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## Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harle are the parents of a son born in Eastland Memorial Hospital Saturday, August 13, at 10:28 p. m. He weighed 8 lbs. and 4 ounces and has been named Philip Reuben. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle and Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell J. R., who is in the Army, is now stationed in Germany.

J. W. Wood and family and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wood of Numa, Colorado, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDaniel of Sweetwater visited friends here Monday enroute home from a vacation in points East.

Friends regret to learn that Bobby Tucker is again seriously ill in Scott and White Hospital in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Clower of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant Sunday and attended morning services at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ramsey of Gorman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ramsey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Putnam and family of Cisco visited George Putnam and Mrs. Cenley Putnam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Spence and daughters of Iran visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watkins and family of Waco visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Floy Murray, Saturday.

Mrs. R. Gray of Fort Worth visited her son, Glenn Gray, and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carter and son visited relatives in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Reba Bell and son, Perry of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collin Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and children returned home last week after a vacation trip to Colorado.

Enroute home they visited with Rev. and Mrs. Jira Turner and children of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil White and sons of Clyde brought his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White home Sunday after a few days visit with relatives at Olden and Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harle and children have returned from a vacation trip to Ajo, Ariz., where they visited their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Culp, and family.

Mrs. Leonard Wood of Dublin visited Mr. and Mrs. Wade White, last week.

Gilbert Blackburn and family of New Mexico visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gilbert, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beeler of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Garrett.

Rev. and Mrs. Moody Smith and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Taylor, of Lubbock last week.

Miss Brenda Smith is attending Youth Camp in Brownwood this week.

James Parten and family of Cisco visited his mother, Mrs. Ina Parten, Sunday.

M. Sgt. and Mrs. M. C. Green and two children of Derby, Kan. are visiting her mother, Mrs. Bernice Mangum.

## Mrs. Hale Dies In Weatherford

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert were in Weatherford Tuesday to attend funeral services for a friend, Mrs. Floyd Hale, who died at 3 a. m. Monday in Campbell Memorial Hospital in Weatherford after a lingering illness. Services were at 3 p. m. in Counts Memorial Methodist Church with Rev. Dowd, former pastor of the Gorman Methodist Church, officiating.

The Hale family lived here a number of years ago when Mr. Heil taught in the Carbon school.

Besides her husband, survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Kay Walker of Fort Worth; one son, David, of Fort Worth and Billy Pearson of Kingsville whom Mr. and Mrs. Hale reared.

## School News

On Friday, August 26, at 9 a. m. there will be a faculty meeting for all teachers of the Carbon schools, according to an announcement by Supt. Jimmy Hughes.

## Barton Family Holds Reunion Last Weekend

The descendants and near kin of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton held a reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orien Justice in Carbon last weekend. Relatives attending and friends who called were: Elmer and Reba Barton of Levelland, Bobby and Jack Thomson and son, Bobbie Jack, and Carolyn and Johnnie Duncan and son, Steve, all of Lake Charles, La. Mamie and Lawrence Collins of Rankin.

Eula and Orien Justice, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Collins and Judy, Mrs. L. L. Collins, Jenise and Euell Allison, Alvie and Alice Ann, Anni and Edwin Allison, all of Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Tex Collins, Kay, Faye, Buz and Bart of Rankin, Floyd and Lula Couch of Stephenville, Coca and Arzie Ford of Royalty; Katherine and Ted Darwin of Lubbock. John Collins, Donna Seaborn and Ora Mae Jordan, Babe and Earl Norris and grandson, Jerry all of Eastland; Mary Beth and Jerry Barton and son, Thomas Scott of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Dunn of Carbon and Mrs. J. C. Crowe of Bloomfield, N. M.

Several were unable to attend because of illness.

## \$394,855 Budget Is Approved For Junior College

The adoption of the 1966-67 budget and the hiring of three new instructors were the main order of business for the Ranger Junior College Board of Regents at their meeting Friday, Aug. 5.

According to E. W. Mince, president of the college, the adopted budget for the coming school year totals \$394,855, which includes money from local taxes, tuition fees, auxiliary functions, and state and federal appropriations. In 1965 local taxes accounted for \$49,548 of the total budget.

A large portion of the budget will go for payment of salaries. Mince pointed out that the \$171,005 payroll is supported largely by the state, which contributes \$116,035, the federal contribution equals \$29,200 and local taxes account for \$25,770.

Two of the new instructors, Doyle G. Williams and James McDonald, were hired to teach in the business department, while Leonard Marusak was appointed as history instructor.

