubbing alcohol, camphor, vaseline, chloroform, iodine, or fingernail polish. These materials will also kill the chigger.

**A Noble Try**

Back in 1879 Missouri's first fish commission made a noble experiment in restocking the state's streams with fish. Although it failed, the experiment has been called the first sincerely attempt to restock mid-west streams.

The commission's first act was to establish a fish hatchery where speckled trout and such exotic species as California salmon, Atlantic white shad and German carp were hatched.

The California salmon and white shad are migratory species which live in the ocean except during early spring when they move up fresh-water rivers and streams to spawn. It was believed that these species, released in Missouri, would go to the Gulf then return each spring to spawn.

Some 200,000 salmon fry were released in several Ozark streams by the commission. Five years after the first release, the commissioners wrote: "We have placed California salmon in our waters for five successive years. No adult salmon has yet been captured on their return into our streams. There is no reason yet to be discouraged as those fish cannot reach maturity in less time."

Time moved on and as yet no one has reported catching a matured salmon. But it was a noble try.

Perhaps the most colorful of the early operations was the rearing of German carp, such as practiced in the old countries. The commissioners had in their employ an "expert carp culturist" from Germany. Landowners were encouraged to propagate carp in ponds, and a booklet was printed explaining the art and offering hints on best methods of cooking the fish such as "carp boiled in beer" and "carp cooked in wine."

The commissioners were really sold on the idea. "We are assured," they wrote, "that the carp can be raised on the farm with as much certainty and economy as pigs and poultry."

By 1883, some 4,800 ponds had been stocked and over a half-million carp had been released in streams and public waters.

Though the carp idea went off with a bang it lacked lasting qualities. A few years later the commissioners agreed "we are of the opinion that we have fish of a better quality among our native fish in Missouri."

**The Way it Happened . . .**

IN PITTSBURGH . . . Nightclub doorman Herbert Gibbs began a year's jail sentence for taking over a patron's car his first day on the job and not parking it until he reached Cleveland.

IN GALESBURG, ILL. . . A police station custodian found a mouse in a near-empty whisky bottle that had grown so big living on whisky that it could not get out. When the bottle was broken, the mouse tried to run away, but collapsed in a drunk stupor.

IN MEMPHIS . . . A woman, refusing to holster a storage company with her bar coat during warm months, kept it in the vegetable bin of her refrigerator.

IN INDIANAPOLIS . . . A thug aimed a shattering blow at Charles Plake's midriff, connected with the plaster cast Plake was wearing for a back injury, and fled sore-handed.

IN GODRICHLICH, ONTARIO . . . Walter Henry, 92, gave up riding his motorcycle because it was "too much red tape and too much nuisance getting a license."

**Sideline Wisdom**

My brother-in-law, a particularly successful contractor, credited his good fortune to the sidewalk superintendents' who gathered to witness his building projects. He employs one man to do nothing but gather the comments of the crowd, and he claimed that many a major problem was solved by piecing together these bits of wisdom from the sidelines.

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As we get older, aches and pains, over-exertion, excessive smoking or exposure to cold sometimes slow down kidney function. This may lead many folks to complain of nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headache and dizziness. Getting up nights or frequent passages may result from minor kidney irritation due to cold, dampness or dietary indiscretions.

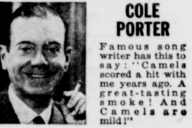
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- 3.95 value now 2.49
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Gorman, Texas;

## Political Announcements

The Carbon Messenger is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

### Sheriff

J. B. Williams  
Re-election

J. F. (Frank) Tucker

### County Judge:

P. L. (Lewis) Crossley  
Re-election

### John Hart

For Representative 107 Floterial District, Eastland & Callahan Co.

L. R. Pearson

O. O. Odom, Jr.

## Farm Youngsters Taught Value of Good Grooming

FARM mothers teach their daughters from childhood that "pretty is as pretty does," points out the Rural Home editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer.

"Getting an early start is as important in learning beauty and grooming lessons as in most other things," she writes. "The little girl who always brushes her teeth after every meal and loves her splash in the tub before bedtime is the one who grows up to have a pretty smile."

"She'll be known for her dainty freshness. And her own children will love her because, she always looks so good and smells so sweet!"

