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Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Brauner Files of Gorman are the parents of a daughter born Thursday, Nov. 24, in a De Leon hospital. She weighed nine pounds and nine ounces and has been named Kathy LaNell. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Files of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park. The Files have a son, David, 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tucker, who have been in Bethesda Maryland, for some time where Bobby was undergoing treatment in Veterans Hospital, returned home last Thursday. Bobby has been ill for about a year and they report that they located his trouble there and it will be necessary for him to return to Maryland the first of the year for further treatment. Friends are glad to learn that they have hopes for his complete recovery. Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker and they had their other children with them for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. E. Anderson and two sons of Wichita Falls, Mrs. June Hicks and son of Electra and Billy Tucker and family of Monahans.

Spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Clem Rasberry were Mrs. W. T. Maynard of Gorman, Roy Maynard of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rich and boys of Denver City, Ted Underwood and family of Gorman, Bobby Rich of Oklahoma City, Don Hull and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hogan of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Earl Clark of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Wade Clark over the holidays.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines during Thanksgiving were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair and children of Houston, Dewey Adair, Leander, Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Hines, Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer of Midland and Mrs. J. L. Black and Mrs. Rayneal Baze of Eastland.

Mrs. John Griffith and daughters of Midland, Bob Jackson of Odessa and Henry Sims and family of Graham visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson, during Thanksgiving holidays.

Lynn Hogan and family of Midland, Mrs. Jimmy Nicholas and children and Bob Hogan and daughter of Abilene, Gene May and family of Eastland and John Hull and family of Cisco spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hogan.

Bob Vaughn and son, Bobby of Fort Worth visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Collins Campbell Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene L. Hogan have announced the arrival of a son whom they have named Gene L. Jr. He was born early Sunday morning in Eastland Memorial Hospital and weighed seven pounds two and a half ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hogan of Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Rasberry of Rt. 1, Eastland.

Joe Collins and family of Sweetwater visited his father, W. H. Collins Sunday.

Wayne Vaughn and family of Odessa and Elvis Vaughn and family of Midland visited their mother, Mrs. Callie Vaughn during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gibbons of Snyder spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. W. T. Gibbons.

Truett Guy and family of Oklahoma City spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Guy and Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Slater of Lubbock spent the weekend with her sister, Rev. and Mrs. Moody Smith and family.

Jim Phelps and family of Greenville and W. W. Lindley and family of Desdemona visited their mother, Mrs. Vadis Phelps over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stubblefield and two daughters of Bartlesville, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stubblefield, during the Thanksgiving holidays. Also Mack Stubblefield and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers during Thanksgiving were their children, Kenneth Rogers and family of Odessa, Mickey Rogers and family of Fredericksburg and Pete Huddleston and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade White spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Jim Everett, and family of Olden. Their grandson, Bubba Everett, has enlisted in the Navy and left Monday for San Francisco.

All the White's children visited with them Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Pud Clark and Danny of Cisco, Basil White and family of Clyde, Edgar White and family of Odessa and the Jim Everetts of Olden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Ussery and family of Westlaco spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ussery and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker.

Fire Destroys Carbon Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neil in the north part of town, better known as the Old Edmondson home, was destroyed by fire about 1:30 a. m. last Friday. The local Fire Department answered the call and a fire truck from Eastland was also summoned, but the blaze was too far advanced and the building and its contents were completely destroyed.

Origin of the fire is unknown. The family was away from home at the time, having left early Thursday morning. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

Young Farmers Start Fund For Bobby Tucker

The Cisco Young Farmers Association has begun a fund to help pay medical expenses of Bobby Tucker, Pleasant Hill, who has been ill for the past three months.

Mrs. Tucker, who is with her husband, has given the association permission to raise funds. Anyone wishing to contribute may contact Mr. Agnew at 704 E. 21st or another young farmer, Freddy Anderson, 711 E. 22nd. Donations may also be left at The Cisco Press office.

Mr. Tucker is a young farmer and was treated at Scott and White Hospital in Temple before going to Maryland for further treatment.

