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Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker have received word that their son, Bobby, who is in a hospital in Maryland, is slightly improved but is still undergoing treatment and further clinical tests. Surgery may also be necessary and he is expected to remain in the hospital another 3 or 4 weeks. His address is: National Health Institutes, Room 50, 3rd Floor, Bethesda Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert visited Seth Gilbert and family and Mrs. Verda Gooch of Corsicana over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carter of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers spent the weekend with their son, Mickey Rogers, and family of Fredricksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McCurry and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Vaughn of Houston spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines enroute from Lubbock where they visited their sons who are students at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gregg of Rankin, Joe Paul Gregg of Stephenville and V. L. Smethers of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snow of Abilene were supper guests Sunday in the Butler home.

Mrs. Wade Clark accompanied Mrs. Elsie Criswell of Okra to Rising Star for the ex-students Homecoming and reports an enjoyable day visiting with her many old time friends.

Joe Collins and family of Sweetwater and Mike Collins and family of Eastland visited their father, W. H. Collins, Sunday who was released from the Gorman Hospital after a 10-day stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Frasier and baby of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Frasier, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daskevich of Midland visited her brother, Leonard Bledsoe, and family Sunday.

Gaylor Park left Saturday for Fort Polk, La. after spending a 2-weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin and Kathy and Fred Coburn of Eastland visited in Fort Worth and Springtown and also attended the Dallas Fair over the weekend.

Charlie Garrett, Methodist Layman who is superintendent of the Gorman Schools, filled the pulpit at the Carbon Methodist Church Sunday morning and Jimmy Hughes, superintendent of Carbon Schools and also a Methodist Layman filled the pulpit Sunday night in observance of Laymen's Day.

Royce McGaha of Morenci, Ariz. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGaha, in Lawndale Home in Gorman and his sister, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Fields, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCray, of Clinton, Okla., over the weekend.

George Putnam visited Abb Putnam and family of Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. June Hicks and son Jim, of Electra spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ables of Lubbock visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medford and Mrs. Faye Walch of Fort Worth last weekend.

Omer Hogan returned home from the Eastland Hospital last weekend where he had been a patient for the past 3 weeks after suffering a severe heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boatwright visited her son, Wayne Campbell, and family of Azle Saturday.

Pleasant Hill Reunion Draws Big Attendance

Approximately 150 persons attended a reunion at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church on Sunday, Sept. 13.

Rev. L. L. Trott delivered the morning message, and lunch was spread following the service. The reunion brought together old friends, some of whom had not seen each other for some 50 years.

Present were the following: Carbon — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Park, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. Leonal Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Mangum, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been (Alduth Black), Mrs. J. L. (Mary) Black, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Simpson, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines.

Carbon Defeats Lingleville For Conference Win

The Carbon Wolverines opened district play against Lingleville at Dublin last Thursday night, winning by the score of 68 to 34, in a high scoring game.

Wolverines making the touchdowns were Ronnie Hughes 4, Herbert Casey 2, Ray Kanady 2 and Kelly Wyatt 1. Alvie Allison kicked 6 goals after touchdowns accounting for 12 points. Our entire squad saw action during the game.

They have an open date this week and play Olden here Thursday night, Oct. 20. Our seasons standing is 4 wins and 1 loss. Olden comes here with a much improved team and plenty of action is expected when the teams meet.

Hou-Tex Peanut Co. Buys Ranger & Carbon Plants

The Hou-Tex Peanut Co. of Houston has purchased the Shelling and Drying plant at Ranger and the Drying plant in Carbon.

The company is one of the largest and oldest peanut buying and shelling operators in the Southwest and has been buying peanuts in this area for many years.

In announcing this purchase, Mr. Geo. B. Freeman, president of the Houston Company, states that 16 new drying units have already been installed at Carbon, making a total of 24 drying units that the company has ready for the new crop. In addition, a new power lift has been added as well as other improvements made to speed up handling the new crop.

