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Local News In Brief

Mrs. Vadis Phelps had the pleasure of having the following relatives and friends in her home for lunch on Saturday, June 17: Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Reese and Debbie of Eunice, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murray of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Murray, Gary and Diane of Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Murray and four children, Mrs. Nellie Myers and two children of Odessa, Mrs. Mildred Teepale and four children of Grain Valley, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wransky and two children of Odessa, Mrs. W. O. Richardson of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hogan and three children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phelps and two sons of Greenville, Mrs. Elnora Lindley and two girls of Desdemona, and the following from Carbon: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greer, Mrs. Pearl Snodgrass, Mrs. Era Byrd, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker and two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mathews of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Connie Cloud of Abilene visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovell and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morgan. Other visitors with the Morgans were John Morgan and family of Midland.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver during the weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Weaver of Antelope, Mrs. Kelly Bockman of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cates of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bene Prado of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott recently.

Mrs. Georgia Barton returned home last weekend after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Coleman, and family of McAllen. The Coleman's accompanied her home and are visiting here. Other children visiting here were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Cozart and children of Mineral Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barton of Breckenridge. Also, David Cozart, and family, John Holt and family and Mrs. Nora Holt, all of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade White visited recently with relatives in Cisco and Clyde. Their grandson, Rodney White, of Clyde returned home Sunday after several days visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers visited their daughter, Mrs. Glen Clement, and family of Andrews last weekend and Mrs. Rogers remained to be with her daughter who underwent surgery Monday.

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Guy Sunday with Mrs. Troy Wright of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Don Guy of Eastland, Mrs. Tommie Collins and daughter of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Guy and Randy, and Gene Guy and family, all of Carbon.

Visiting the Truman Bryant family last weekend were Danny Donaldson and Corky of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Clower of Pampa.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell during the weekend were her children; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Reese and Debbie of Eunice, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Murray of Midland, Dale Murray and family of Dickinson, Glynn Murray and family and Gary Wransky and family of Odessa and Mrs. Mildred Teepale and children of Grain Valley, Mo.

George Carter and family were visiting in Abilene Monday.

Visiting with Mrs. Bernice Mangum during the past several days have been Jim Mangum and family of Nederland, Leroy Higginbottom and family of Cisco, W. J. Leach of Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGrew and family of Balsom Grove, N. C. and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McGrew of Derby, Kan. The Jim Mangums also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Campbell and children of Azle visited his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright, and her aunt, Rev. and Mrs. Dick Murray last week.

Mrs. A. A. Tate and son, Weldon, of Abilene and her daughter, the former Janelle Tate and her husband of New York City visited Mr. and Mrs. E. RR. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dunn Sunday.

Roy Stanfield and family of Whittier, Calif., visited Mr. Jim Hogan this week.

Visitors with W. H. Collins during the weekend were his children, Joe Collins and family of Sweetwater, Bob Collins and family of Abilene, Pat Collins and family of Ranger, Mike Collins and family of Eastland, and James Bigby and family of Fort Worth; also Mrs. Lora Wyatt of Gorman.

John Kent Gilbert and family of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert over the weekend. Mrs. W. O. Richardson of San Angelo also visited in the home.

Interior Remodeling Gives Eastland Bank New Look and Privacy

"For You" could easily be the theme of the Eastland National Bank re-modeling this week. Everything is designed for the convenience of the people using the bank's service.

Semi-enclosed offices which accent the friendliness of the bank while offering privacy have been installed in the officer's quarters. These partitions are a combination of clear and frosted glass.

New flooring in this area is gold tweed carpet made especially for commercial use, with white and black flecked tile around desks and desk chairs.

Furniture is walnut, accented by black leather upholstery on chairs.

In the bookkeeping department, all walls and doors have been painted a restful off-white. Carpet was installed inside the office for the drive-in window.

Space was added to the desk of Mrs. Inez Harrell Bourdeau, Assistant Cashier. A telephone stand with shelf space is at one side, with a typewriter stand, built into the L-shaped desk, at the other. A chair and desk space for the customer is beside the typewriter.

H. Tom Wilson is president of the bank. Other officers are Russell Hill, senior vice president; James Reid, vice president and comptroller; Grover Hallmark, vice president; Arnold C. Ray, assistant vice president; Mike Collins, cashier; Mrs. Bourdeau, assistant cashier; and Wyndle L. Armstrong, assistant cashier.

Directors are J. P. McCracken, chairman; J. A. Beard, Russell Hill, M. H. Perry, Dr. M. A. Teadwell, Jr., and H. Tom Wilson.

Rev. Len Layne Is Carbon's New Methodist Pastor

Rev. Len Layne is the new pastor of Carbon Methodist Church and will fill the pulpit each Sunday at 9:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. He also pastors the Flatwood Methodist Church and the church at Eastland. Rev. and Mrs. Layne live at Eastland.

A reception for the new pastor will be held after church services Sunday night and all Methodists are urged to attend.

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Movie On Mourning Doves Is Available

AUSTIN—The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department this week released a 25-minute, color, sound motion picture entitled "The Mourning Dove in Texas."

The film shows the life history of the mourning dove and pictures Department fieldmen gathering up-to-date information about the bird through banding, trapping and censusing operations.

