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Local News In Brief

The girls' basketball season starts with an A and B squad game with Ranger here Tuesday night, Nov. 16, at 7 o'clock. Jimmy Hughes is coaching the high school girls this season.

Mr. E. Dunn and Mrs. D.
D. Sandlin returned home
last week from a visit with
relatives in Tennessee and
Mr. Dunn's sister-in-law, Mrs.
Vera Dunn, of Teenga, Georgia returned home with them
for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hay nes of Snyder visited her sister, Mrs. Callie Vaughn during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimy Daniels and daughter, Denise of Odessa and son, David Morton, and wife of Ada, Okla. spent the weekend with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Bess Green and Mrs. Ella McNeese. David, who is a student at a college in Oklahoma is on the football team and played in the game at Stephenville Saturday afternoon.

Alec Scott visited his son, Frank Scott, and family in Fort Worth last weekend.

Mrs. Kenneth Coleman and children of AcAllen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barton, last week a n d they accompanied her home Tuesday for a visit. They will also visit their son, Jimmy Barton and family.

Gerald Jackson and family of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Petree, Sunday.

Visiting Mrs. Callie Vaughnlast week were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and Ronnie of Clyde, also Mrs. A. E. Carson and Mrs. G. A. Walters of San Antonio and Mrs. Johnnie Haynes of Clyde.

Dan Weaver and family of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weaver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pounds of Moran visited Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stokes Sunday.

Wallace Kelly of Clarkston, Ga. visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Greer this week.

Mrs. Harry Hall accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Athol Claborn, of Trent to Abilene Friday for a checkup after having eye surgery several weeks ago. She spent a few days this week visiting in the Claborn home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sandlin and daughter, Kathy, and Mrs. Vera Dunn visited Jimmy Sandlin and family of Hobbs, N. M. last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Mc-Curry of Austin and little grandson, Brad Thompson, of Pine Bluff, Ark. visited Mrs. McCurry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hines, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Brady visited his mother, Mrs. J. L. Black, and the Truman Been family Saturday.

Judge and Mrs. Scott Bailey of Cisco were Sunday guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas

Miss Blanche Yarbrough of Big Spring spent the weekend with her father, E. R. Yarbrough, and he accompanied her home Monday for an indefinite stay. Mr. Yarbrough who has owned and operated the Carbon Drug for many years, has had to close the store due to ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson and children of Eastland visited her mother, Mrs. E. R. Butler Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Lindsey of Escondido, Calif. flew to Dalles last week and came to Carbon by bus for several days visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wade White, but recieved a message Salurcay that her husband had suffered a scroke and left immediately to return home.

Pecan Show Is Set For Dec. 10-11

The 13th annual Eastland County Pecan Show will be held in Cisco on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 10-11, according to an announcement Friday by Oscar Schaefer of Cook, president of the county

Pecan Growers Association.

Details for the show were worked out at meetings Monday night in Eastland and Thursday night at the Chamber of Commerce in Cisco. The show will be sponsored jointly by the county association and the Cisco CofC. The CofC agriculture committee will handle local details.

Mr. Schaefer said that rules of the show have been changed to allow anyone in this area of the state to have an entry of pecans. A quart of pecans will constitute an entry. All first and second

Important Meeting Monday Hight

A meeting will be held in Carbon Monday night, November 15 at 7 o'clock to discuss the erection of a building to house the fire truck and provide headquarters for the night watchman. This is a very important meeting and everyone in Carbon and surrounding community is urged to attend

Sheriff Dept. Is Tear-Gas Equipped

There's going to be "tears ahead" for certain Eastland County law breakers now.
The county sheriffs depart-

The county sheriff's department is equipped with a teargas rig which can, when called on, lay down an enormous atmosphere of uncomfortable breathing material for violators.

The rig consists of a long-range weapon capable of hurling a tear-gas projectile up to some 350 yards, shorter range weapons and tear-gas granades.

To be kept at the county jail and available for use by all law enforcement agencies in the area, the device is expected to be most usable here for the routing out of holed-up persons in vacant buildings when there's danger' of personal injury from mental patients or others capable of inhumans acts.

The rig costs ar eximately soot, and the county also added to the sheriff department two road-block type beacon lights, road-block signs for the autos and miniature two-way radios.

The tear-gas gun is a shotgun-type device which can accurately hurl gas bombs through windows and openings at great distances.

place winners will be entered in the Texas State Pecan Show at A&M College in mid-December.

In addition to the pecan show, there will be a pecan centerpiece division. Cash prizes will be paid to the winner of the centerpiece event. Details of this and the bake show will be announced soon.

A county pecan queen contest will also be held in Cisco. The winner will succeed Miss Susan Griffin of Carbon, who was elected queen last year. All communities and cities of the county will be asked to submit entries in the queen contest.

"We are delighted to have the pecan show in Cisco again," Manager Jim Smothers of the Cisco CofC said.

WOLVERINES BEAT GORDON FOR 8th STRAIGHT WIN

The Carbon Wolverines extended their undefeated string to eight straight with a 33 to 14 victory over the Gordon Longhorns in a Disrict 8-B six-man game played here last Thursday night.

Ronnie Hughes led the scoring for the Wolverines with 13 points, while Tim Warren and Danny Hoposeach added a six-pointer. Alvie Allison collected three points on conversions. Both of Gordon's touchdowns came

via of a pass from Nelson Campbell to Jim Coleman. Campbell added two points on conversions.

The Wolverines meet their stiffest competition in District play when they play Strawn there Friday night. Neither team has lost a conference game and this game will probably decide the conference winner. A large crowd of fans plan to follow our team to Strawn for this all important battle.