### Feed Crops

Agriculture officials estimate that in 1915 it required 90,000,000 acres of farm crops to feed horses and mules in the United States, but in 1930 only 54,000,000 acres were required. Pasture requirements dropped from 50,000,000 acres to 35,000,000.

### Literary Tree

In Coole Park, Ireland boasts "The most literary tree." This growing timber shows honorable scars in the shape of signatures in the bark of William Butler Yeats, Edward Martyn, Spurge, George Moore, and George Bernard Shaw.

### Live in Shanghai

A little less than half the Americans in China live in Shanghai.

### Australia Increases

Australia's population increased 70,767 in the past year.

### Not in Constitution

The Constitution says nothing about the number of justices; it requires only a court and chief justice. By the Judiciary act of 1789, congress called for five associate justices. In 1807 the number was changed to six; in 1837 to eight; and in 1906 to nine. In 1929 the present number of eight associate justices and one chief justice was set.

MAY: Ever read the Serial Stories in our paper?  
SALLY: Do we eat our breakfast and our dinner?



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Tooth brushing is a habit with 8-year-old Alice Jones, daughter of Mrs. Doyt Galloway of Van Wert county, Ohio. Mother and daughter enjoy spending a few minutes together each day keeping up their good looks.

Alice Jane knows the right method for brushing to give clean, white teeth and healthy gums. Her own little footstool by the lavatory makes it easy for her to climb up and look in the mirror to watch the brushing.

## Frozen Lemon Pie Is Toothsome Dish

FROZEN lemon pie is a toothsome dinner dessert for the family that's been working hard all day, says the Country Cooking editor of Capper's Farmer.

Graham cracker crumbs are crust and topping for the chilled yellow filling, she writes in the nationally-circulated farm magazine. Pie-shaped pieces are made by cutting diagonally across the refrigerator tray in which pie is frozen.

The dessert which will be an ever-popular family favorite, serves 8, the Capper's Farmer expert advises.



**FROZEN LEMON PIE**  
1 egg, separated  
1/2 c. evaporated milk  
1/2 c. lemon juice  
1/2 c. sugar  
1/2 c. graham cracker crumbs  
1/2 c. cake crumbs

Beat egg yolks; add lemon juice and piece of rind sliced from lemon and all but 2 tablespoons of the sugar. Cook over low heat 15 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove rind and cook. Beat egg whites until stiff; add remaining sugar and fold into cooked mixture. Add whipped evaporated milk. Line refrigerator tray with waxed paper. Sprinkle with 1/4 cup of the crumbs. Pour in lemon mixture; sprinkle with remaining crumbs. Freeze with temperature set at coldest. Serves 8.

# Shoe Sale

## Ladies & Childrens SHOES

- One Group 1.00
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- One Group 1.97

Men's Shoes, 4.95 and 5.95

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Gorman, Texas

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**Your District Clerk**  
**Roy L. Lane**

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At  
**Wilkin's Jewelry**  
We Repair All Makes Of Watches  
Eastland, Texas

**Sharp Characters Act At Ease With Others**

**WHY** is a sharp character sharp and why is a sad sack sad? Why do some guys and girls seem at ease with others? Why do others with just as many assets seem to be beating their brains out trying to decide what to do with their hands? It's all a matter of learning to control your outward actions, no matter how awkward you feel, says Holly Miller, whose column in nationally circulated *Country Farmer* is a popular feature among teen age boys and girls as well as their parents.

"The smoother you act, the smoother you feel," she counsels. "To be well-groomed may cost you an effort, but don't let it show. Mend your clothes by midnight oil, get up at dawn to press your suit, spend half an hour before your mirror getting your make-up right—if you must. Then forget your appearance.

"Boys, that means no fussing with ties and trying to make a crease where there should be one. Girls that means no pecking in mirrors, no patting your hair, no pulling of clothes and straightening of stocking seams."

Among Miss Miller's suggestions for cultivating poise and ease are: Stand up straight; Look "ten straight" in "the eyes; Avoid mannerisms; Don't talk with your hands.

"Beat your gums—but not so loud," she advises. "A shrill, loud voice is contrary to the spirit. On that same subject, resounding giggles and horselaughs are strictly for the birds."