Prints for club or organized group showings may be obtained by writing to the Film Librarian, Parks and Wildlife Department, John H. Reagan Building, Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hughes and son of Cisco visited her father, R. Holloway, Sunday and attended morning services at the Baptist Church.

E. M. Drass of Fort Worth visited his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen last weekend.

Bill Tucker and family of Monahans, Don Jordan and family of Odessa and Wayne Parsons and family of Everma visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbott last weekend. The Bill Tuckers also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teuker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ramsey and son of Austin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey and attended the funeral of Mr. Sam Petty in Breckenridge on Friday. Others attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hallmark, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ramsey of Morenci, Ariz., and Mrs. Linda Guy of Archer City.



MRS. DON MASSINGILL
Photo Courtesy Cotton's Studio

Miss Mary Elizabeth Been Weds Don Massingill In June 2 Rites

Miss Mary Elizabeth Been and Don Massingill were married Friday, June 2, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Eastland. Rev. Lee Fields, Baptist minister from Carbon, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been of Carbon. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Massingill of Grand Falls.

Mrs. Freddie Coburn of Eastland was matron of honor. Fred Brown was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Carbon High School and Cisco Junior College. She is employed by the Texas Electric Service Company in the transmission department in Eastland.

The groom is a graduate of Eastland High School and attended TCU. He is employed by Lone Star Gas Co.

The couple is at home on Route 2, Eastland, after a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado National Park.

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Mr. Willis said that CJC will match this grant, and \$5000 in new library books will be added to the library. CJC received a like grant last year and added \$5000 in books to the library, and this will be \$10,000 in books placed in the library in the past two years.

With the addition of the new library building now on the drawing board, the CJC library facilities will be one of the best in the state, Mr. Willis added.

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Ski Boats Must Install Mirror

AUSTIN—Subscribers and readers of TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE magazine are alerted to State laws requiring that all ski boats MUST have rear view mirrors.

This fact was contradicted in the June issue of the magazine in an article "Legalize Your Boat." It stated that "...all motorboats towing persons on skis... are required to carry an observer or to be equipped with a rear view mirror...."

The Parks and Wildlife Department reminds readers of the monthly magazine that, in fact, no such prerogative exists under the Texas Water Safety Code. The law states the following:
"Every motorboat towing a person or persons on water skis, aquaplane or similar de-

vice shall be equipped with a rear mirror of a size no less than four inches (4") in measurement from bottom to top or across from one side to the other. Such mirror shall be mounted firmly so as to give the boat operator a full and complete view beyond the rear of his boat at all times."

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PAT COLLINS JOINS TIMES STAFF AS EDITOR & MANAGER

Pat Collins, Eastland County native and 13-year veteran in the newspaper business, has been named editor and manager of the Ranger Times.

Collins, 32, and his family lived in Ranger several years and he returned to assume editing duties Monday, June 12.

He replaces Farrell Kent who resigned to complete his education and enter the professional counseling field.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins, the former Patsy Norris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Eastland, have two sons, Bill, 10, and Brad, 8.

The family has been living in Graham and are presently looking for a home in Ranger.

Son of Mr. and the late Mrs. Mrs. Henry Collins of Carbon, Pat graduated from Carbon High School in 1953 and attended Ranger Junior College. His newspapering began at Gorman where he worked for the Gorman Progress for about two years. He joined the Staff of the Stephenville Daily Empire where he was employed for about a year, and first went to Ranger ten years ago when he went to work for the Ranger Times.

Three years ago, he moved

Base Ball News

The Carbon Teenage team will play at Ranger Friday night and play Eastland here next Tuesday night. The Little League team plays Gorman here next Monday night. They have won 6 games and lost 2 and are now tied with the Gorman Peanut Team of Gorman.

The United Nations Secretariat Building in New York is 39 stories high.

to Graham where he was employed by the Graham Leader-Reporter for some three years. During the past 13 months he has been a representative of the National Life Insurance Co., and was named Man of the Month for that firm in April of this year.

The family attends the Methodist Church and Pat is active in Scouting, having served as a Scoutmaster, a Cubmaster, and other offices of the various scouting organizations. He is a past master Mason of the Carbon Lodge. He is also a member of the Jaycees. He lists duck hunting as a hobby.

Mr. Kent will enter classes at Texas Technological College and his family will remain in Ranger until he completes his studies in about six weeks, he has announced.

Mr. Collins said concerning his appointment to the Ranger Times staff: "It's good to be coming back to Ranger where we know so many wonderful people, and we look forward to working with one and all, hoping to provide a local newspaper that we will all be proud of, and one that will help Rangers' continuing growth."

\$7 Passport Admits You To All Parks

AUSTIN—Texas planning outdoor vacations to visit Federal recreation areas this summer are reminded that Golden Eagle Passports, costing seven dollars, may be obtained from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department office in Austin.

A valid Golden Eagle Passport will admit the purchaser, regardless of his mode of transportation and without further payment, any number of times, to all designated Federal areas collecting entrance or admission fees.

Persons wishing to participate in this official program of the U. S. Government, designated as "Operation Golden Eagle," may obtain a passport by mailing their seven dollar check, made payable to "U. S. Bureau of Outdoor Recreation," to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, John H. Reagan Building, Austin, Texas, 78701.

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