Mr. Freeman also announced that there will be no change in management of the facilities either at Ranger or Carbon and T. C. Wylie, who has been in charge of Ranger Peanut Co. for the past 24 years will remain there. J. E. Hogan of Carbon and John Wylie of Ranger will also be associated with Mr. Wylie in the operation of these facilities.

Notice

The junior class of Carbon is selling bumper stickers and decals for your car windows for the Carbon Wolverines. They sell for \$1.06 each and you may get them from any junior class member.

PEANUT MARKETING CARDS READY AT LOCAL ASC OFFICE

The 1966 peanut marketing cards are ready and may be picked up at the ASCS office, according to J. G. Meredith, office manager. Cards will be mailed out upon request. The cards must be returned when marketing is completed.

Meredith also stated that requests for cost-share for peas, vetch, and rye cover crop practices may be filed at the office at any time. The request must be filed before beginning the practice.

The 1966 domestic payments on cotton will be completed shortly. Meredith said, "We are in the process of completing 1967 allotments and yields, which will be

mailed about October 10. Requests for reconsideration of yields must be filed not later than 15 days from the date of notice. 1966 cotton marketing cards will not be issued. When you gin your cotton, give the ginner the farm serial number from which the cotton was produced."

Meredith also stated that farms with excess peanuts are reminded that the excess must be properly disposed of before harvest to avoid a marketing quota penalty and to be eligible for a within quota card. Individual letters of instruction have been mailed to all producers having excess peanuts.

Fire Prevention Observance Being Urged All Over County

Observance of National Fire Prevention Week, October 9-15, in Eastland County is being urged by both rural and city fire prevention leaders.

Cisco Fire Chief H. L. Ferguson and Jack Cozart president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau, urge citizens of Eastland County to pay special heed to the observance this year by taking steps to prevent costly fires.

County Man In Training Class Of Game Agency

AN EASTLAND COUNTY man is among 20 Texas game warden trainees undergoing 20 weeks of training at Texas A & M University. He is K. R. Stewart, Route 2, Box 138, Rising Star, Texas. The students game wardens study wildlife management, fish conservation and management, public speaking, first aid and physical education.

Other topics include drivers education, records and reports, public relations, boat and water safety.

School Director Bob Evins said A & M faculty members and Texas Parks and Wildlife officers teach the course. Evins is conservation supervisor for the Texas Park and Wildlife Department.

Also included in the curriculum is a one-week light duty Civil Defense Rescue course taught by A&M's Firemen's Training School.

Trainees will be assigned in February to game wardens throughout the state.

"We urge everyone to develop good fire safety habits which include such things as care with matches and smoking, good housekeeping to get rid of rubbish, proper use of electrical fuses, appliances, and extension cords and a constant general awareness of the ways fires start and how to avoid them," the local fire chief said. He added that fires killed about 12,000 people and the cost exceeded \$1.76 billion in the United States last year.

The local Farm Bureau president said the Fall and Winter months are the most vulnerable times of the year for rural fires. "When fire occurs on farm or rural property, damage is 3 to 6 times greater than in the average city fire," Mr. Cozart said.

Mr. Cozart said that Farm Bureau has two programs designed to help curtail fire losses. The local organization, in cooperation with the Texas Farm Bureau, sponsors the attendance of local volunteer firemen at the annual Firemen's Training School each July in College Station. The state and local Farm Bureau organization also pay \$75 to local fire departments for each call made in rural areas involving fires of Farm Bureau insured property.

In addition to these programs, county Farm Bureau sponsor a graphic 45-minute fire prevention demonstration presented over one hundred times a year before schools, civil clubs and other groups by the TFB Safety Department. More than 10,000 dry chemical fire extinguishers have been sold to Farm Bureau members as a continuing program of rural fire protection.

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Don Massingill Is President of Young Farmers

The Eastland County Farmers Chapter held its regular monthly meeting Monday night at Olden, and elected new officers for the coming year.