**Slaves Freed**

Some historians say that passage of the fugitive slave law peeved the Northerners to such an extent that they helped more slaves to freedom between 1850 and 1860 than the total number that escaped during the entire period of our government previous to 1850.

**Sterilizing Gauze**

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FOR SALE—35,000 gal. steel tank, on W. corner, Central, Texas location, priced for quick sale. \$1075. "as is stands." **WENDE STOTALER, TRUSTEE, TEXAS 3 BARREL Shops, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158,**

# Thanks

To My Many Friends In The

Carbon area who supported me in my candidacy for Re-election. It was appreciated. I solicit your continued support and invite your suggestions



P. L. Crossley, For County Judge

## First Baptist Church

G. W. Thomas, pastor  
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
 Rufus Bean, Superintendent  
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Union 7-15 p. m.  
 Clive Murray, Director.  
 Evening worship 8:00 p. m.

J. H. Bethany of the U. S. Navy, stationed on the East Coast, is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Bethany.

For Sale—5 room house, 2 lot near Baptist church.—E. E. Williams, Box 56, Carbon, Tex.

**West Indies Castles**  
 There are several romantic castles in the West Indies, notably the one built by Ponce de Leon in Puerto Rico, Christopher's castle in Haiti, the buccaners' castle in St. Thomas, and the Morros of San Juan, Puerto Rico, Santiago de Cuba and Havana.

**Automobile Vapors**  
 Water produced by the autos in this country in the form of vapor from the exhaust annually amounts to 17 1/2 billion gallons, or enough to fill a canal 25 feet wide and 6 feet deep running between New York and San Francisco.

## Cemetery Meeting And Homecoming At Sipe Springs

The annual Cemetery meeting and Homecoming will be held at the Sipe Springs cemetery all day Sunday, July 30. Everyone is invited to come, bring dinner and enjoy the day. Dick Wyatt, secretary, has announced.

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## Soil Conservation News

H. D. Sessum of the Southwest Kokomo Group planted his 40-acre field in contour strips of peanuts and maize on an 8 and 4 row basis last spring. He followed this with a cover crop of vetch and rye, planted early. There has been no wind erosion on the place during the fall and winter.

A neighbor across the road used the same stripping system, but planted his rows straight. He followed this with a rye cover crop, drilled straight east and west with the rows. There has been considerable blowing down the rows. Where the drill lacked about a foot in lapping, the soil was blown out at least four inches deeper than the remainder of the soil, and even between the 7-inch drill rows there is evidence of soil removal, and deposition on the row of rye.

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**Vocabulary**  
 Present-day educated adults have a vocabulary four times as large as that used by Shakespeare in his writings, reported Dr. Robert H. Seashore, psychology professor of Northwestern university. Tests of 200 college students showed they had an average vocabulary of 60,000 common words, 1,500 rare words, and about 95,000 derivatives of common words. Shakespeare used about 15,000 common words in his plays.

**Snakes Alive**  
 A "smoking" party led by W. E. Reator, science teacher at the Mt. Victory high school, Toledo, Ohio, has added 103 new snakes to Toledo's zoological park reptile house. Nine black rattlesnakes in the collection were brought back alive by a girl member of the party.

# Thanks

To all of you who gave me your support in my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Eastland County. I humbly ask your support in the runoff and will always try to merit your confidence.

Sheriff, J. B. Williams

# Summer Clearance

of Women's Dresses

One Group 3.00 One Group 4.00 One Group 5.00

# Burr's

EASTLAND, TEXAS

## Dear Friends

Please accept this as thanks for all the kind words of encouragement, and the confidence placed in me by your vote! Even though I wanted the vote of all of you who did not vote for me, I will defend your right to vote as you see fit.

Thanks Again  
 Harry Crow

## Thanks

I want to take this opportunity of thanking the people of Eastland County for the fine vote given me in the first primary, and to solicit your support in the run-off.

I also want to thank my two opponents for the clean race they conducted. I believe we are better friends now than we were when we entered the race.

If I am elected as your sheriff I shall do my best to merit your confidence.

Sincerely  
 J. F. "Frank" Tucker