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Local News In Brief

Melvin Stubblefield and family of off Center, N. M., Junior Lee Jones and family of Vergen, N. M., Marvin Jones and family of Clovis, N. M., Reuben Spurgon and family of Denver City and J. W. Clarn and family of Brady visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones, last week, also Steve Regian and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Novak of Port Clinton, Ohio visited her father, R. Holloway, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thurman of Coleman visited friends here Friday.

Sam Murray of Midland and Jack Snodgrass of Choctaw, Okla. visited Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass and other relatives here last weekend.

Mrs. Callie Vaughn spent Monday night of last week with her daughter Mrs. Jack Brown, and family of Clyde and attended commencement exercises for her grandson, Ronnie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval McNair of Abilene visited his brother, Rev. Bruce McNair, and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Walker of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. Tom Bryant, last weekend, also Truman Bryant and family.

Mrs. Wordene Hawthorn and son, Clay, of Dallas spent the holiday weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Wharton.

Dean McCurry, son of Mr. and Mrs. ...

Henry Hines, enroute from Lubbock where he received his degree in Business Administration from Texas Tech College in Ceremonies held Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Garrett went to Stephenville Sunday where they met their daughter, Mrs. Tom Beeler, and family of Fort Worth and they spent the day visiting together.

Carrol Sandlin of Stillwater, Okla. and Bill Sandlin of Lorena are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin.

Pat Guy and family of Tahoka spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Guy and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hallmark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan and children of Big Spring visited his father, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey of Morenci, Ariz. have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines spent the weekend visiting their daughters, Mrs. L. D. McCurry and Mrs. Charles Adair and their families in Houston and on Friday night they attended High School graduation exercises for their granddaughter, Marsha Adair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair.

Rev. Jim Turner, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Tahoka for the past 3 1/2 years and former pastor of the Carbon Baptist Church, is planning a tour of the Holy Land and several European countries which he and a prominent Baptist Layman of Tahoka are organizing. This is a 21-day tour and departure date will be July 23, from Dallas. The tour is for all interested persons and information may be obtained by contacting Rev. Turner at Tahoka.

Mrs. Jim Mangrum and children of Nederland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker, last week, also Mrs. Bernice Mangrum.

Rev. Benny Hagan is bringing the message for the revival in progress at the Baptist Church in Olden this week.

Roland LeFevre of Abilene visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler and Robert of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. ... spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Butler.

Joe Taylor, wife and daughter, Tammie of Irving visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton, last weekend.

Teresa Coleman of Breckenridge visited her grandmother, Mrs. Georgia Barton, last week.

Bob Jackson of Odessa and Mrs. John Griffith and daughter of Midland spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Jewell Jackson. Another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sims and children of Graham visited with them Saturday.

Leo McDaniel of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Gertrude McDaniel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Roff and daughter of Waco visited his grandmother, Mrs. S. E. Clement, a short time Saturday.

Carbon Minister's Auto Taken At Gunpoint By Pair

Jail-escapee Leroy Mangum and ... Seabourn were due in Eastland County late Wednesday evening after the days of running freedom came to an end in Arkansas.

The two were captured in Lonoke, Ark., 20 miles north of Little Rock Tuesday afternoon, and a dash that had ... in Carbon Monday night when they took Baptist Pastor Bruce McNair's 1966 Buick ...

Field Sheriff Loy Williams and Policeman John Mc ... McNair and Truman ... Carbon left Tuesday ... the preacher ... the escapees.

Mangum and Seabourn busted through ... of the county ... Monday, May 24.

They were arrested in Arkansas ... highway patrol ... they were still in ... automobile. They ... at the time, but ... no gun.

The ... in county jail ... original ... and additional ... fellow ...

Wedding Date Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. ... R. ...

The wedding will be performed at 8 p.m. July 19, in the Mangum Baptist Church. The bride-elect is a graduate of Carbon High School, and is currently employed at the Eastland Memorial Hospital.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Cisco High School and has served four years in the U. S. Navy. He is now employed at Boss Manufacturing Co. in Cisco and attending summer classes at Cisco Junior College.

The Lake Cisco K-Park Swimming Pool under management of Truman Kirk has announced the special monthly pass rates are available.

Children (under 12) may purchase a monthly pass at \$5 and adults \$7.50. Interested persons may purchase them at Western Union Office, K&K Building or the basketball at the swimming pool.

Complete skin diving and scuba equipment is available also at the shop located at the swimming pool, for rent.

Seabourn is 18 and Mangum will be 19 on June 16.

Webb and Richardson, the last two remaining escapees, are still at large.

A brazen armed robbery at the home of a Carbon minister Monday night was believed to have been the most recent episode in the continuing series resulting from the week of jail breaks from Eastland County Jail.

The Rev. T. B. (Bruce) McNair, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Carbon, was summoned by a knock at the front door at his parsonage home about 10:45 p. m., and greeted by a young man who identified himself as "Johnny Williams". The caller said he wanted to talk to him.

About that time, a second man appeared at the door with a rifle (guessed by the minister to be either a .22 rifle or 4.10 shotgun) and demanded an automobile.

The Rev. McNair said the two men came into the house and tied him to a bedpost and Mrs. McNair to a sofa. Getting the keys to the pastor's 1966 Electra Buick, the pair looted Mrs. McNair's purse, getting about \$3 and oil company credit cards.