Carbon FHA Slates Christmas Bazaar

The Carbon FHA Chapter will have a Christmas Bazaar from Dec. 3 to Dec. 10. It will be held from 8 a. m. to noon weekdays, Dec. 3 and Dec. 10, both Saturdays, will be held all day. The Bazaar will be held in the Home-making Cottage in Carbon. Items for sale will be gift items and Christmas decorations. Limited orders will be taken for these items: fruit cake and Christmas candies.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Daniels and daughter, Denise of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. David Morton of Ada, Okla., visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Bess Green and Mrs. Ella McNeese, during Thanksgiving.

James Clinton Grice, 85, retired farmer near Gorman, was buried in Murray Memorial Cemetery Saturday afternoon with Higginbotham Funeral Home directing, following services in the First Baptist Church of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Beggs and sons of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jackson of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Prestidge of Rising Star visited Mrs. Faye Foley and girls last weekend.

Carbon Loses Bi-District Tilt Powerful Sidney, 60-34

The Sidney Eagles put together a 40-point second half in Comanche Friday night to wrest the bi-district Six-Man title from the Carbon Wolverines, 60-34.

After trailing 18-14 at half-time, the Carbon boys came out to make a game of it and scored in the first 50 seconds, taking a 22-18 lead on a 52-yard pass from senior full-back Ronnie Hughes to junior end Herbert Casey.

The lead was short-lived however, as Nicky Pruitt paced the Eagles to the decisive win the next 23 minutes.

Sidney will play Novice for regional crown at 7:30 p. m. Friday at Coleman.

Pruitt, a 130-pound junior with nerves of steel, scored three touchdowns and passed for more yardage than the en-

tire Carbon team.

Leading Carbon losing cause was senior blockbuster Hughes who counted 13 of the Wolverines' points on TD runs of 56, one and five yards. He also fired two scoring passes and had touchdown runs of 56 and 35 yards nullified by penalties.

Hughes and senior Alvie Allison, who booted two extra points, were the main reasons Carbon topped the Eagles, 24-26, earlier in the year.

Casey got Carbon's other 12 points on beautiful receptions of two tosses — the 52-yarder from Hughes and an 11-yarder from Allison.

Hughes ended the night with 176 yards on 17 carries; Allison was 10 for 61.

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SIDNEY — 12 6 22 20-60

ENTRIES INVITED FOR COUNTY PECAN SHOW

in the 14th Annual Eastland County Pecan Show at Rising Star on December 9th and 10th according to an announcement from A. D. Ellington, Cisco, president of the pecan growers organization.

Mr. Ellington, whose organ-

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips of Lamesa and Bob Phillips and family of Kermit visited Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Murray during the weekend holidays.

Ron Ids rvis of Wichita Falls former teacher in Carbon School, was a guest Monday evening of the Truman Been family.

Basket Ball News

The basketball season opened here Monday night with the grade school team playing O'der, our boys winning by the score of 30 to 3. Durwood Webb was high scorer with 8 points.

The Carbon girls won 33 to 23 Cassie Nelson was high scorer for Carbon with 16 points.

The grade school boys and girls play Gorman here next Monday night.

The high school girls opened the season Tuesday night at Rising Star Tuesday night with a 53 to 39 score game in Rising Star's favor. High score honors went to Debbie Jackson with 22 points and Madge Justice made 15.

The high school boys and girls play in the Desdemona tournament there this week end. The Desdemona boys and girls play here next Tuesday night.

ation together with the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce are co-sponsoring the show, said that they would welcome entries of nuts from any grower outside of the county.

A total of 40 nuts of any variety constitutes an official entry. They may be mailed to the Chamber of Commerce office in Cisco or Rising Star or to the county agents office in Eastland for entry.

If an entry wins, first, second, or third place in the county show it will then be sent to the regional show to be held in Abilene at a later date. A total of ten nuts are used each time an entry is Cnetral and West Texas have

Growers from throughout been invited to have entries judged to determine kernel content, percent of meat and etc. Native seedlings as well as named, improved, paper shell varieties may be shown.