## Singing At Gorman

The regular 3rd Sunday singing will be held in Gorman Aug. 21 at 1:30. Everyone invited.

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## EASTLAND COUNTY JUNIOR BEEF CATTLE FIELD DAY SET AUG. 20

### Fewer Farmers Are Making More From Crop Land

COLLEGE STATION — Are we running out of farmers and land? With the great decline in the number of farmers and ranchers what is going to happen to food production in the future?

These and similar questions are often asked of John McHaney, Extension economist at Texas A&M University and he has an answer. We've got plenty of both to take care of our needs for a mighty long time, he says.

The economist says people often overlook the scientific advances that have been made through education and research in agricultural production and marketing. There is no reason to believe these advances will not continue in the future, perhaps at even a faster rate, he says. They also forget about the large number of acres that have gone under irrigation with much higher yields and more stable production. These projects have been developed, he adds, through the use of private capital as well as government assistance. And finally, people overlook the fact that local farmers no longer produce just for local consumption but for consumers in other parts of the nation or even the world.

Today, with our efficient farmers, efficient suppliers of production items and our expanding and efficient marketing system, one farm worker supplies farm products for 34 persons compared to 11 persons in 1940.

McHaney says crop production increased 30 per cent and livestock production 27 per cent since 1950. Even with fewer farmers, production continues to increase making Americans the best fed in the world. And, he adds, they eat for less.

### Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our Carbon friends for the kindness shown us during our time of sorrow in the passing of our loved one. We especially want to thank the quartet and pianist for their beautiful rendition of music at the service.

May God richly bless each of you is our prayer.

The Family of Mrs. Clara Kuykendall

Buck Wheat of Eastland and John Foster, D.V.M., of Ranger will be guest speakers at the Eastland County Junior beef cattle field day meeting to be held Aug. 20 at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park in Gorman.

In charge of arrangements is Bobby Williams of Gorman, a junior 4-H leader.

Assistant Eastland County Agent Bill McCutchen will assist with the days events.

## Vacation Trade Whooping It Up At State Parks

AUSTIN — The vacation trade is whooping it up at state parks in record numbers and also setting some kind of a mark for tidiness.

This word reaches the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department from hard working crews who catch up on their off season months. Of course tons of refuse are hauled from parks every day but an unusual amount of that this summer comes from the containers. Still the managers note, the hardest part of policing job is collecting assorted waste scattered about the grounds.

Posters and strategically located collectors have combined to cutdown the littering problem, according to the men on the scene. Rules generally are being better observed, state field reports.

Key regulations include: Pets will be permitted on least only.

Firearms or fireworks will not be used or displayed.

Intoxicating liquor or beverages may not be sold or publicly consumed.

Wild flowers or shrubs may not be molested.

No hunting in any state park.

Speed limit in all parks 20 MPH.

Only authorized traffic permitted after 10 p. m. Minors will not be permitted to register or stay overnight in a park unless chaperoned and accompanied by adults.

Radios and recorded music and musical instruments will not be played after 10 p. m. in the picnic, camping, shelter and other overnight facility areas of the parks. Swimming permitted only in designated areas.

W. S. McGaha has been seriously ill in the Gorman Hospital for the past several days. His condition was unchanged at the last report.

## Friday and Saturday Specials

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Other symptoms of vitamin C deficiencies which may be found in both children and adults are hemorrhages under

the skin which are tiny burst blood vessels, stiffness and soreness of joints, swollen and bleeding gums and loose teeth. Sometimes hemorrhages under the skin show up among senior citizens who complain of poor appetites.

Since vitamin C is not stored by the body for future use, it should be included in the daily diet. Some vitamin C-rich foods are oranges, grapefruit, tangerines, tomatoes, strawberries and bell peppers.

Silk was first reported in Europe in the first century A. D. as an extremely expensive fabric imported from China.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 79 proposing an amendment to Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding Section 1-d to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding Section 1-d to read as follows:

"Section 1-d. (a) All land owned by natural persons which is designated for agricultural use in accordance with the provisions of this Section shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use. 'Agricultural use' means the raising of livestock or growing of crops, fruit, flowers, and other products of the soil under natural conditions as a business venture for profit, which business is the primary occupation and source of income of the owner.

(b) For each assessment year the owner wishes to qualify his land under provisions of this Section as designated for agricultural

use he shall file with the local tax assessor a sworn statement in writing describing the use to which the land is devoted.

(c) Upon receipt of the sworn statement in writing the local tax assessor shall determine whether or not such land qualifies for the designation as to agricultural use as defined herein and in the event it so qualifies he shall designate such land as being for agricultural use and assess the land accordingly.