"They were pretty good to us," Rev. McNair said, but added that at one time, one of the men warned him: "If you don't shut up, I'm coming over there and hit you on the head."

Although the pastor had not seen pictures, he guessed that the armed robbers were Kenneth Seabourn and Leroy Mangum, who broke out of the Eastland County Jail on Sunday, May 24. The pair were believed by authorities to

have been hiding in the county since the break.

Two Carbon men found tracks at a farm home west of Carbon Monday afternoon which they believed to have been made by the escape pair. No entry had been made at the farm home which is used by its owners on weekends.

An immediate search was called and lawmen, including sheriff Deputy Loy Williams, Highway Patrolmen and others began a search for the car after Rev. McNair called police in Eastland.



Mrs. Paula Hines, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reese, received a Bachelor's Degree in elementary education at Texas Technological College in Lubbock Saturday, May 31, 1969. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner of Leveland.

Rev. Lenn Layne Continues As Pastor Here

No Changes Made In Area Methodist Pastors

Most Cisco District ministers, including Dr. Floyd E. Johnson, the district superintendent, were reassigned to their churches at the conclusion of annual conference in Fort Worth Wednesday.

The Rev. Ross Grace, pastor of Wesley Methodist Church in Cisco, was assigned to the Evant Parish in the Temple district. He is being replaced by the Rev. Pat Clendennin, a college ministerial student. They will move to their new pulpits June 4.

District assignments included:

Cisco First Parish, Dr. Bob Evans.

Eastland Parish, Rev. Lenn Layne.

Ranger Parish, Rev. B. Thomas Tribble.

Breckenridge: First, John E. Taylor; St. Paul Parish, James N. Johnson.

Cross Plains Parish, W. C. Crawford; De Leon Parish, Bobby F. Weathers; Gordon Parish, J. W. Hodges; Gorman Parish, Joe Davis.

Graham: First, Dwight L. McCree; Salem Parish, Hubert Taylor.

Huckabee - Hanibal - Lingleville, William Hugh Wilson; Loving - Jean, David Wells.

New Castle - Crystalview, J. Aston Pollard; Olney, J. Lester Davenport; Palo Pinto - Graford, Loyd Coker; Rising Star, Jay Beavers; Strawn Parish, Kenneth Bass.

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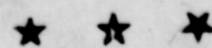
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Mrs. Langford Is Buried In Friday Services

Mrs. Agnes O. Langford of Cisco, mother of Mrs. Lula Mae Porter of Eastland, died at 5 p.m. Wednesday in Graham Hospital in Cisco.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Friday in Rust Funeral Home Chapel in Cisco. Burial was in the Murray Cemetery at Carbon.

Born February 6, 1898, in Cisco, she had lived in Cisco for 25 years, moving there from Carbon. She married Benjamin F. Langford January 12, 1913, in Dothan. He died in 1963.

Survivors include four sons, Claude F. of Santa Anna, El-

ton H. of Fort Worth, Howard B. and Roy Joe, both of Cisco; three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Blankenship of Big Spring, Mrs. Lois Pye of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Lula Mae Porter of Eastland; 16 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren, bearers.

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Funeral Services Held Tuesday

Walter T. Duncan, 88, a resident of the Staff Community since 1914, died at 9:10 p. m. Saturday in Eastland Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church of Ranger with the Rev. J. W. O'Neal, pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Merriman Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 14, 1880 in Pickton, he married Estella E. Myrick Dec. 11, 1948 in Ranger. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Staff Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, John Thomas of Bryan; a brother, Ed. C. of Dallas; three grandchildren, Mrs. Belva Henderson of Lubbock, Walter T. Duncan of Bryan

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You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Eastland County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Ray Lee Lewis and wife, Peggy Joyce Hawkins Lewis.

Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED 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 30th day of June A. D. 1969, to plaintiff's petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of May A. D. 1969, in this cause numbered 25,070 on the docket of said court and styled In Re: Adoption.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a Suit for adoption of minor child as is more fully shown by 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 the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 13th day of May A. D. 1969.

(SEAL)
 Attest: Roy L. Lane, Clerk,
 91st District Court
 Eastland County, Texas.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Regina Lee Gibbs, defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED 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 30th day of June, A. D. 1969, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of May A. D. 1969 in this cause numbered 25,069 on the docket of said court and styled Jerry Wayne Gibbs, plaintiff, vs. Regina Lee Gibbs, defendant. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

This is a suit for divorce as is more fully shown by 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 the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this the 13th day of May A. D. 1969.

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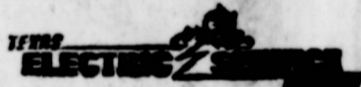
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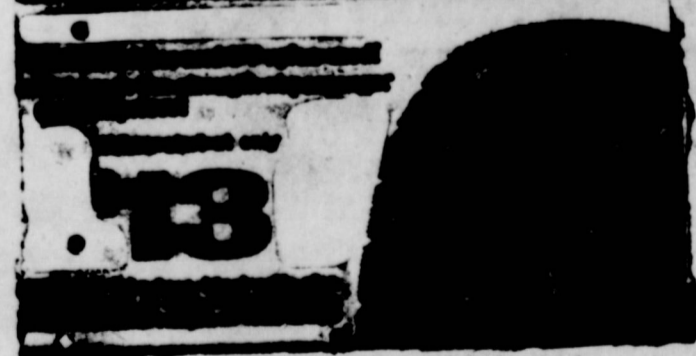
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