New officers are: Don Massingill, president; John Kidd, vice-president; Joe Herring, secretary; Fred Brown, treasurer; Charles Veale, reporter.

Advisors for the chapter are Winford Parr, Gilbert Copeland, and B. S. Dudley,

vocational agriculture teachers in Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Recognition was also given Charles Veale, young farmer from Ranger, who was elected Vice-President of Area IV at the Convention held in Abilene on September 24.

The program for the evening was brought by Jim Mitchum of Fort Worth, who discussed farm credit for livestock, and the future of agriculture and the farmer-rancher.

Plans were also discussed for a Swine Production Short Course, sponsored by the Texas Education Agency which will be conducted by the local chapter in November.

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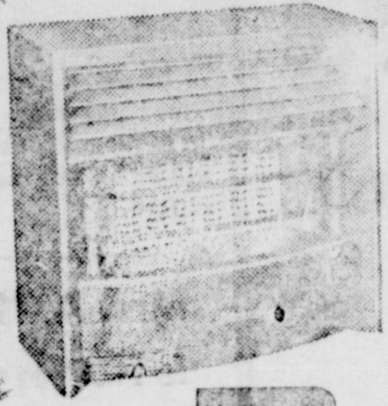
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W. M. Dunn.

VETERANS' LAND BOARD SALE

The Veterans' Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., November 15, 1966, for the sale of 104 tracts of land. 93 tracts offered to eligible Texas Veterans only in Briscoe, Brown, Caldwell, Cameron, Culberson, Deaf Smith, Denton, Dimmit, Gaines, Hidalgo, Hunt, Jasper, Kimble, Lamar, Limestone, Maverick, McCulloch, Medina, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Newton, Orange, Parker, Reeves, Runnels, Smith, Ward, Webb, Williamson, Winkler, Uvalde & Zavala Counties. 11 tracts offered to non-veterans and eligible Texas Veterans in Frath, Hidalgo, Maverick, Uvalde & Zavala Counties.

Tracts may be financed through the Veterans' Land Program. For information and listing of tracts write to:

JERRY SADLER
Commissioner of the
General Land Office
Chairman of the Veterans' Land Board
Austin, Texas

AUCTION

There were 941 head of cattle, 201 hogs and 81 sheep and goats sold at the Eastland Auction Company's sale last Tuesday. Present were 203 consignors and 82 buyers.

Prices reported were: butcher bulls, 18 to 22.60; stocker bulls, 20 to 25.50; butcher cows, 14.50 to 13.50; canners

and cutters, 12.50 to 17; butcher calves, 21 to 25.70; stocker steer calves, light choice, 25 to 32.50; heavy choice, 23 to 27 cents.

Stocker heifer calves, 21 to 25.50; yearling heifers, 20 to 23.50; stocker cows, \$110 to \$101; pairs of cows and calves, \$157.50 to \$238; butcher hogs, 17.50 to 22.30; sows, 19 to 21.70; packer goats, 4 to 6; stocker goats, 3 to 6 per head;

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Parent-Teacher Conference Set

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Mrs. A. H. Brown Is Hostess For Flatwoods HD

The Flatwood Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. A. H. Brown Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. N. Taylor read the motto, pledge, and pray and the group sang "Blest Be the Tie", with Mrs. Jack Lusk leading. The devotional, based on Galatians 6:7, was given by Mrs. Brown. Roll call was answered with "My Favorite Period Piece of Furniture".

The members planned a covered-dish luncheon for Thanksgiving and discussed a Christmas party. The Thanksgiving luncheon will be at noon, November 17 in the home of Mrs. E. W. Balingier. Mrs. Wiley Harbin was welcomed back to the club after a time of illness. Mrs. Brown served refreshments to Mmes. Lusk, J. S. Turner, M. W. Greiger, Balingier, Harbin, Fannie O'Brien, J. A. Pogue, Jess Cavanaugh, and Taylor. Mrs. Lusk led a period of recreation. The club will meet again Thursday, October 20, at 2 p. m., in the home of Mrs. Cavanaugh.

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