Gayle Baucum Is New County General Agent

Gayle Baucum assumed his duties this week as new general agent for Farm Bureau, replacing Pat Moseley who recently resigned the Eastland County post.

A 1961 graduate of Anson High School, where he was a Lone Star farmer, Baucum attended Abilene Christian College. He has participated in livestock shows in Abilene and Houston

He has been engaged in farming and ranching and has been working for the past year as a special agent for Jones County Farm Bureau.

Baucum, 22, is married to the former Patricia Ann Newman of Jones County and both he and his wife are active members of the First Baptist Church. The Baucums have purchased a ten-acre farm between Eastland and Cisco on Highway 80, where they will move in the near future.



GAYLE BAUCUM . new FB general agent

IH 20 Project Begins In Cisco Area Monday

Work will begin early this week on a 5.6 mile section of. Interstate 20 (Highway 80) from just west of Cisco to the Walter Kurklin farm three miles east of town, according to information at a briefing session held Thursday at the city hall.

The meeting was arranged by County Highway Engineer R. P. (Buddy) Haun and those present included District Engineer E. M. Pritchard of Brownwood, contractors, city officials, police and patrolmen and others.

Some 50 men will be employed on the project at peak periods, it was reported. Plans of the Acme Bridege Co. and M. E. Ruby Jr., Inc., the contractors, call for hiring all common labor locally. Their skilled workers, including machine operators, will move here for the job, which will require seven to nine months.

The two firms were awarded the contract for grading and structures on the route for the sum of \$1,140,380.98. Bridges and overpasses will be built and the 370 foot wide right-of-way will be levelled and prepared for paving in a later project.

Mr. Haun noted that the area of most danger to traffic was the point of intersection of IH 20 and the Rising Star Highway at the end of Avenue D. He said that temporary detours of some 1500 feet would be put up at the appropriate time. He not that the various streets intersecting the IH 20 route might be closed during the work.

Hugh Holland of Acme Bridge Company and Maurice Ruby of the Ruby firm were present for the briefing. A. Continued on last page

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Loans made or insured by the Farmers Home Administration in Texas during the fiscal year ended June 30 total a record \$88,289,230.

State Director Cappleman said that the Farmers Home Administration preserved its long-standing record for keeping its various lending programs in a sound position during fiscal 1965. Repayments of principal land interest by borrowers totaled the largest volumn collected in the agency's 30-year history.

"This good credit record significies the initative and inte-

grity dispplayed by the people of rural Texas in their vast self-help effort which these loans represent," Capplinan

stated.

Included in the number of Texas rural people benefitting from these programs are the members of 28,245 families forming rural groups that use Farmers Home Administration credit. Most of these groups borrowed funds to develop rural community water systems.

State Director Cappleman

emphasized that loans to strengthen family farms and build new rural homes continued as the agency's largest program in fiscal 1965.

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AUSTIN, Oct.-That sturdy youth pursuing fall outdoor sports with more than ordinary zeal, perhaps just a little taller in the saddle, may have a different role come next fall. He could be one of the young men the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is counting on for the annual new warden class which, some time before late summer rains cool and reinvigorate the parched earth, will assume their new positions as full-fledged Texas game wardens.

Active interest in outdoors naturally is requisite for the applicants since a major portion of their routine will be in some form of wildlife contact, said J .B. Phillips, law enforcement co-ordinator.

"But a modern warden no longer is confined to the actual wildlife harvest routine," said Phillips. "Rather, he works it from both ends. He works on wildlife management details and, through con-

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29 Landowners Claim **300 Antlerless Permits**

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A survey of the county has shown that doe are "plentiful" in this particular part of the county. Landowners who received doe permits will decide if the excess is to be killed.

Deer season in this area will open Nov. 13 continuing through Dec. 31.

Those who got permits

J. R. Ervin, C. D. Cates, Travis Hallmark, Bill Tackett, Hall Walker, Roy Stroud, Earl Moon.

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In previous years doe per-

Project 20

(Continued from Page One) H. House, who was here as superintendent when the Ruby company built the Cisco airport road two years ago, will return to run this job, it was announced.

Work will start this week at the east end of the section, moving west. It will be a month or more before base work begins. Only about 10 per cent as much crushed stone will be hauled from pits south of Eastland for this

mits issued by the County Clerk's office to hunters for a fee. During the past two years, 800 permits were issued in this manner each year. The first year, three years ago, 500 were

job as was used in the project west of Cisco last year, it was pointed out.

Mr. Haun pointed out that the state plans to let another contract in six to eight months to extend the road base from the Kurklin farm area to the intersection with Highway 6 at Eastland. Paving on the Cisco end probably will start within a year, he indicated.

Plans call for the road across the county to be finished by

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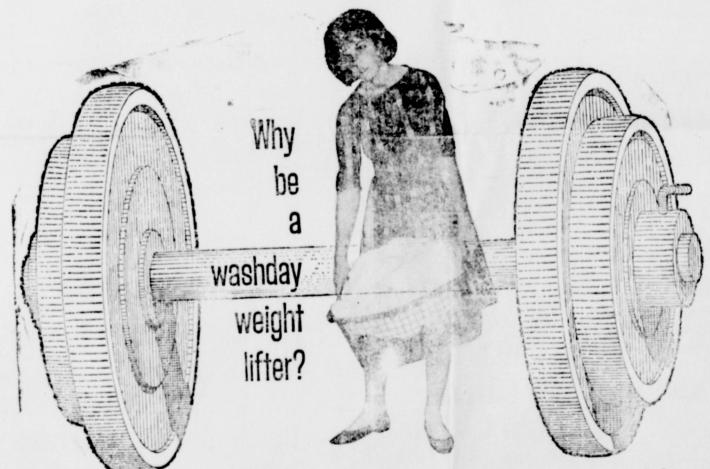
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