The pecan queen contest will be held in the Rising Star high school gym on Thursday night, Dec. 8, according to Mrs. George Steele, president of the Saturday Club, who will have charge of this event to kick off the show activities. The girl chosen queen must be from the county. She will be entered in the state contest in 1957.

The pecan bake show and centerpiece division featuring pecans will be under the direction of Miss Janet Myers, County Home Demonstration Agent and the County Home Demonstration Council. These events will be held in conjunction with the show.

Mrs. Lee Burkhead and the North Star Home Demonstration Club will have charge of the luncheon honoring the new pecan queen at noon in December 10th.

Friday and Saturday Specials

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Savings bonds sales totaled \$13,969 in Eastland County in the month of September, according to Guy Peyton Parker, chairman of the savings bonds committee. A total of \$201,669 has been purchased in the county since Jan. 1, 1966.

According to a release from the Dallas office of the United States Treasury Department, sales in Texas for the first nine months of 1966 totaled \$114,674,032. Of this amount, \$11,631,074 worth was purchased during the month of September. The 1966 Texas goal is \$147.5 million, of which 78 per cent has been attained.

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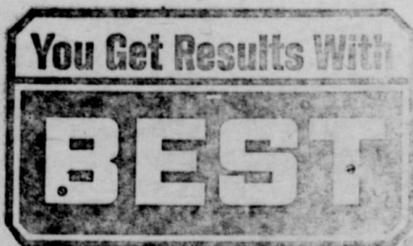
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The 1966 Eastland County Pecan Show will be held in Rising Star on Dec. 9 and 10. The pecan show will feature a bake show and pecan centerpiece division. Entries in the bake show will consist of pies, cakes, candy, nut bread and cookies; all of which will include pecans in ingredients.

The pecan arrangement division will consist of centerpieces and arrangements made from pecans or parts of the pecan plants such as leaves.

The Eastland County Home Demonstration Club women are sponsoring these two divisions. They urge everyone who is interested to participate. Ribbons and cash awards will be given to top entries in each division.

For additional information on the bake show and centerpiece division, call the Home Demonstration Office, MAIn 9-1729.

Fall is certainly the sportsman's delight. While the family hunters pursue their sport mostly for the thrill of out-

door recreation, game foods properly dressed and prepared can add pleasant variety to the family meals. The Extension Service has an excellent publication available entitled "Wild Game—Care and Cooking." This publication describes the time-tested methods of handling game in the field until it is tastefully served on your table.

Directions for cooking venison, wild duck, wild turkey, etc. are included. You might especially like the directions on freezing wild game for the home freezer.

Fall is also bulb planting time. Some stores in the county have them available at this time. In general, remember that bulbs need a well-drained soil. Peatmoss can be added to supply organic matter if the soil is extra heavy or sandy.

Bulbs do not tolerate heavy concentrations of fertilizer on them. For this reason, bone-meal is one of the most commonly recommended fertiliz-

In Appreciation

We would like to express our appreciation and thanks to every one for their kindness to us and generous donations since we lost our home and belongings by fire. Also the local fire department and the Eastland fire department for their work in keeping the fire from spreading to other buildings. We shall be forever grateful to each of you.

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ers for bulbs.

Plant bulbs where they will receive plenty of sun and be protected from north winds. New plantings should be mulched during the first winter, to prevent drying out. Dry grass clippings or leaves work well.

Bulbs should be planted together in large masses. Some of the small bulbs, crocus and hyacinth for instance, need to be planted in groups of 25 to 50 in order to make a good display.

Daffodils should be planted about 6 inches deep and from 6 to 8 inches apart. Set hyacinths about 3 inches deep and 6 to 8 inches apart. The small jonquil types are planted 3 to 4 inches deep and spaced 4 inches apart. Crocus are planted 4 inches deep and 2 to 4 inches apart. The planting depths just mentioned are to the top of the bulb.

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