(d) Such local tax assessor may inspect the land and require such evidence of use and source of income as may be necessary or useful in determining whether or not the agricultural use provision of this article applies.

(e) No land may qualify for the designation provided for in this Act unless for at least three (3) successive years immediately preceding the assessment date the land has been devoted exclusively for agricultural use, or unless the land has been continuously developed for agriculture during such time.

(f) Each year during which the land is designated for agricultural use, the local tax assessor shall note on his records the valuation which would have been made had the land not qualified for such designation under this Section.

If designated land is subsequently diverted to a purpose other than that of agricultural use, or is sold, the land shall be subject to an additional

tax. The additional tax shall equal the difference between taxes paid or payable, hereunder, and the amount of tax payable for the preceding three years had the land been otherwise assessed. Until paid, there shall be a lien for additional taxes and interest on land assessed under the provisions of this Section.

(g) The valuation and assessment of any minerals or subsurface rights to minerals shall not come within the provisions of this Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use.

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the constitution and laws of this state.



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## Landholders Earn \$13 Million From Hunting Leases

COLLEGE STATION — Landowners in Texas leased their land to hunters for over \$13 million in 1965, according to a state summary released

by Wallace Klussmann, Extension wildlife conservation specialist at Texas A&M University.

The report, compiled by Klussmann from information supplied by county agents, said approximately 21,000 landowners leased 33 million acres for all types of hunting in '65. The income from hunting leases was up \$1 million from 1964.

Over sixteen thousand of the leases were for deer hunting. The state average charge for annual leases for deer hunting was 46 cents an acre. In the Edwards Plateau area, average charge was 80 cents an acre.

For day leases, the state average return was \$1.10 per acre. Klussmann points out the day method of leasing is not necessarily more profitable, since increased labor and other costs are involved.

Waterfowl, quail and dove were the other major contributors to the wildlife economy. More than 12,000 landowners leased land for hunting the game birds. Dove hunting showed the greatest increase in leasing activity. There was some overlap in deer, dove, and quail leasing, said Klussmann.

In 1965 about 3,000 private lakes were leased for fishing. Total return for the lake owners was about three quarters of a million dollars, according to the report. The average rate for fishing on a daily basis was about \$1 per fisherman. The family charge for annual fishing leases varied from \$25 to \$500.

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**Miss Kendrick Becomes Wife Of  
 Don Guy In Friday Night Service**

Miss Judy Kendrick became the bride of Don Guy Friday, Aug. 12, at 8 p.m. in the Bethel Baptist Church. The Rev. H. B. Terry of Abilene, formerly of Eastland, performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. J. B. Kendrick and the late Mr. Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guy.

Given in marriage by her brother, the bride wore a floor length gown of chantilly lace with a scalloped neckline and a layered floor-length train. The long lace sleeves tapered at the wrists. A pearl tiara held her illusion veil.

The bride carried a white lace covered Bible with a cascade arrangement of gardenias and frenched carnations with a pearl shower.

Miss Sherry Plummer of Seymour, cousin of the bride, was brides attendant. She wore a floor-length dress of

blue bridal satin and a matching headdress and carried a small arrangement of gardenias and frenched carnations.

Best man was Harvey Spink of San Antonio.

Thresa Kendrick was flower girl and ring bearer was Rickie Kendrick.

Ushers were Tommy Rose and Ronnie Rich of Eastland, Bill Beaty of De Leon and Glenn Warren of Gorman; also, Bill Beaty and Glenn Warren served as candle lighters.

Musical selections were "I Love You Truly" and "Whither Thou Goest." Mr. Luce Pittman was vocalist and Mrs. Flo Clark, organist.

A reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church followed the ceremony.

For her going-away costume, the bride wore a blue bonded crepe suit. She wore a gardenia corsage from her bride's bouquet.

Following a trip to San Antonio and San Marcus, the couple will be at home after Aug. 14, at 2104 W. Commerce in Eastland.

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**Football Schedule  
 For 1966**

Carbon High School football schedule for 1966.

- Sept. 10 — Mullin, there.
- Sept. 15 — Rochelle, here.
- Sept. 22 — Sidney, here.
- Sept. 29 — Tolar, there.
- Oct. 6 — Lingleville, Dublin
- Oct. 13 — Open.
- Oct. 20 — Olden, here.
- Oct. 27 — Moran, there.
- Nov. 3 Gordon T
- Nov. 10 Strawn H
- Nov. 17 — Putnam, here.

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